
**The LORD will Build His House:
a God-dependent vs self-dependent life**

**1. Only the LORD can build His house:
so do not labor in vain (v1)**

- **God has given us the victory thru Christ – who will build His church:** so be steadfast, immovable & always abounding in the work of the Lord... (1Co 15:57-58; Mt 16:18)

**2. Only the LORD can protect us:
so do not watch in vain (v1)**

- **Christ will bring us safely into His heavenly kingdom:** so fight the good fight, finish the race & keep the faith (2Ti 4:7,18)

**3. Only the LORD can provide for us:
so do not worry or overwork ourselves (v2)**

- **Our heavenly Father will give us the kingdom:** so seek God's kingdom first & do not live in fear (Lk 12:22-34)

**4. Only the LORD can multiply us:
so enjoy the heritage He gives (vs3-5)**

- **Christ is Abraham's seed:** thru faith in Jesus we receive the blessing of God's Spirit & adoption into His family (Gal 3-5; Ro 8:23; Eph 1:5)