I Chronicles 22:1-16 - FATHERHOOD

I. Who was David?
1. A WARRIOR who defeated a lion, bear, Goliath, & enemy armies
2. A WORSHIPPER who danced before the Lord & played the harp
3. A WRITER who penned many Psalms
4. A WOMANIZER who killed Bathsheba’s husband

II. Who was Solomon?
1. WISEST & WEALTHIEST man to ever live - 2 Chron. 9:22
2. WRITER of Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, & Songs of Solomon
3. WOMANIZER w/ 700 wives & 300 concubines – 1 Kings 11:3

III. What is the book of Chronicles?
1. In Hebrew is “Chronikon” and means “annals”
2. It is a register of events or record book of ancient times

IV. What made Nathan’s calling as a prophet unique?
1. Priests, Prophets, & King DON’T usually occupy the same space.
2. PRIESTS occupy the Temple
3. KINGS occupy the Palace
4. PROPHETS occupy the Perimeter

V. Why does everyone need a NATHAN?
1. Affirmer - Tells David about God’s covenant with him
2. Accountability Partner – Tells David of his wrong re: Bathsheba
3. Advisor -Told David about Adonijah’s plot to be King

VI. What was in the Arch of the Covenant?
1. Manna, Aaron’s Rod, & the 2 scrolls with the 10 Commandments

VII. What are the Main Points in I Chronicles 22?
Pt. 1 - David wanted the HOLY God to be FIRST in people’s lives (v.1)
1) Then David said, “The house of the LORD God is to be here, and also the altar of burnt offering for Israel.”

Pt. 2 - David wanted God’s HOUSE be FAMOUS & glorious (v.5)

Pt. 3 – David was HONEST about his FAILURES (v.6-8)
6) Then he called for his son Solomon and charged him to build a house for the Lord, the God of Israel. 7) David said to Solomon: “My son, I had it in my heart to build a house for the Name of the Lord my God. 8) But this word of the Lord came to me: ‘You have shed much blood and have fought many wars. You are not to build a house for my Name, because you have shed much blood on the earth in my sight.

Pt. 4 – David HEEDED to God’s FORMULA (v.9-10)
9) But you will have a son who will be a man of peace and rest, and I will give him rest from all his enemies on every side. His name will be Solomon, and I will grant Israel peace and quiet during his reign. 10) He is the one who will build a house for my Name. He will be my son, and I will be his father. And I will establish the throne of his kingdom over Israel forever.’

Pt. 5 - David HELPED build his son’s FAITH (v.11-13)
11) “Now, my son, the Lord be with you, and may you have success and build the house of the Lord your God, as he said you would. 12) May the Lord give you discretion and understanding when he puts you in command over Israel, so that you may keep the law of the Lord your God. 13) Then you will have success if you are careful to observe the decrees and laws that the Lord gave Moses for Israel. Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or discouraged.

Pt. 6 - David was HOPEFUL about the FUTURE (v.14-16)
14) “I have taken great pains to provide for the temple of the Lord a hundred thousand talents[b] of gold, a million talents[c] of silver, quantities of bronze and iron too great to be weighed, and wood and stone. And you may add to them. 15) You have many workers: stonecutters, masons and carpenters, as well as those skilled in every kind of work 16) in gold and silver, bronze and iron—craftsmen beyond number. Now begin the work, and the Lord be with you.”