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LEGACY

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"After removing Saul, he made David their king. God testified concerning him: 'I have found David son of Jesse, a man after my own heart; he will do everything I want him to do.'" (Acts 13:22)

Three things that made David great...

DAVID UNDERSTOOD GOD'S	
 A. David knew God was completely • Psalm 140:7 Sovereign Lord, my strong deliverer, you shield my head in the day of battle 	
 B. David knew God was infinite in Psalm 32:1 Blessed is the one whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Psalm 130:4 But with you there is forgiveness, so that we can, with reverence, serve you. 	
 C. David knew God was perfect in Psalm 36:5 Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies. Psalm 36:7 How priceless is your unfailing love, O God! People take refuge in the shadow of your wings. Psalm 51:1 Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Psalm 86:13 For great is your love toward me; you have delivered me from the depths, from the realm of the dead. Psalm 108:4 For great is your love, higher than the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies. Romans 5:8 But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. 	
Application #1: Which quality of God do you struggle with most?	
 II. DAVID HUMBLY OWNED HIS OWN Psalm 41:4 said, "Have mercy on me, Lord; heal me, for have sinned against you." Psalm 51:4 Against you, you only, have sinned and done what is evil in your sight; so you are right in your verdict and justified when you judge. 	
A. David was HONEST with himself.	
• Psalm 51:2-3 Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. 3 For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.	

В	 David found mercy through Proverbs 28:13 Whoever conceals their sins does not prosper, but the one who confesses and renounces them finds mercy. Psalm 32:5 Then I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my iniquity. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord." And you forgave the guilt of my sin.
Δ	pplication #2: Ask God to you acknowledge your sin.
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III.	DAVID PURSUED A WITH GOD.
	• Psalm 63:1 You, God, are my God, <u>earnestly I seek you</u> ; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water.
Α	 David sought God through Psalm 27:8 My heart says of you, "Seek his face!" Your face, Lord, I will seek. Psalm 17:6 I call on you, my God, for you will answer me; turn your ear to me and hear my prayer. Psalm 32:6 Therefore let all the faithful pray to you while you may be found;
	surely the rising of the mighty waters will not reach them
В	 David sought God through Psalm 119:11 have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you. Psalm 119:1 delight in your decrees; I will not neglect your Word.
Αŗ	oplication #3: Make a to read the Bible and pray consistently
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IV.	DAVID WAS GREAT, BUT JESUS WAS!
	 David God / Jesus God: John 3:16 For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.
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C	 David God / God us. 1 Peter 3:18 For Christ died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God.
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