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AI-Assisted Bible Study for 1 Kings 15

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Headings

David's dynasty continues with Solomon as king.

David's son Solomon becomes king of Israel. Solomon succeeds David as king of Israel.

Short Summaries

King David's son, Solomon, becomes king after David's death. Solomon spends his first years as king wisely, but then turns away from 4 9 God.

King David's son, King Solomon, succeeds him on the throne and builds the temple in Jerusalem as God had commanded. However, Solomon sins and worships false idols, leading to God's wrath.

Summaries

The chapter concerns the reign of King Asa of Judah and his successes in curbing idol worship and quelling rebellions.

King David's son, Solomon, succeeds him as king and brings peace and prosperity to Israel. He builds a temple for God, as well as a royal palace. Solomon is known for his wisdom, and he rules Israel for 40 years.

Application Questions

What did Baasha do that was evil in God's sight?

What does it mean to serve the Lord with all our heart?

What was Nadab's sin that led to his downfall?

How can we avoid following in the footsteps of these kings who failed to obey God?

What did Asa do that resulted in God's approval?

How can we ensure that our motives are pure when we serve God?

What does it mean to put our trust in the Lord?

What can we learn from Abijah's example of wholehearted devotion to God?

Exegetical Questions

Who was Abijah?

Who was Nadab?

Why did he remove the prophets of Baal from the land?

What was his relationship with his father, Baasha?

Who was Asa?

How did he compare to his father, Rehoboam?

What were his accomplishments?

Observation Questions

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Why was Asa's reign described as good in the eyes of the Lord? (1_Kings 15:9-15)

How did God feel about Asa's actions? (1_Kings 15:29)

What caused the rivalry between Abijah king of Judah and Nadab king of Israel? (1 <u>Kings 15:1-2</u>)

How did Abijah defeat Jeroboam's army? (1_Kings 15:16-22)

What did Baasha do after he became king? (1_Kings 15:27-28)

How did Nadab die? (1 Kings 15:25-26)

How did God feel about Baasha's actions? (1_Kings 15:3-5)

What happened to Nadab's son? (1_Kings_15:31)

Group Discussion Questions

What does 1 <u>Kings 15:13-15</u> say about Nadab's death?

What does 1 <u>Kings 15:1-2</u> say about Abijah's reign?

What does 1_Kings 15:3-4 say about Nadab's reign?

What does 1 <u>Kings 15:6-8</u> say about Asa's reign?

What does 1 Kings 15:9-10 say about Baasha's death?

What does 1 <u>Kings 15:11-12</u> say about Asa's reign?

What does 1 Kings 15:16-22 say about Abijah's reign?

What does 1 Kings 15:5 say about Baasha's reign?

Prayers Based on 1 Kings 15

Father, we thank You for Asa king of Judah, who You raised up to be a righteous and faithful leader. We pray that his example would inspire us to fully follow You with all our hearts. Father, we thank You for Abijah king of Judah, who You raised up to be a righteous and faithful leader. We pray that his example would inspire us to fully follow You with all our hearts.

Father, we thank You for Baasha king of Israel, who You raised up to be a righteous and faithful leader. We pray that his example would inspire us to fully follow You with all our hearts.

Father, we thank You for Nadab king of Israel, who You raised up to be a righteous and faithful leader. We pray that his example would inspire us to fully follow You with all our hearts.

Father, we thank You for all the righteous and faithful leaders You have raised up, both in the past and in the present. We pray that their examples would inspire us to fully follow You with all our hearts.

Journal Prompts

What would it take to unite Israel and Judah?

How can I be a godly king?

Why do people rebel against my rule?

What can I do to ensure that my reign is peaceful

What can I learn from the mistakes of other kings?

How can I become a better leader?

and prosperous?

How can I ensure that my legacy will be a positive one?

How do I measure up as king?

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