

The Sweet Psalmist and His Mighty Men

2 Samuel 23

David's life in four statements

- The son of Jesse
- The man who was raised on high
- The anointed of the God of Jacob
- The sweet Psalmist of Israel

The prophecy of David (2-3)

A ruler over mankind - righteous one!

A ruler - in the fear of God!

The reign of the righteous ruler

- Dawns like the morning light; the sun shining forth on a cloudless morning; like rain making the grass sprout (4)
- Is secured by eternal covenant (5)
- Not all will benefit from its life-giving blessing (6-7)

David's Mighty Men (8-39)

- Legendary valor (8-12)
- Legendary devotion (13-17)
- Legendary valor II (18-23)
- Legendary failure (24-39)