



## #2 "BUILD WITH WISDOM" Matthew 7:24-27

1. God wants to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ your house.

**Psalm 127:1 (NLT)** Unless the Lord builds a house, the work of the builders is wasted. Unless the Lord protects a city, guarding it with sentries will do no good.

**Matthew 7:24-27 (NIV)** Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.

- Luke 19:5-6
- Acts 10:24-25
- Acts 16:23-33
- Luke 19:9
- Acts 10:44

2. God's blessings on your house start with God's \_\_\_\_\_ in your house.

- 2 Samuel 6:11

*How do you secure God's presence in your house?*

▶ Know that you \_\_\_\_\_. **James 4:6**

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ pursue Him. **Matthew 5:6**
- ▶ Be \_\_\_\_\_ for all He does for you. **James 1:17; Psalm 22:3; 1 Thessalonians 5:18**
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ Him well. **1 John 4:7-8; Hebrews 12:14-15; Matthew 5:23-24**
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ what God is building. **Haggai 1:2-8; Malachi 3:10; Matthew 6:33**
- ▶ Build \_\_\_\_\_ around your "house." **Joshua 1:2-3; Ephesians 6:10; James 4:7-8**

3. God's blessings on your house happen when you build with \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

- Proverbs 24:3-4
- Romans 12:2

*How do you get God's wisdom?*

- ▶ Want it.
  - Proverbs 1:1-2
  - James 1:5
  - Proverbs 4:7-8
- ▶ Learn it.
  - Proverbs 19:8
  - Deuteronomy 8:2
  - Psalm 119:73
- ▶ Live it.
  - Proverbs 4:17
  - Matthew 7:24-25
  - Ephesians 5:15-16