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Matthew 7:24-27 NKJV

24“Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock:

25and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock.

26“But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand:

27and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall.”

# Psalm 18:1-3 NKJV

# 18 I will love You, O Lord, my strength. 2The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer; My God, my strength, in whom I will trust; My shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. 3I will call upon the Lord, *who is worthy* to be praised; So shall I be saved from my enemies.

# Psalm 118:22 NKJV

# 22The stone *which* the builders rejected Has become the chief cornerstone.

# Matthew 21:42 NKJV

# 42Jesus said to them, “Have you never read in the Scriptures: ‘The stone which the builders rejected Has become the chief cornerstone. This was the Lord’s doing, And it is marvelous in our eyes’?

# 1 Peter 2:4-8 NKJV

# 4Coming to Him *as to* a living stone, rejected indeed by men, but chosen by God *and* precious,

# 5you also, as living stones, are being built up a spiritual house, a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

# 6Therefore it is also contained in the Scripture, “Behold, I lay in Zion A chief cornerstone, elect, precious, And he who believes on Him will by no means be put to shame.”

# 7Therefore, to you who believe, *He is* precious; but to those who are disobedient, “The stone which the builders rejected Has become the chief cornerstone,”

# 8and “A stone of stumbling And a rock of offense.” They stumble, being disobedient to the word, to which they also were appointed.

# Proverbs 18:10 NKJV

# 10The name of the Lord *is* a strong tower; The righteous run to it and are safe.

# *The name of the Lord is a place of complete safety to all who trust in Him.*

# Psalm 59:17 NKJV

# 17To You, O my Strength, I will sing praises; For God *is* my defense, My God of mercy.

# 2 Samuel 22:1-4 NKJV

# 22 Then David spoke to the Lord the words of this song, on the day when the Lord had delivered him from the hand of all his enemies, and from the hand of Saul.

# 2And he said:“The Lord *is* my rock and my fortress and my deliverer; 3The God of my strength, in whom I will trust; My shield and the hornof my salvation, My stronghold and my refuge; My Savior, You save me from violence. 4I will call upon the Lord, *who is worthy* to be praised; So shall I be saved from my enemies.

# 2 Samuel 22:51 NKJV

51“*He* *is* the tower of salvation to His king, And shows mercy to His anointed, To David and his descendants forevermore.”

*To run to God you must have a burning desire and a heart full of God.*

# Proverbs 4:20-23 NKJV

20My son, give attention to my words; Incline your ear to my sayings.  
21Do not let them depart from your eyes; Keep them in the midst of your heart;  
22For they *are* life to those who find them, And health to all their flesh.  
23Keep your heart with all diligence, For out of it *spring* the issues of life.