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1 KINGS

the good, the bad, and the ugly

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“Battlefield”

Today's Scripture:

1 Kings 20:1-22 (p.197)

Ephesians 6 (p.645)

Luke 11 (p.574)

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Psalm 20 (p.307)

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Today's Scripture:

1 Kings 20:1-3

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THE DIVIDED KINGDOM

Mediterranean Sea

ISRAEL

Samaria

King Ahab

Jerusalem

JUDAH

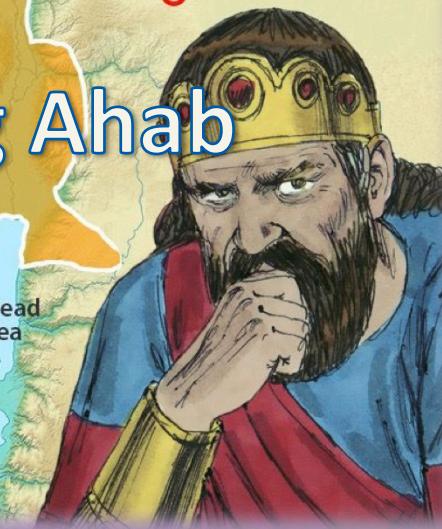
Lake
Galilee

Ramoth Gilead

Dead
Sea

ARAM

King Ben-Hadad



Lay of the Land

THE DIVIDED KINGDOM



King Jehoshaphat

Lay of the Land



1st Kings 20:1-4

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Battles Will Begin



“But you have followed my teaching, conduct, purpose, faith, patience, love, and endurance, along with the persecutions and sufferings that came to me in Antioch, Iconium, and Lystra. What persecutions I endured! Yet the Lord rescued me from them all...

2nd Timothy 3:12-13

..In fact, all those who want to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted. Evil people and impostors will become worse, deceiving and being deceived.”

2nd Timothy 3:12-13



Ephesians 6:10-18

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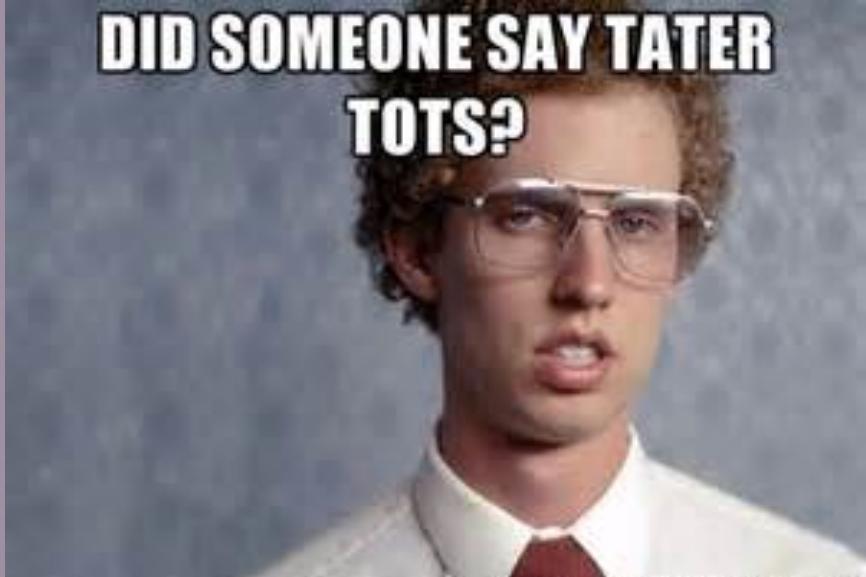
1st Kings 20:5-8

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*“Better a little with righteousness
than great income with injustice.”*

Proverbs 16:8

**DID SOMEONE SAY TATER
TOTS?**



Battles
Push
Boundaries



“So Jesus said again, “I assure you: I am the door of the sheep. All who came before Me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep didn’t listen to them. I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved and will come in and go out and find pasture...”

John 10:7-10

...A THIEF comes only to steal and to kill and to destroy. I have come so that they may have life and have it in abundance.”

John 10:7-10



Luke 11:33-36

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1st Kings 20:9-12

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Decisions In Battle
Lead To
Positions For Battle



*“When you say no to something,
you are positioning yourself to fight
for what you are saying yes to”*



2nd Timothy 2:22,24
(Pg. 654)



1st Kings 20:13-18

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God Has A Greater Plan



“...Watch, I am handing it over to you today so that you may know that I am Yahweh...”

1st Kings 20:13

*“For our battle is not against flesh and blood,
but against the rulers, against the authorities,
against the world powers of this darkness,
against the spiritual forces of evil in the
heavens. This is why you must take up the full
armor of God, so that you may be able to resist
in the evil day, and having prepared
everything, to take your stand.”*

Ephesians 6:12-13

*Indeed, the LORD's hand is
not too short to save,
and His ear is
not too deaf to hear.*

Isaiah 59:1



1st Kings 20:19-22

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Victory Comes From The Lord



*A horse is prepared
for the day of battle,
but victory comes from the LORD.*

Proverbs 21:31



Psalm 20:7

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The prophet approached the king of Israel and said to him, “Go and strengthen yourself, then consider what you should do, for in the spring the king of Aram will march against you.”

1st Kings 20:22

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