

BUILT TO LAST

Building a Life and Church That Honor God

LESSONS FROM NEHEMIAH

Nehemiah 4:1-23

Opposition:

1. Our Own Sinful Nature
2. The World
3. Satan

1 Ridicule

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1. You are too **Weak**
2. You are too **Few**
3. You are too **Naïve**
4. The Work is too **Big**
5. The Work is too **Hard**

2 Threats

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1. Threats of **Violence**
2. Threats of **Confusion**

③ Discouragement

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1. Discouragement from **Within**
2. Discouragement from **Enemies**
3. Discouragement from **Family**

4 Fear

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1. Fear of **Man**
2. Fear of **Failure**
3. Fear of **Loss**

① We Pray

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1. This Prayer is **Imprecatory**
2. This Prayer is **Not a Negation**
to Love our Enemies

② We Partner

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1. We **Build Together**
2. We **Think the Same**
3. We **Pray Together**
4. We **Protect Each Other**

③ We Plan

1. He **Arms them**
2. He **Urges them to Fight**
3. He **Divides them**
4. He **Rallies them**
5. He **Increases their Work**

④ We have the Right Perspective

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1. God **Hears us**
2. God **Knows us**
3. God **Judges the Wicked**

- 4. God **is Great & Awesome**
- 5. God **Frustrates Plans**
- 6. God **Fights for us**

Application:

1. Keep **Praying**
2. Keep **Partnering**
3. Keep **Planning**
4. Keep **the Right Perspective**