

# MEKANE HIWOT SUNDAY SCHOOL

## THE WISE AND FOOLISH BUILDERS

*Matthew 7:24-29*

Matthew 7

<sup>24</sup>“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.

<sup>25</sup>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. <sup>26</sup>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.

<sup>27</sup>The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.”

<sup>28</sup>When Jesus had finished saying these things, the crowds were amazed at his teaching, <sup>29</sup>because he taught as one who had authority, and not as their teachers of the law.

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POSSIBLE POINTS	MY POINTS	QUESTIONS
5		1.) What happened to the man's house that was built on the sand?
5		2.) What happened to the man's house that was built on the rock?
5		3.) Who is our "rock"?
5		4.) Why do you think we should build our lives on Jesus?

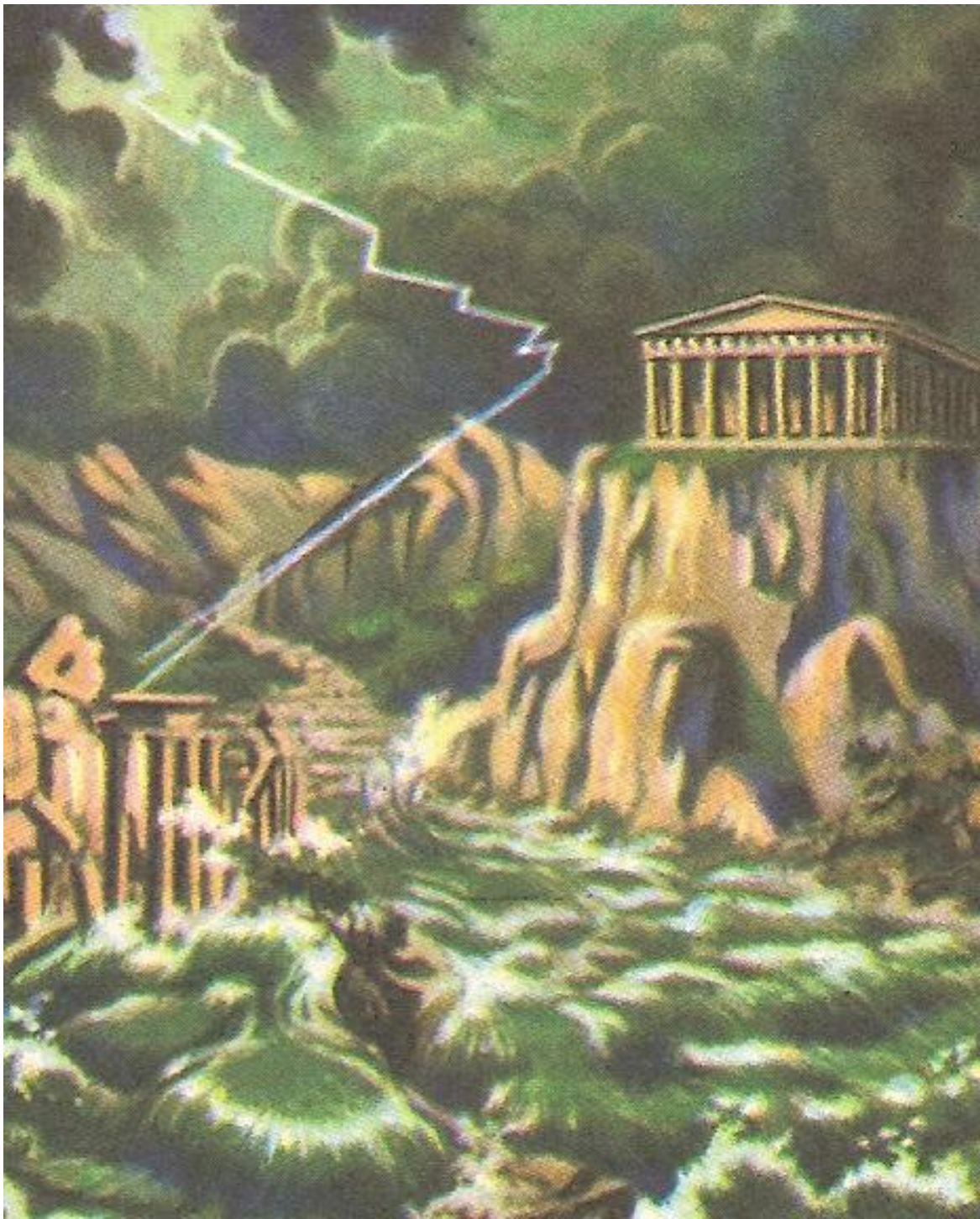
POSSIBLE POINTS	MY POINTS	MEMORY VERSE
10		<p>"The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge."</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Psalm 18:2</p>

POSSIBLE POINTS	MY POINTS	HOME CONNECTION	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE
5		<i>I have read, or been read, the passage of scripture for this week.</i>	
5		<i>I have answered the questions aloud to an adult at home this week.</i>	
10		<i>I have recited the memory verse out loud to an adult at home this week.</i>	

TOTAL POINTS	CLUB CONNECTION
	LEADER'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE ____/____/____

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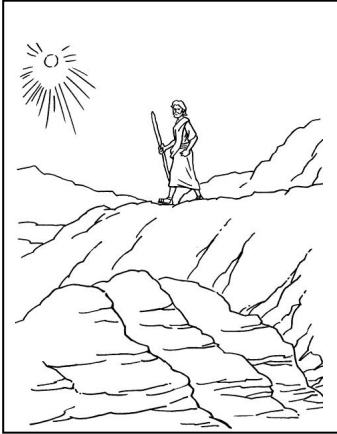


*The wise builder looks for a solid rock to build his house on*

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A SPECIAL REPORT ON MATTHEW 7:24-29

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Jesus said, “Everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on a rock.

When the rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, it did not fall.” It was built on rock. Rock is a solid foundation. Jesus is like a rock. We can build our lives on him. When bad things happen in our lives, we will not be shaken because Jesus holds us up.

Jesus then spoke about a foolish man who built his house on sand. When the rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, it fell with a great crash. This house was built on a bad foundation. When we build our lives on anything other than Jesus, our lives will not stand up to troubles.

For additional details about this story, please read Matthew 7:24-29 in your Bible.

## QUESTIONS

1. What happened to the man’s house that was built on sand?
2. What happened to the man’s house that was built on the rock?
3. Who is our “rock”?
4. Why do you think we should build our lives on Jesus?

## MEMORY VERSE

“The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge.” Psalm 18:2

## FINISH THE PICTURE

