

FOUNDATIONS



Psalm 11:3 (NKJV) ³If the foundations are destroyed, What can the righteous do?

Growing Deeper

In Our Faith

Foundations Bible Study for the week of December 3, 2020

- Read the Foundational Truth Text: **Matthew 6:33**
 - Today's Message from: **Pastor. H.B. Charles Jr. – Shiloh Church, Jacksonville FL.**
 - Watch the Foundational Truth Video and use the outline below as you watch:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jAYYqZqawJA>

[Campus Revival Services from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary](#)

Sermon: "First Things First!"

STUDY NOTES:

"Legitimate concerns often become sinful anxieties" – H.B. Charles, Jr.

Matthew 6:33 summed up – "PUT GOD FIRST!"

I. Why should we put God First?

A. Because God put Us First

II. How do we Put First?

A. Seek God

- Not happiness
- Personally – *a personal resolve to do this without regards to what others might think of you*
- Continually - (a habitual activity in all that we do)
 - UNSAVED PEOPLE ONLY SEEK THE BENEFITS OF GOD, NOT GOD HIMSELF.*
- Ultimately - "God deserves our best, not our leftovers"
 - One day it may be too late to seek God – Isaiah 55:6-7
- Sincerely - Matt 5:6
- Practically
 - In your time with prayer and meditation in your finances – Pro 3:9-10

B. Trust God

"God's people should live on promises, not expectations" – Warren Wiersbe

- Trusting God is a matter of faith
 - Prayer should be our first priority, not our last resort
- Trusting God is a matter of focus

Reflections Questions:

1. What is the most important thing in your life?
2. If God is not first and primary in your life, then why is it difficult to have this kind of relationship?
3. What does "Seek God Ultimately" mean to you? What changes can you make in your life to see this come to fruition?
4. Do you feel as if you trust God in every matter of your life? If not, then why do you feel that God cannot be trusted?