

**Valley Bible Church
Sermon Notes for May 10, 2015**

**Unless the Lord Builds the House...
Psalm 127:1-2**

Psalm 127:1-2 presents three important lessons that any Christian seeking to accomplish any task including the task of parenting must continuously keep in mind.

The first lesson from Psalm 127 is a lesson about divine sovereignty (Psalm 127:1).

Because God is sovereign in all things, those who seek to accomplish something apart from God can be assured that their efforts will either produce no result or a useless result.

The second lesson from Psalm 127 is about human responsibility (Psalm 127:1).

Though God is sovereign in all things, God's sovereignty does not eliminate human responsibility.

The third lesson from Psalm 127 is about peace (Psalm 127:2).

Though God's sovereignty does not eliminate human responsibility, it does eliminate every reason for worry.

May we by the grace of God know that if we continue to surrender to God in all of our endeavors, that we will be blessed by God, and our endeavors will have lasting value in the sight of God.