

# The Wise Man Built His House Upon the Rock

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The musical score is written in bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. It consists of two staves. The first staff contains the first two lines of the song, with lyrics: 'The wise man built his house up-on the rock The wise man built his house up-on the rock The'. The second staff contains the next two lines, with lyrics: '5 wise man built his house up-on the rock And the rain came tum-bling down'. Chord symbols G, D, D7, and G are placed above the notes. The melody is simple and repetitive, using quarter and eighth notes.

Oh, the rain came down  
And the floods came up  
The rain came down  
And the floods came up  
The rain came down  
And the floods came up  
And the wise man's house stood firm.

The foolish man built his house upon the sand  
The foolish man built his house upon the sand  
The foolish man built his house upon the sand  
And the rain came tumbling down.

Oh, the rain came down  
And the floods came up  
The rain came down  
And the floods came up  
The rain came down  
And the floods came up  
And the foolish man's house went "splat!" [

So, build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ  
Build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ  
Build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ  
And the blessings will come down  
Oh, the blessings come down.

As your prayers go up  
The blessings come down  
As your prayers go up  
The blessings come down  
As your prayer go up  
So build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ.