

MATTHEW 7:24-29

ICE BREAKER

Briefly share a story of how you have gotten lost (car, maze, country, etc.)

DISCUSSION

- 1. How do you know if someone is wise or foolish?
- 2. How might the definitions for what a person considers "wise" and "foolish" differ between Christians and non-Christians?
- 3. Nobody sets out to build their life on sand, but so many still do. How do so many well-intentioned people end up in a place where their lives collapse in the storm?
- 4. Jesus could have ended His Sermon on the Mount in many ways. Why do you think He chose this specific parable?
- 5. What is something from your past that has shaped your present?
- 6. What is something you're presently doing that (if you stop to think about it) will affect your future?

BOTTOM LINE

The best way to predict your future is to pay attention of where you're going

NEXT STEP

- 1. How does your spiritual foundation now compare to what it was like a year ago?
- 2. So in what area might you be moving in the wrong direction?
 - Finances
 - Relationships
 - Career/academics
 - Schedule/busyness
 - Hobbies/habits
 - Spirituality
 - Other

Once you have determined in what area you may be moving in the wrong direction seek out guidance to help you move in the right direction.