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**Never Enough**  
**Ecclesiastes 2:1-26**

Song quote:

“All the shine of a thousand spotlights  
All the stars we steal from the night sky  
Will never be enough  
Never be enough  
Towers of gold are still too little  
These hands could hold the world but it’ll  
Never be enough  
Never be enough”

I. Is Hedonism Enough? 1st Tim. 6:17

A. Laughter : v. 2

C.S. Lewis said: “It would seem that our Lord finds our desires not too strong, but too weak. We are half-hearted creatures, fooling about with drink and sex and ambition When infinite joy is offered us, like an ignorant child who wants to go on making mud pies in a slum because he cannot imagine what is meant by the offer of a holiday at sea. We are far too easily pleased.”

B. Alcohol

C. Materialism

D. Party And Entertainment : v. 8; Ps. 16:11

II. Is \_\_\_\_\_ Enough?

A. He Was \_\_\_\_\_ : v. 12

B. He Saw The \_\_\_\_\_

C. He Came To A \_\_\_\_\_ : v.14-17

III. Is \_\_\_\_\_ Enough? v. 18-26

A. You can't \_\_\_\_\_ It: v. 18-19

B. You Can't \_\_\_\_\_ It: v.19-20

C. You Can't \_\_\_\_\_ It: v. 21-26

Charles Bukowski, a German poet, said: "For those who believe in God, most of the big questions are answered. But for those of us who can't readily accept the God formula, the big answers don't remain stone written. We adjust to new conditions and discoveries. We are pliable. Love need not to be a command nor faith a dictum. I am my very own god. We are here to unlearn the teachings of the church, state, and our educational system. We are here to drink beer. We are here to kill war. We are here to laugh at the odds and live our lives so well that death will tremble to take us."