



II. The Symptom: I strive to satisfy the desires for pleasure and attention “in me”, so I run after \_\_\_\_\_ through foolish earthly possessions and experiences. (11:4-17)

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III. The Prescription: Encounter my fully \_\_\_\_\_ God. Repent and find wisdom and contentment in Jesus as King, not in me as King. (12:11-13)

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# IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

**KEY PASSAGE: 2 SAMUEL 11:1-17, 12:11-13**

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/passage? *The Poison: My pride and unbelief lead to living greedily and selfishly; The The Symptom: I strive to satisfy the desires for pleasure and attention "in me", so I run after self-indulgence through foolish earthly possessions and experiences; The Prescription: Encounter my fully sufficient God. Repent and find wisdom and contentment in Jesus as King, not in me as King.*

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## INFORM THE HEAD/STIR THE HEART

*Please read 2 Samuel 11:1-17, 12:11-13 and answer the following questions:*

1. According to 2 Samuel 11:1, what was the first sign that David was making foolish choices? How did God try to warn him in verse 3?

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2. How did David compound foolish choice on top of foolish choice to cover up his selfish gratification?

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3. How was Uriah an example of wisdom and integrity?

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4. How did David's selfish choices affect all the people around him? Please consider...

a. His Servants

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b. Bathsheba

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c. Uriah

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d. Joab

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5. God waited almost a year before confronting David for his sin. Why do you think He waited?

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6. How did David respond to God's confrontation through the prophet Nathan?

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7. What does God's response to David tell you about His mercy and His justice (see also verse 14)?

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## CHALLENGE THE WILL

Based on what you learned in Sunday's message and in your study time, what is one measurable thing you will go after this week in your walk with Christ?

## WEEKLY READING PLAN

Monday, March 24 // 1 Corinthians 2:1-16

*Wisdom from the Spirit*

Tuesday, March 25 // James 1:1-8, 3:13-18

*God Gives Wisdom Generously*

Wednesday, March 26 // Isaiah 58:1-14

*The Lord Satisfies*

Thursday, March 27 // Proverbs 3:1-18

*Wisdom is Better than Riches*

Friday, March 28 // Psalm 51:1-12

*A Heart Longing to be Transformed*