



Series: Leadership Lessons from Kings

The Ironic Life of Solomon

1 Kings 11:1-11

NOTES:

The Big Idea: _____

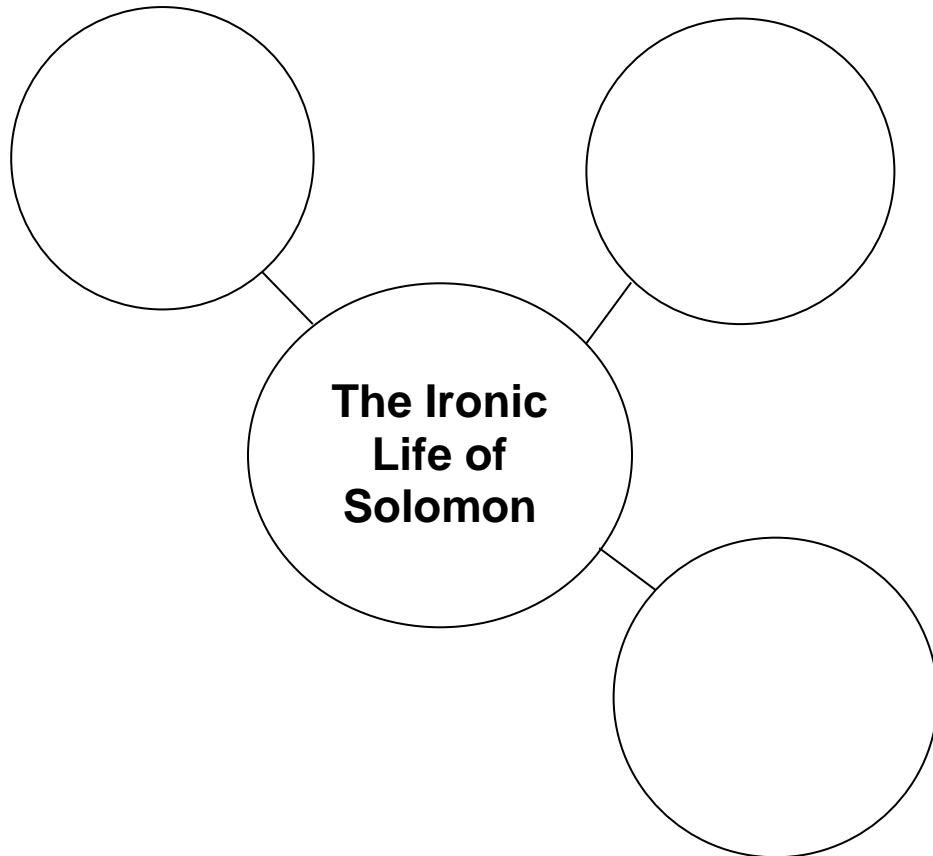


TABLE TALK:

1. Are you on a road that will avoid or repeat the mistakes of Solomon, and explain your answer?
2. What was Solomon's core problem according to 1 Kings 11:4, 6? Given all the power, wisdom, wealth, and fame Solomon had, what are the implications of him stumbling for your journey? What's the chief takeaway today for you personally?
3. **THE PROCESS OF TURNING BACK:** Be completely honest with yourself and make a list of your "however's"—the areas where you have been making big and small compromises. Now, imagine how that will play out if you keep going down the same road. Are you ready to turn back? Do you "want" to turn back? Tell God what's in your heart. For example and as applicable,
 - God, I confess I need to turn back.
 - I also confess I don't want to turn back, but I want to want it. Please change my heart.
 - I want to love and obey You with my whole heart.
 - I want to abide in You, and you in me.
 - I fully surrender to Your will and Lordship.
 - I choose to be humble and not insist on having my own way.
 - I choose to be content with what You provide.
 - I will live by faith in Jesus through the power of the Spirit.

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