



God Family Country

GUIDED BIBLE STUDY

God's Promises & Our Courage

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Highlighted Scriptures

2 Samuel 7:12–16 (NIV)

“When your days are over and you rest with your ancestors, I will raise up your offspring to succeed you, one of your own sons, and I will establish his kingdom. He is the one who will build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. I will be his father, and he will be my son. When he does wrong, I will punish him with a rod wielded by men and with floggings inflicted by human hands. But my love will never be taken away from him, as I took it away from Saul, whom I removed from before you. Your house and your kingdom will endure forever before me; your throne will be established forever.”

1 Chronicles 28:20 (NIV)

“David also said to Solomon his son, ‘Be strong and courageous and do the work. Do not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord God, my God, is with you. He will not fail you or forsake you until all the work for the service of the house of the Lord is finished.’”

Discussion Questions

- **How does the promise God made to David shape your understanding of legacy and leadership?**

- **What does “be strong and courageous” look like in your current season?**
- **Who is “next in line” in your life (children, students, mentees, neighbors)? How are you investing in them?**
- **In what ways might your actions now serve God’s purposes beyond your lifetime?**
- **Is there something God is calling you to do that requires courage? What’s holding you back?**



Devotional Homework

- **Read 2 Samuel 7:12–16 and 1 Chronicles 28:20 slowly; ask God to show you one practical way to pass faith to the next person in your life.**
- **Identify one courageous act you can take this week to help “the next in line” (teach, encourage, pray for, serve, or model faith). Do it.**
- **Pray specifically for the spiritual growth of one person who follows after you; write their name and commit to one weekly act of spiritual investment for them.**



Prayer Prompt

Father, thank You for Your promises and for the ways You work across generations. Give me courage and wisdom to do the work You’ve placed before me. Help me to live for Your glory and to invest in those who come after me. Strengthen me when I’m afraid, and use my life as part of Your greater story. In Jesus’ name, Amen.

