If The Foundations Are Destroyed

Ken Chapman · Psalm 11:1–7

INTRODUCTION

- What do we do in the worst case scenario? What do we do when the worst thing happens? How does the child of God respond?
- In the Lord I put my trust. There's our first hint, what David's going to do.
- And he answers that question by simply saying, God. God's in heaven. And God reigns on his throne.

1 What If the Foundations of Society Fall

Joshua 24:14–15; Philippians 2:14–15

- As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.
- You still have to make a decision. Make up your minds, he says.
- What if all society is barreling toward the devil's hell? What do we do? I choose God.
- Society, regardless of how godless it becomes, has no power over me. I can serve God if nobody else will.
- Do all things without complaining and disputing, that you may become blameless and harmless, children of God without fault, in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation among whom you shine as lights in the world.
- The darker our world becomes, the more needed our light is.

2 When the Foundation of Government Falls

Acts 5:29; 1 Peter 2:13–17; John 18:36

- We ought to obey God rather than men.
- Therefore submit yourself to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake.
- To submit where and when I can submit, and obey God rather than men when I must.
- Honor all people, love the brotherhood, fear God, and honor the king.
- My kingdom is not of this world. I'm going to remember that mantra. And it's going to become my mantra.
- That changes my allegiance and changes my view of everything.

3 What If My Life Begins to Fall Apart

James 1:2–4; Proverbs 3:5; Romans 8:35

- What do I do when my life crumbles?
- My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience.
- It's not a statement out of ignorance. It's stated that out of deep, profound knowledge.
- But I'll lean not on my own understanding. The word is faith. I'll trust God.

- Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall the death of a loved one? Shall a fatal diagnosis from my doctor?
- The resounding answer is no.

> THE CHALLENGE
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> **Put your trust and your faith in that which can never be shaken or crumble or fall apart. And that is God is on his throne.**

MY NOTES