## WHY IS MY LIFE FALLING APART'?

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(Matthew 7:24-27)

You can build something you love the wrong way. You can build something you enjoy on a cracked foundation. You can build something that gives you great pleasure on sand. Everyone who walks on the earth has built something. It may be a family, business, ministry, lifestyle, mindset, tradition, etc.

If you have built something on the wrong foundation it will fall apart. If you have built something with the wrong motive it will fall apart. If you have built something the wrong way it will fall apart. In order to avoid your life falling apart build it on **KINGDOM PRINCIPLES**.

KINGDOM PRINCIPLES ARE THE LAWS THAT GOVERN THE KINGDOM OF GOD. If your life has fallen apart you have built it on the wrong surface. Unfortunately, it is really easy to build your life on the wrong surface. When people are unfamiliar with the principles of the Kingdom of God they will **ALWAYS** build their lives on what is temporal and insignificant. The only thing that can last forever is what is eternal. Psalm 145:13 says, "your Kingdom will go on and on, and you will rule forever."

#### THINK ABOUT THIS

- If you build your business on lies and dishonesty it is going to fall apart. Why? Because it is against Kingdom Principles.
- If you build your marriage on lust and deception it is going to fall apart. Why? Because it is against Kingdom Principles.

- If you build your ministry on taking advantage of the poor it is going to fall apart. Why? Because it is against Kingdom Principles.
- If you build your life around worthless pleasures it is going to fall apart. Why? Because it is against Kingdom Principles.
- If you build your mindset with wickedness and evilness you are going to have a mental breakdown. Why?
  Because it is against Kingdom Principles.

### EVERYTHING THAT IS BUILT IS <u>TESTED!</u>

Matthew 7:24-27

Matthew 7:24-27 teaches us that a wise man builds his house on a rock while a foolish man builds his house on sand. God allows both men to build. However, He only allows one man's house to stand. Notice that **BOTH**  houses are tested the **SAME** way. Both houses had to endure hard rain, massive floods and strong winds but the wise man who built his house on the **RIGHT** foundation was able to withstand the test.

#### YOUR LIFE WILL POTENTIALLY FALL APART WHEN GOD DECIDES TO TEST WHAT YOU HAVE BUILT. If

you have built everything you have on sand you will lose it. However, if you have built everything you have on a rock you will **KEEP IT**. If an area in your life has fallen apart it is a **CLEAR** indicator that God wants you to rebuild it. He wants you to build it on a **SOLID** foundation. That foundation is called Kingdom principles.

GOD WILL NOT SUPPORT ANYTHING THAT IS BUILT OUTSIDE OF HIS KINGDOM!

## <u>DON'T WASTE YOUR GOOD</u> <u>YEARS!</u>

Many people have made the mistake in building a marriage, career, ministry, lifestyle and business on sand. They decided to build something on shallow values, worthless pleasure and selfish ambition. People have wasted ten, fifteen, twenty and thirty years building something on a crack and rusted foundation because they **DID NOT** know this vital principal.

#### GOD WILL NOT SUSTAIN ANYONE OR ANYTHING THAT IS NOT ESTABLISHED ON KINGDOM PRINCIPLES.

Do not waste the rest of your years building something that is going to be swept away by the wind. Your time is too important for that. Your energy is too precious for that. Your peace is too valuable for that. Here are a few reasons why people's lives fall apart.

 They build their life around their intellect and NOT the Kingdom of God.

- They build their life around selfish pleasures and NOT the Kingdom of God.
- They build their life around temporal matters and NOT the Kingdom of God.

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