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Session 11—David

David in Real Time and Space

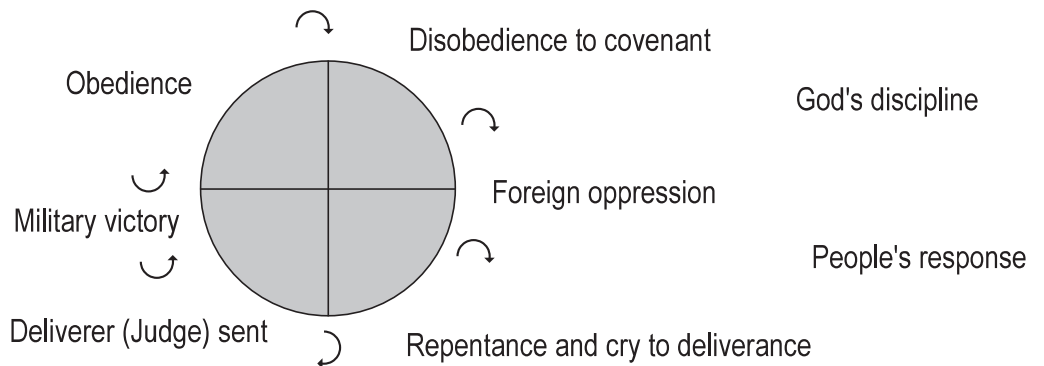
The Israelites settled in the promised land as a tribal league.

During the time of Joshua, the Conquest, and the Era of the Judges, all of the Israelites settled according to their tribal inheritance.

Who was the last judge of Israel? Samuel (He was also a priest and a king.)

The Cycle of the Judges

The cycle is repeated twelve times in the book of Judges.



The cry of the biblical author throughout the book of Judges: the reason for this problem is

because, “There was no King in Israel and every man did what was right in his own eyes.”

The Difference between Saul and David

1 Samuel 8:22 (The Calling of Saul)

“Listen to their voice, and appoint them a king.”

Saul is the people's choice.

1 Samuel 16 (The Calling of David)

“For I have selected a king for myself among his sons.”

David is Yahweh's choice.

David's Call Narratives

1) 1 Samuel 16:1–13: Samuel chooses the least of Jesse's sons.

A man of God's own choosing. David is chosen for his character.

2) 1 Samuel 16:14–23: David is chosen to play music to soothe Saul's troubled soul.

What is the other book in the Bible always associated with David? Psalms

3) 1 Samuel 17: David and Goliath

In David's mind it doesn't matter who the enemy is, it matters who is on his side.

The Davidic Covenant (2 Samuel 7:8-16) A House or a House?

David: I want to build Yahweh a house - Temple.

Yahweh: When I want a temple I'll ask for one. Do not forget who the real King of Israel is.

2 Samuel 7:16

"Your house and your kingdom shall endure before me forever; your throne shall be established forever."

People, Place, and Presence of the Davidic Covenant

The People = children of Abraham through Isaac

The Place = Abrahamic boundaries finally secured

The Presence = housed in the Tabernacle, but Tabernacle now is in the capital city!

Questions, comments, aha moments . . .
