

SERMON OUTLINE

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Bouncing Back When You Have Tumbled from the Top

A bad case of boredom

In the spring of the year, when kings normally go out to war, David sent Joab and the Israelite army to fight the Ammonites. They destroyed the Ammonite army and laid siege to the city of Rabbah. However, David stayed behind in Jerusalem. — 2 Samuel 11:1, NLT

Racing toward temptation

Late one afternoon, after his midday rest, David got out of bed and was walking on the roof of the palace. As he looked out over the city, he noticed a woman of unusual beauty taking a bath. — 2 Samuel 11:2, NLT

Cover up the mess

Station Uriah on the front lines where the battle is fiercest. Then pull back so that he will be killed. — 2 Samuel 11:15, NLT

You are never too low for the grace of God to reach you

Have mercy on me, O God, because of your unfailing love. Because of your great compassion, blot out the stain of my sins. Wash me clean from my guilt. Purify me from my sin. — Psalm 51:1-2, NLT

Memory verse: Do not gloat over me, my enemy! Though I have fallen, I will rise. Though I sit in darkness, the LORD will be my light. — Micah 7:8, NIV