## **KINGDOM COME!**

(The Book of Second Samuel) #2:

"First Steps"

Il Samuel 2:1-11

STEP NUMBER ONE:
DAVID HAD TO BE WILLING
TO GO WHEREVER IT
WAS THAT GOD WOULD
HAVE HIM TO GO
II Samuel 2:1-3

A. PRAYERFUL INQUIRY

Il Samuel 2:1

-DAVID SOUGHT THE WAY FROM GOD!

A. PRAYERFUL INQUIRY

B. PERSONAL INITIATIVE
II Samuel 2:2

-DAVID WENT THE WAY OF GOD!

- A. PRAYERFUL INQUIRY
- **B. PERSONAL INITIATIVE**
- C. PASTORAL INSPIRATION

  Il Samuel 2:3

-DAVID LED THE WAY
FOR GOD!

STEP NUMBER TWO:
DAVID HAD TO BE WILLING
TO LEAD WHOEVER IT
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HAVE HIM TO LEAD
II Samuel 2:4-7

A. DAVID FOUND SOME WHO NEEDED NO CONVINCING ABOUT HIS DESTINY AS KING II Samuel 2:4

-THE MEN OF JUDAH WERE READY TO MAKE DAVID THEIR KING IMMEDIATELY!

- A. DAVID FOUND SOME WHO NEEDED NO CONVINCING ABOUT HIS DESTINY AS KING
- B. DAVID FOUND OTHERS WHO NEEDED SOME CONVINCING ABOUT HIS DESTINY AS KING

  II Samuel 2:5-7

-THE MEN OF GILEAD WOULD NEED TIME BEFORE THEY EMBRACED DAVID AS KING! STEP NUMBER THREE:
DAVID HAD TO BE WILLING
TO FACE WHATEVER IT
WAS THAT GOD WOULD
HAVE HIM TO FACE!
Verses 8-11

A. DAVID SOON DISCOVERED THAT FULFILLING HIS DESTINY WOULD TAKE COURAGE!

Il Samuel 2:8-10

"ISH-BOSHETH"
2 Samuel 2:8-10; 4:1-12

"MEPHI-BOSHETH"
2 Samuel 4:4

2 Samuel 2:8-10; 4:1-12 ENGLISH: "Ish-Bosheth" = HEBREW: "eesh-bo'-sheth" = "Man of Shame" 2 Samuel 4:4
ENGLISH: "Mephi-Bosheth" =
HEBREW: "mef-ee-bo'-sheth" =
"Dispeller of Shame"
FROM ROOT WORD MEANING
"to cleave in pieces"

-DAVID WOULD FACE MUCH OPPOSITION ON HIS WAY TO BECOMING THE KING OF ALL ISRAEL! A. DAVID SOON DISCOVERED
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WOULD TAKE COURAGE!
B. DAVID SOON DISCOVERED
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WOULD TAKE TIME!
II Samuel 2:11

-DAVID WOULD HAVE TO FIRST SPEND SEVEN AND A HALF YEARS IN HEBRON AS KING ONLY OF JUDAH BEFORE GOING ON TO JERUSALEM AS KING OF ALL ISRAEL FOR ANOTHER THIRTY-TWO AND HALF YEARS! "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint."

Isaiah 40:31

"Learn to practice patience; and you will win in life!" Luke 21:19 STEP NUMBER ONE:
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