

THE RISE AND FALL OF
DAVID

His Final Words



DAVID MADE GOD HIS ALL





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WEEK ONE **HIS CALLING**
1 SAMUEL 16

WEEK TWO **HIS DEFINING MOMENT**
1 SAMUEL 17

WEEK THREE **HIS HUMILITY**
1 SAMUEL 24

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2 SAMUEL 9

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2 SAMUEL 23

FOUR
CONVICTIONS
THAT GUIDED
DAVID'S LIFE

DR. THOMAS CONSTABLE

1. God is the Ultimate King. PSALM 24:7-8
2. God deals righteously with His people. PSALM 7:17
3. God is merciful. PSALM 51
4. God's will is desirable. PSALM 40:8



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2 SAMUEL 23:1 ^{NIV}

These are the last words of David:

“The inspired utterance of David son of Jesse,
the utterance of the man exalted by the Most High,
the man anointed by the God of Jacob,
the hero of Israel's songs:”



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2 SAMUEL 23:2-3a ^{NIV}

“The Spirit of the LORD spoke through me;
his word was on my tongue.

³ The God of Israel spoke,
the Rock of Israel said to me:”



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2 SAMUEL 23:3b-4 ^{NIV}

“When one rules over people in righteousness,
when he rules in the fear of God,
⁴ he is like the light of morning at sunrise
on a cloudless morning,
like the brightness after rain
that brings grass from the earth.”



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2 SAMUEL 23:6-7 ^{NIV}

“But evil men are all to be cast aside like thorns,
which are not gathered with the hand.

⁷ Whoever touches thorns
uses a tool of iron or the shaft of a spear;
they are burned up where they lie.”



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2 SAMUEL 23:5a ^{NIV}

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arranged and secured in every part...”



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surely he would not bring to fruition my salvation

and grant me my every desire.”



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How God thinks of us is not only more important, but infinitely more important. Indeed, how we think of Him is of no importance except in so far as it is related to how He thinks of us.

- C.S. LEWIS



“I have found David son of Jesse,
A MAN AFTER MY OWN HEART;
he will do everything I want him to do.”

ACTS 13:22b NIV

PSALM 27:4 ^{NIV}

One thing I ask from the LORD,
this only do I seek:

that I may **dwell** in the house of the LORD
all the days of my life,
to gaze on the beauty of the LORD
and to seek him in his temple.

EXODUS 29:45-46 ^{NIV}

“Then I will **dwell** among the Israelites and be
their God. ⁴⁶ They will know that I am
the LORD their God, who brought them out of
Egypt so that I might **dwell** among them.
I am the LORD their God.”



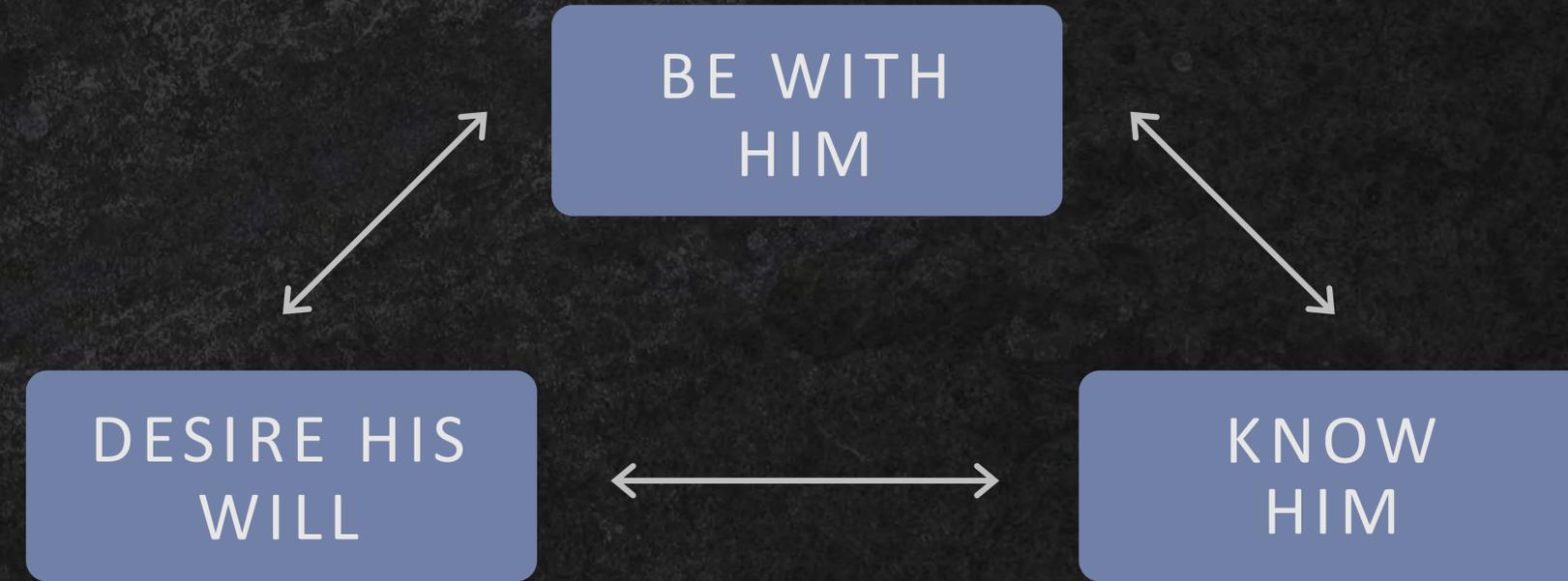
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JOHN 15:4a ^{NIV}

“Remain in me, as I also remain in you...”



DAVID ABIDED



LEVITICUS 26:11-12 ^{NIV}

“I will put my dwelling place among you, and I will not abhor you. ¹² I will walk among you and be your God, and you will be my people.”

1 CORINTHIANS 3:16 ^{NIV}

Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in your midst?



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If I were a preacher, I would preach nothing but practicing the presence of God. If I were to be responsible for guiding souls in the right direction, I would urge everyone to be aware of God's constant presence, if for no other reason than because His presence is a delight to our souls and spirits.

- BROTHER LAWRENCE, *THE PRACTICE OF THE PRESENCE OF GOD*



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