

## The Story 14 - A Kingdom Torn in Two

1 Kings 12  
5.21.17

### **SAY WHAT?: And in this corner... Jeroboam vs. Rehoboam**

- vv. 1-2 - The context
- vv. 3-5 - The confrontation
- vv. 6-15 - The consultation

*Prov. 11:14, Where there is no guidance the people fall, but in abundance of counselors there is victory.*

*Prov. 20:29, The glory of young men is their strength, and the splendor of old men is gray hair.*

*Prov. 27:6, Faithful are the wounds of a friend, but deceitful are the kisses of an enemy.*

- vv.16-20 - The conclusion

### **SO WHAT?: The downfall of division**

*Luke 11:17, Jesus knew their thoughts and said to them: "Any kingdom divided against itself will be ruined, and a house divided against itself will fall."*

### **NOW WHAT?: How to resolve conflict, Jesus' style**

*Matthew 5:23-24, "Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, 24 leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift."*

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