

## INTRODUCTION

- \* The reign of David - the man after God's own heart.
- \* Over the past couple of weeks we have considered the everlasting covenant that YHWH's made with David and David's initial response to God's faithful loving-kindness being extended to him. David sought to expand the kingdom according to God's prophecy to Abraham and then sought to show the faithful loving-kindness of God to Mephibosheth (Jonathan's son) and Hanun (the son of the King of Ammon).
- \* However, last week we considered David's struggle with temptation. In that study, we saw God's statement of consequences to David and considered the "ripple effect" of sin (how the consequences of our sin negatively influences the lives of others around us as well).
- \* Today, we consider we will consider another of those ripple effects.

## INSTRUCTION

### I. THE E\_\_\_\_\_CE OF JOAB'S INSOLENC (cf. 2 Sam 12:28)

### II. THE S\_\_\_\_\_CE OF JOAB'S INSOLENC

#### A. David's Handling of the A\_\_\_\_\_ Incident (cf. 2 Samuel 3:27-39)

1. A\_\_\_\_\_Y

*Though he would not discipline him ... he publicly brought blame on him!*

2. C\_\_\_\_\_Y (v. 38-39)

#### B. David's Handling of the B\_\_\_\_\_ Incident (cf. 2 Samuel 11-12)

1. A\_\_\_\_\_Y

2. H\_\_\_\_\_Y

## INTROSPECTION

- \* HOW SUBMISSIVE ARE YOU TO THE AUTHORITY OVER YOU?
- \* DO YOU HAVE THE SAME STANDARDS FOR YOU AS YOU DO FOR OTHERS?  
OR DO YOU HAVE "DOUBLE-STANDARDS"?
- \* HOW WOULD THOSE UNDER YOUR AUTHORITY DESCRIBE YOUR USE OF AUTHORITY?
- \* HOW ACCOUNTABLE DO YOU SEEK TO BE? DO YOU ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY?
- \* IS THERE A NEED TO "CHANGE THE WAY YOU THINK" ... AND, THEREFORE, ACT?