

Aging Gracefully

2 Sam 21:15-22

Introduction

The Philistines continue in conflict tho they can't field an army . . .

They are beaten but unrelenting . . .

But they do have descendants . . . four giants . . .

But David has descendants . . . three of them . . .

→The next generations collide

and we will learn some abiding truths

about **AGING WELL**.

1. The war continues:

There has always been a conflict since Eden
between “the seed of the serpent and the seed of
the woman” . . . Satan’s people and God’s people.

2. There are *new* giants
with *new* weapons

3. David fights on in the new day, tho an old man
He is already successful . . . but it is *his* duty
and *his* concern for the nation arising.

4. David becomes weary. (v.15)

5. The next generation steps up
and David receives them and enables them to do what *he* did.

6. New men with an old belief (v.17)
“the lamp” is the promise of God to David

7. God is true to the young just as to the old.
The new generation discovers the unchanging truth of God.