



## **Sermon #2: David's Rebuke**

2 Samuel 12

Scene 1: Nathan's \_\_\_\_\_ (1-6)

Scene 2: Nathan's \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12)

Scene 3: David's \_\_\_\_\_ (13a)

Scene 4: The Lord's \_\_\_\_\_ (13b)

Scene 5: The Lord's \_\_\_\_\_ (14-15)

Scene 6: David's \_\_\_\_\_ (16-23)

Scene 7: Bathsheba's \_\_\_\_\_ (24-25)

Scene 8: David's \_\_\_\_\_ (26-31)

## Reflection Study Questions

1. Why did Nathan use a parable to confront David? Why not a direct accusation? What does this teach about the nature of confession?
2. Why did David condemn to death the rich man in Nathan's parable? What did this reveal about David's attitude toward his own guilt?
3. Why did God not condemn David to die, even though the law demanded the death penalty for both murder and adultery? What does this reveal about God's character?
4. Why did God not remove the judgment against David's family? What does this reveal about the nature of sin? What does it reveal about God's character?
5. How should your heart respond to God in light of His grace toward you?