

## “A MAN AFTER GOD’S OWN HEART”

### I SAMUEL 13:14

#### I. LOVE FOR THE WORD OF GOD

1. David loved God’s word. Psalm 119:47-48, 97

\*it protects him from sin Psalm 119:11

\*it revives him in affliction Psalm 119:50

\*it gives him peace of mind Psalm 119:165

2. Jesus loved God’s word. Matthew 4:1-10

\*it protects Him from sin

\*it revives Him in affliction

\*it gives Him peace of mind

3. How is your love for God’s word?

\*Psalm 1:1-3; 119:1-16

#### II. LOVE FOR TIMES OF PRAYER

1. David loved to pray.

\*it was because God answered him Psalm 116:1-2

\*it was because God blessed him Psalm 116:12-13

\*it was because it brought him close to God Psalm 145:18

2. Jesus loved to pray.

\*He made a point to get away Luke 5:15-16

\*He prayed in times of great trial

-Gethsemane Matthew 26:36-44

-The Cross Luke 23:34; Matthew 27:46; Luke 23:46

3. How is your love for prayer?

\*Psalm 32:1-7; Philippians 4:6-7; I Thessalonians 5:17

### III. LOVE FOR PRAISING GOD

#### 1. David loved to praise God.

\*he praised God for His righteous judgments Psalm 119:164

\*he praised God for His greatness Psalm 95:1-7

\*he praised God his whole life Psalm 104:33

#### 2. Jesus loved to praise God.

\*He publically praised God in prayer Matthew 11:25-26

\*He loved to praise through song Matthew 26:30

#### 3. How is your love for praising God?

\*Psalm 147:1

### IV. LOVE FOR UNITY AMONG THE BRETHREN

#### 1. David loved unity. Psalm 133:1

\*he valued friendship and unity I Samuel 18:1

\*he understood the pain of division II Samuel 13

#### 2. Jesus loved unity.

\*He prayed for it among the disciples John 17:20-23

\*He died for us to have unity Colossians 3:12-14

#### 3. How is your love for unity in the body?

\*Ephesians 4:1-6; Romans 16:17-18

-God was confident that David would do all He asked of him. Acts 13:22

-Jesus was willing to do all that God asked of Him. Matthew 26:42; John 4:34

-Are you willing to do all God asks of you?