



Digging Deeper

Luke6:48

2 Samuel 3:1-16

The SETTING

1. What is the danger of unguarded character?

2. Why is strength a breeding ground for compromise of character?

The WORDING

1. How are the strength descriptions in verse 1 and 6 similar?

2. How does the wording of verse 11 show that Abner was only for himself?

The MEANING

1. How do verses 2-5 indicate an abuse of freedom? Compare Deuteronomy 17:17.

2. Why was David's request for Michal legal but not the right thing to do?

The LIVING

1. What practical steps can we take to guard character in times of blessing? Compare Deuteronomy 17:18-20.

2. What is a good way to keep our motives in check? Compare James 4:1-3.