

**UNLESS THE LORD
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Psalm 127:1



**Unless the Lord builds the CHURCH,
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1 Tim. 3:15 –

The church is “the house of God.”

Eph. 2:17-22

**The church is about
spiritual relationships.**

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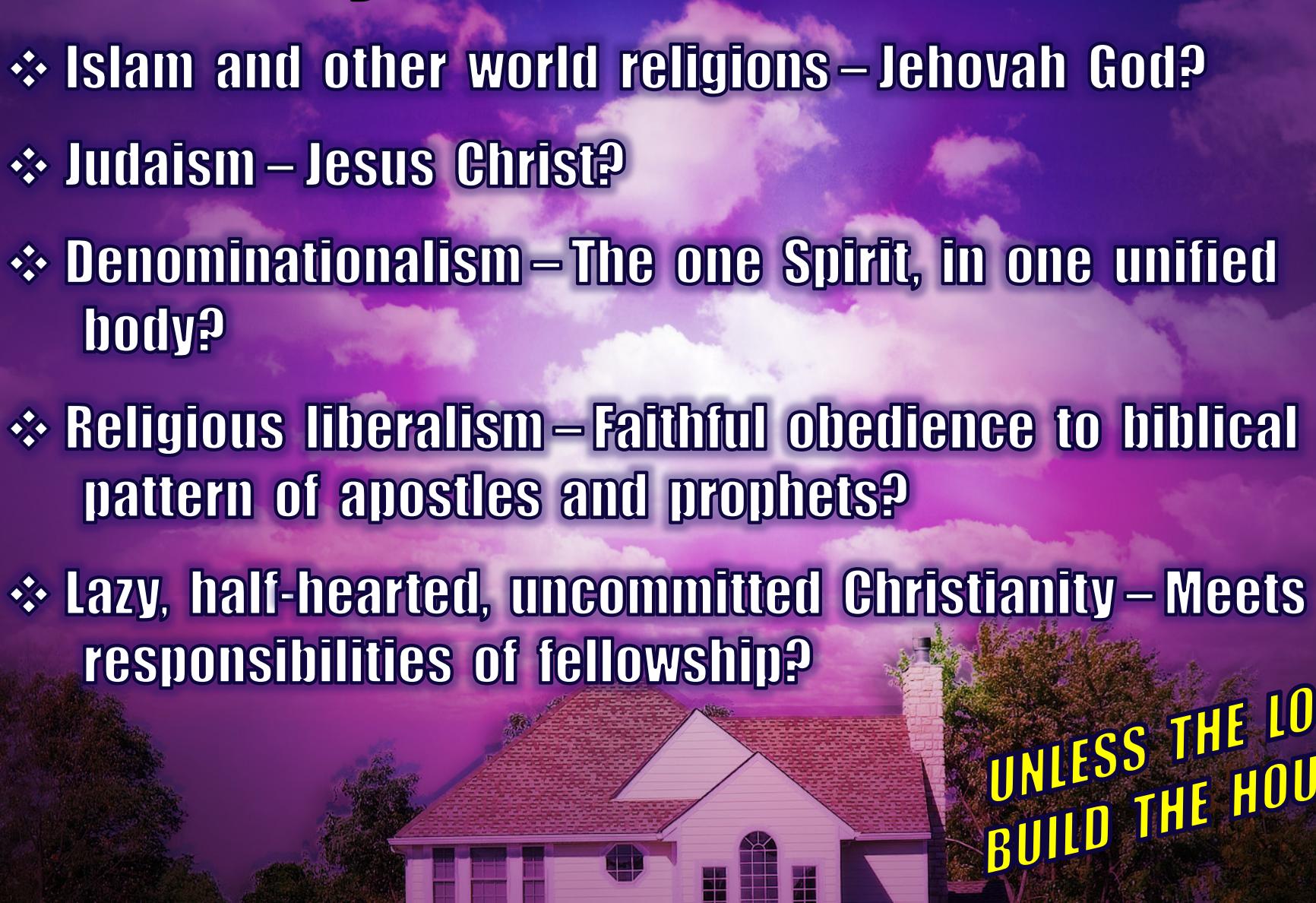
- ❖ The Christian and God – Eph. 2:22; 1 Pet. 2:5
- ❖ The Christian and Christ – Eph. 2:20; 1 John 4:17
- ❖ The Christian and the Holy Spirit – Eph. 2:18, 22; 2 Thes. 2:13; 1 Pet. 1:22; Acts 2:47
- ❖ The Christian and the apostles and prophets – Eph. 2:20; Mat. 16:15-18; 1 Cor. 15:1-4; Rom. 1:15-17
- ❖ The Christian and the Christian – Eph. 2:19, 21, 22; 1 John 1:3, 7



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- ❖ Islam and other world religions – Jehovah God?
- ❖ Judaism – Jesus Christ?
- ❖ Denominationalism – The one Spirit, in one unified body?
- ❖ Religious liberalism – Faithful obedience to biblical pattern of apostles and prophets?
- ❖ Lazy, half-hearted, uncommitted Christianity – Meets responsibilities of fellowship?



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