

Ecclesiastes 12:1 Remember, now, your Grand Creator¹ in the days of your young manhood,² before the calamitous days proceed to come, or the years have arrived when you will say; I have no delight in them.

Footnote: Your Grand Creator Hebrew, *Boh-re'ey'kha* The participle of the Hebrew verb create is plural to denote grandeur or excellence

Footnote: Or, youth

[11] - References:

- In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. (**Genesis 1:1**)
- And God proceeded to create the man in his image, in God's image he created him, male and female he created them. (**Genesis 1:27**)
- O God, you **have** taught me from my youth on, and until now I keep telling about your wonderful works. (**Psalms 71:17**)
- Your people **will** offer themselves willingly on the day of your military force. In the splendors of holiness, from the womb of the dawn, you **have** your company of **young** men just like dewdrops. (**Psalms 110:3**)
- **You young** men and also **you** virgins, **you** old men together with boys. (**Psalms 148:12**)
- But he said to them; Why did **you have** to go looking for me? Did **you** not know that I must be in the house of my Father? (**Luke 2:49**)
- And that from infancy you **have** known the holy writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through the faith in connection with Christ Jesus. (**2 Timothy 3:15**)
- In themselves the **days** of our **years** are seventy **years**, and if because of special mightiness they are eighty **years**, yet their insistence is on trouble and hurtful things, for it must quickly pass by, and away we fly. (**Psalms 90:10**)
- I am eighty **years** old today. Could I discern between good and bad, or could your servant taste what I ate and what I drank, or could I listen anymore to the voice of male and female singers?

So why should your servant become a burden anymore to my lord the king? (2 Samuel 19:35)

- **As for the rest of all the affairs of Asa and all his mightiness and all that he did and the cities that he built, are they not written in the book of the affairs of the **days** of the kings of Judah? Only at the time of his growing old he got diseased in his feet. (1 Kings 15:23)**
- **And it is bound to occur that, when I myself go from you, then the spirit of Yehowah itself **will** carry you away to where I shall not know, and I shall **have come** to tell Ahab, and he **will** not find you, and he **will** be bound to kill me, as your servant himself has feared Yehowah from his youth. (1 Kings 18:12)**