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BUILDING ON THE FOUNDATION

I used to help my late husband do construction work. When any building was started the first thing that had to be done was to have a proper foundation. If it was a house, then ground had to be cleared including the removal of rocks and trees that would hinder the building. Then the ground would be tamped so it was able to hold the structure. There were “footers” dug in place around the perimeter that would secure the structure as it came together. These footers had “rebar” or long metal bars with wire put into place that would keep the structure strong. They don’t do this anymore, and it is no wonder that some buildings are destroyed when a hurricane or flood comes.

There are spiritual foundations that need to be taught too. Most people in church have never been taught these precepts (foundations). Paul writes in Hebrews 6:1-3 that these principles are to be taught, then we are to move beyond. Like building a house though, if our spiritual foundation isn’t properly laid then the building (our lives) cannot go any higher and will not be able to withstand the storms.

Here are the principles that we must lay:

1. The doctrine of Christ – Who is He? Why is He? Where is He? When will he?
2. Repentance from Dead Works – Will works save you?
3. Faith towards God – Who do we put our faith in?
4. Baptisms – Notice it is a plural word. What are the “baptisms?”
5. Laying on of hands – No social distancing here. Seems like that was the purpose behind this plague to stop this biblical principle.
6. Resurrection of the dead – Some believe that death is the end. Is it?
7. Eternal judgment – What and who are judged, and when are they judged?

So, in reading this list, I can safely say that most have not been taught all of these basic foundational principles. If you want to know more about them, and want to have a sure foundation, then [click here to email us](#) and I will send you the entire series that was taught in our ministry school in PDF form. There are DVD’s available too for those that want more than just the notes. Russell and I are so intent on equipping the saints, so they do not fail in the days ahead. Are you? Are you willing to take the “precepts” and put them into practice and then share them with others? This is what will make our country strong again. Only knowing the Word of God and then acting on it. Have a blessed day.