

A man with dark hair, wearing a dark grey suit jacket, a light blue and white striped shirt, and a red tie with a gold paisley pattern, is speaking at a wooden podium. He is looking slightly to his left. A microphone is positioned in front of him. In the background, there is a round wall clock and a colorful, abstract painting. A solid red vertical bar is on the left side of the image.

King David

Part-4

**David sins and suffers.**

2 Samuel 11 forward



# **David Sins With Bathsheba 2 Samuel 11-12**

## **David brings Bathsheba to his bed. 11:1-4**

He sees how beautiful she is when he sees her bathing.  
He sends for her even though he knows she is married.  
He has sex with her, and she later goes back home.

## **David murders Uriah to hide his adultery. 11:5-27**

Bathsheba is pregnant, so David calls Uriah from battle.  
Uriah refuses repeated efforts to send him to Bathsheba.  
David sends Uriah with a note for Joab to set him up to die.  
Their child is born, but David's actions are evil to the Lord.

## **Nathan convicts David of his sin. 12:1-14**

He tells about a rich man taking a neighbor's pet lamb.  
David is outraged until Nathan says, "You are the man!"  
David repents & Nathan pronounces 3 punishments.

The sword will never depart from David's house.

A member of his household will "take" his wives publicly.

The child of the adulterous union will die.



# David Suffers For His Sin – 2 Sam 12-13

## David's and Bathsheba's first child dies. 12:15-25

David prays and fasts hoping the Lord will spare the child. When servants tell him the child has died, he returns to life. “He shall not return to me, but I shall go to him.” He and Bathsheba have another son – Solomon.

## David takes the victor's honors in Ammon. 12:26-31

Joab brings him to Ammon's royal city once the war is won. He gets massive Ammonite crown, and exterminates cities.

## David's son rapes his own sister. 13:1-23

Amnon lusts for his half-sister Tamar; Jonadab plots to get her for him. Amnon deceives and rapes her; then hates her & sends her away. David is angry, but her full brother Absalom hates Amnon.

## David's son kills his rapist brother. 13:24-39

Absalom waits two years, then arranges Amnon's murder. Absalom takes refuge in his grandparent's country for 3 years. David longs for Absalom every day.

# Absalom Achieves A Coup 2 Samuel 14-16

## Joab sends a wise woman to David. 14:1-33

She shows David he should reconcile himself to his own son.

David allows Joab to bring Absalom back. 14:21-33

He says Absalom can return, but not to the palace.

Absalom returns & after 2 yrs forces “reconciliation.”

## Absalom plots against David. 15:1-12

He makes grand entrances at the city gates.

He steals hearts and wishes out loud for judgeship.

Absalom claims the throne in Hebron. 15:7-12

## David flees from Jerusalem. 15:13-37

He leaves to spare people of the city.

Absalom enters Jerusalem.

## David accepts the humiliation of his exit. 16:1-23

Ziba falsely claims the property of Mephi-boseth.

David stops his nephews from killing a heckler.

Absalom sleeps with David’s “wives” in public.

# The Death of Absalom 2 Samuel 17-19

## Friends help David escape his son. 17:1-29

Hushai gets word to David to flee further from Absalom. 17:1-21

David escapes to Manahaim in Trans-Jordan. 17:22-24

Absalom continues to pursue his father. 17:25-26

Loyal subjects in Manahaim provide for David. 17:27-29

## They rival troops fight in the forest. 18:1-8

David reluctantly stays behind and sends out generals.

He says, "Deal gently for my sake with the young man Absalom."

Absalom's forces are slaughtered in the forest.

## David grieves over Absalom's death. 18:9-33

Joab violently kills Absalom in the forest. 18:9-18

Joab finds him stuck by the neck in a tree; sticks a sword through his heart.

Others finish Absalom off with spears.

David is inconsolable over his son's violent death. 19:1-33

"O my son Absalom, my son, my son Absalom! Would I had died instead of you, O Absalom, my son, my son!"



# David Returns As King - 2 Samuel 19-20

## Joab gets David to retake his public role. 19:1-8

His grief puts distance between him and his supporters.

Joab argues that he must show he supports his supporters.

## People push to show support for David. 19:9-43

Judah goes to Gilgal to bring David back to the throne. :9-11

David seeks reconciliation, replacing Joab with Amasa. 12-15

David is gracious to friends and foes. :16-40

Late supporters from Israel want to help escort David in. :41-43

## David survives the rebellion of Sheba. 20:1-26

David has his generals gather the army to resist. :1-7

Joab murders Amasa and pursues Sheba. :8-15

A wise woman gets Joab to spare the besieged city. :16-21

She throws Sheba's head over wall; Joab returns home. :22-26

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