

Message

**WHERE
DO MY LOYALTIES
LIE?**



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Ultimate Loyalty To God

“The Christian congregation emphasizes the importance of having love for God and for fellow humans.”

■ **Matthew 22:35-39**

■ **Deuteronomy 6:1-19**

- **Love God with all your heart, soul and mind**
- **Love neighbor as self**
- **Love / Agapao**



Ultimate Loyalty To God

- We are born imperfect, as a result of Adam's sin; "...even so through the obedience of the One, the many will be made righteous."
- **Romans 5:12, 19**



Ultimate Loyalty To God

- **A Test of Loyalty and Examples For Our Consideration**

–Eli and His Sons

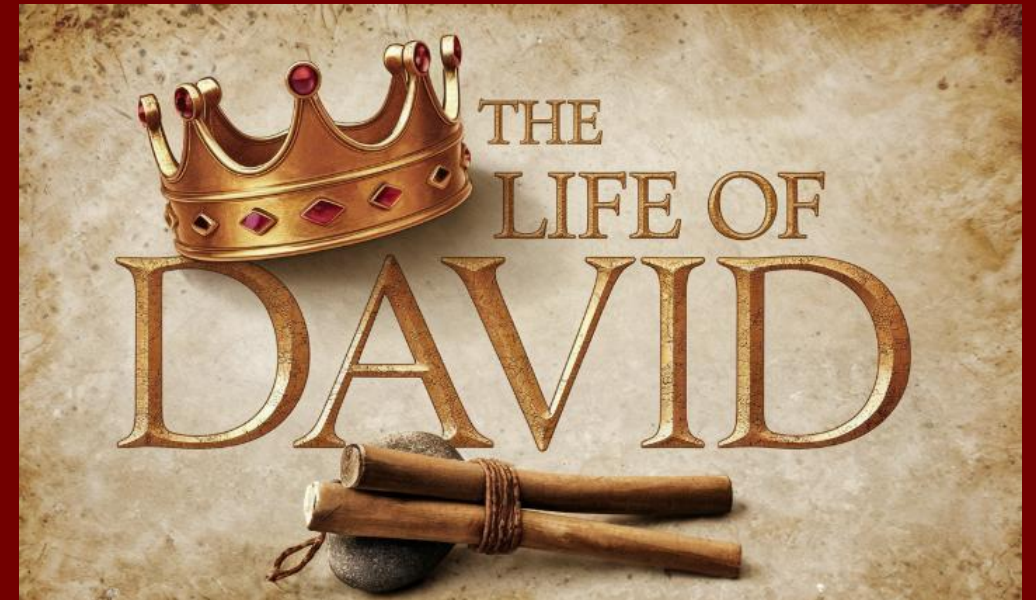
- **I Samuel 2:12**

- **I Samuel 3:10-14**



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- **A Test of Loyalty and Examples For Our Consideration**
 - King David
- **I Samuel 13:13-14**
- **Acts 13:22**
- **II Samuel 12:9-12**
- **I Kings 9:4**



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- **A Test of Loyalty and Examples For Our Consideration**

–Apostle Peter

- **Mark 14:27-31, 50**

- **Mark 14:53-54, 66-72**



Ultimate Loyalty To God

- **Maintain Loyalty and Examples For Our Consideration**
 - Jesus Christ
- **Betrayal of Judas Iscariot**
- **Denial of Peter**

There's something wrong with your character if "opportunity" controls your loyalty...

Developing Ultimate Loyalty To God

■ Ecclesiastes 7:9

– Do not be quick to take offense



Application to Life

Ultimate Loyalty To God

■ Matthew 5:23-24

- When we discern that we have done wrong

■ Colossians 3:13

- Forbearance

■ I Corinthians 13:5

- No “blow for blow”

■ Psalm 103:12-14

- Ultimate Example

