## Foundations of Generations John Crawford

I. Introduction - Isaiah 58, written for our example. (2 Peter)

- II. We are to drop our yokes of addiction and bondage and accept Jesus' yoke.
  - A. We have to get control of our finances.
  - B. We have to get control of bondage to pornography.

III. We are to feed the hungry and give clothes to the poor.

- IV. We need to take care of our families. (Proverbs 22:7)
- V. We want as a priority answered prayer. We call, and the Lord answers. (1 Samuel 15:21-22)
  - A. We are to think upon good things. (Philippians 4:6-8)
  - B. Avoid gossip-talk only of things which result in good.
  - C. As a result problems will disappear.
  - D. Trusting in the Lord against man will result in blessing. (Jeremiah 17:5-8)
- VI. For an "always place" we must build a proper foundation.

VII. A sample man-to-man time. (Daniel 1:7, 2:21-22, 5:21-22, 6:3-4, 9:21, 10:12, 12:3)

- A. Scripture recitation.
- B. Observations on the text.
- C. Applications from the text.

## **Application questions**

1. What principles for "building a foundation" can we learn from Isaiah 58? Which stands out to you and why?

2. Why does prayer play such a central role in building a foundation? Explain.

3. What stood out to you about the sample man to man? What can you take to apply to your own time investing in other people?