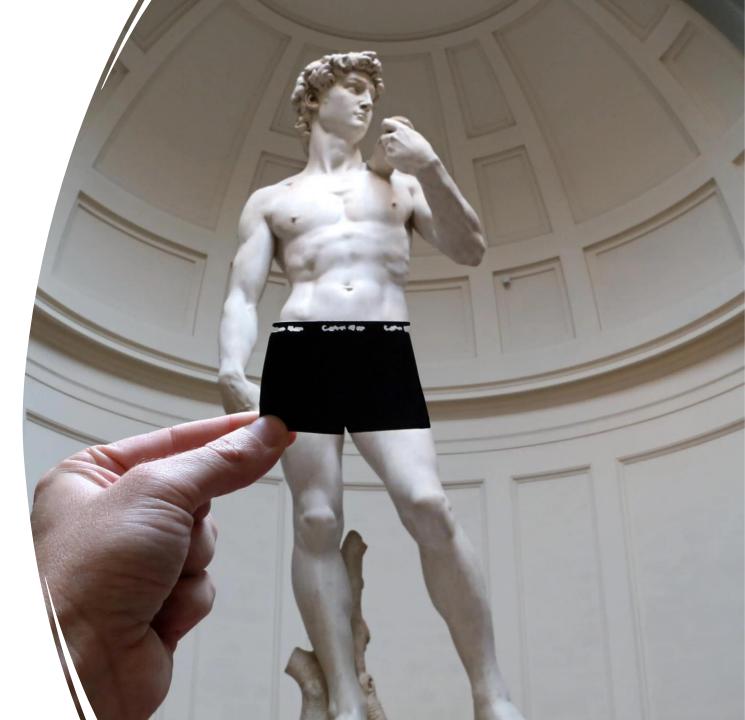
King David

2 Samuel and 1 Chronicles



Polygamy

- War
- Stable times
- Roman empire
- New Testament church: widows



Jacob had four wives and are you mad because you only have one? Okay, this is common in the mission field where polygamy is legally allowed. Let's say you shared the gospel and a polygamous man came to Christ through the gospel. What are you going to tell the new convert and based on what scripture text? God hates divorce.



Mephibosheth





Ammonites *Modern Amman, Jordan*





Bananabas A Tale of Temptation Tragedy, and Redemption

Excerpts from Psalm 51



For the director of music. A psalm of David. When the prophet Nathan came to him after David had committed adultery with Bathsheba.

 ¹ Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.
 ² Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.

³ For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.

Excerpts from Psalm 51



 ¹⁰ Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.
 ¹¹ Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me.
 ¹² Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

Excerpts from Psalm 51



¹⁵ Open my lips, Lord, and my mouth will declare your praise.
¹⁶ You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings.
¹⁷ My sacrifice, O God, is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart you, God, will not despise. Psalm 77

- This psalm is titled To the Chief Musician. To Jeduthun. A Psalm of Asaph.
- To the chief musician (also translated director of music, or choirmaster), but the words are spoken
- "The message of this psalm is that to brood on sorrow is to be broken and disheartened, while to see God is to sing on the darkest day. Once we come to know that our years are of His right hand, there is light everywhere."

• The Chosen





David's Dysfunctional Family

- 8 wives
 - notable: Michal, Abigail, Bathsheba
- 19 named sons
 - notable: Amnon, Absalom, Adonijah, Solomon





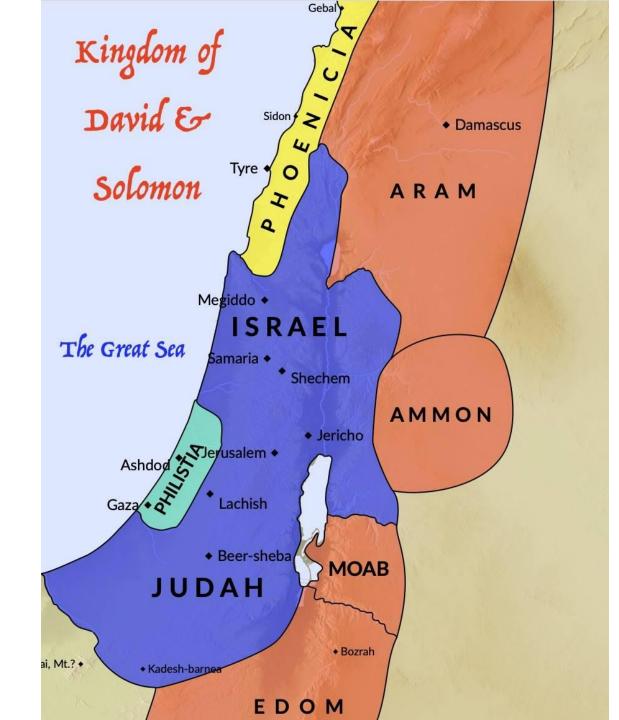
Amnon, Tamar, and Absalom

Absalom

Expert Politican, Failed Warrior

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2 Samuel 22



22 David sang to the LORD the words of this song when the LORD delivered him from the hand of all his enemies and from the hand of Saul. ² He said:

 "The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer;
 my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation.
 He is my stronghold, my refuge and my savior from violent people you save me.

2 Samuel 22



⁴⁷ "The LORD lives! Praise be to my Rock! Exalted be my God, the Rock, my Savior! ⁴⁸ He is the God who avenges me, who puts the nations under me, 49 who sets me free from my enemies. You exalted me above my foes; from a violent man you rescued me. ⁵⁰ Therefore I will praise you, LORD, among the nations; I will sing the praises of your name.



Succession: Adonijah and Solomon

Themes and Key Takeaways







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