

Journaling

Journaling Prompts for 2 Samuel 7

1. Understanding the Story:

- Who were the main people in this chapter, and what did God say to King David?
- How did David feel when God spoke to him through the prophet Nathan?

2. Reflecting on God's Promise:

- God made a big promise to David about his family. Can you think of a promise someone has made to you? How did you feel when they made that promise?

3. God's Plans for Us:

- David wanted to build a house for God, but God had different plans. Have you ever planned something that didn't go the way you expected? How did you handle that change?

4. Personal Application:

- God promised to be with David and his family forever. How can you remember that God is always with you in your life, too?
- What is one way you can thank God for the plans He has for you, even if you don't know all the details yet?

5. Prayer Time:

- Write a short prayer thanking God for His promises. Ask Him to help you trust in His plans even when they're different from yours.
- Include a prayer for strength and guidance to follow God's plans in your daily activities.

6. Daily Life Connection:

- How can you be like David and show gratitude for the good things in your life? Write down one specific thing you're grateful for today and share it with someone.

7. Imagining the Future:

- If you could ask God one question about His future plans for you, what would it be? Write down your thoughts and any dreams you have for the future.

Encourage reflecting on these prompts in a quiet space where you can think and pray. Remember, your thoughts and feelings are important to God, just like King David's were.