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2 Samuel 5:11-6:23

Verses 11-12

- What materials were used to build David's house?
- What did David realize? Had God told him this before? What does he mean by this?

Verses 13-16

• What is David doing in these verses?

Verses 17-21

- What news did the Philistines hear?
- What did they intend to do?
- Where did David go?
- What did he ask of God?
- What was His reply?
- What was abandoned at Baal-perazim?

Verses 22-25

- What did God tell David this time?
- How did it go for David when he obeyed God?

1 Chronicles 13

Verses 1-4

• What was David's plan here? Do you remember where it is at this point?

Verses 5-8

- Where was the ark? Do you remember how it got there?
- How did they carry it?
- Who drove?
- How did David and all Israel celebrate?
- What instruments were available for use?

Verses 9-14

- What happened to Uzza when he touched the ark?
- Had there been any prior instruction regarding not touching the ark?
- When Uzza's death frightened David, where did he take the ark instead of bringing it to the city of David?
- How long did it stay here?
- What happened to this family?

1 Chronicles 14

Verses 1-2

- Does this passage seem familiar?
- Remember, we are reading through chronologically and some of the texts span the same time period. This same passage is recorded in the passage we saw in 2 Samuel.

Verses 3-6

• There is a name here of David's children we will see in more depth later.

Verses 8-12

• What phrase is added here in regard to the idols we didn't see in 2 Samuel?

Verses 13-17

- What does this passage tell us about the fame of David that the passage in 2 Samuel doesn't?
- Don't you love how Scripture builds upon Scripture? A little more information is added in this passage we didn't see in the last.

1 Chronicles 15

Verses 1-10

- Where was David's house?
- For what did he prepare a place?
- Who were the only people allowed to carry the ark?
- How long was their ministry to last?

Verses 11-15

- What were these men supposed to do personally before they could bring up the ark? This word means to dedicate.
- How did they carry the ark? Was this the way they were supposed to carry it?

Verses 16-23

- Are there instruments listed here not listed before?
- What were the singers appointed to do? Of what material were they made?
- Why was Chenaniah in charge of the singing?
- What did the gatekeepers also do?

Verses 25-28

- How did David and the elders feel about bringing up the ark on this second attempt?
- Who helped the Levites carry the ark?
- Of what material was David's robe made? (I ask these kinds of questions so we can think about how they lived in those days.)
- Was there much celebration for the moving of the ark?

Verse 29

- Who is in this passage we haven't seen for a while?
- Knowing what we know about how she hid him from her father, then how David took other wives and concubines after her, would she have any reason to despise him in her heart?

1 Chronicles 16

Verses 1-3

• Why do you think David distributed bread, meat, and a raisin cake (notice they had raisins and cake back then) to all the people? Is this perhaps a covenant meal or a picture of one?

Verses 4-6

• In verse 5, what name do you see that we have seen introducing some of the psalms?

Verse 7

• Do you think the following sounds like a psalm (song)? Read it with the intention of learning about God.

Verses 8-36

- Did you see anything you hadn't thought of before?
- What did you think of the imagery? (Specifically verse 33)

Verses 37-42

- How often was Asaph and his relatives supposed to minister before the ark?
- Where did he leave Zadok to offer burnt offerings?
- How often was he do to this?
- How long does God show His lovingkindness?
- For what were the instruments designated?

Verse 43

• What did David return home to do?

See you tomorrow.