

Sermon Notes

## **The Exquisite Not-Quite Kingdom** 1 Kings 10

"The glory of the Solomanic empire is glory under a cloud destined to fade away." -ESV Study Bible

- I. The FAITHFULNESS of God
- II. The VALUE of Wisdom
- III. The PICTURE of God's Big Plan
- IV. The TRAGEDY of Not Quite
- V. The ESSENCE of (True) Blessing

# "Let the Word of Christ dwell in you(all) richly teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom..." - Colossians 3/6a

# - Focus #I : GOD

- / What does this passage reveal about the character or nature of God?
- $\mathcal{2}$  What does this passage reveal about God's eternal plans and purposes?
- 3. What does this passage reveal about how God interacts with his creation?

## Focus #2 : ME -

- ${\cal 4}\cdot$  How does this passage reveal sin in my own mind, heart, or life?
- $\mathcal{S}$  In what ways does this passage help us to see how we need to be aligned with God's will?
- $\emph{6}$  What is one tangible and measurable way that the Spirit is leading me to respond to his Word?

# Focus #3: OTHERS

- 7. What is one truth that I can share meaningfully with someone, and with whom?
- & How can I specifically encourage someone or everyone in my Life Group or church family from this passage?

Three contributions (reflections, questions, observations, etc.) I plan to include in our next Life Group discussion:

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#### **NOVEMBER**

26 Thanksgiving Meal & Service @ 6pm 28 Happy Thanksgiving! 28-29 Church Offices Closed <u>DECEMBER</u> 1 First Sunday of Advent

1 First Sunday of Advent
1 Christmas Decorating @ 12pm
3 BBA Pastor's Dinner @ WBC
4 Life Together @ 6:30pm
7 Women's Ministry Event
6-8 AHG PiPa Campout @ Mayo Park