

THE R.E.A.L. BIBLE STUDY METHOD



R - Read the Passage E - Explore What it Means
A - Ask God L - Live it Out

2ND SAMUEL 7:8-14

"You must tell my servant David, 'This is what the Lord of heaven's armies says: I took you from the pasture when you were following the sheep. I took you to become leader of my people, the Israelites. I have been with you everywhere you have gone. I have defeated your enemies for you. I will make you as famous as any of the great men on the earth. Also I will choose a place for my people, the Israelites. I will plant them so they can live in their own home. They will not be bothered anymore. Wicked people will no longer make them suffer as they have in the past. Wicked people continued to do this even when I appointed judges. But I will give you peace from all your enemies. I also tell you that I will make your descendants kings of Israel after you.

"Your days will come to an end, and you will die. At that time I will make one of your sons the next king. He will build a temple for me. I will make his kingdom strong forever. I will be his father, and he will be my son. When he sins, I will use other people to punish him. They will be my whips.

CONTINUE READING
2ND SAMUEL 7:15-29

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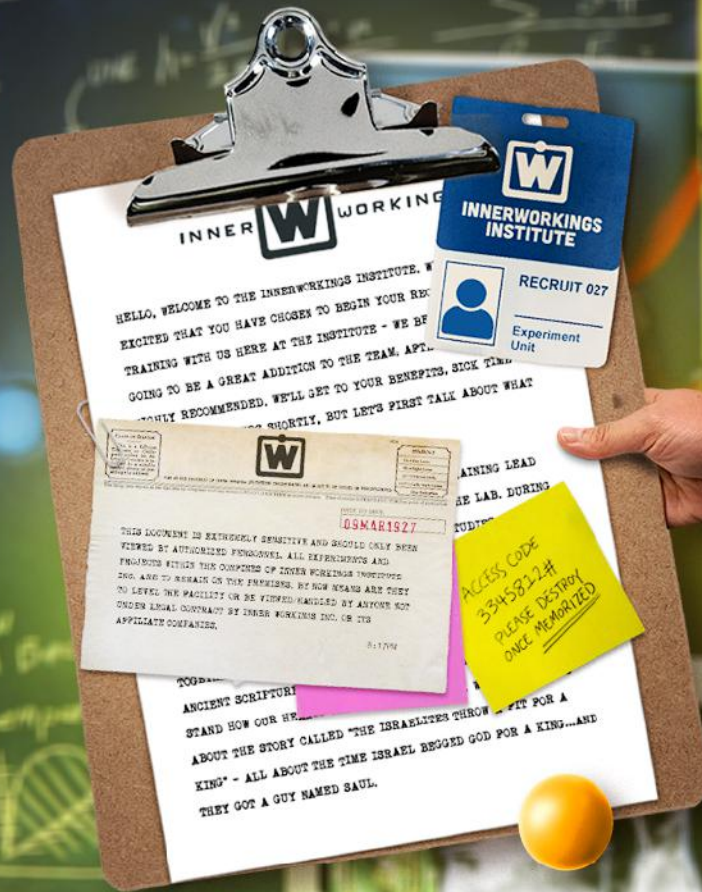
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INNER WORKINGS

EXAMINING THE CORE OF A KING'S HEART

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**KING DAVID, A PROPHET,
AND A PROMISE**

ONE THING!

GOD USES ME EVEN WHEN I FEEL LIKE I'M NOT ENOUGH.

1. A prophet named Nathan, who told the Israelites what God said, heard a message from God for King David. God reminded King David how he had been with him and told him about many good things that would happen in the future. 2nd Samuel 7:8-9a
2. God said that King David would become even more famous, that the Israelites would be blessed with peace, that many kings would come from King David's family and his kingdom would last forever. 2nd Samuel 7:9b-17
3. When King David heard this he went and prayed to and worshipped God. He asked God why he loved and cared so much about him. 2nd Samuel 7:18-19
4. King David praised God for being good and for all the good things he has done and let King David be a part of just because God wanted to. 2nd Samuel 7:20-24
5. Then King David asks God to keep his promises and blesses his family forever (and God does!). 2nd Samuel 7:25-29



ACTION POINT →

I CAN CHOOSE TO HAVE HOPE IN GOD INSTEAD OF MYSELF.

Get real

How will you get real about choosing to have hope in God instead of yourself?



NOW? WHAT

One of the best things to do when you feel down about yourself or like you're not enough is to remind yourself that God loves you no matter how you feel about yourself. In fact, God chooses to work through imperfect, messed up people all the time. When you need to be reminded of this, read 2nd Corinthians 12:9 in the Bible!

