

David Commits Adultery

(A story based on 2 Samuel 11 & 12)

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In the spring of the year, the time when kings went out to fight battles, King David sent his army commander Joab with the army to fight in the war, but David stayed at home. One evening when David was relaxing on his bed he decided to get up and take a walk on his roof top.



"Whitawhoooooooooooo!" gasped King David. "There's a bare-naked lady down there! And she's b-e-a-u-t-i-f-u-l!!!!!!!" "Who's that pretty lady down there taking a bath?" asked David to his Servant. "Her? Oh she's Bathsheba, the wife of Uriah the Hittite," said the servant. "Tell her to come and see me," said King David.



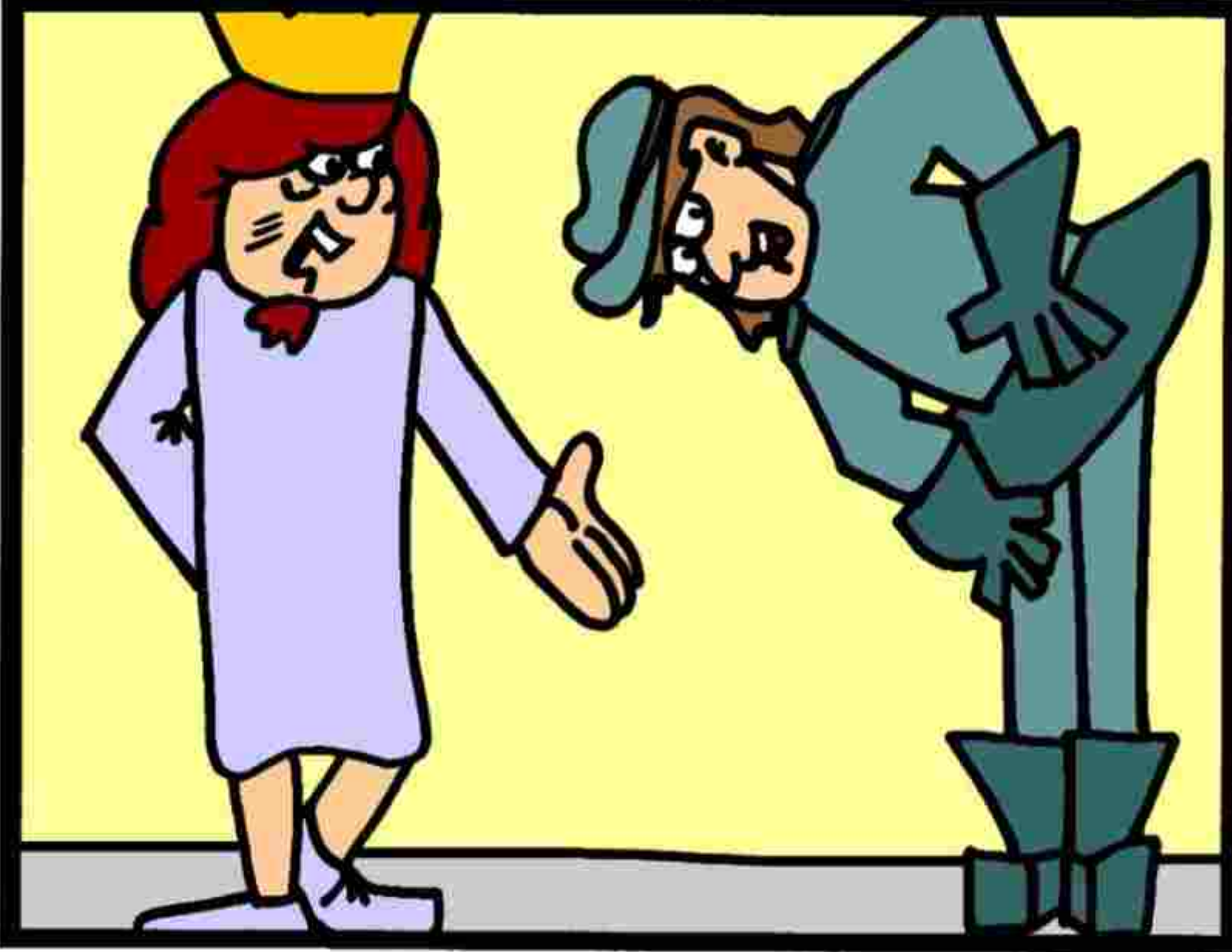
As soon as Bathsheba arrived and they were all alone, David and she starting kissing and doing what only people who are married to each other should do. When they were finished Bathsheba went back home to her house and she and King David pretended like they had done nothing wrong, except for one thing.....



"I'm having King David's baby!" gasped Bathsheba. "I'm pregnant!" "Oh boy! Oh boy! What am I going to do now?" thought King David. Then he came up with a plan. He sent a message to commander Joab. "Send Uriah to me immediately."



"Here I am King David! You asked to see me right away," said Uriah expecting to receive an urgent message. "How's Commander Joab doing?" asked David. "Fine," answered Uriah. "Ah how's the war going?" asked David. "Fine," said Uriah.



"Go home and wash your feet," said David.

"Go home and wash my feet?" asked Uriah.

"Yes," said the king.



The King sent a big food basket to Uriah's house the moment he left. King David hoped that Uriah would eat a big meal, relax and fall head over heels in love with his wife then everyone would think that the baby Bathsheba was carrying belonged to Uriah. But it didn't happen that way.



"Uriah, my servants say you slept here at my door," said David. "The ark of God stays in a tent, and Commander Joab and all the army are sleeping in the open field, so why should I go home and eat and drink and sleep with my wife. That's not fair to all the other guys!" answered Uriah. "You'll come over for supper tonight won't you?" asked David. 90-09



That evening King David kept pushing Uriah to drink more wine until he was totally drunk. He hoped that Uriah would go home now that he was drunk, but guess what he did. He stumbled over to his bed in front of the King's door and fell asleep.



Lord, help me to be busy doing your will. Help me to not let my spiritual guard down and remember that Satan never rests.