

Do You Know What Time It Is?  
Summer at Gilead  
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Introduction - If you want to know what **TO DO**, must to know **WHAT TIME IT IS**. - Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Example: Archeology digging - 1 Chronicles 12:32 NLT

I. Time is a Gift - Psalm 118:24 NLT

- Time as a **NUISANCE** or **WASTE?**
- Parents: Wishing the **TIME AWAY?**  
- Example: Daughters/ Time to **GO HOME!**

II. Time is a Mirror

- Helps us see things in **RIGHT PERSPECTIVE**
- Last week: 168 hours; reveals **VALUES** - James 1:23-24 MSG

III. Time is a Tool - 1 Peter 4:10 NLT

- Quote: "We must use time as a **TOOL**, not as a **COUCH**."  
- John F. Kennedy
- The best use of it: **PURPOSE**: Love God, Love People, Pursue Excellence and Choose Joy
- Invest your time: **SHOW UP/ BE THERE**

IV. Time is Short

- Limited **SUPPLY** - Psalm 39:4 NLT
- Non-renewable **SOURCE** - James 4:14 NLT

V. Your Relationship with Time

1. **I DON'T HAVE** time
  2. **OUT OF** time
  3. **ALL** the time I need
- Redeem the time - Ephesians 5:16a
    - Be **RESPONSIBLE** - Ephesians 5:15
    - Be **FREE** - Ephesians 5:16b
    - Take **ACTION** - Ephesians 5:17; Proverbs 17:24 GNT