

The Book of First KINGS

Chapters 4 - 6

“Let’s Build the House of the LORD!”

CHAPTER 4 – ORGANIZATION & DELEGATION

(v1-6) Eleven officials

(v7-19) Twelve Governors (Delegation New Testament – Acts 6:1-7; 1 Timothy Ch. 3)

(v20-28) Observe God’s Blessings in the following verses:

#1 - (v20-23) God’s PROVISION

#2 - (v24) God’s PEACE

#3 - (v25-28) God’s PROTECTION

(v29-34) God gives: (1) WISDOM; (2) Exceedingly great UNDERSTANDING; (3) and LARGENESS of HEART!

CHAPTER 5 – PREPARATION & COOPERATION

(v1-12) WORKING TOGETHER - Matthew 7:7-11

(v13-18) Proper LABOR LAWS – Colossians 3:22-4:1; Ephesians 6:5-9;
1 Timothy 6:1 (Spiritually wise servants – Matthew 24:45-51)

CHAPTER 6 – CONSTRUCTION – CONFIRMATION - COMPLETION

(v1-10) Materials and details of the TEMPLE

(v11-13) How to keep God dwelling in the temple and amongst the people: (1) Walk in my STATUTES; (2) Execute my JUDGMENTS; (3) Keep all my COMMANDMENTS.

(v14-38) So Solomon built the temple and finished it in seven years.

Conclusion: Every Christian needs to walk according to God’s Word; there are eight keys to blessed walk:

Key #1 – Romans 6:4 – Walk in the NEWNESS OF LIFE!

Key #2 – 2 Corinthians 5:7 – Walk by FAITH, not by sight!

Key #3 – Galatians 5:16 – Walk in the SPIRIT!

Key #4 – Ephesians 4:1 – Walk WORTHY of the calling!

Key #5 – Ephesians 5:2 – Walk in LOVE!

Key #6 – Ephesians 5:15 – Walk CAREFULLY, the days are evil!

Key #7 – 1 John 1:7- Walk as a child of the LIGHT!

Key #8 – 1 John 2:6 – Walk even as HE WALKED!