

# 2 SAMUEL

THE RISE AND FALL OF KING DAVID

**SERMON DATE:** 1/28/2024  
**PREACHER:** Chris Martin  
**TEXT:** 2 Samuel 1:1-27

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## FATHOM CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **DISCOVER GROUP** If you or someone you know is a newer Christian, not yet a Christian, or just wants to learn the basics of Christianity...please sign up for our 7-week DISCOVER GROUP led by our elders. Starting Sunday, February 4 at 10:30am in the Elementary Room. [REGISTER HERE](#)
- **DIAPER/WIPE DRIVE** One of our local missions partners is Alternatives Pregnancy Center. We are partnering with them this February to collect diapers (of any size) and wipes. Please bring donations to church on February 25.
- **FIRST SUNDAY PRAYER** Next Sunday, February 4, will be our First Sunday Prayer. Please join us at 4pm to pray over one another, worship together, and activate our gifts as the body of Christ. Childcare available. Sign up at [fathomchurch.org/pray](http://fathomchurch.org/pray)

## QUESTIONS:

1. Have someone in the group summarize the main point/sub points that were preached from Sunday's text. Were there any big things that the Lord revealed to you as you listened and reflected?
2. **SUBMIT TO THE WORD** The PURPOSES of God cannot be achieved by breaking the PRECEPTS of God. If you were the enemy, what good thing would you tempt yourself to pursue in your own way rather than God's way (ex. money, relationships, grades)?
3. **RESPOND IN WORSHIP** Can you think of a time when your life felt like it was falling apart and you didn't want to worship? Talk about why you think that is, and what it felt like when you did open yourself to worshipping God again.
4. **LIVE IN COMMUNITY** David grieves with his men all surrounding him. When you grieve, are you tempted to isolate from community? Why or why not? What are some of the unhealthy coping mechanisms you are tempted to turn to rather than the community of God?
5. **JOIN ON MISSION** How do you think a Christian vision for grief and lament might be a good witness to your unbelieving friends and family members? Do you think how you grieve could be helpful for your ONE MORE to witness?

