

The Glory of the Kingdom under Solomon

- The King of Tyre 9:10-14
- The Building Projects. 9:15-19
- The use of foreign labor. 9:20-22
- The fulfillment of the feasts. 9:25 (Dt. 16:16)
- The building of a navy. 9:26-28
- The Queen of Sheba. 10:1-5
- The wealth of Solomon. 10:14-23, 27

Solomon's Prestige and Problem

- 700 wives and 300 concubines
 - He turned his back on faithful Judaism – dt 17:17, 7:3-4, Neh. 13:6
- God's judgment.
 - Toward Solomon - 11:9-13
 - Toward Jeroboam – 11:29-39

The division of the Kingdom.

- How it happened – 12:1-14
- Why it happened – 12:15

The outcome of the division

- 1 Kings 12:25-2 Kings 25 is the section of Scripture that teaches the history of the divided Kingdom.
- This section alternates between the northern 10 tribes, called Israel, and the southern 2 tribes, called Judah.
- The Northern Kingdom: Israel
 - Had 19 kings in a little over 200 years, with no good kings.
 - The kingdom fell to the Assyrians in 722BC, and was never re-established.
- The Southern Kingdom: Judah
 - Had 20 kings in approximately 345 years, some of them were good, many were bad.

- The kingdom fell to the Babylonians in 586 BC and the nation was in exile.
- The period of the divided kingdom is the period of the Prophets. All of the prophetic books in the Christian Old Testament were from this period.

June Missions Project

Will you join your church family in a weekly or monthly gift to missions? Do you know that if you give just \$10 weekly you will give over \$500 per year to missions? Each of us giving a consistent weekly gift to missions will greatly increase our overall impact on the mission field. To give, simply mark your gift "missions." You can do this in the memo area of your check, and combine it with your regular giving. You can also give online, one-time or recurring. Online options are available at our website, www.taosfbc.org.

In June, we are supporting Romanian Pastor Marius Chende and his wife, Daniella. If we are able to give \$450, then we will provide his entire salary for the month!

Marius is the pastor of two Baptist churches in Romania. Both of these churches were established before the communist revolution and are filled with members who were faithful during those difficult days of religious oppression. Now they have a time of freedom and are sharing the gospel boldly in Romania.

This Week in Ministry

Pray for our Kidz Music Camp which is this week. We will have a building full of children who will learn about the Lord and His Word through music. A concert will be held on Friday at 11:00 AM, and you are welcome to attend.

We are thankful for a mission group from Sierra Vista, Arizona who will be leading the music camp and doing some refurbishing work in our office area.