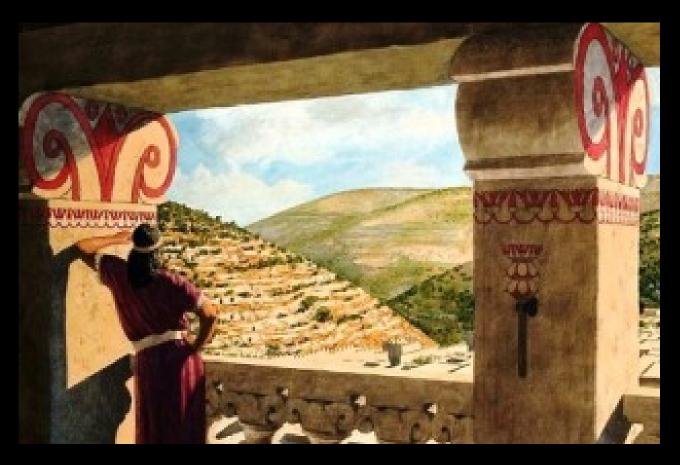
## JUSTIFICATION FOR MORALITY



II SAMUEL 11

I. We have a hard time finding sin in David's life before Bathsheba (II Samuel 11:1-15).



 How did the years of faithful obedience protect David from sin?

 How do our years of faithful obedience protect us from sin?

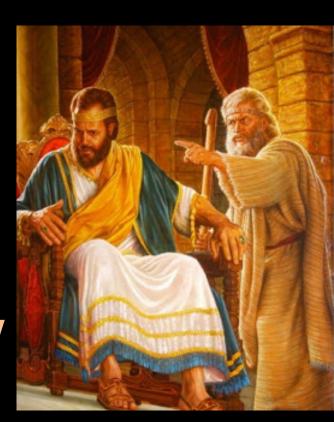
• What do we need to do when we have sinned (12:13).

## 11. We have a hard time finding sin in his children before Bathsheba (12:7-14).

 What sins do we know of in their lives before David sinned with Bathsheba?

 What sins do we know of after that time?

 Why don't our years of godly living carry the same weight as our sin?



III. After years of righteousness you have no permission to sin (Numbers 32:23).



 What message did Moses share with the 2 ½ tribes east of the Jordan?

 Because he is primarily dealing with sins of omission, what is our task?

 How can we protect the next generation from sins of omission?

## IV. Christians have the responsibility of example (I Corinthians 11:1).



watching.

 How can this passage encourage morality in our lives?

 What would have to happen for you to make this statement with confidence?

How will life be different when you can?

## Call to Action: To purposely choose to be a continuing godly example.



- What do children learn when they watch us?
- Why don't years of good provide permission for sin?
- If we can be forgiven, why do we need to stay moral?
- What should you do when your sin finds you?
- How is your resolve to be an example for God?

-How can we help?