**The Message to David (12:1-14)**

**The Anguish of David (v. 12:13a)**

**Ps. 51:13-17**

**My Responsibility**

**A. The Analogy of Nathan (vv. 1-4)**

**B. The Anger of David (vv. 5-6)**

**C. The Accusation of Nathan (vv. 7-12)**

**B.’ The Anguish of David (v. 12:13a):** *“And David said unto Nathan, I have sinned against the LORD”*

**(Ps. 51)**

**A. My Request (1-2)** “have mercy”

**1. The Attributes of the Saviour**

**2. The Actions of the Sinner**

**B. My Responsibility (vv. 3-6) I will acknowledge**

**C. My Restoration (7-12): cleansing, rejoicing, blotting, renewing, empowering, restoring**

**B.’ My Responsibility (13-17)** I will teach, sing, praise, & exhibit true humility (vv. 13-17)

**A.’ My request (v. 18-19)** have mercy on Zion (vv. 18-19)

**A.’ The Announcement of Nathan (vv. 12:13b-14)**

**“My Responsibility” (Ps. 51:13-17)**

**PREMISE: David recognized that he had responsibility to speak from heart of the Lord’s goodness and mercy.**

**I. My Responsibility with my Mouth (vv. 13-15) >** Mt. 12:34; 15:8, 18; Rom. 10:8-10

**A. Teach Sinners (v. 13)** > teach from school of experience (what’s your experience?)

1. Reaction: *“thy ways”* (Ps. 1:1; 119:1-3)

2. Result: *“Sinners shall be converted*” > (*shuv*) > Lk. 22:32

**B. Talk about Saviour (vv. 14-15**): deliverer, saviour, righteousness

(bloodguiltiness [1x]) > Uriah’s murder > Gen. 9:5

1. Tongue: sings > *“God of my salvation”* (no loss of salvation for adultery or murder [Eph. 4:30]).

2. Lips/Mouth: praise > Ps. 7:17; 119:7.

**II. My Responsibility with my Heart (vv. 16-17)**

**A. Sacrifices with Broken Spirit (vv. 16-17a):**

1. Ps. 40:6-8

2. Heb. 10:3 ff.

3. Heb. 13:15 > Jer. 33:11; Hos. 14:2; I Pet. 2:5

**B. Sacrifices with Contrite Heart (v. 17b):**

1. Ps. 34:18 > *“contrite”* = *dacca’* > broken, crushed like dust!

2. Ps. 51:17

3. Isa. 57:15

4. Isa. 66:2 > *nacheh* = stricken

**CONCLUSION: Let the redeemed of the Lord say so! (Ps. 107:2)**