

1 Kings 1:1 - 2:12—“A Succession Is Executed”

- Introduction:
 - 2 Samuel 7:12-16

- Central Theme: Wisdom bows before God’s choice for the throne.

- 1. Succession Inevitable (1:1-4)
 - 1 Chronicles 22:7-16, 28:1-10

- 2. Succession Contested (1:5-10)

- 3. Succession Reaffirmed (1:11-31)

- 4. Succession Announced (11:32-53)

- 5. Succession Guarded (12:1-12)
 - 2 Samuel 3 (Abner), 20 (Amasa), 17:22ff and 19:31ff (Barzillai), and 16:6ff and 19:21ff (Shimei); Matthew 13:40-43; Acts 17:30-31; 2 Thessalonians 1:4-10

- Application Points:
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

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