

Promises Kept & Mephibosheth:

2 Samuel 6-10, 1 Chronicles 17

Lesson 67 Visuals

- Michal despised David in her heart when she saw David dancing and celebrating as the Ark of the covenant entered Jerusalem.
- Michal thought King David embarrassed himself by taking off his kingly robe in front of the servant girls. David said, "I will celebrate before the LORD and I will become even more undignified that this."
- David told Nathan the prophet that he wanted to build a house for the LORD God.
- The LORD said David was not the one to build a house for the LORD.
- The LORD said He would build a house for David. Then the LORD said that one of David's sons would be a house or a temple for the LORD.



- The LORD said He would establish the throne of this future king and He would reign forever!
- Jesus is the only king that reigns forever.
- David did not feel he was worthy to have the LORD God send the Savior of the world through his family line.
- God's message to David was not just for David. It was for all mankind.
- None of us are worthy to receive Jesus's salvation.
- We don't receive salvation because we are worthy but simply because God is gracious and merciful and because we respond to Jesus's invitation.
- David asked, "Is there anyone remaining from the family of Saul that I can show kindness to for Jonathan's sake?"
- Jonathan was Mephibosheth's father.



- When Mephibosheth was five years, his nurse fell while carrying him. He was dropped; and his feet were then permanently injured.
- David said Mephibosheth would eat all his meals from then on at King David's table.
- King David treated Mephibosheth like one of the king's sons.
- If we have responded to the invitation of Jesus, you and I are like Mephibosheth. We were permanently injured by our sin. Our sin separated us from a relationship with God and left us without hope. But God showed kindness to us and invited us into a loving relationship with him.