

Final Exam

The Book of Ecclesiastes

September 20, 2020

- 1. The author of Ecclesiastes Hebrew name is ______.
- 2. That name means ______.
- 3. T or F Ecclesiastes was written between 731 BC 735 BC.
- 4. It is commonly held that _____ and the _____

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- 5. Give 3 reasons for believing this person is the author:
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This is the end of the exam.

You may go back and spend as much time as you need to complete the answers.

Then move forward to the following pages which contain the answers to the exam.

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 - 4. To understand the depth of the sovereignty of God.
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