

kids church - 2 Samuel

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Introduction

Have you done something wrong and gotten into trouble? Or gotten punished?

This story continues from what happened last week (2 Samuel 11).

Try think of a quick summary of what happened. If you can't remember, look back at Kids Church online from last week to refresh your memory.

Comprehension

Read 2 Sam 12:1-4

Who has done wrong in this story? Why was it wrong?

Who do you think the rich and poor men might represent in this story?

Read 2 Sam 12:5-6

What was David's reaction to the story? Was this the right reaction?

Read 2 Sam 12:7

The rich man represented David! Have another look at verses 1-4, now knowing that the rich man represents David and the poor man represents Uriah.

Was this the way God's king was meant to act?

[extra] Why would Nathan tell David the story instead of just telling him that he had sinned?

Read 2 Sam 12:7-10

What has God done for David? (7-8) What has David done for God? (v9)

What does David deserve?

[extra] What does it mean that the sword will never leave David's house in verse 10? (Think about what a sword does)

Read 2 Sam 12:13

What is David's reaction? Is this the right reaction?

What has God done? What does this mean for David?

Did God need to take away David's sin?

(extra) Read v14. Why did God kill David's son if he forgave David?

(Because someone still needed to be punished for sin)

Understanding

What did David deserve? What did David get instead?

Did David deserve forgiveness for his sin?

Read Romans 5:23

What do we deserve for our sins? What does God give us instead?

Do we deserve forgiveness? Why does God forgive us?

Application

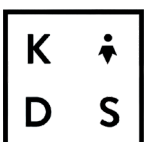
We know that because of Jesus we can be forgiven.

What should we do when we realise we have sinned against God?

How can we receive this forgiveness?

How can we thank God for this forgiveness?

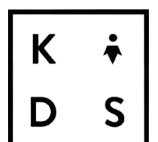
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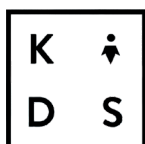
2 Samuel 12:13-14 (CEV) Find a word.

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Fill in the Blanks _ _ _ , and then find the words.

Read through 2 Samuel 12:13-14 together. You will find the words to look for after filling in the blanks. (A CEV bible will help the best)

_____ said, "I have _____ the LORD." "Yes, you have!"
 _____ answered. "You _____ you didn't _____ what the
 LORD _____. He has _____ you, and you won't _____.
 (2 Samuel 12:13-14)



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