

Sand and Stone

Matthew 7:24-29

This Sermon of Jesus is not a suggestion.

It is a call to action.

Don't let familiarity get in the way tonight.

Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock. And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock.

And everyone who hears these words of mine and does not do them will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand. And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell, and great was the fall of it.

And when Jesus finished these sayings, the crowds were astonished at his teaching, for he was teaching them as one who had authority, and not as their scribes.



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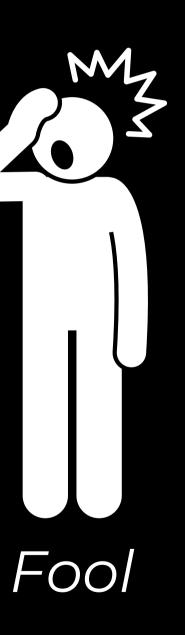
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Faith in Jesus saves you to be like Jesus.

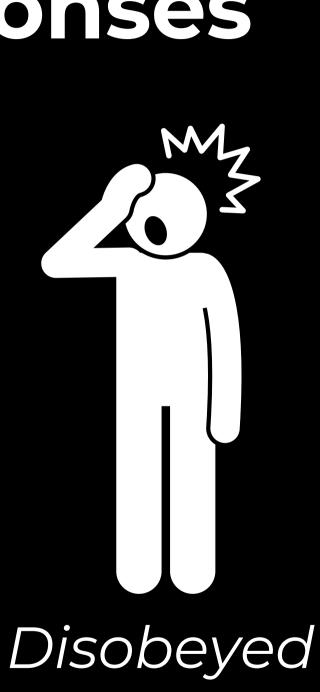
Two Men





Two Responses





Two Outcomes





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Astonishment is not enough.

What if we took Jesus seriously?