

# 1 & 2 SAMUEL

## LEGENDARY

### *“The Prototypical Messiah Remembered, Part 3”*

**INTRO:** *Many scholars classify the final four chapters of 2 Samuel as an “appendix” arranged in a chiasm. This arrangement provides a beautiful memorial to Israel’s greatest king and prototypical Messiah.*

**I. David was Israel’s prototypical \_\_\_\_\_.**

*David, with whom God made a unilateral, unconditional, and eternal covenant, provided a model for the ultimate Messiah to come, Jesus.*

**II. As Israel’s prototypical \_\_\_\_\_, David was far**

**from \_\_\_\_\_, *nevertheless...*** *The first half of David’s career was remarkable, but his downfall began when he committed adultery and murder. Nevertheless...*

**III. David’s *memorialized* life pointed to \_\_\_\_\_ as**

**\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (22:1-51; 23:1-7).** *The centerpiece in the chiastic structure of the final four chapters focuses on David’s heart toward God. This pointed to Jesus in His love for the Father.*

**A. Messiah \_\_\_\_\_ God wholeheartedly.** *David’s love for God was expressed in passionate psalms like the one of ch.22. Jesus loves the Father **perfectly** since there is perfect **love** between members of the Trinity.*

**B. Messiah seeks to \_\_\_\_\_ God by \_\_\_\_\_**  
**His people in \_\_\_\_\_.** *Love compels one to the seek to please the object of one’s love. David spoke prophetically about the success of the Messianic throne which Jesus fulfills perfectly in His Second Coming.*