

I. TWO SENSIBLE ILLUSTRATIONS *vss. 28-33*

A. The FIRST ILLUSTRATION in *vs. 28* deals with **BUILDING A TOWER.**

1. What did Jesus want the crowd to know concerning the analogy about **"BUILDING A TOWER?"**

2. There must be a **CONTINGENCY PLAN** when **FOLLOWING JESUS.**

3. CAREFUL PLANNING and **COMMITMENT** enables a **PROJECT** to be **COMPLETED SUCCESSFULLY.** (*Phil. 1:6; 2:13*)

4. In *vs. 30*, what did **JESUS** mean about "building but not able to finish?"

(Lk. 6:46-49)

B. The SECOND ILLUSTRATION in *vss. 31,32* deals with a King **PREPARING** for **BATTLE.**

1. In *vs. 31*, what's the difference between the Builder Building a Building and the King preparing for war?

(Eph. 5:14-17)

2. In *vs. 32*, Jesus' point was to consider **ALL** the costs in the decision to **FIGHT** or **NOT** (Peace).

3. According to *vs. 33*, what is the **IMPACT** of Discipleship regarding one's possessions?

"Placing **JESUS** above **EVERYTHING** and **EVERYONE** in our lives will **IMPACT AREAS** of our lives." (2 Cor.5:17)