



Timeless Call #7: David

October 19 & 20, 2024

2 Samuel 7:1-17

Opener:

Have you ever had a really great plan that you took to God to let Him know what you were going to do for Him, only to find out God's response back to you was, thanks, but no thanks? What was your response?

Go Deeper:

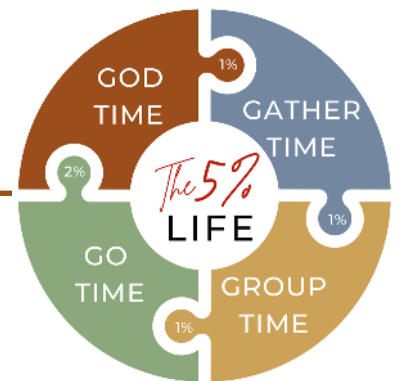
1. Read 2 Samuel 7: 1-3. What was the problem David identified when he looked over the city of Jerusalem. What was the Prophet Nathan's response to David's statement?
 2. Read 2 Samuel 7:4-9. What question did God ask David in verse 7? What did God tell David to remember in verses 8-9?
 3. Read Genesis 12: 1-3 and Genesis 15:4; 17-20. What did God promise when He established the Abrahamic covenant? Read 2 Samuel 7: 10-17. What did God promise when He established the Davidic Covenant?
 4. Read 2 Samuel 7:18-29. When God rejected David's plan for God, but gave His plans for David instead, what was David's response?
 5. Read Luke 1:32-38. Who is the ultimate leader God was speaking about who fulfilled the Davidic Covenant. What is Mary's response to hearing the news that changed her life?
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Live It:

1. Think of a time you talked to God about your plans. How did God respond?
2. Read 2 Samuel 7:28. Do you believe God is who He says He is? Do you believe God's words are trustworthy? Do you believe God has promised good things to you?
3. What did God promise you in John 3:16-17? How did or how would your life change if you believed what God said in these verses?
4. Read 2 Samuel 7:18. When was the last time you, "went in and sat before the Lord"? Spend time in prayer talking to God about your life. Ask Him what plans He has for you, then spend time listening to His response.



GOD TIME:



Daily Bible Readings (October 20-16)

Sun:	2 Samuel 7:1-17	God's Promise to David
Mon:	2 Samuel 12:1-13	David's Sin Condemned
Tues:	1 Kings 1:32-40	Solomon Becomes King
Wed:	1 Kings 2:1-4	David Instructs Solomon
Thurs:	1 Kings 3:3-14	Solomon Prays for Wisdom
Fri:	1 Kings 4:29-34	Solomon's Fame
Sat:	1 Kings 6:1; 8:14-21	The Temple is Built

*The readings selected come from the Narrative Lectionary calendar.