

**Key Scripture** 

Matthew 16:18 NKJV <u>I will build My church</u> and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it.

#### **Demo Plans**

Matthew 24:1-2 NLT

As Jesus was leaving the Temple grounds, his disciples pointed out to him the various Temple buildings. 2 But he responded, "Do you see all these buildings? I tell you the truth, they will be <u>completely demolished</u>. <u>Not one stone will be left on top of another!"</u>

### Why demo?

Proverbs 28:14 Message A <u>tenderhearted</u> person lives a blessed life; a <u>hardhearted</u> person lives a hard life.

#### **Remove Hardened Attitudes & Behaviors**

✓ Work on a <u>small</u> area.

Zechariah 4:10 NLT Do not despise these <u>small beginnings</u>, for <u>the Lord rejoices to see the work begin</u>

#### ✓ Strength can be <u>undermined</u>.

Proverbs 21:22 CJB A wise man can go up into a city of warriors and *undermine the strength* in which it trusts.

✓ Cracks never get smaller.

Isaiah 30:13 NIV Those <u>sins are like cracks</u> in a high wall. They get bigger and bigger. Suddenly the wall breaks apart. Then it quickly falls down.

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# **Kingdom Builders**

Hardcore Demo

# Steps for Hardcore Demo

Psalm 127:1 NUV Unless the <u>Lord builds</u> the house, They labor in vain who build it

## 1. <u>Believe</u> God is at work.

Psalm 64:10 CJB Everyone is awestruck — they acknowledge that it is <u>God at work</u>, they understand what He has done.

Romans 1:16 NLT For I am not ashamed of this Good News about Christ. It is <u>the power of God at work</u>, saving everyone <u>who believes</u> the Jew first and also the Gentile.

# 2. <u>Bond</u> them like concrete in your prayers.

#### Mark 11:24-25 NLT

24 I tell you, you can pray for anything, and if you believe that you've received it, it will be yours. 25 But <u>when you are praying</u>, first forgive anyone you are holding a grudge against, so that your Father in heaven will forgive your sins, too."

# 3. <u>Break</u> up hard hearts with the love of Jesus.

Jeremiah 32:17 NLT "O Sovereign Lord! You made the heavens and earth by your strong hand and powerful arm. <u>Nothing is too hard for You!</u>

Ezekiel 36:26 NLT

And I will give you a new heart, and I will put a new spirit in you.

I will take out your stony, stubborn heart and give you a tender, responsive heart.

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