

WEEK SIX: INSTRUCTION

143: When Your Back is Against the Wall

Teach me, oh God.

Key Scripture

2 Samuel 13:28-39

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What kind of learner are you? Visual, Auditory, Reading/Writing, or Kinesthetic?
2. Read 2 Samuel 13:28-39 – why do you think that David stayed away from Absalom?
3. How can David be so skilled at building a nation and so godly, but make such bad choices?
4. If someone were to look at the details of your life, where would they be confused about the choices you are making?

What Do I Do with This?

- David just didn't get it – where is an area that you keep bumping into your own limitations?
- Though Joab was far from perfect, he came through for David in this instance. Right now, think and pray through who that truth-telling friend is in your life.
- Make plans to let them know that they are that kind of friend you are going to go to for advice in the future.

PRAYER

Spend some time asking for prayer requests as a group.

As you pray, make sure that you are asking God to make very clear what lesson you need to be learning from all that you are going through.

GO DEEPER

If you are a reading/writing learner – here is a great article on Bible memorization with three plans to choose from –

- <https://www.desiringgod.org/articles/you-can-memorize-scripture-this-year>

If you are a visual learner – here is a link to The Chosen –

- <https://www.youtube.com/show/SC07wnTsbs1fQNqz5sMTZURQ?season=1&sbp=CgEx>

If you are an auditory learner – download the YouVersion app on your phone and listen to the scriptures anywhere you go.