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PART 28: KING DAVID THE PSALM WRITER

EARLY TRAINING

As we examine the life and faith of David, there are a number of different areas we need to look at.

1. David was the youngest of his brothers and took care of the family's sheep. This was not a glamorous job and was considered to be the lowest of all vocations. **1 Samuel 16:11**
2. David used his time as a shepherd to develop the skill of the sling and was a young teenager of great courage. **1 Samuel 17:32-37**
3. David liked to sing, play the harp and compose songs. **1 Samuel 16:14-23**
4. David had a deep faith in God and this removed all fear from him as he trusted God to help him. **1 Samuel 17:38-51**

DAVID – THE WORSHIPPER

The Bible records David's battles with King Saul, the lean years before he became the King of Israel, the wars he fought, his moral failures, his dysfunctional family due to having so many wives, and his desire to build a temple for the Lord.

But the true legacy of David is shown in the psalms he wrote which were inspired by the Holy Spirit and has comforted God's people for the last 3,000 years. It is in the psalms that we see the faith of David to God and his great love for the Lord that became his passion. **2 Samuel 6:12-23**

- ❖ Crying out in distress. **Psalm 3**
- ❖ Crying out in weakness. **Psalm 5**
- ❖ I will praise the Lord. **Psalm 9**
- ❖ The Lord is my shepherd. **Psalm 23**
- ❖ Have mercy on me. **Psalm 51**
- ❖ Bless the Lord of my soul. **Psalm 103**
- ❖ Praise ye the Lord. **Psalm 150**

The Bible states that King David was a man after God's own heart. **Acts 13:22**

Remember, it's not so important how you begin your life after salvation, but how you finish it!

Do you have an ear to hear with?



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