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FACTS ABOUT 1ST KINGS

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MAJOR THEMES:

- 1) The Story of Solomon's Reign (Chapters 1-11)
- 2) The Story of the Kingdom's of Judah and Israel (Chapter 12- 2 Kings Chapter 25)



Monday (Read 1 Kings 1: 1-27)

(1) In this passage we see a practice commonly performed in the Old Testament – animal sacrifices. Why do we no longer perform sacrifices as such?

(2) We read in v5 that Adonijah “exalted himself.” What is the teaching of the Lord regarding those who are proud? Include a New Testament reference in your answer (Hint: use biblegateway.com to help you!)

Tuesday (Read 1 Kings 1: 28-53)

(1) In this chapter we learn that Solomon is declared King. What signs are revealed in this chapter that indicate this was God's will? (Hint: see verses 34-35, 38-39, 44, 47-48) What signs occur in our life that alert us to God's will?

(2) In verses 51-53 what important Christ-like behaviour is Solomon modelling for us?

Wednesday (Read 1 Kings 2:1-25)

(1) In Verses 3-4 What is David asking Solomon to do? Can this lesson be applied to your own life? How?



Thursday (Read 1 Kings 2:26-46)

(1) Many of the events in today's passage took place in the tabernacle. What is the tabernacle and which leader of the Israelites oversaw its construction? (hint: biblegateway.com again!)

Solomon kept the great commandment, when he loved the LORD with all his heart. The following is what Jesus said about this very thing. "And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this [is] the first commandment." Mark 12:30

Saturday (Read 1 Kings 3: 16-28)

In Verses 26-28 How did Solomon use his God given gift?

"But seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added to you" (Matthew 6:33)

Friday (Read 1 Kings 3: 1-15)

(q) What special request did Solomon ask of God and what additional blessings did God bestow upon him? What lessons does this chapter teach us in terms of our requests to God?

