After God’s Heart Sun Am 3/3/24

1 Samuel 13:14 NKJV

14But now your kingdom shall not continue. The Lord has sought for Himself a man after His own heart, and the Lord has commanded him *to be* commander over His people, because you have not kept what the Lord commanded you.”

# Acts 13:22-23 NKJV

# 22And when He had removed him, He raised up for them David as king, to whom also He gave testimony and said, ‘I have found David the *son* of Jesse, a man after My *own* heart, who will do all My will.’

# 23From this man’s seed, according to *the* promise, God raised up for Israel a Savior—Jesus—

# Acts 13:36 NKJV

# 36“For David, after he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell asleep, was buried with his fathers, and saw corruption;

# 1 Samuel 16:7 NKJV

# 7But the Lord said to Samuel, “Do not look at his appearance or at his physical stature, because I have refused him. For *the Lord does* not *see* as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.”

# Acts 3:19-21 NKJV

# 19Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord,

# 20and that He may send Jesus Christ, who was preached to you before,

# 21whom heaven must receive until the times of restoration of all things, which God has spoken by the mouth of all His holy prophets since the world began.

# 2 Chronicles 7:14 NKJV

# 14if My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.

# 1 Samuel 18:14 NKJV

# 14And David behaved wisely in all his ways, and the Lord *was* with him

# 2 Samuel 12:1-19 NKJV

# 12 Then the Lord sent Nathan to David. And he came to him, and said to him: “There were two men in one city, one rich and the other poor.

# 2The rich *man* had exceedingly many flocks and herds.

# 3But the poor *man* had nothing, except one little ewe lamb which he had bought and nourished; and it grew up together with him and with his children. It ate of his own food and drank from his own cup and lay in his bosom; and it was like a daughter to him.

# 4And a traveler came to the rich man, who refused to take from his own flock and from his own herd to prepare one for the wayfaring man who had come to him; but he took the poor man’s lamb and prepared it for the man who had come to him.”

# 5So David’s anger was greatly aroused against the man, and he said to Nathan, “*As* the Lord lives, the man who has done this shall surely die!

# 6And he shall restore fourfold for the lamb, because he did this thing and because he had no pity.”

# 7Then Nathan said to David, “You *are* the man! Thus says the Lord God of Israel: ‘I anointed you king over Israel, and I delivered you from the hand of Saul.  8I gave you your master’s house and your master’s wives into your keeping, and gave you the house of Israel and Judah. And if *that had been* too little, I also would have given you much more!

# 9Why have you despised the commandment of the Lord, to do evil in His sight? You have killed Uriah the Hittite with the sword; you have taken his wife *to be* your wife, and have killed him with the sword of the people of Ammon.

# 10Now therefore, the sword shall never depart from your house, because you have despised Me, and have taken the wife of Uriah the Hittite to be your wife.’

# 11Thus says the Lord: ‘Behold, I will raise up adversity against you from your own house; and I will take your wives before your eyes and give *them* to your neighbor, and he shall lie with your wives in the sight of this sun.

# 12For you did *it* secretly, but I will do this thing before all Israel, before the sun.’ ”

# 13So David said to Nathan, “I have sinned against the Lord.” And Nathan said to David, “The Lord also has put away your sin; you shall not die.

# 14However, because by this deed you have given great occasion to the enemies of the Lord to blaspheme, the child also *who is* born to you shall surely die.”

# 15Then Nathan departed to his house. And the Lord struck the child that Uriah’s wife bore to David, and it became ill.

# 16David therefore pleaded with God for the child, and David fasted and went in and lay all night on the ground.

# 17So the elders of his house arose *and went* to him, to raise him up from the ground. But he would not, nor did he eat food with them.

# 18Then on the seventh day it came to pass that the child died. And the servants of David were afraid to tell him that the child was dead. For they said, “Indeed, while the child was alive, we spoke to him, and he would not heed our voice. How can we tell him that the child is dead? He may do some harm!”

# 19When David saw that his servants were whispering, David perceived that the child was dead. Therefore David said to his servants, “Is the child dead?” And they said, “He is dead.”