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Introduction

As we look at what is happening all around us, one thing is abundantly clear— The foundations are being destroyed in our land and they are being destroyed at a rapid pace:

The Foundations Of God's Three Divine Institutions:

- 1. THE HOME! The foundations of marriage. The foundations of parenting. The foundations of discipline.
- 2. THE GOVERNMENT! The foundations of freedom. The foundations of faith. The foundations of protection.
- 3. THE CHURCH!

The foundations of marriage. The foundations of faith. The foundations of discipline. The foundations of godliness.

The Foundations Of Individual Lives:

- 1. The foundations of a moral compass and conscious.
- 2. The foundations of God and right. (Matthew 7:24-29)

Psalm 11:3 asks an important question for us in light of what is happening!

Psalm 11:3 "If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do?"

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I. HAVE YOUR TRUST IN THE RIGHT PLACE! (Vs 1a)

A. REMEMBER THAT WITH JESUS IN OUR LIVES, WE HAVE THE ONE TRUE FOUNDATION THAT CANNOT BE DESTROYED!

2 Timothy 2:19 Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal, The Lord knoweth them that are his. And, Let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity.

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

B. EVEN WHEN GOD CAN'T BE TRACED, HE CAN BE TRUSTED!

- 1. Trust In His Mercy! (Psalm 13)
- 2. Trust In His Grace! (1 Peter 5:6-10)
- 3. Trust In His Comfort! (2 Corinthians 1:3-10)
- II. LISTEN TO THE RIGHT VOICES! (Vs 1b)
- III. REMEMBER WHERE THE LORD IS! (Vs 4a)
- IV. REMEMBER WHERE THE LORD'S THRONE IS! (Vs 4b) He is above all! Psalm 97:9 For thou, LORD, art high above all the earth: thou art exalted far above all gods.

Ephesians 1:17-23

- V. REMEMBER THE LORD TRIES THE CHILDREN OF MEN! (Vs 4c-5)
 - A. The Righteous!
 - B. The Wicked!

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VI. REMEMBER THE LORD WILL JUDGE! (Vs 5-6)

We are fortunate that the longsuffering of God has lasted this long!

The wicked will NOT get by with their wickedness!

We all will stand before the LORD one day!

VII. REMEMBER WHAT THE LORD LOVES! (Vs 7)

- A. Love It Too!
- B. Live It!
- C. Long For It!
- D. Look For It!

Conclusion

Philippians 4:4-9