

“David – Shepherd King”

Message #5 in the series “*Mourning to Dancing*”

I Samuel 16

Notes from Today’s Message:

David: “A Man after God’s Own Heart” – Acts 13:22

Heart of David ~ The Character of a Disciple

1. Loves the Lord and has a heart of _____
for all people. (Mark 12:30-31; Colossians 3:12-14;
Luke 6:27-31; 1 Corinthians 13:4-7)

“I love you, O Lord, my strength.” ~ Psalm 18:1

2. Surrenders their entire life to the _____
of God’s Word. (Proverbs 4:23; Philippians 1:9-11)

*With my whole heart I seek you; do not let me stray from your
commandments. I treasure your word in my heart, so that I
may not sin against you. ~ Psalm 119:10-11*

3. Puts the _____ first in all of life and
is taking steps to separate from _____. (Psalm
51:17; Matthew 6:31-33; Galatians 5:24-26)

*For your name’s sake, O Lord, pardon my guilt,
for it is great. ~ Psalm 25:11*

4. Invites _____ and is _____.
(Colossians 3:23-24; 2 Timothy 2:2-5; Philippians 4:8-9)

*Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it
with my whole heart. ~ Psalm 119:34*

5. Lives life _____ with an open heart.
(Matthew 6:19-21; Acts 4:32-35)

*I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart;
I will tell of all your wonderful deeds. ~ Psalm 9:1*

6. Is humble and _____, displaying the
“fruit of the Spirit” in one’s life. (Philippians 2:3-4;
Galatians 5:22-23; James 4:10)

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days
of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord
my whole life long. ~ Psalm 23:6*

Questions for Personal or Group Reflection

- What does it mean for me to put Jesus first in my life?
- It’s hard to surrender my life to the counsel of God’s Word if I don’t know God’s Word. What do I need to do about that?
- Is my life marked by an “open heart” generosity?