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GREETINGS FROM GOD THE FATHER
AND OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

HAPPY FEAST OF
UNLEAVENED BREAD!!

DAY SEVEN OF NO LEAVEN

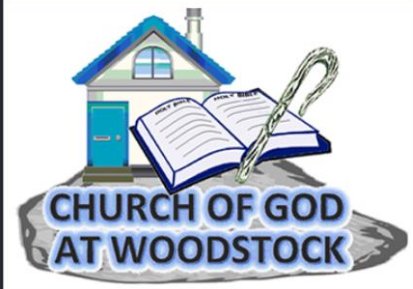


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EPH 6:17 AND TAKE...THE SWORD OF THE
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A CHURCH OF GOD IN WOODSTOCK, ILLINOIS



CASTLES

IN THE SAND



A FOUNDATIONAL TEACHING

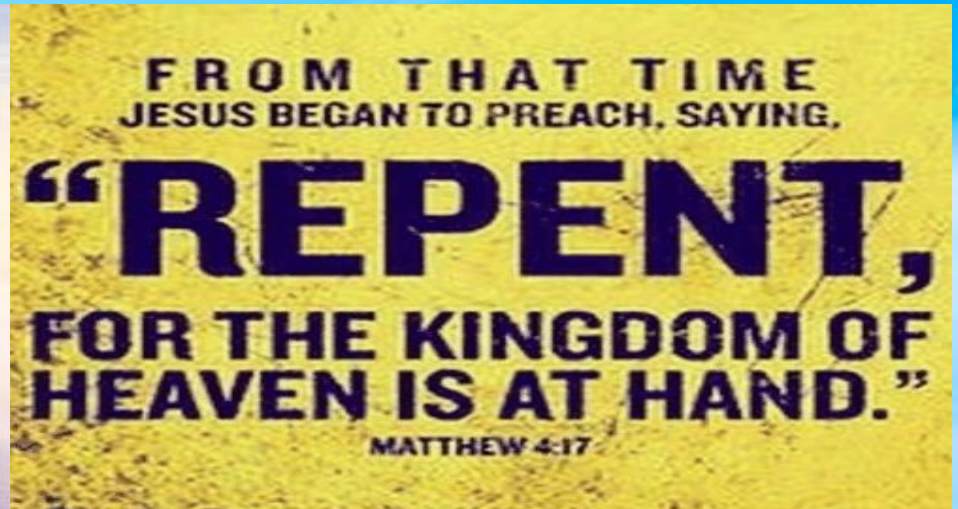
2 Timothy 3:1-4 This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come.

For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God;

A PEEP OVER THE PAIL



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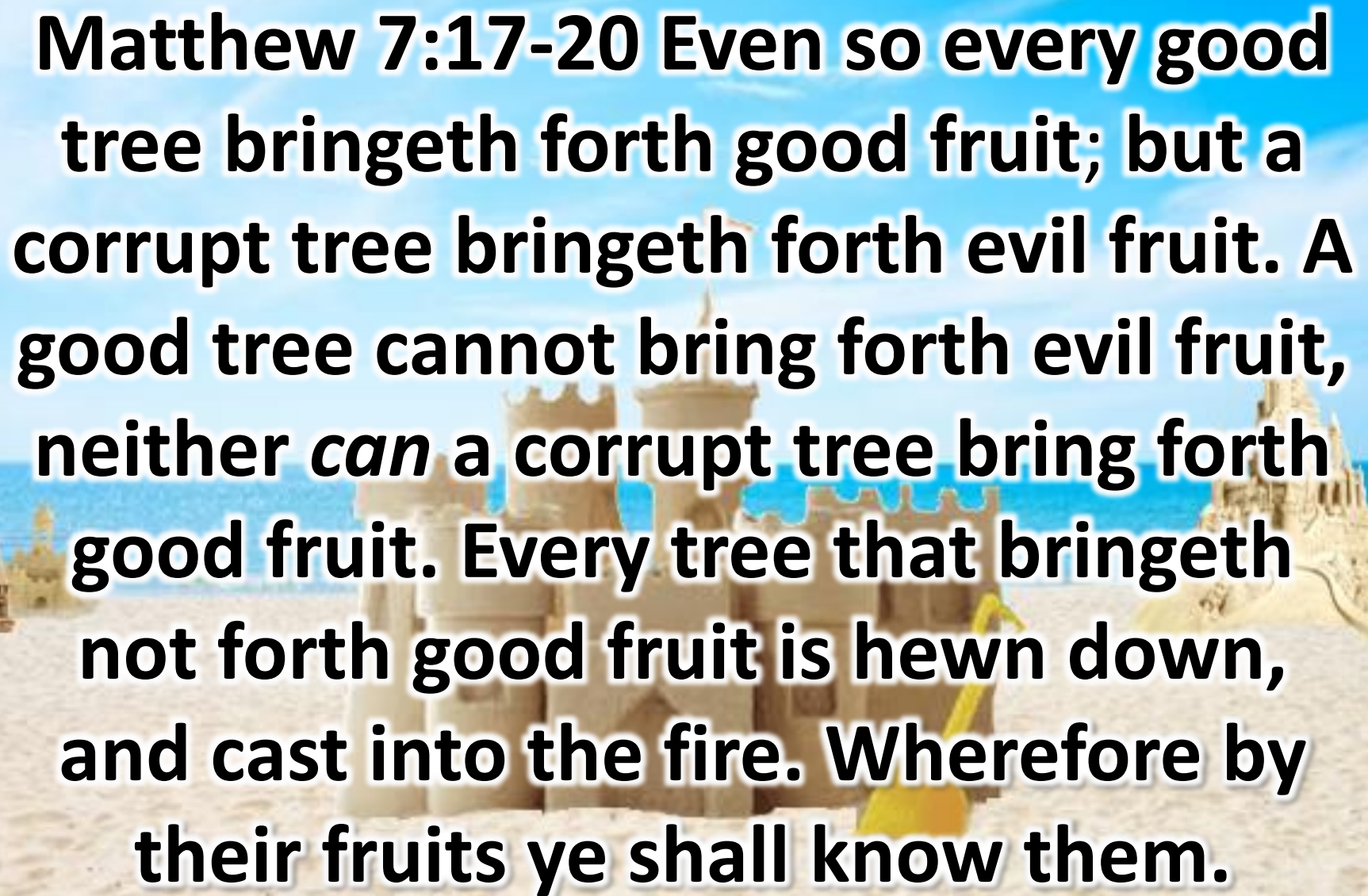


"FOLLOW ME AND I WILL MAKE
YOU FISHERS OF MEN"



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Matthew 7:17-20 Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit. A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither *can* a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them.

The background of the image is a bright, sunny beach scene. In the foreground, there are several sandcastles of varying sizes built on the golden sand. A yellow shovel is stuck in the sand near one of the castles. In the background, the blue ocean meets a clear blue sky with a few wispy clouds. The overall scene is cheerful and represents the concept of 'castles in the sand' mentioned in the text.

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Matthew 7:21-23 Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity.

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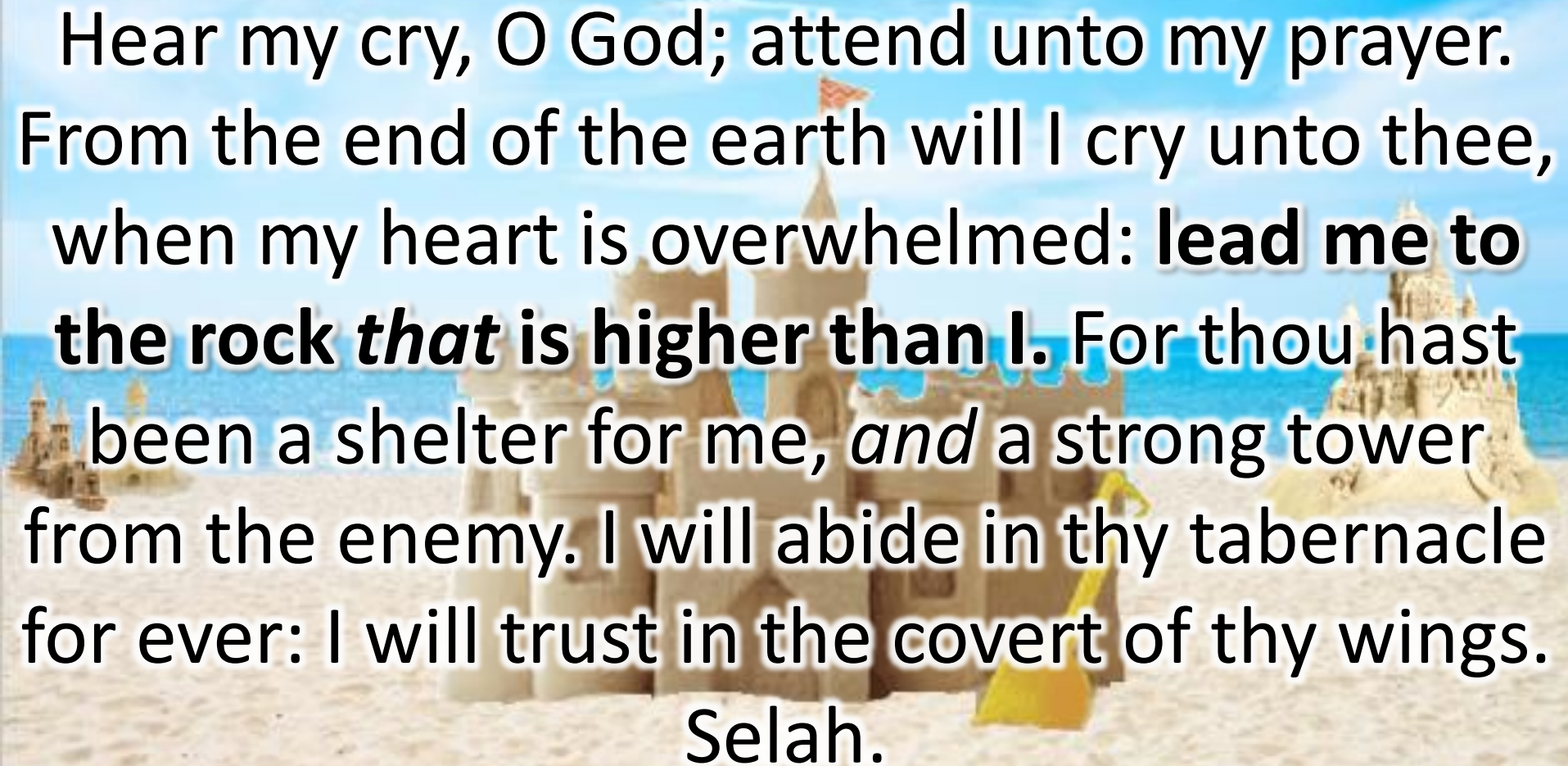
Matthew 7:24-25 Therefore whosoever
heareth these sayings of mine, and
doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise
man, which built his house **upon a rock**:
And the rain descended, and the floods
came, and the winds blew, and beat
upon that house; and it fell not: for it
was **founded upon a rock**.



CASTLES IN THE SAND

Psalm 61:1-4 To the chief Musician upon Neginah, *A Psalm* of David.

Hear my cry, O God; attend unto my prayer.
From the end of the earth will I cry unto thee,
when my heart is overwhelmed: **lead me to
the rock *that* is higher than I.** For thou hast
been a shelter for me, *and* a strong tower
from the enemy. I will abide in thy tabernacle
for ever: I will trust in the covert of thy wings.
Selah.

A large, multi-towered sandcastle stands on a sandy beach. In the background, the blue ocean meets a clear blue sky. A yellow shovel is stuck in the sand near the base of the castle. The scene is bright and sunny.

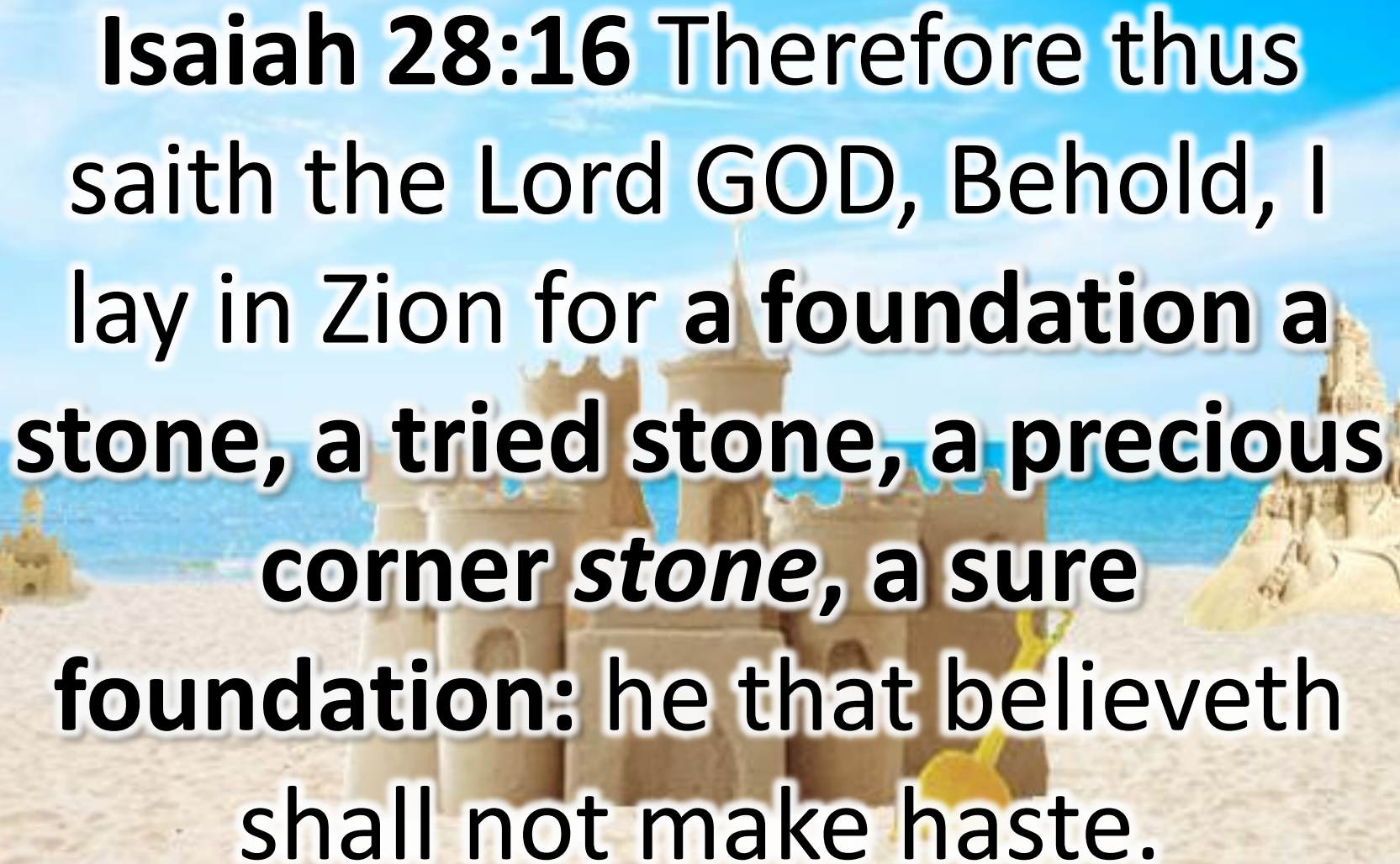
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Psalm 62:5-8 My soul, wait thou only upon God; for my expectation *is* from him. **He only is my rock and my salvation: *he is* my defence; I shall not be moved.** In God *is* my salvation and my glory: **the rock of my strength, *and* my refuge, *is* in God.** Trust in him at all times; ye people, pour out your heart before him: **God *is* a refuge for us.**

Selah.

CASTLES IN THE SAND

Isaiah 28:16 Therefore thus saith the Lord GOD, Behold, I lay in Zion for a **foundation a stone, a tried stone, a precious corner *stone*, a sure foundation:** he that believeth shall not make haste.



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Ephesians 2:19-20 Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellowcitizens with the saints, and of the household of God; And are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone;

CASTLES IN THE SAND

Matthew 7:26-27 And every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand: And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.

John 12:48 He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day.

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Matthew 23:27-28 Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead *men's* bones, and of all uncleanness. Even so ye also outwardly appear righteous unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy and iniquity

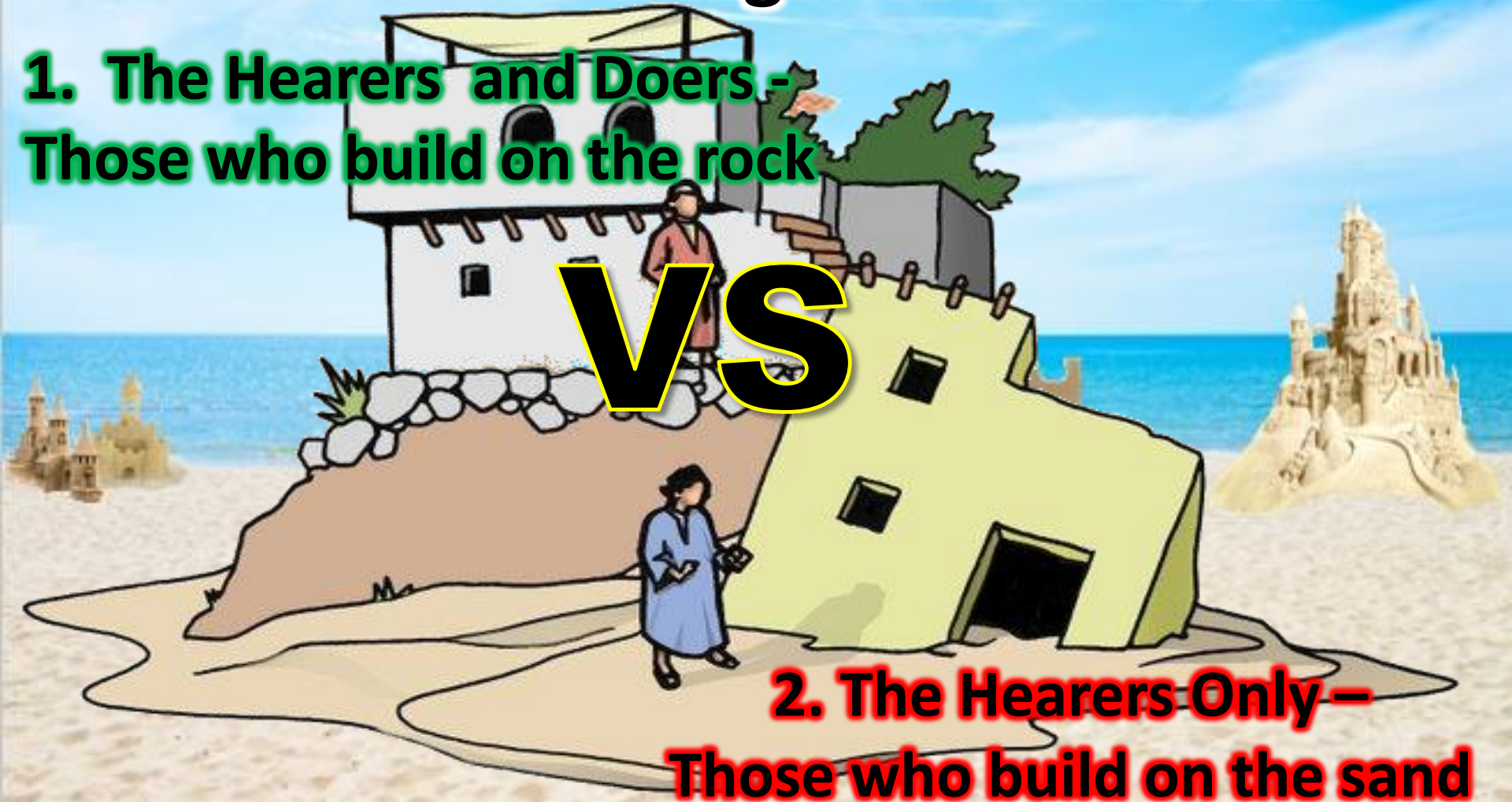
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This imagery used by Messiah shows two categories of hearers

1. The Hearers and Doers -
Those who build on the rock

VS

2. The Hearers Only -
Those who build on the sand



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Both of these categories have the **same opportunity** – both hear the same words!

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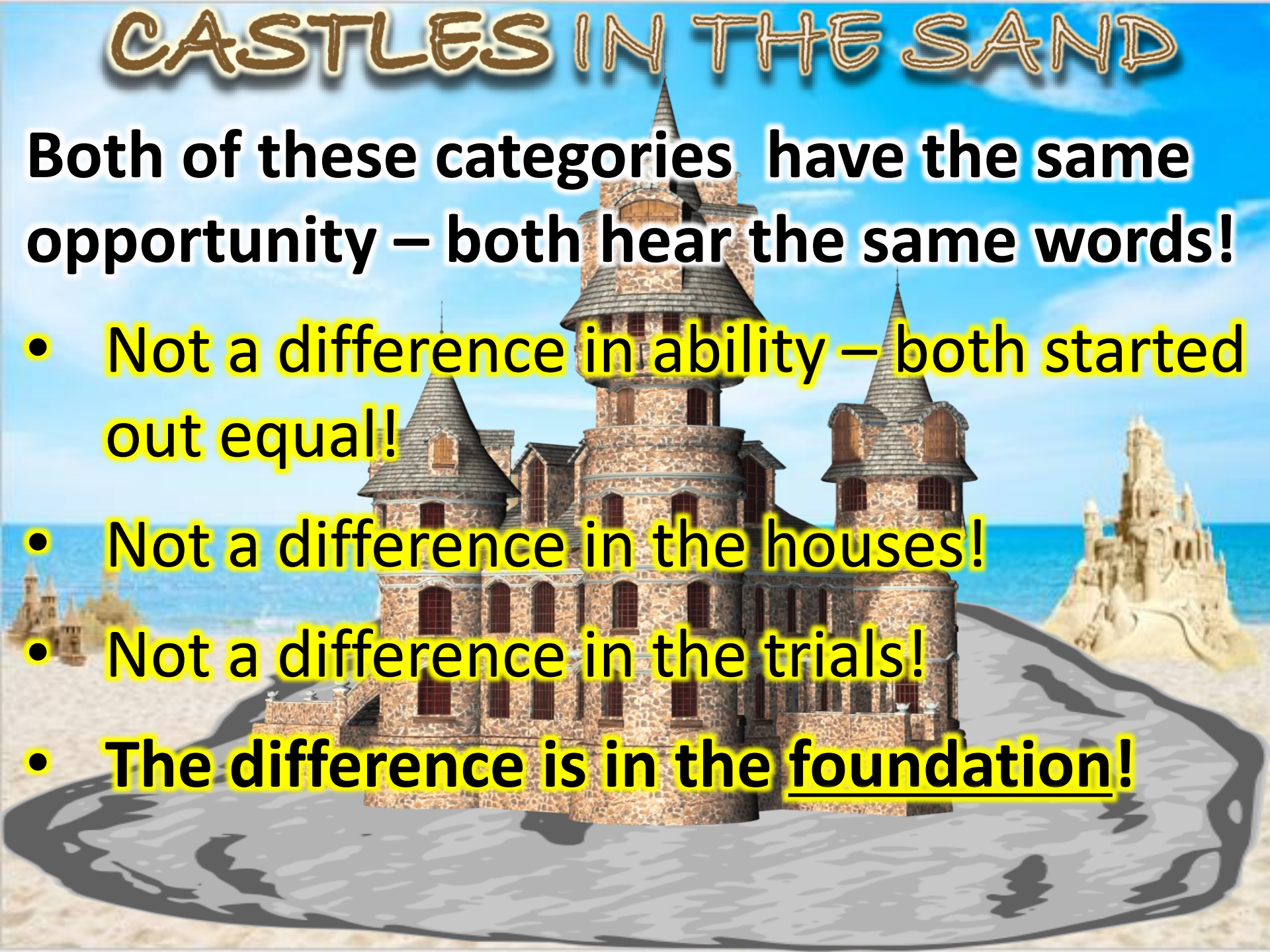
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Both of these categories have the same opportunity – both hear the same words!

- **Not a difference in ability – both started out equal!**
- **Not a difference in the houses!**
- **Not a difference in the trials!**
- **The difference is in the foundation!**



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Job 8:15 He shall lean (trust) upon his house, but it shall not stand: he shall hold it fast, but it shall not endure.

Proverbs 3:33 The curse of the LORD *is* in the house of the wicked: but he blesseth the habitation of the just.

Proverbs 14:11 The house of the wicked shall be overthrown: but the tabernacle of the upright shall flourish.

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**1 Corinthians 3:11 For other
foundation can no man lay than
that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.**



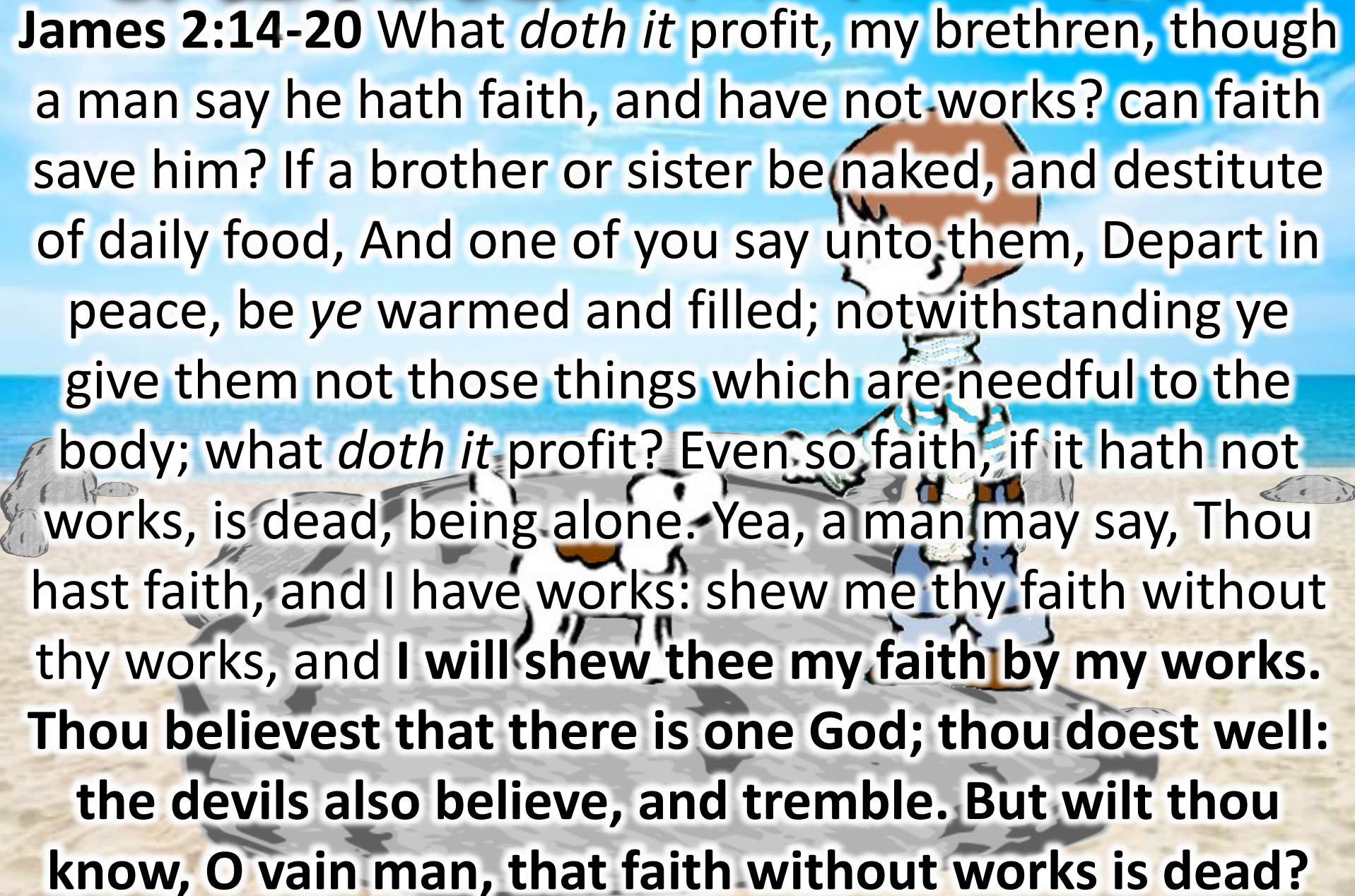
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James 1:22-25 But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. For if any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: For he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was. But whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth *therein*, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be blessed in his deed.

Luke 6:48 He is like a man which built an house, and digged deep, and laid the foundation on a rock: and when the flood arose, the stream beat vehemently upon that house, and could not shake it: for it was founded upon a rock.

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James 2:14-20 What *doth it* profit, my brethren, though a man say he hath faith, and have not works? can faith save him? If a brother or sister be naked, and destitute of daily food, And one of you say unto them, Depart in peace, be ye warmed and filled; notwithstanding ye give them not those things which are needful to the body; what *doth it* profit? Even so faith, if it hath not works, is dead, being alone. Yea, a man may say, Thou hast faith, and I have works: shew me thy faith without thy works, and I will shew thee my faith by my works. Thou believest that there is one God; thou doest well: the devils also believe, and tremble. But wilt thou know, O vain man, that faith without works is dead?



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Titus 3:5-7 Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to **his mercy** he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost; Which he shed on us abundantly through **Jesus Christ our Saviour**; That being **justified by his grace**, we should be made heirs according to **the hope of eternal life**.

Sit, Izzy, Sit!



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IF YOU
LOVE ME
... OBEY ME



Jesus in John 14:15 "If ye love me, keep my commandments."

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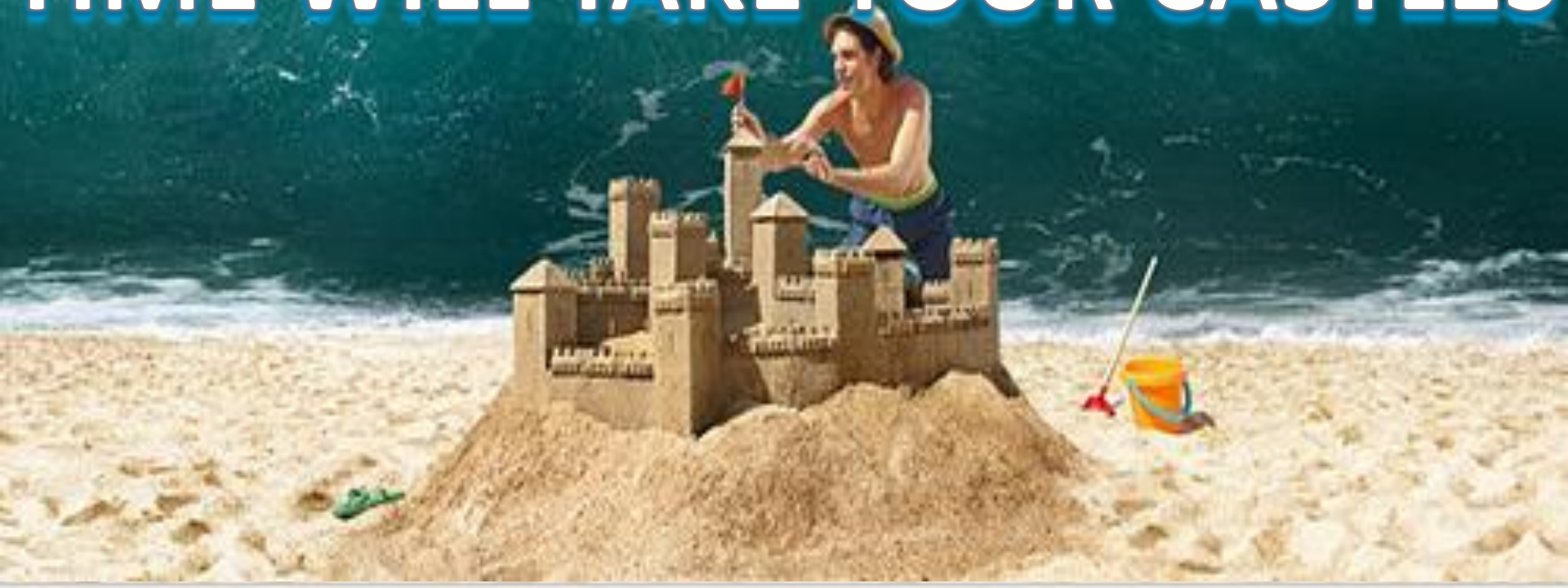


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PSST Hey don't you know:
TIME WILL TAKE YOUR CASTLES



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Matthew 24:36

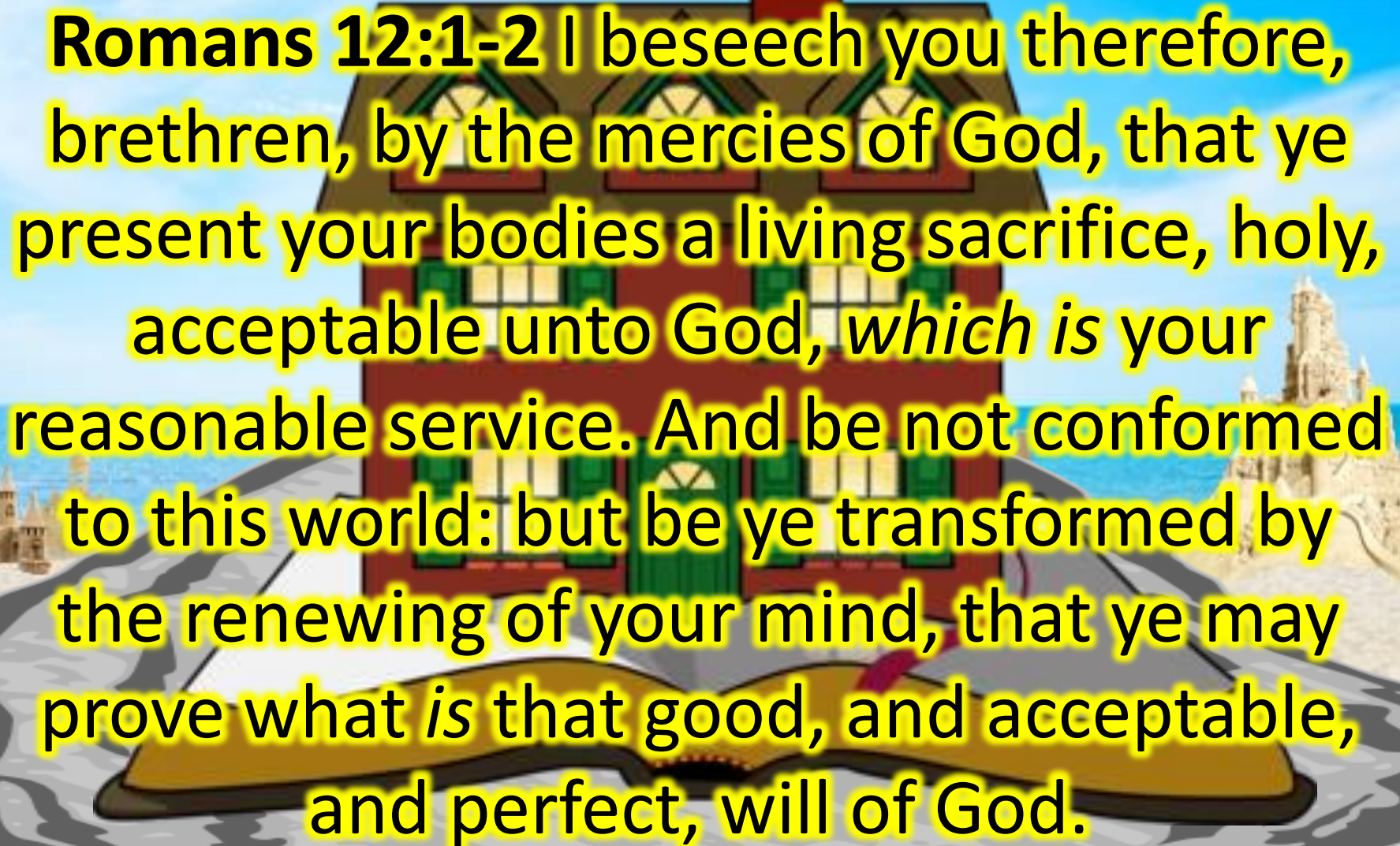
But of that day
and hour
knoweth no
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Father only.



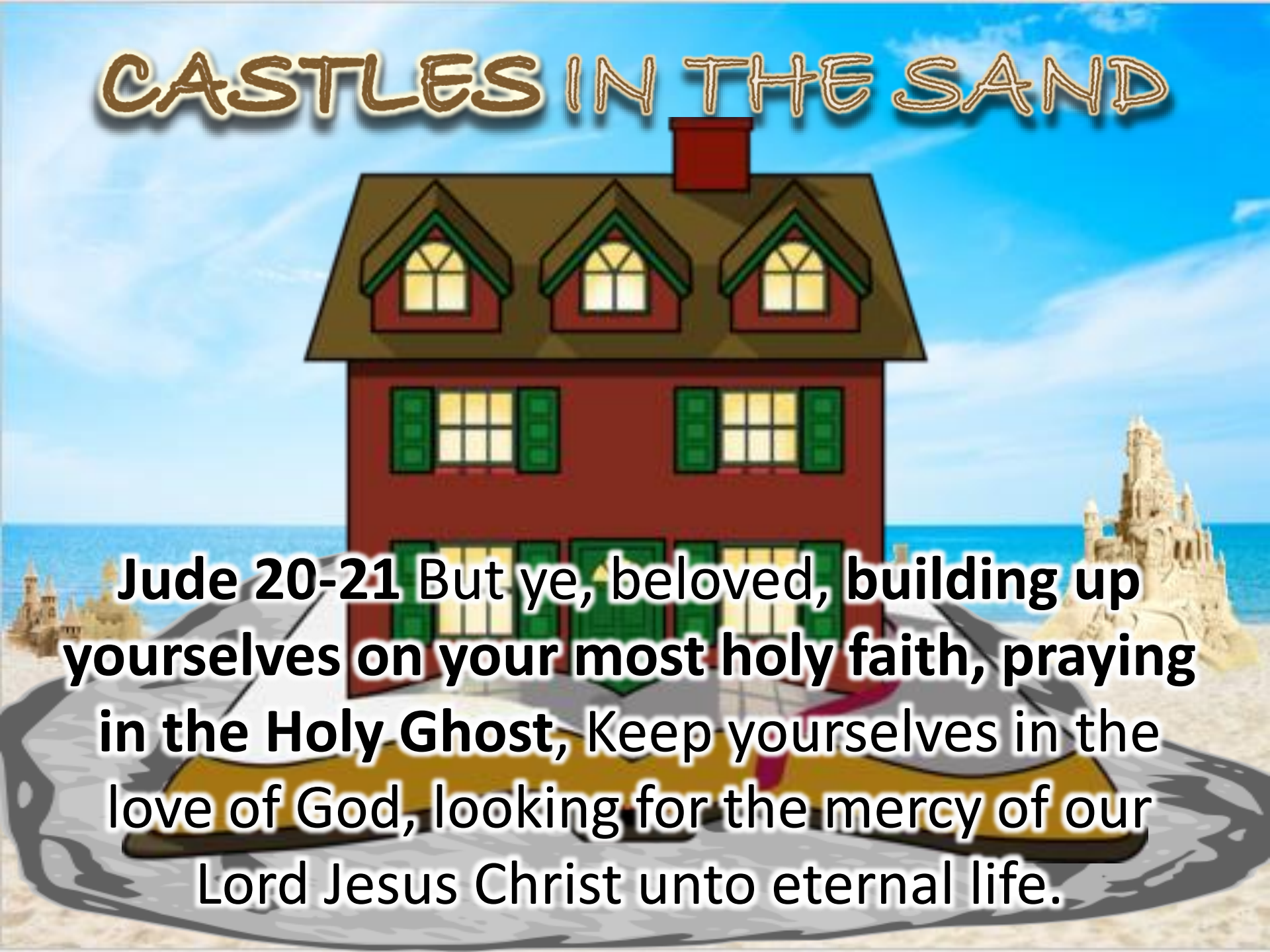
Matthew 6:19-21 Lay not up
for yourselves treasures upon
earth, where moth and rust
doth corrupt, and where
thieves break through and
steal: But lay up for
yourselves treasures in
heaven, where neither moth
nor rust doth corrupt, and
where thieves do not break
through nor steal: For where
your treasure is, there will
your heart be also.

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Romans 12:1-2 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, *which is your* reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what *is* that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.



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Jude 20-21 But ye, beloved, **building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost, Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life.**

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2 Thessalonians 2:13-17 But we are bound to give thanks alway to God for you, brethren beloved of the Lord, because God hath from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the truth: Whereunto he called you by our gospel, to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, brethren, stand fast, and hold the traditions which ye have been taught, whether by word, or our epistle. Now our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God, even our Father, which hath loved us, and hath given us everlasting consolation and good hope through grace. Comfort your hearts, and stablish you in every good word and work.

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1 John 2:17 And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof:
but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

Hebrews 13:8 Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever.



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BE YE UNLEAVENED!

GO AND SIN NO MORE!

Thank You!



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