

Ecclesiastes 2:12-16

חִכְמָה
wisdom

לִרְאוֹת
to see/understand

אֲנִי
I

12 וּפְנִיתִי
and I turned my attention

וְסִכְלוֹת
and folly

וְהוֹלָלוֹת
and foolishness

הַמֶּלֶךְ
the king

אַחֲרַי
after

שִׁיבּוֹא
which he will come

הָאָדָם
the man

מָה
what?

כִּי
because

עָשׂוּהוּ
they did it

כְּבָר
already

אֵת אֲשֶׁר-
which

13 וּרְאִיתִי
and I saw

מִן-הַסִּכְלוֹת
the folly than

לְחִכְמָה
to wisdom

יִתְרוֹן
profit/advantage

שֵׁישׁ
which there is

הַחֹשֶׁךְ
the darkness

מִן-
than

הָאוֹר
the light

כִּי־יִתְרוֹן
like profit/advantage

בְּרֹאשׁוֹ
in his head

עֵינָיו
his eyes

14 הַחֲכָם
the wise

הוֹלֵךְ
walking

בַּחֹשֶׁךְ
in the darkness

וְהַכֹּסִיל
and the fool

גַּם-אֲנִי
I also

וַיֵּדַעַתִּי
and I knew

כָּלם
all of them

אֶת-
with

יִקְרָה
in happens

אֶחָד
one

שֶׁמִּקְרָה
which fate/condition

15 וְאָמַרְתִּי אֲנִי בְלִבִּי
and I said I in my heart

כַּמְקֶרְהָ הַפְּסִיל גַּם־אֲנִי יִקְרַנִּי
like fate/condition of the fool also I it will happen to me

וְלָמָּה חֲכַמְתִּי אֲנִי אֵז יוֹתֵר
and to why? I am wise I then advantage

וּדְבַרְתִּי בְלִבִּי שְׁגֵם־זֶה הַבֵּל
and I said in my heart which also this vanity

16 כִּי אֵין זְכָרוֹן לַחֲכָם
because there is not advantage/profit to the wise

עִם־הַפְּסִיל
with the fool

לְעוֹלָם בְּשֶׁכַּבֵּר הַיָּמִים הַבָּאִים
to forever/long time in which already the days the coming

הַכֹּל נִשְׁכַּח
the all he/it will be forgotten

וְאֵיךְ יָמוּת הַחֲכָם עִם־הַפְּסִיל
and how? he will die the wise with the fool