

II Samuel – House of David

[II Samuel 7:18-20](#); [Luke 1:30-33](#)

First Samuel presents the failure of man's king, Saul.

Second Samuel describes the enthronement of God's king, David. II Samuel also presents the establishment of the "House of David" through which the Messiah, Jesus Christ should later come. When Christ comes again, He will sit upon the throne of David ([Isaiah 9:7](#); [Luke 1:32](#)).

The story of David begins in I Samuel and runs into I Kings. When we go to the book of I Chronicles the same story is presented from another standpoint.

We first see David in his testing days in I Samuel and then in II Samuel we see him as having been made King over Judah in chapters [1-4](#) and made King over Israel in chapters [5-24](#).

Viewing the first six chapters of II Samuel we see:

- David's Grief over the Death of Saul.
- David made King over Judah, (7 1/2 years)
- Seven years War with Ish-bosheth, Saul's Son.
- David (age 30) made King over all Israel, (reigned 33 years – [5:3-5](#)-died at the age of 70)
- Jerusalem made capital of the nation. David brought in the Ark of God and planned the Temple ([Chapters 5, 6, 7](#)).

David was very successful in wars. He completely subdued the Philistines, Moabites, Syrians, Edomites, Ammonites, Amalekites, and all neighboring nations. [II Samuel 8:6](#) tells us that "*The Lord gave victory to David wherever he went.*" David took an insignificant nation, and within a few years built it into a mighty kingdom.

As the story unfolds, it is necessary to see how the family of David was designed by God to bless the world and it would be through ONE GREAT KING who would one day be born in a Family who would personally *LIVE FOREVER*, establish a *KINGDOM OF ENDLESS DURATION*.

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II Samuel chapter 7 speaks of how God promised David an *ETERNAL THRONE*.

1. We see here a long line of promises that David's family would reign forever.
2. From David there would come an Eternal family, a line of Kings, culminating in ONE ETERNAL KING (Read [Luke 1:30-33](#)). In this child, *JESUS*, the Davidic promises found fulfillment.

3. Now walk, slowly with me through these magnificent verses:

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| 1.) II Samuel 7:16 | 8.) Isaiah 9:6, 7 |
| 2.) I Kings 2:4 | 9.) Isaiah 11:1; Isaiah 11:10 |
| 3.) I Chronicles 22:8-10 | 10.) Micah 5:2, 4 |
| 4.) II Chronicles 7:17, 18 | 11.) Jeremiah 22:29; 23:5, 6 |
| 5.) Psalm 89:3-4, 27-29, 34-37 | 12.) Jeremiah 33:20, 21 |
| 6.) Psalm 132:11 | 13.) Zechariah 3:8, 9 |
| 7.) Amos 9:11, 12 | 14.) Zechariah 6:12, 13; 9:10 |

15.) [Zechariah 12:8; 13:1](#)

The promise of an Eternal King to arise in David's Family is repeated time and again, to David himself, to Solomon, in the Psalms, by the prophets Amos, Isaiah, Micah, Jeremiah and Zechariah over a period of some 500 years.

By and by, in the fullness of time the angel Gabriel was sent to Nazareth, to Mary, who was of the family of DAVID and he said:

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16.) [Luke 1:30-33](#) – *JESUS, THRONE OF DAVID, FOREVER, NO END* and *THIS CHILD*.

Here we have the fulfillment of the Davidic promises:

FROM DAVID WILL COME AN ETERNAL FAMILY LINE OF KINGS,

CULMINATING IN ONE ETERNAL KING -

THE KING OF KINGS

LORD OF LORDS

JESUS

In the [7th Chapter](#) of [II Samuel](#), we see the beginning of this long line of promises that *DAVID'S FAMILY* will reign *FOREVER OVER GOD'S PEOPLE*.

"Thy throne shall be established forever" ([II Samuel 7:16](#)).

"If thy children take heed to their way, to walk before me in truth with all their heart and with all their soul, there shall not fail thee a man on the throne of Israel" ([I Kings 2:4](#)).