



“Fixer Upper”

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A brief journey through the story of Nehemiah, who successfully restores the walls and city of Jerusalem in an impossible 52 days of opposition and challenges.



CHIP AND JOANNA GAINS CLIP

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OrL4XoU0rqM>

NEHEMIAH

Something broken needs to be fixed

JERUSALEM -
GOD’S FAVORITE / HOME

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Someone has to fix it

NEHEMIAH -
BROKEN, SENT, SUCCESS



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SANBALLAT - THE ENEMY’S
WORK: Lies & Fear

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ONE LAST TRY

God is looking for **“SOMEONE to fix SOMETHING”**

JESUS IS NEHEMIAH - THE GOSPEL

A BROKEN CITY

Psalm 34:18

The LORD is near to the brokenhearted And saves those who are crushed in spirit.

Psalm 147:3

He heals the brokenhearted And binds up their wounds.

A BROKEN CITY
A NEHEMIAH

1 John 4:4

You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

Ephesians 2: 4-6

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved— and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus,

RECAP

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Question: ***"WHAT BREAKS YOUR HEART?"***

Marriages

Orphans / Widows

Homeless / Poor

Unbelievers / Prodigals



VIDEO: DANNY GOKEY - HAVEN'T SEEN IT YET:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X1eMZiOJ0a0>

KINDNESS

Romans 2:4

God's kindness is meant to lead you to repentance?

URGENCY DEFINITION:

"Responding to what's important without delay."

2nd Corinthians 5:19-20

· "in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us.