

A Man After
GOD'S OWN HEART
2 SAMUEL 7



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- *"I have found David... a man after mine own heart, which shall fulfill all my will."* **Acts 13:22**
- David was a man after **God's** own heart. This chapter will give us insight into how we can truly be a people after God's own heart.

His heart was purposed to _____ God.
vs. 1-3

- David was purposed in his heart to do something for the Lord. How refreshing! Not, "What can God do for _____?" But rather, "What can I do for God?" vs. 26
- To be after God's heart means that we truly seek to glorify God in _____ that we do.

His heart was established by God's _____.
vs. 4-17

- God's heart was truly moved by David's desire to glorify Him, and so God sent the prophet Nathan back to David with some promises.
- God's promises to David established David's heart because of the nature of those promises. The same can be said of our promises today. God's promises were:

- **Unconditional** – These promises were not based on David's _____.
 ⇒ *“In whom [Christ] we have redemption through his blood, even the forgiveness of sins.”*
Colossians 1:14
- **Immutable** – This means “not capable of _____.”
 ⇒ *“In hope of eternal life, which God, that cannot lie, promised before the world began.”* **Titus 1:2**
 ⇒ *“But the scripture hath concluded all under sin, that the promise by faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe.”* **Galatians 3:22**
- _____ – This means “forever.”
 ⇒ *“And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus: That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace in his kindness toward us through Christ Jesus.”* **Ephesians 2:6-7**

His heart was humbled in _____ . vs. 18-29

- Do you want to know God’s heart? Spend time in His Word learning of His promises, then take those promises and internalize them by _____ to Him in prayer.

- People spend a lot of time chasing after earthly things that will _____ away and will not matter in light of eternity.
- This is why Paul told believers to *“Set your affection on things _____, not on things on the earth.”*
Colossians 3:2