

TEACHER PROMPTER & CHEAT SHEET

Unshakable Kids: Building Lives on Jesus, The Rock

Scripture: Matthew 7:24-27 • Target: Ages 4–11 • 60-Second Lesson Roadmap

SERMONS4CHILDREN MEDIA SUITE

- Fullscreen Classroom TV Mode
- Vector Cutout Craft & Puppet
- 8-Up Car Ride Pocket Slips

100% Free Ministry Resource

THE BIG IDEA: Storms will blow and rains will fall, but the child who builds their life on the words of Jesus stands 100% unshakable!

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)*

THE 4 STORY BEATS (3-MINUTE VISUAL STORYTELLING)

1. Two Master Builders: Two builders set out to build dream homes; one dug deep down to solid granite rock, the other picked smooth easy beach sand.

2. The Rains Came Down: The sky went black, lightning flashed, rivers flooded, and hurricane winds slammed into both houses!

3. The Great Crash: The house on the sand had no anchor--the foundation dissolved and it collapsed with a catastrophic SPLAT!

4. The Rock Stands Tall: The house on the rock didn't even budge! When your life is built on hearing and OBEYING Jesus, you are unbreakable.

OBJECT LESSON HOOK: **Prop:** A solid brick or rock vs. a tray of soft sandbox sand and a spray bottle.
What to Say: 'Spraying water on sand makes mud, but spraying water on a rock changes nothing! Jesus is our Rock!'

TACTILE / MOVEMENT: Pound two fists together like solid stone foundations singing: 'Built upon the rock!'

DISCOVERY QUESTION: **In Class:** Sing the classic motion song: 'The wise man built his house upon the rock, and the rains came tumbling down!'
Sensory Hook: Feel the cold, unyielding weight of real granite stone in both hands.

CLASSROOM GAME: Tower of Unshakable Blocks: Build a tall tower on a solid wooden block; blow on it with cardboard fan to test its strength!

CLOSING PRAYER: *"Lord Jesus, You are our solid Rock. We choose today to hear Your words and put them into practice. Anchor our lives in You so no storm can knock us down. Amen!"*

CAR RIDE HOME: **Parent Connection Question:** "What is one 'stormy' thing that happened recently, and how does trusting Jesus keep your life steady?"
(See accompanying 8-Up Pocket Slips for printout)