2 Samuel: 1-6 Discussion Questions

Chapter 1

Discuss the importance of complete forgiveness of those who have wronged us. (v. 23)

How can we create a lasting tribute to our loved ones?

Is a tribute the same as restitution? Is it always fair? Price gouging versus fair taxation?

Chapter 2-3

David regularly sought God prior to advancing his ideas and strategies.

(v.1). How have you mirrored this in your life?

See the ongoing battle between the "house" of David and that of Saul ~(Contrast)

Did David love Michal, or was she a pawn from the very beginning?

Chapter 4

The phrase "as surely as the Lord lives..." appears in both 1Sam and 2Sam. What is the meaning when used by believers and non-believers? Relate similar phrasing casually spoken today. (also: 1 Sam 29: 6)

Chapter 5-6

Share the significance of the ark being brought to Jerusalem, versus David using only the Ephod to communicate to God.

Was Saul's daughter brainwashed to hate David due to her father's influence and years of separation?

Does music "speak" to you? Must the music be liturgical to inspire prayerfulness?