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**WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW?**

Matthew 7:21-29

**(SERMON IN A SENTENCE)**  God gives us real choice, what will you choose?

CHOICE #1: ARE YOU GOING TO HAVE A REAL RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM

CHOICE #2: WHAT KIND OF FOUNDATION WILL YOU BUILD YOUR LIFE ON

CHOICE #3: WHAT AUTHORITY WILL YOU RECOGNIZE IN YOUR LIFE

**MEMORY VERSE**

“Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. - Matthew 7:24

**WHAT DO I NEED TO ASK?**

(Icebreaker) You choose: If you could live anywhere in the world, where would you live?

What stood out to you from this message? What was your biggest takeaway?

Which of the 3 choices Jon talked about do you think is the most difficult?

Jesus drops some bombs in vs. 21-23, which ones have you struggled with the most in the past or even now?

What does a “real relationship” look like to you?  Have there been times in your life when you were merely pretending?

What are some things that you’ve built your life on in the past that you now realize were just “sand”?

What are some things that you have allowed to have authority over you instead of God?

Based on the sermon and our discussion, what is one thing you are going to work on/change over the next week(s)?