



David's Disaster Story

2 Samuel 24

Crown Idolatry - castle & crown - Let me tell you about the day King David brought a devastating curse upon Israel.

Judgment Angel - angel & two swords - King David disobeyed God and made his military generals take a census of Israel's forces. God was very angry, and David chose his punishment: a three-day deadly plague from God.

Grieving Shepherd - kneeling king - Seventy thousand people in the land of Israel died during the epidemic. David saw the devastation, and his heart broke over his pride.

Restoration Altar - altar, animal sacrifice, flames, smoke - God sent the prophet Gad to teach David how to restore Israel. David bought Araunah's threshing floor and offered burnt sacrifices. God forgave David and ended the plague.

Storyteller Discipleship

The following activities will help you remember the story, apply wisdom to your own life, and tell the story to others.

- Pray. Listen to the story. Draw the story.
- Tell the story with the drawings.
- Draw your own pictures to illustrate the story.
- Pray and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal wisdom in the story.
- Pray. What is the Holy Spirit asking you to do next?
- Go and tell the story to someone. Discuss the story.
- Disciple others to become Spirit-filled storytellers.