



Developing Spiritual Intelligence

Lessons from Jonathan and David

Whatshan Lake Bible School 2025

SQ
Faith

Scope of Justification

Abraham offering his only son

Faith



David committing murder and adultery

God is Able

To forgive our sins

To give us the Kingdom



Adultery

“And the man that committeth **adultery** with another man’s wife, even he that committeth adultery with his neighbour’s wife, the adulterer and the adulteress shall surely be put to death. And the man that lieth with his father’s wife hath uncovered his father’s nakedness: both of them shall surely be put to **death**; their blood shall be upon them.”

Leviticus 20:10-11

Murder

“He that **smiteth a man, so that he die**, shall be surely put to **death**.”

Exodus 21:12

Process of Reconciliation

Sin exposed

II Samuel 12:7

Sin acknowledged

Psalms 51:3-4

Desire to correct behaviour

Psalms 51:10

Ask for forgiveness

Psalms 51:1-2,7-9,14

Help others experience God's mercy

Psalms 51:13

“I will make an everlasting covenant with you, even the **sure mercies of David**.” = the hope of resurrection (Acts 13:33)

“Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his **thoughts**: and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly **pardon**.

For my thoughts *are* not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord.”

Isaiah 55:3, 6-8

“And if thou wilt walk before me, as David thy father walked, in integrity of heart, and in uprightness”

I Kings 9:4

“his heart was not perfect with the LORD his God, as was the heart of David his father”

I Kings 11:4

“thou hast not been as my servant David, who kept my commandments, and who followed me with all his heart, to do that only which was right in mine eyes;”

I Kings 14:8

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Developing SQ in Faith

1st – Recognize that God is Faithful

2nd – Experiencing God's mercy transforms knowledge

3rd – Put our trust in God, who is able

4th – Rebuke well received builds our faith

5th – Rebuke well delivered builds others faith