

God or Tyrants: A Study of 1 & 2 Kings

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Assignment for next week:

- Read 1 Kings 5:1 – 10:29
- Search YouTube for at least two virtual tours of Solomon's Temple
- Search online for at least two "artist's renditions" of Solomon's Temple
 - Which do you find better for your understanding of Solomon's Temple – a "3-D" vision or the "artist's rendition"?
 - Which of the sites would you recommend to others and why?
- Ponder the following questions (*taken from the Whole Bible Project, copyright NPH*):
 - **Monday:** [1 Kings 5] Agree or disagree: The attitude people have toward God's house is an indication of their attitude toward God's name.
 - **Tuesday:** [1 Kings 6] Discuss: A church's cost indicates how much the members love their Lord.
 - **Wednesday:** [1 Kings 7] John and Marge wanted to build their dream home. They had formerly lived a few blocks from their church in the city. But they wanted to live in the country and found a lot about 25 miles from their church. What should be going through their minds? Can they learn anything from Solomon?
 - **Thursday:** [1 Kings 8] What elements of Solomon's prayer might we imitate in our prayer lives? (verses 15-21)
 - **Friday:** [1 Kings 9] Agree or disagree: Christians are most vulnerable when they have "finished buildings" (their churches, schools, families, mission fields, or faith).
 - **Saturday:** [1 Kings 10] Was Solomon's great wealth a blessing or a curse? How about our great wealth?