

Second Samuel 23 and 24

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The Top Three



- u Josheb
- u Eleazar
- u Shammah



The Thirty

David's Sinful Census

u David's Sin

No Temple Tax

Expand Military for War
without God's Guidance

More Confidence in
Military Power than in the
LORD



David's Conviction and Repentance

- u Heed the Holy Spirit's Conviction
- u Confess the Sin to God
- u Repent
- u Ask the Lord for Forgiveness

David's Sin and Its Consequences for the Nation

- u Three Choices of Punishment
 - u Three Years of Famine
 - u Three Months of Fleeing before your Enemies
 - u Three Days of Pestilence

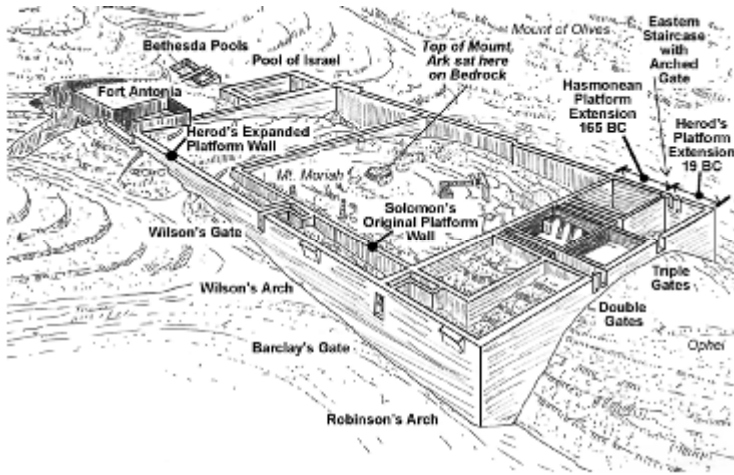
David's Intercession

- u "Behold, it is I who have sinned, and it is I who have done wrong; but these sheep, what have they done? Please let Your hand be against me and against my father's house!"



David's Proper Sacrifice

The Significance of Mt Moriah



Lessons

- u Be Brave Soldiers for Christ
- u Be brave in our service for others
- u Be brave in facing our trials
- u Be brave when we stand against the enemy

Lessons

- u Forgiveness does not always Remove Consequences
- u Sacrifice Should Cost Something
 - u Time
 - u Resources
 - u Money
- u Be a Woman after God's Own Heart