

The Cornerstone is a Stumbling Stone

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Study Questions:

- 1. Read Isaiah chapter eight. Who is the Stumbling Stone?
- 2. Why is He a Stumbling Stone?
- 3. Read Isaiah chapter twenty-eight. Who is the Cornerstone?
- 4. Why is He the Cornerstone?
- 5. Read Romans chapter nine. Who is the Stumbling Stone and Cornerstone?
- 6. How does St. Paul use the language of building to describing the preaching of the gospel? (I Corinthians 3; Ephesians 2; Romans 15)
- 7. Read Acts chapter four. How does Peter compare the works of man to the works of God?
- 8. Read 1 Peter 2. How does Peter splice Isaiah 8 and 28 with Psalm 118?
- 9. In Luke chapter 20, how does the parable that Jesus speaks connect to Psalm 118?
- 10. Who is at work in the preaching of the gospel?
- 11. What does the natural man do with the preaching of the gospel?
- 12. What can we learn from this reality? What does this tell us about ourselves? What does it tell us about others?