

For the week of January 24, 2016
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The Purpose of Position

23rd week in the series "A Life of Passion: The Story of David."

2 Samuel 4:1-5:25

We all occupy a certain position. Who gets the credit for whatever position we occupy? And what is the purpose for our position? In 2 Samuel 4-5, we'll look at how David answers these questions.

Discussion Questions:

1. David "knew that the Lord had established him king over Israel." Many of us find something within us that wants the credit for whatever position we occupy. How might we go about crediting the Lord, instead of ourselves?
2. If you have felt humbled by the Lord in any way, describe this experience.
3. Notice that the Lord established David as king "for the sake of his people Israel." What sort of purpose do you think the Lord has for you, especially as it concerns involvement with other people?
4. Notice that David, facing similar situations, twice inquires of the Lord and receives a different answer each time. What sort of effect do you think that would have on David? What sort of effect do you think that would have on you?