

David & Bath-sheba

It happened **in the spring of the year**, at the time when kings go out to battle, that **David sent Joab and his servants with him, and all Israel**; and they destroyed the people of Ammon and besieged Rabbah. But **David remained at Jerusalem**. Then it happened one evening that **David arose from his bed and walked on the roof** of the king's house. And from the roof he **saw a woman bathing**, and the woman was very beautiful to behold. So **David sent and inquired** about the woman. And someone said, "Is this not **Bathsheba**, the daughter of Eliam, **the wife of Uriah the Hittite?**" Then **David sent messengers**, and took her; and **she came to him**, and **he lay with her**, for she was cleansed from her impurity; and she returned to her house. And **the woman conceived**; so she sent and told David, and said, "**I am with child.**" (**2 Samuel 11:1-5 NKJV**)

David's Prestige **Acts 13:22**

1. Season of War Brought Victory

2 Samuel 11:1

2. Seeing A Bathing Beauty Brought Vice

2 Samuel 11:1-5

3. Settling The Sin Bought A Victim

a) **Uriah 2 Samuel 11:6-26**

b) **The baby 2 Samuel 12:14-23**

c) **David's sons 2 Samuel 13; 15-18:9-17**

d) **David's heart 2 Samuel 23:34, 39; Psalm 51**

Bath-sheba's Participation

1. She Could Have Covered Herself

a) **Matthew 25:36**

b) **Proverbs 6:25**

2. She Should Have A Committed Marriage

a) **Exodus 20:14**

b) **2 Samuel 11:3**

3. She Would Have Convinced David

a) "she came to him" NOT **2 Samuel 13:14**

b) Too late to "protest"

c) Went home, as if nothing had happened!

Nathan the Prophet's Presence

1. Sent By The LORD **2 Samuel 12:1**
2. Stated The Parallel Case **2 Samuel 12:1-6**
3. Stuck The Point **2 Samuel 12:7**
 - a) **2 Samuel 12:10**
 - b) **2 Samuel 12:14**

God Has Not Changed

“Marriage is honorable among all, and the bed undefiled; but fornicators and adulterers God will judge” **Hebrews 13:4 NKJV**

WE SHOULD!

“Then Peter said to them, ‘Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit’” **Acts 2:38 NKJV**