
BUILT TO LAST
Building a Life and Church That Honor God
LESSONS FROM NEHEMIAH
Nehemiah 8:1-18
DAVIDS

1 We Must Receive the Word

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1. They **Appoint Leaders**

1. Gatekeepers
2. Singers
3. Levites
4. Governor
5. Guards
6. Ezra

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2. They **Established Membership**

a. They were members of **Old Covenant**
b. We are members of **New Covenant**

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3. They **Gathered Together**

a. We are to **Gather**

b. We are to be **United**



2 We Must Hear the Word

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1. They were **Enthusiastic**
2. They were **Attentive**
3. They were **Submissive**
4. They were **Teachable**

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3 We Must Apply the Word

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1. The Word Produces **Conviction**

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2. The Word Produces **Joy**

a. The Joy of **Newness**

b. The Joy of **Forgiveness**

c. The Joy of the **Lord**

d. The Joy of **Understanding the Word**

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3. The Word Produces **Generosity**

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4 We Must Obey the Word

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1. The Fathers:

a. Fathers need to **Lead**

b. Fathers need to **Study the Word**

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2. The Feast:

a. **Thanksgiving** for the past

b. **Witness** in the Present

c. **Confidence** in the Future

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John 7:37-39 On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, “If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. 38 Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, ‘Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.’” 39 Now this he said about the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were to receive

John 8:12 Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.”

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5 Application

1. Are we Enthusiastic for the Word?
2. Are we Studying the Word?
3. Are we Obeying the Word?

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