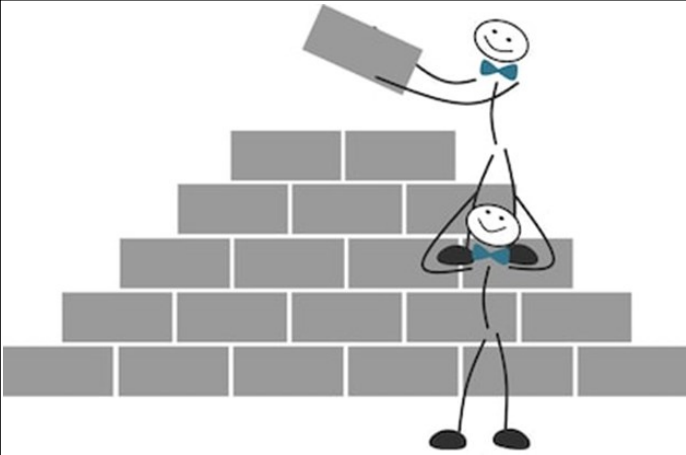


Rise & Build:

Reflections from the Joseph Story



Distinguishing Between Rubble & Rubies

Our theme of "Rise & Build" is wrapped around two concepts: seeing things that are not as they ought to be and the belief that things can be better. Rise & build is an optimistic view of the future. Nehemiah isn't the only Biblical story that can be defined as "Rise & Build." Noah's life, Paul's life, Moses' life, Job's life all reflect that "Rise & build concept. This study will look at yet another powerful Bible character: Joseph.

What rubble is in your life as we begin February 2021?

Why is the time following a storm so dangerous?



What examples do you have where you found rubies in the rubble of life?

We can distinguish between rubble and rubies when.....

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- 2.
- 3.
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1 Thessalonians 5:15-21 (ESV)

15 See that no one repays anyone evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to everyone.
16 Rejoice always,
17 pray without ceasing,
18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.
19 Do not quench the Spirit.
20 Do not despise prophecies,
21 but test everything; hold fast what is good.

