

252 The wise man built his house upon the rock

Words and music: Anon
Music arranged Phil Burt

D7 G Em D

The wise man built his house up-on the rock, — the

D A7 D G D7

wise man built his house up - on the rock, — the

G B7 Em C Am D

wise man built his house up-on the rock and the rain came tum - bling

G D7 G D7

down. — And the rain came down and the floods came up, — the

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 12/8 time. It consists of four systems of music. Each system includes a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment with treble and bass staves. The first system covers the first two lines of lyrics, the second system covers the next two lines, the third system covers the next two lines, and the fourth system covers the final two lines. Chord symbols are placed above the vocal line for each system.

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A7 D G B7 Em G7

rain came down and the floods came up, the rain came down and the

C Am D7 G

floods came up and the house on the rock stood firm.

- 1 The wise man built his house upon the rock,
 the wise man built his house upon the rock,
 the wise man built his house upon the rock
 and the rain came tumbling down.
 And 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 house on the rock stood firm.

- 2 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.
 And 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 house on the sand fell flat.

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