



A Time
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Under
Heaven



Making the
Most of
Your Time

The Mayfly



Making the Most of Your Time

Your Time Is Now!

“Come now, you who say, ‘Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit’—yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes.” (James 4:13-14)

Your Time Is...



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“Concerning the times and the seasons, brothers, you have no need to have anything written to you. For you yourselves are fully aware that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night.”
(1 Thessalonians 5:1-2)

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“They asked him, ‘Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?’ [Jesus] said to them, ‘It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.’”
(Acts 1:6-8)

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*“I trust in you, O LORD. I say, ‘You are my God.’
My times are in your hand.” (Psalm 31:14-15)*

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“Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, making the most of your time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.”
(Ephesians 5:15-17)

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Failing to Act When It's Time



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“In the spring of the year, the time when kings go out to battle, David sent Joab, and his servants with him, and all Israel...But David remained at Jerusalem.” (2 Samuel 11:1)

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Failing to Act When It's Time

“You know the time, that the hour has come for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed. The night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light.”

(Romans 13:11-12)

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When Your Time Has Come



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“All life is a chance. So, take it! The person who goes the furthest is the one who is willing to do and dare.”

– Dale Carnegie

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When Your Time Has Come

“Now after John was arrested, Jesus came into Galilee, proclaiming the gospel of God and saying, ‘The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand. Repent and believe in the gospel.’”

(Mark 1:14-15)

“I am not going up to this feast, for my time has not yet fully come.” (John 7:8)

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When Your Time Has Come

*“From that time Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised.”
(Matthew 16:21)*

“Who knows whether you have not come to the kingdom for such a time as this?” (Esther 4:14)

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Managing Time in View of God's Timelessness



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“We cannot solve the problem of time through the conquest of space—through [building] pyramids or fame. We can only solve the problem of time through the *sanctification* of time.

To men alone, time is elusive. To men with God, time is eternity in disguise.”

– Abraham Heschel

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“With the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.” (2 Peter 3:8)

“[God] has made everything beautiful in its time. Also, he has put eternity into man's heart, yet so that he cannot find out what God has done from the beginning to the end. (Ecclesiastes 3:11)

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“The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. ‘The LORD is my portion,’ says my soul. Therefore I will hope in him.” (Lamentations 3:22-24)

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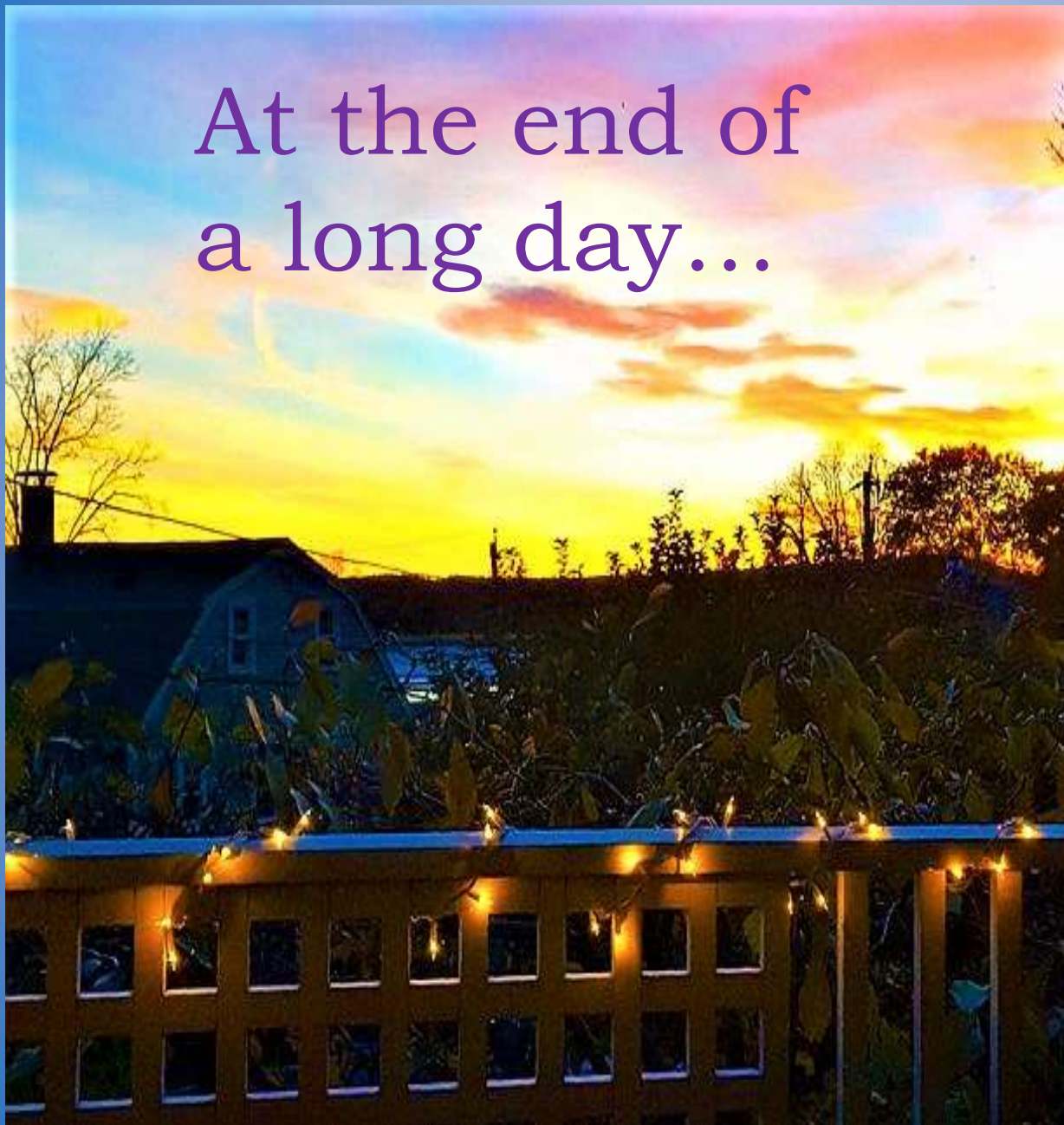
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“I am God, and there is none like me, declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, ‘My counsel shall stand, and I will accomplish all my purpose.’”

(Isaiah 46:9-10)

“I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.” (Philippians 1:6)

At the end of
a long day...





“To the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord—be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time, now and forever. Amen.” (Jude 1:25)



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