

THE LIFE OF DAVID

SERIES BOOKLET



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David and Samuel | September 10th

1 Samuel 16:1-13

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Questions:

1. What type of legacy do you want to leave (don't just say good, be specific)?

2. Who, and how, are you equipping for impact when you are gone?

3. On a scale of 1-10, how important is God's worship to you? Why?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "David was passionate about God's worship. What can stand in the way of us being passionate about this too?"
- Discuss what ways your family can bring worship to God.
- Pray that the older people in your family would inspire the younger people to worship God with their lives.

Further Reading

Psalm 78:1-8

Weekly Challenge

Make a list of people younger than you that you might inspire to worship God with their lives.
Pray that God would show you how you ought to invest in them.

David and Solomon | October 22nd

1 Chronicles 28:1-21

Notes:

Notes Continued:

Questions:

1. Write down something you have been chosen for in the past. How did that make you feel?
How did it change your approach to whatever the thing was?

2. What about your heart stands between you and a more impactful life?

3. What would you do for God if you knew you couldn't fail?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "How would you have felt if you had been left out like David in this story? What would have been a bad response by David?"
- Discuss what kind of positive impact your family is having and how that can be increased.
- Pray that God will remind each of you that He has created you with a purpose.

Further Reading

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Weekly Challenge

Spend some serious time praying and thinking about what specific purpose God might have for your life. Write down what comes to you.

David and Goliath | September 17th

1 Samuel 17:1-58

Notes:

Notes Continued:

Questions:

1. What are some difficulties you've been through that God has ultimately used for good?
2. How are you dealing with your current hardships? How should you be dealing with them?
3. What specific things should you be praying that will allow you to live an impactful life despite your life's difficulties?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "How would you have reacted if you were betrayed like David was in this story?"
- Discuss the importance of dealing with life's difficulties in a positive way (be specific if you currently have hard things going on).
- Pray that God would help you to be a family that responds to hardships in a positive, God glorifying way.

Further Reading

2 Corinthians 1:3-7

Weekly Challenge

Make a list comparing how you are dealing with something difficult going on in your life with how you ought to be dealing with it.

David and Absalom | October 15th

2 Samuel 15:1-31

Notes:

Notes Continued:

Questions:

1. What drives your decisions?

2. On a scale of 1-10, how much do you care about expressing God's glory (giving him honor, praise, etc.)? Why?

3. What giants do you think need toppled for God's greatness to be seen more fully in our country?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "What are the things the "giants" that can scare us away from living for God's glory in our world today?"
- Discuss what drives your family's decisions.
- Pray that God will increase your passion for His glory and honor.

Further Reading

Psalm 96:8-13

Weekly Challenge

Write a letter to God declaring His greatness. Spend the week trying to live in response to the things you wrote in the letter.

David and Jonathan | September 24th

1 Samuel 20:1-42

Notes:

Notes Continued:

Questions:

1. What past failures do you believe will prevent you from living an impactful life?
2. What are the current temptations in your life? What must you do to avoid them leading you to sin?
3. What aspects of your life do you need to repent of?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "What do you think David could have done differently to avoid these sins?"
- Discuss the importance of fleeing temptation and the importance of repentance when you don't.
- Pray that God would protect your family from temptation, but also use your family despite imperfection.

Further Reading

Psalm 51:1-19

Weekly Challenge

Think about the thing (list) from question #1 above; think about the adultery and murder committed by David. If you've repented of that sin, spend time thanking God for His grace and forgiveness and spend some time asking God to use you mightily despite that sin - just as He did David.

David and Bathsheba | October 8th

2 Samuel 11:1-27

Notes:

Notes Continued:

Questions:

1. What do you value in a friendship?

2. What value do you think a spiritual, loving friendship would bring to your life?

3. Do you have any friendships that inspire you spiritually? If not, why? If so, how were those friendships developed?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "How could things have been different for David if Jonathan wasn't such a good friend?"
- Discuss the importance of godly friendships and how your family is developing them.
- Pray that God would bring you good friends and make you a good friend.

Further Reading

Hebrews 10:24-25

Weekly Challenge

Have coffee with someone that is, or potentially could be, a spiritual, loving friend.

David and Saul | October 1st

1 Samuel 24:1-22

Notes:

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Questions:

1. Describe a situation from your life where the logical thing wasn't the right thing.
2. What does this passage say about the phrase "the end justifies the means?"
3. Are there any areas of your life where you are doing what works, or makes sense, instead of what God wants?

Family

- Do the Bible App for Kids Adventure Book, if applicable.
- Read passage
- Ask: "David could have taken a shortcut on his way to be king (by killing Saul). What are some shortcuts we can take in our lives that aren't right?"
- Discuss how making the easy decision doesn't mean making the right decision and how this might affect your family.
- Pray that God would help your family to make decisions based on His will.

Further Reading

Galatians 6:7-10

Weekly Challenge

Read Matthew 27:11-47 and consider how Jesus did the right and good things despite how terribly difficult it was.