

# The Foundation

1 Corinthians 3:1-11

If the Creator of the heavens and earth has given an answer, that answer is absolute and everyone must live by that answer. This is so rightful and needs no further explanation, but there are not many people in the world who try to live by that answer. Rather, there are far more people who try to oppose that answer. That's why science has advanced so much; however, the state and curses of humans are not going away. There is no one who thinks that these problems will decrease then, why did these problems come and what is the answer? The answer to this question is in the introduction of the way of salvation. This is the fundamental question that everyone in the world must receive an answer to. You must understand the depth of this question better than anyone else. However, you may have come to the complete answer of this question. However, this does not mean that the question can be avoided. Therefore, may the blessing be upon you so that as you enter into Christ even today, the covenant will be deeply imprinted in you once again. When you have continuation anyone can receive the grace of conquering their curses and fate.

## 1. The foundation

1. Verse 11 states, "For no one can lay a foundation other than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ." The word foundation is mainly used to refer to land that has been prepared in order to build a house. You build the foundation with the basics then on top of that foundation you build a house.
2. Today the Word speaks about the eternal foundation which is Christ. The foundation of your entire life is Christ. Christ is the foundation of all things on this earth and He is the eternal foundation. (John 1:3) You must receive Christ as your eternal foundation and build your lives on it.
3. Your life must not deviate from this foundation. This foundation is the covenant. Therefore, those who build their lives on top of this foundation will absolutely come out of their life curses. If you build the house of your life on this foundation and do not hinder, you will conquer your problems and be victorious. You can even save those who are stuck in their fate from that.
4. Matthew 7:24 states, "Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock." This foundation is a rock, so if you build a house on it, it has been promised that it will not be shaken by any wind or flood.
5. Even though everyone in the world died, everyone within the ark lived. All the animals that were in the ark survived. This is the evidence that the ark was the foundation.
6. Matthew 7:24 states, "Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock." He is referring to his words that were recorded in Matthew 5,6, and 7. And those that hears those words will build their house on the rock. The problem is about how they will act upon these words.
7. We are not able to look over all of Matthew 5, 6, and 7, however you can see that in these chapters, nothing was carried out with one's physical strength. Chapter 5 starts with the 8 Blessings. The 8 Blessings are not blessings of this world, but are the blessings of Christ himself. Therefore, you cannot fulfill the 8 Blessings through your strength, but can quickly realize it through your faith in Christ.
8. In chapter 5, it states, "And if your right hand or eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away." For even if you show greed, it is theft. It states, "Everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent has already committed adultery with her in his heart." It is impossible for mankind to keep it with their physical body.
9. However, it is more severe in Verse 48. It states, "You therefore must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect." Tearing off your eye or hand may be possible, but this statement is eternally impossible.
10. The Creator Lord, who knows all things about mankind, made such demanding statements to ensure that you do not use your body to fulfill it. Therefore, He is there. You must trust Him for you will be able to fully see God. Accept Him as Christ.

11. This is the message. It is not about fulfilling it by tearing off your hands or eyes, but is about fulfilling it through your faith in Christ. Then, you can gain physical strength from this.
12. The conclusion of chapter 6 is recorded in Verse 33. It states, "But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you." His kingdom and right house was promised inside of Christ. There is no kingdom or righteousness if there is no Christ.
13. Therefore the conclusion is that Christ is your covenant, your prayer, and your enjoyment. Pray in the name of Christ who is His kingdom and His righteousness. Then, you will receive all the answers.
14. The conclusion of chapter 7 is that you must build your house on the rock who is Christ. You must build your house on Christ. This means that whatever happens in the world does not matter. The way to build your house on the rock is to believe in the Lord, accept Christ, and to enjoy this.
15. Those that listen and act upon this Word will surely fulfill this. This means that it is possible through the spiritual actions of believing in the Lord, enjoy, and hold onto this as your covenant. Then, your physical strength will come from this as well. This is how you must listen and act upon these words.
16. You must build your life on this foundation, and you must not come out of it. Christ must be your foundation for this is the fundamental principle. The method is to accept, enjoy, and hold onto Christ. Then your life will overcome the universe and go to the Throne. This is your foundation, Christ.

## 2. **Transcend**

- 1) 1 Corinthians 3:3 "for you are still of the flesh. For while there is jealousy and strife among you, are you not of the flesh and behaving only in a human way?" If there is jealousy and strife within you, then you are still of the flesh. You must acknowledge and repent to God.
- 2) Secondly, those who are still of flesh follow human ways. This formed a clique in the church of Corinth. You must come out of this.
- 3) Who do you follow as you live your life? What do you follow as you live your life? This is something you must ask yourself. No matter how great the content may be, if you are taking the wrong direction, you will end up in a different place. In cases like this, it could be a bigger problem if you try to do your best.
- 4) You must follow God as you live your life. You must follow the Word and hold to God's goal as the purpose of your life. You must be like this to be a true believer.
- 5) You have gained salvation through the death of Christ and His blood shedding. You live in the world, but you must not be compelled to the things of the world. If you are compelled by the ways of those around you, then you cannot live a life of conquest.
- 6) Since this is a spiritual thing, you must wait for the time schedule of God and you need the spiritual power. If you enjoy Jesus Christ and follow God's word, you will overcome the world and transcend everyone that you meet.
- 7) You do not not simply end with transcending the people that you meet, but you will save them and you will have the heart of mercy for them. May you go in the depths of Jesus Christ and hold to God's desire of world evangelization as the purpose of your life. You will surpass the universe and enjoy the blessing of the throne. You will conquer the world, transcend all people and save them. May you receive this blessing.