Today's Theme: **"Solomon: Untamed Passions Will Derail Your Life"**

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New Series: "Watch Out For Lesser gods"" Part 1

"Temptation comes from our own desires, which entice us &drag us away. 15 These desires give birth to sinful actions..." James 1:14-15

Solomon's Story Has A "Great Start "

1. As A 20 Year Old King, He Makes Some **Great First** _____. 1Kings 3:3-14; 1Kings 6-7

- In a God appearance, Solomon chooses _____ & God gives him everything else!
- Solomon builds the temple & _____.

2. His Makes Him World Famous!

1Kings 3:16-28; 1 Kings 10

- There's a child _____ case we'll never forget!
- Then the Q of S _____ Sol's head to other things!

3. But More's Going On _____ The Scenes.

1 Kings 3:1-13:16-28; 4:29-34; 7:1-5; 9:1-9

- Sol. Married Egyptian princess- for _____!
- Sol. early Sp. _____ followed him lifelong. •
- Solomon loved wisdom & power > than ! ullet
- His uncontrolled lusts began _____ his life. •
- Another deal, another wife- w/an _____! •
- And ______ is let into the camp!

As His Lusts Become His Lesser god...

5. He Loses The Kingdom- His Life & Legacy Into What Could Have Been.

1 Kings 11:1-6; 8-13; Eccl.2:9-11

- His wives turned his fm God to lesser gods.
- His ______ appetite > than his God appetite!
- His _____- summed up in book of Eccleastes.

How Do Untamed Passions End Up **Ruling Your Life?**

1. Conversion Does Not Guarantee A Free Life! Matt. 26:41

2. Assume It's OK to ______ W/Sin In Your Life. James 1:13-15

- You can't afford to let sin get a !
- 3. Unaddressed Sexual Sin Means: "That god" Has Your - &You're In A Heap Of Trouble! Prov. 4:23
 - Sol's wandering made other gods OK to .
 - His turning fm God- destroyed his _____& legacy.
 - Christian, you must _____ your heart constantly!

What Do You Do With Sexual Sin?

- 1. Not a Mistake You Can Fix, It's A Sin That Needs **To Be** <u>!</u> 1Jn.1:9; Psa.32:2-6; 51:1-10
- 2. You Need To Check Your Faith In Jesus- Is This A Hold-Over Struggle Or Am I Not A ? 1 Cor.6:18