

Message: Consequences of a Foolish Decision

2 Samuel 24

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Sermon notes:

The circumstances surrounding the decision 1-9

- *When you lose sight of God's power and begin relying on your own, you are heading for trouble*
- *Temptation is not the cause of our downfall, sin is*

The consequences resulting from the decision 10-15

- *God is a God of mercy and grace, but also a God of justice and righteousness*

The confession of David and compassion of God 16-17

- *David took full blame for his own actions and acknowledged his responsibility as king*

The commitment of David's offering 18-25

- *It mattered to David that he pay the full price*

All sin has consequences and must be dealt with, but once dealt with, life goes on. God continues to relate to his people, still listening, still caring, still answering, and still powerful with a future that remains full of hope