

# The Day Shall Declare it

1 Cor 3: 10-15

Analogy of building a building...Architecture:

1. \_\_\_\_\_---Master builder

I could not have laid foundation of ministry \_\_\_\_\_ God's grace.

I can't be \_\_\_\_\_ without grace of God.

Grace

*Energizing power and supernatural desire to do will of God.*

*Dynamic \_\_\_\_\_ of living God that enables me to follow every prompting of God's Spirit and live in harmony and obedience to every \_\_\_\_\_ of God's Word.*

John 1:17 Only given to those who have a personal relationship with \_\_\_\_\_ Christ

Acts 4:33 Power to \_\_\_\_\_

Eph.2:8,9 Can't be saved without it

Acts 20:32 ...word of his grace, which is able to \_\_\_\_\_ you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.

Rom. 5:20 Gives victory over \_\_\_\_\_

Rom. 12:6 Gives ability to use \_\_\_\_\_ gift.

1 Cor.15:10 Gives strength to \_\_\_\_\_ God

2 Cor.12:9 Gives strength to go through \_\_\_\_\_.

Effective \_\_\_\_\_ Eph. 3:7

Enables to \_\_\_\_\_ Eph. 3:8

Enables to \_\_\_\_\_ Col. 3:16

Be \_\_\_\_\_ in grace 2 Tim 2:1

Power in prayer...get help from God ...our needs Heb 4:16

Enables to serve God \_\_\_\_\_ Heb 12:28

Hearts \_\_\_\_\_ with grace Heb 13:9

How get it?

James 4:6 ... but giveth grace unto the \_\_\_\_\_.

1 Pet 5:5-6 \_\_\_\_\_ yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time:

...as a wise masterbuilder, Chief constructor, \_\_\_\_\_.

General contractor or \_\_\_\_\_.

Wise: skilled, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ of God made him a wise masterbuilder.

Not because of \_\_\_\_\_ strength or ability

Not all about \_\_\_\_\_

1 Corinthians 3:7; Romans 15:18; 1 Corinthians 15:10; Ephesians 3:7-8

*I have laid the foundation, and another buildeth thereon.*

Been involved in planting new churches and another came and took them to next \_\_\_\_\_ of growth and ministry.

**Foundation:** \_\_\_\_\_ thing done in erection of building.

Everything built \_\_\_\_\_ foundation.

No foundation--no building

Doctrines and \_\_\_\_\_ for belief and practice.

Eph 3:1-9 \_\_\_\_\_ of new covenant

Matt 7:24-27 Hearing and \_\_\_\_\_ Word of God

Solid foundation: people who hear and \_\_\_\_\_ Word of God.

Sand: person who hears but \_\_\_\_\_ obey Word of God.

Matthew 7:24-27

*Every man:* teachers, preachers, evangelists, who come in and \_\_\_\_\_.

*Take heed:* be careful, \_\_\_\_\_, look!

*How he buildeth:* In what \_\_\_\_\_ he builds

Manner

Materials

Approach

Doctrines

Motives

Methods

*Every man:* not just \_\_\_\_\_ and teachers

Every believer.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ – Jesus Christ

**1 Corinthians 3:11** *For other foundation...*

Paul's job simply lay the foundation. Put it down.

Don't try \_\_\_\_\_ foundation with entertainment...

**Foundation, Jesus Christ?** Focus of ministry. Everything points to Jesus Christ. *Jesus Christ* -

**New Commentary:** *The name "Jesus" expresses the character of God as Savior; "Christ" is the Messiah or anointed One. Paul's use of both names here shows that concepts of the \_\_\_\_\_ and the sovereignty of Christ are both foundational to sound Christian doctrine.*

**Barnes:** *the foundation of a church is the DOCTRINE on which it is established; ...no true church can be reared which does not embrace and hold*

*the true doctrines respecting him – those which pertain to his incarnation, his divine nature, his instructions, his example, his atonement, his resurrection, and ascension. The reason why no true church can be established without embracing the truth as it is in Christ is, that it is by him only that people can be saved*

John 5:39 *Search the scriptures; ... they are they which testify of me.*

All scriptures \_\_\_\_\_ on Jesus Christ.

OT pointed \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus.

Gospels point to life and \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.

Acts points to history of \_\_\_\_\_ and His church

Epistles point to His \_\_\_\_\_ and work ...

Revelation points to His final testimony and final reign and imminent \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Right \_\_\_\_\_ – Motives

**1 Corinthians 3:12**

Two types of building materials. :

\_\_\_\_\_ quality materials

\_\_\_\_\_ quality materials

Materials represent believers' works. What \_\_\_\_\_ of works.

Mac: *Works are not the source of the Christian life, but they are the marks of it.*

Paul's point: serve Lord with best God given.

4. \_\_\_\_\_ – Test, accountability...Judgment Seat of Christ...

**1 Corinthians 3:13**

*Made manifest:* plainly, \_\_\_\_\_ known;

Shown for what \_\_\_\_\_ is.

True \_\_\_\_\_ of materials seen.

Facade, mask taken off.

*...for the day shall declare it* Judgment seat of Christ.

Show to be what really is; make plain; \_\_\_\_\_

Forced to face reality of \_\_\_\_\_ and motives

*...because it shall be revealed by fire;*

Fire symbol of testing...used in purifying metal.

*...of what sort it is.* Kind of \_\_\_\_\_.

5. Rewards.

**14. If any man's work abide which he hath built thereupon, he shall receive a reward.**

His reward corresponds to \_\_\_\_\_ of building materials

Rewards--crowns

1 Cor 9:25 \_\_\_\_\_ crown--discipline

2 Tim 4:7-8 Crown of righteousness-- love His \_\_\_\_\_.

1 Thess 2:19-20 Crown of \_\_\_\_\_ -- faithfully proclaim truth.

1 Pet 5:4 Crown of glory--good \_\_\_\_\_.

James 1:12 Crown of life--demonstrated love for Lord by \_\_\_\_\_ temptation.

Rev 2:10 faithful unto \_\_\_\_\_

**15 ... saved; yet so as by fire.**

Picture of man who runs through big fire to other side without being \_\_\_\_\_ . Still has smell of smoke.

He barely escaped being \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Lenski:** ... All to which he devoted his life shall be suddenly swept away. He shall stand bare where he might have had so much. ... Many proud builders who were acclaimed by men while they lived and were honored with great tributes when they were buried shall hang their heads when all their work becomes nothing in the fire test. But many a humble preacher, of whom nobody made much in life, shall \_\_\_\_\_ at that day because he wrought gold, silver, and precious stones.

You and I called in \_\_\_\_\_ some day before God

God sees through all \_\_\_\_\_ .

No excuses for \_\_\_\_\_ to God.

## **So What?**

By what means was Paul made a wise Master Builder?

Who is the true foundation in our lives and ministries?

What characterizes your life and ministry before God: Gold, silver, precious stones or wood hay stubble?

How will you do at the Judgment Seat of Christ?

What crowns will you receive?

\_\_\_\_\_ crown--discipline

Crown of righteousness-- love His \_\_\_\_\_.

Crown of \_\_\_\_\_ -- faithfully proclaim truth.

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Crown of life--demonstrated love for Lord by \_\_\_\_\_ temptation.

By being faithful unto \_\_\_\_\_