

Sermon Series: The Promised Seed

Sermon Text: 2 Samuel 7:8-17 The Seed of David

Because Jesus is *the* Seed of David, God establishes His royal house and He builds God a house for our peace.

1) For our peace, God builds a royal house for the Seed of David.

- a) "The LORD will make you a house" (v. 11)
- b) A Dynastic House—"I will establish his kingdom" (v. 12); "the throne of his kingdom" (v. 13)
- c) A Covenant House—"I will be to him a father, and he shall be to me a son" (v. 14); "My steadfast love (Hesed) will not depart from him" (v. 15)
- d) A Permanent House—"I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever" (v. 13); "your house and your kingdom shall be made sure forever before Me" (v. 16)
- e) Solomon a partial/typological fulfillment: "When he commits iniquity, I will discipline him with the rod of men, with the stripes of the sons of men" (v. 14)
- f) **Application:**
 - i) Christ is King Forever
 - ii) Human self-government in rebellion against God is chaos/evil.
 - iii) Personal, social, and international peace is found in Divine-Human Government of Christ the King.

2) For our peace, the Seed of David builds a house for God.

- a) "He shall build a house for My name" (v. 13)
- b) A Place of Dwelling—Temple
 - i) Solomon's Temple
 - ii) Second Temple (Ezra to Herod)
 - iii) Christ's Resurrected Body Temple (John 2:19-22)
 - iv) Christ's Church Temple (1 Corinthians 3:16-17)
- c) A People with Whom to Dwell—"the household of God" (1 Timothy 3:5, 15)
- d) **Application:**
 - i) God's Family
 - ii) Family Character of Peace
 - (1) Worship
 - (2) Prayer
 - (3) Love

Doxology: I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, forever; with my mouth I will make known Your faithfulness to all generations. For I said, "Steadfast love will be built up forever; in the heavens You will establish Your faithfulness." You have said, "I have made a covenant with My chosen one; I have sworn to David My servant: 'I will establish your seed forever, and built your throne for all generations.'" (Psalm 89:1-4)