



The Sermon on the Mount-Matthew 7:24-29 Foundations

- How did God speak to you this week about the foundations that your life is built on? Is Christ and his teachings what you build your life on? What other foundations are the greatest temptation for you to build on?
- Hear+do= wise man or women. Hear+ignore=foolish man or woman. Which of these describe your life most of the time? Do you routinely ignore Christ's teachings, or do you routinely put into practice what you hear Christ saying to you?
- RT Kendell-What makes the foundation of the teaching a rock, is not merely mental assent, but it is heart theology.
- What is one small change you can make today that will give you a projection toward building on Christ more faithfully?
- What do you view as a significant life? Will you submit this view to Christ's truth, that a life of significance is one that is built on him and his teachings?
- Are you currently in a storm? Financially, health, relationships, business of life...? How have you been comforted hearing that Christ actually says these storms will come, yet as we build on him we will make it?
- The fool...doesn't plan ahead, lives for the present only, and ignores the teachings of Jesus.
- The wise man...plans ahead, lives intentionally, and adapts his life to the teachings of Jesus.
- Building on Jesus is simply seeking to obey and then trusting Christ for his perfect obedience when we fail. This is where we find forgiveness.