

# FAMILY MATTERS!

## Happy Mothers Day!

Luke 6:46-49

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### Bottom Line:

Our lives, like buildings, must be built on the right foundation in order to withstand the trials and realities of life and death.

### 1. Priority 1: Become a constructive \_\_\_\_\_.

Luke 6:46-48

#### *Various approaches to the building process:*

#### 1. Apathetically \_\_\_\_\_

*Physically, emotionally, and/or spiritually removed from what is happening in the home!*

#### 2. Lazily Laissez Faire

*Engaged in the home, but no direction given. Growth in the marriage or the kids is not given the attention needed!*

#### 3. Dangerously \_\_\_\_\_

*Emphasis is placed on temporal things while eternal values and goals are forgotten!*

#### 4. Repeatedly Rationalizing

*Changes that should be made are identified, but they are not made because of our own self-centered excuses!*

#### 5. Comprehensively \_\_\_\_\_

*Actively engaged and on-guard, promoting biblical values and thinking with the goal of preparing for the storms that will come!*

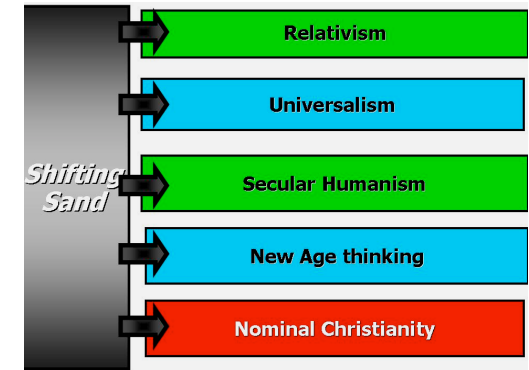
### 2. Priority 2: Lay the right \_\_\_\_\_.

Luke 6:48-49

A. \_\_\_\_\_ Rock – living with integrity according to the authoritative, unique life principles of Jesus Christ.

v. 48

B. \_\_\_\_\_ Sand – rejecting the teachings of Jesus and living according to contradictory principles v. 49



### - Two attitudes that lead to a poor foundation:

1) Desire for the fast and \_\_\_\_\_ approach.

2) Denial of the dangers and \_\_\_\_\_ of the wrong foundation.

### 3. Priority 3: Prepare for the coming \_\_\_\_\_.

Luke 6:48-49

A. Storms will come upon both the \_\_\_\_\_ and the unwise. v. 48-49

B. Storms were not the result of God's \_\_\_\_\_. v. 48-49

C. Storms are a reminder for God's people to \_\_\_\_\_ their hearts and minds. v. 48-49

### 4. Priority 4: Strive to build a house that \_\_\_\_\_ strong.

Luke 6:48-49

A. Reaffirm your love and commitment to \_\_\_\_\_.

B. Be on guard for false beliefs seeking to infiltrate your life.

C. Implement God's \_\_\_\_\_ in every part of your life.