

Basic Training in the Bible

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Review:

Outline of Second Samuel:

David's Triumphs (Ch. 1-10)

David's Trials (11-24)

First Kings:

The Question that the original readers would've been asking:

What _____??

The Measuring Stick for the Kings of Israel:

Will the king be _____ to Yahweh and the Covenant?

The Life of King Solomon, son of David and Bathsheba:

Ch. 1-2

Ch. 3

Ch. 5-7 – The Temple vs. the Palace

Ch. 9

Ch. 10 – Solomon’s Splendor

Compare with Deut. 17:14-20

Ch. 11 – It’s another train wreck

Outline of First Kings:

- Transition from David to Solomon (1-2)
- Solomon’s Reign (3-11)
- The Kingdom Divides (12-16:20)
- Ahab, Jezebel, and Elijah (17-22)

This Week’s Readings:

Option 1: 1 Kings 1-22 = 5,5,4,4,4

Option 2:

- 1-2 – The kingship transitions to Solomon
- 5-8 – Solomon builds the temple and his palace
- 11-12 – The kingdom divides
- 17-18 – Here comes Elijah!
- 19-22 – Ahab, Jezebel, and Elijah