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# Session One - Study Guide

BUILT to Last

#### Proverbs 9:10

Fear of the LORD is the **foundation** of wisdom. Knowledge of the Holy One results in good judgment.

#### Matthew 7:24-27

"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. 25 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. 26 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. 27 The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash."

## **BUILT TO LAST**

- 1. You are \_\_\_\_\_\_ something. (1 Corin. 3:10-11)
- 2. The rain pours on \_\_\_\_\_\_. (Jn. 16:33)
- 3. The difference is the \_\_\_\_\_\_. (Mt. 7:25)

#### The Foundation Determines Three Things:

- a. How \_\_\_\_\_\_ you can grow.
- b. How \_\_\_\_\_\_ you can go.
- c. How \_\_\_\_\_\_ you can handle.
- 4. The foundation is the \_\_\_\_\_\_. (Mt. 24:35)



5. The Bible is the message about \_\_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 1:14)

#### John 17: 14-17

I have given them your word. And the world hates them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. I'm not asking you to take them out of the world, but to keep them safe from the evil one. They do not belong to this world any more than I do. Make them holy by your truth; teach them your word, which is truth.

#### Isaiah 55:8-9

"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways... As the heavens are **higher** than the earth, so are my ways **higher** than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts."

#### 2 Timothy 3:16

All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness ...

## Why is the Bible the best foundation?

1. The Bible is \_\_\_\_\_.

2. The Bible is \_\_\_\_\_.

3. The Bible is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

## **REFLECT & WRITE**

1. Make a list of some of the "foundations" people build their lives on. Why are these foundations shaky?

2. Have you ever found it difficult to trust the Bible? How do you think your life would look different if you fully trusted the Bible and allowed it to be a foundation for your life?

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