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When you see the world around you it can break your heart. How the adversary has portrayed what is good and what is bad. The opposite of God. God in moderation this world? As much as you want. The adversary says go out and have fun worship the fun God says worship Him he will provide. Not saying can not have fun but to do so and still work.

Ecclesiastes 3:12-13

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¹² I know that there is nothing better for people than to be happy and to do good while they live. ¹³ That each of them may eat and drink, and find satisfaction in all their toil—this is the gift of God.

The gift from God. He wants us to do this but to look at Him for these things. When we seek these things only, we are creating new idols to block God. An idol can be something like chasing “the Jones”, bigger and better. The perfect trip. Relaxation beyond anything. God wants us to have these things but focus on him and not the things:

Colossians 3:2

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² Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things.

Eyes on the Lord not on stuff after all you can not take the stuff to heaven, but when you get to heaven your memories are in your perfect bodies. These can come so make the memories not accumulate the stuff.

Hebrews 10:24-25

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²⁴ And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, ²⁵ not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

We are focusing on people, enjoy relationships not the stuff. Our reward is in the kingdom to come.

Waiting for the Lord,

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