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Acts 13:16-23

INT. Text labels David a unique individual. God's own heart.

Problem: How this possible in light of O.T.?

I. DAVID'S GREVIOUS SINS:
A. II Sam. 11:1-5. Stole another man's wife.
B. II Sam. 11:6-13. Tried to conceal his sin.
E. David NUMBERED Israel. II Sam. 24:1-9. 1,300,000 warriors! A SIN to number. V. 10.
   Gad, the prophet, offers 1 of 3 punishments. (7 yr. famine. Flee enemies 3 mos. or 3 days pestilence. Chose 3rd. 70 M died.
   Note: David's attitude: II Sam. 24:17.

QUESTION: How THIS man be labeled: "a man after God's own heart"? YES! WHY?

II. DAVID'S YOUTH.
A. Anointed King! I Sam. 16:11-13 & 18. Good.
C. David invincible! I Sam. 18:6-7. Fearless!

III. DAVID'S SWEET SPIRIT. 73 of 150 of the Psalms.
A. *Ps. 2 is a Psalm of Fear, Trust & Rejoicing.
B. *Ps. 15 is a Psalm of Truth & Righteousness.
C. *Ps. 16 is a Psalm of Hope. Sweet & penitent!

III. David was a TYPE OF JESUS.
A. An humble birth at BETHLEHEM.
B. Low in rank in this world's goods. Enough.
D. Both sorely persecuted and oppressed....
   reason present-future tense used: Ps. 16:10.
E. Both became KINGS! King of Jews. Lit. & Spr.

INV. David prophesied the COMING of the King of all Kings. * Acts 2:29-33.

God asks that WE also acknowledge Jesus as the king of OUR lives! V. 38. His name.
Who saved?? *Ps. 15:1-2. YOU been living this beautiful kind of life? Like David's???