

2 Samuel

66 Books in 52 Weeks

(A Book-by-Book Overview of the Bible)

Summary & Structure

2 SAMUEL

ORDER IN OLD TESTAMENT

10

NUMBER OF CHAPTERS

24

TYPE

HISTORY



OVERVIEW

Initially, 1 and 2 Samuel were combined, so 2 Samuel is a continuation of 1 Samuel. It begins with David's seven years as king and finishes with the end of his life, having served as king from age 30 to 70.



WRITTEN
900 BC



TIME PERIOD COVERED
1000-975 BC



AUTHOR
Prophets Nathan and
Gad with records
from Samuel

Key Verse

He is the one who will build a house for my Name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. -2 Samuel 7:13

Outline of the Book

David's _____ (Chapters 1-10)

David is established as the king of _____ and reigns at _____ for seven years.
(2 Samuel 1-4)

Saul and Jonathan Mourned (2 Samuel 1)

David Established King Over Judah. (2 Samuel 2)

Civil War Between the Houses of Saul and David (2 Samuel 3:1)

Ish-Bosheth, Son of Saul, is Murdered (2 Samuel 4)



David



Joab



Ish-Bosheth



Abner

David is established as the king of _____ and reigns at _____ for 33 years.
(2 Samuel 5-10)

David becomes King, Conquers Jerusalem (2 Samuel 5:1-5, 10)

David Brings the Ark into Jerusalem (2 Samuel 6)

God's Promise to David (2 Samuel 7:11-16)

David Continues to Prosper (2 Samuel 8:15)

David Blesses Mephibosheth (2 Samuel 9)

More Military Victories (2 Samuel 10)

David's _____ (Chapters 11-24)

David's Two Great Sins (2 Samuel 11)

Observations About David's Sin:

David's temptation came at a time of _____ and peace when everything was going well.

David's temptation came because he was _____ through his decision to have a number of wives and concubines.

David's sin was _____ by his attempts to cover the sin in a deceptive manner.

David is Confronted, Repents (2 Samuel 12; Psalm 51)

David's Trouble in His _____ (2 Samuel 13-18)

Incest, Rape, and Murder (2 Samuel 13-14)

Absalom's Rebellion (2 Samuel 15-18)

David's Trouble in the _____ (2 Samuel 19-24)

David Returns to Jerusalem (2 Samuel 19)

Revolt by Sheba (2 Samuel 20)

Three-Year Famine (2 Samuel 21)

David's Song of Deliverance (2 Samuel 22)

David's Last Words (2 Samuel 23)

Sin and Repentance (2 Samuel 24)

Lessons from the Book

The Enemy will Often Use Our _____ to Distract us from God's Will.

Even Forgiven Sin Can Cause Residual _____.

God's Plan is Bigger than One _____.