

Ecclesiastes 8:16

In accord with this I applied my heart to know wisdom and to see the occupation that is carried on in the earth, because there is one seeing no sleep with his eyes, either by day or by night.

[6] - References:

- In the **heart** of the understanding one there rests **wisdom**, and in the midst of stupid ones it becomes known. (**Proverbs 14:33**)
- Incline your ear and hear the words of the wise ones, that you may apply your very **heart** to my knowledge. (**Proverbs 22:17**)
- I myself turned around, even my **heart** did, to **know** and to explore and to search for **wisdom** and the reason of things, and to **know** about the wickedness of stupidity and the foolishness of madness. (**Ecclesiastes 7:25**)
- And I set my **heart** to seek and explore **wisdom** in relation to everything that has been done under the heavens, the calamitous **occupation** that God has given to the sons of mankind in which to be occupied. (**Ecclesiastes 1:13**)
- For all his **days** his **occupation** means pains and vexation, also during the **night** his **heart** just does not lie down. This too is mere vanity. (**Ecclesiastes 2:23**)
- For I took all this to my **heart**, even to search out all this, that the righteous ones and the wise ones and their works are in the hand of the true God. Mankind are not aware of either the love or the hate that were all prior to them. (**Ecclesiastes 9:1**)