The Shocking Death of Uzzah 2 Samuel 6:1-15

Connecting

What is one thing that has happened in your life or is happening right now that has caused you to wonder why God caused or allowed it to happen?

Observation

Read 2 Samuel 6:1-15. What stands out to you in these verses?

Who was Uzzah and what was he doing in this passage? What was so shocking about his death?

How did David react to Uzzah's death?

David's actions regarding the transporting of the ark were very different the first time (verses 3-6) vs. the second time (verses 12-15). What was different and why was this important?

What do we learn about God's character from this passage?

Living

When Uzzah reached out to steady the ark when the oxen stumbled, he likely thought what he was doing was right. Have there been times in your life when you thought what you were doing was ok, but were convicted later that you were living in sin?

David was angry at God following Uzzah's death. How do you think you would have responded if you were David? Share an example of a time either you or someone close to you was angry at God for something.

Why do you think God struck Uzzah dead?

God's favor was upon Obed-edom when the ark was in his home. How have you seen God's favor upon your life?

This passage highlights the holiness of God. How can you have a greater awe and reverence for the holiness of God?

How does this passage highlight or point to the mercy of God?

Prayer Together

Pray that God would use Pray.Cook.Love-out! to transform lives of those in the FDL area for His glory.

Pray that God would help us to have a greater understanding of His holiness and our sin. Thank Jesus for His payment on our behalf when he died on the cross.

Take prayer requests and pray for one another.

