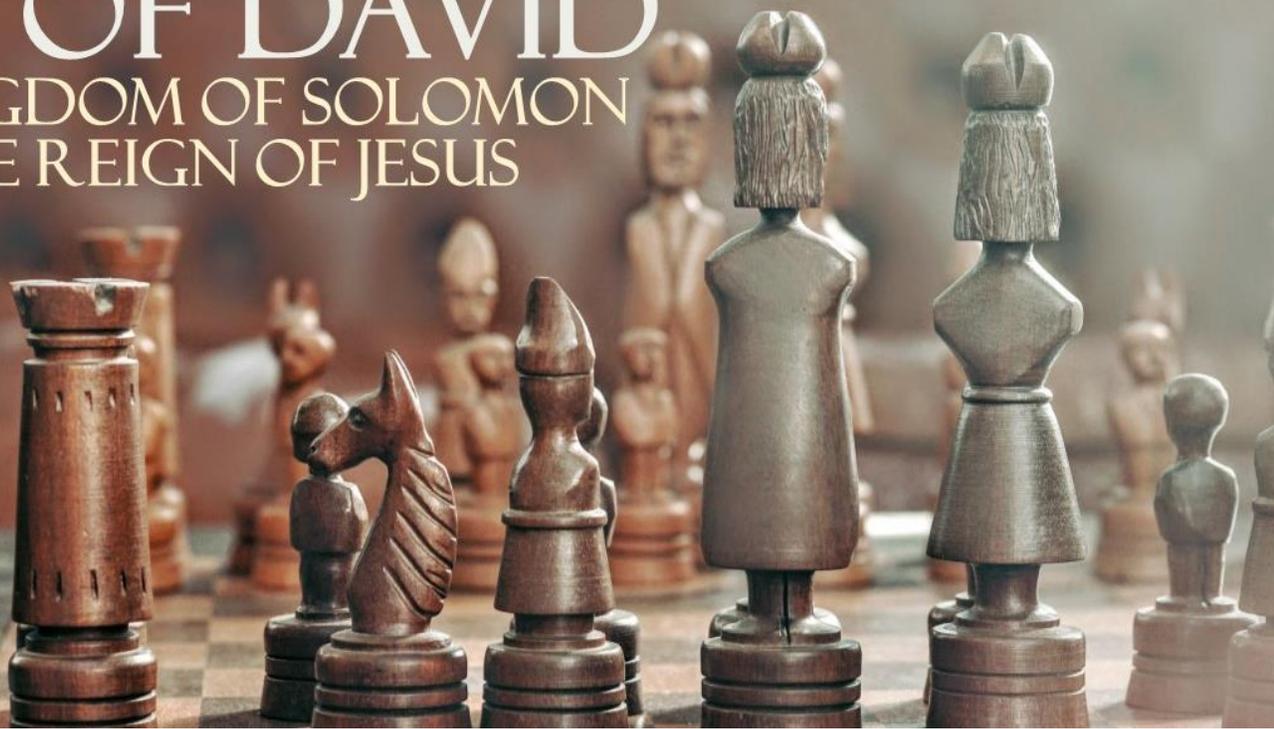


SON OF DAVID

THE KINGDOM OF SOLOMON & THE REIGN OF JESUS



PART 6: JESUS' REIGN

#1 - STOP OR GET RID OF RIVALS/ENEMIES

Kingdoms Of This Present Age

Revelation 11:15 - Then the seventh angel sounded; and there were loud voices in heaven, saying, "The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ; and He will reign forever and ever."

Devil & His Cohorts

Revelation 20:1-3 - Then I saw an angel coming down from heaven, holding the key of the abyss and a great chain in his hand. 2 And he laid hold of the dragon, the serpent of old, who is the devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years; 3 and he threw him into the abyss, and shut it and sealed it over him, so that he would not deceive the nations any longer, until the thousand years were completed; after these things he must be released for a short time.

Revelation 20:10 - And the devil who deceived them was thrown into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are also; and they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.

2 Thessalonians 1:7-10a - ...when the Lord Jesus will be revealed from heaven with His mighty angels in flaming fire, 8 (he will deal) out retribution to those who do not know God and to those who do not obey the gospel of our

Lord Jesus. 9 These will pay the penalty of eternal destruction, away from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of His power, 10 when He comes to be glorified in His saints on that day,...

Death & Grave (Ultimately)

Revelation 20:14 - Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. This is the second death, the lake of fire.

#2 - APPOINT NEW LEADERS

King - Jesus

Luke 1:32-33 - "He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give Him the throne of His father David; 33 and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and His kingdom will have no end."

Matthew 25:31-33 - "But when the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the angels with Him, then He will sit on His glorious throne. 32 "All the nations will be gathered before Him; and He will separate them from one another, as the shepherd separates the sheep from the goats; 33 and He will put the sheep on His right, and the goats on the left."

Governors Over Israel – 12 Disciples

Matthew 19:27-28 - Then Peter said to Him, "Behold, we have left everything and followed You; what then will there be for us?" 28 And Jesus said to them, "Truly I say to you, that you who have followed Me, in the regeneration when the Son of Man will sit on His glorious throne, you also shall sit upon twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel."

Luke 22:28-30 - "You are those who have stood by Me in My trials; 29 and just as My Father has granted Me a kingdom, I grant you 30 that you may eat and drink at My table in My kingdom, and you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel."

Jesus wasn't haphazard in his selection of 12 disciples. He is forming a new Israel, a new people of God.

Rulers Of Other Locations On Earth – The Saints

Revelation 3:21 - 'He who overcomes, I will grant to him to sit down with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with My Father on His throne.'

Revelation 5:9-10 - And they sang a new song, saying, "Worthy are You to take the book and to break its seals; for You were slain, and purchased for God with Your blood men from every tribe and tongue and people and nation. 10

"You have made them to be a kingdom and priests to our God; and they will reign upon the earth."

Daniel 7:27 - 'Then the sovereignty, the dominion and the greatness of all the kingdoms under the whole heaven will be given to the people of the saints of the Highest One; His kingdom will be an everlasting kingdom, and all the dominions will serve and obey Him.'

Luke 19:12-13, 15-19 (NLT) - He said, "A nobleman was called away to a distant empire to be crowned king and then return. 13 Before he left, he called together ten of his servants and divided among them ten pounds of silver, saying, 'Invest this for me while I am gone.'

15 "After he was crowned king, he returned and called in the servants to whom he had given the money. He wanted to find out what their profits were. 16 The first servant reported, 'Master, I invested your money and made ten times the original amount!' 17 " 'Well done!' the king exclaimed. 'You are a good servant. You have been faithful with the little I entrusted to you, so you will be governor of ten cities as your reward.' 18 "The next servant reported, 'Master, I invested your money and made five times the original amount.' 19 " 'Well done!' the king said. 'You will be governor over five cities.'

See also Ezekiel 37:21-28 & Revelation 7:16-17

#3 - PEACE, ABUNDANCE & LAND

Micah 4:1-4 - Peace, Abundance, Vine & Fig

Zechariah 3:10

Isaiah 11:6-9a – Peace so pervasive it affects all of creation

Land Boundary: All Of The Earth

Isaiah 11:9 - They will not hurt or destroy in all My holy mountain, For the earth will be full of the knowledge of the LORD As the waters cover the sea.

Zechariah 14:9 - And the LORD will be king over all the earth; in that day the LORD will be the only one, and His name the only one.

Habakkuk 2:14 - "For the earth will be filled With the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, As the waters cover the sea.

#4 - NATIONS FLOWING TO JERUSALEM

Isaiah 2:1-4

Isaiah 11:9-10 (NLT) - Nothing will hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain, for as the waters fill the sea, so the earth will be filled with people who know the LORD. 10 In that day the heir to David's throne will be a banner of salvation to all the world. The nations will rally to him, and the land where he lives will be a glorious place.

Jeremiah 3:17 - "At that time they will call Jerusalem 'The Throne of the LORD,' and all the nations will be gathered to it, to Jerusalem, for the name of the LORD; nor will they walk anymore after the stubbornness of their evil heart.

5TH - HOUSE OF GOD

Revelation 21:1-4

Revelation 21:22-27

Revelation 22:1-5

Isaiah 60 sums it all up - imagery of Solomon's reign used to describe the Messiah's kingdom and the purpose of it - "that I may be glorified" (v. 21)

THE SON OF DAVID

God shows us a glimpse of what He has planned for the world through the reign of Solomon. God's desire is to have the entire world filled with a people who love Him and who He can love. At the return of Jesus this Kingdom will begin. Jesus and the saints will begin a period of 1,000 years of restoration and refreshing. At the end of this time, every enemy will be destroyed and God himself will come to dwell on the earth with His creation, just as He did in the beginning.

As we have seen, Solomon was a model for the ideal Davidic King, the literal Son of David who the LORD blessed and was able to accomplish many things. Sadly, Solomon did not continue on this path, but instead chose to follow after his own lustful desires and forsake the LORD, the God of his Father. Solomon, the wisest man who ever lived became a fool.

1 Kings 11:4-6 - For when Solomon was old, his wives turned his heart away after other gods; and his heart was not wholly devoted to the LORD his God, as the heart of David his father had been. 5 For Solomon went after Ashtoreth the goddess of the Sidonians and after Milcom the detestable idol of the Ammonites. 6 Solomon did what was evil in the sight of the LORD, and did not follow the LORD fully, as David his father had done.

This heartbreaking fall is where we find our final connection between Solomon and Jesus.

Solomon, a man who had visions of God twice, a man who possessed supernatural wisdom and knowledge, a man who was the richest man of his era, a man who ruled over other great peoples, a man who built the temple of God, classified as one of the 7 wonders of the ancient world - was a sinner in need of a savior.

Solomon, the first son of David needs Jesus, the final the son of David. *And so do we.* Our hope to be a part of God's eternal plan and kingdom is not found in our biology, or our riches, our accomplishments or anything else. Our only hope is the same as Solomon's - salvation through the son of David - Jesus the Messiah. And that is why Jesus came first, not as conquering king, but as servant savior.

John 3:16-17 - "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life. 17 "For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world might be saved through Him.

Romans 5:6-8 - For while we were still helpless, at the right time **Christ** died for the ungodly. 7 For one will hardly die for a righteous man; though perhaps for the good man someone would dare even to die. 8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, **Christ** died for us.

2 Corinthians 5:21 (NLT) - For God made **Christ**, who never sinned, to be the offering for our sin, so that we could be made right with God through Christ.

Solomon may have repented in the end and found the grace of God, as his father David did before him. Here are what might be his final words:

Ecclesiastes 12:13-14 (ESV) - The end of the matter; all has been heard. Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. 14 For God will bring every deed into judgment, with every secret thing, whether good or evil.

Romans 15:4-6