

The Life of King David

Lesson 14 – II Samuel

II Samuel Chapter 14 Student Questions

- 1. What did Joab realize about David – 14:1? (Think: How did this relate to the events of chapter 13?)**

- 2. What did Joab ask a woman to do – 14:2,3? (Find Tekoa on a map.)**

- 3. When the woman went to David, what did he ask her, and how did she describe herself – 14:4,5?**

- 4. Describe the story that she told about her sons – 14:6,7.**

- 5. What problem would this have caused for the woman?**

- 6.: In what way was the story the woman described like David's case with Absalom? In what way was it different? (Think: Was Absalom next in line for the throne, and how might this affect the situation?)**

- 7. What commitment did David make in 14:8? Explain her response in 14:9.**

- 8. What assurance did the woman want in 14:10,11, and what did David promise?**

- 9. Explain the Old Testament law of the manslayer and give Scripture for your answer.**

- 10. How would this law affect the case of the woman's sons, and how would it affect the case of Absalom? What application did the woman make to David – 14:12,13?**

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- 12. Explain how 14:14 applies to the situation.**

- 13. What reason did she give why she came to David – 14:15-17?**

- 14. What question did David ask the woman and how did she respond – 14:18-20?**

- 15. What decision did David make – 14:21,22?**

- 16. What restriction did David place on Absalom when he returned – 14:23,24? (Think: What purpose would this restriction accomplish?)**

- 17. Describe Absalom according to 14:25,26? What did the people think of him? (Think: what does this tell us about Absalom?)**

- 18. What information is given about Absalom's family – 14:27?**

- 19. What request did Absalom make of Joab, and what did he do to get Joab to comply – 14:28-31?**

- 20. What concern did Absalom want Joab to express to David – 14:32? (Think: Was his request reasonable? Explain.)**

- 21. What was the end result – 14:33?**