

WAITING ON GOD

2 Samuel 2-5

Then Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the midst of his brothers; and the Spirit of the LORD came mightily upon David from that day forward. And Samuel arose and went to Ramah. 1 Samuel 16:13

Ch.2:8

Ishbosheth *Ish-Bosheth- Man of Shame*

And Abner said to him, Turn thee aside to thy right hand or to thy left, and lay thee hold on one of the young men, and take thee his armor. But Asahel would not turn aside from following of him. 2 Samuel 2:21 (KJV)

Ch.3:2-5

“He shall not multiply wives for himself, or else his heart will turn away; nor shall he greatly increase silver and gold for himself. Deut 17:17

For this reason a man shall leave his father and his mother, and be joined to his wife; and they shall become one flesh. Genesis 2:24 (NASB)

Amnon (2 Samuel 13)

Absalom

The servants of Absalom did to Amnon just as Absalom had commanded. Then all the king’s sons arose and each mounted his mule and fled. 2 Samuel 13:29

Adonijah

Now Adonijah the son of Haggith exalted himself, saying, “I will be king.” So he prepared for himself chariots and horsemen with fifty men to run before him. 1 Kings 1:5

(v.29)

Joab and his family are responsible for this. I hope many troubles will come to his family. May his family always have someone with sores or with a harmful skin disease. May they always have someone who must lean on a crutch. May some of his family be killed in war. May they always have someone without food to eat.” 2 Samuel 3:29 (ICB)

Ch.5

**The God who says, to no _____ my life will also not _____
my _____**

Therefore be careful how you walk, not as unwise men but as wise, ¹⁶making the most of your time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷So then do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Ephesians 5:15-17

For from days of old they have not heard or perceived by ear, Nor has the eye seen a God besides You, Who acts in behalf of the one who waits for Him. Isaiah 64:4

**While I am _____ God’s will
God is _____ the situation**

For I am confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus. Philippians 1:6 (NASB)

Observations from David's Time of Waiting

Now there was a long war between the house of Saul and the house of David; and David grew steadily stronger, but the house of Saul grew weaker continually. 2 Samuel 3:1

- 1. David didn't _____**
- 2. David did all the _____ he _____**
- 3. David Separated himself _____**

Therefore the LORD longs to be gracious to you, And therefore He waits on high to have compassion on you. For the LORD is a God of justice; How blessed are all those who long for Him. Isaiah 30:18 (NASB)

The LORD is good to those who wait for Him, To the person who seeks Him. Lamentations 3:25

*Wait for the LORD; Be strong and let your heart take courage;
Yes, wait for the LORD. Psalm 27:14*

We never _____ the times we _____ on God