

## The 5 Marks of a Growing Disciple

“Experiencing Christ-Like Relationships – David & Nathan”

2 Samuel 11 – 12:14



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### Because you and I are prone to be like David...

Complacent – 11:1

Lustful – vv. 2-5

Lacking Accountability – v. 3

Covering up – v. 6

Insincere – v. 7

Blinded – vv. 14-15

Self-Deceived – vv. 26-27

*The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure.*

*Who can understand it? – Jeremiah 17:9*

### ...we each need a Nathan

Godly – 12:1

Loves – v. 1

Wise – vv. 1-6

Gracious – vv. 1-6

Truth-telling – vv. 7-14

*Wounds from a friend can be trusted,  
but an enemy multiplies kisses. – Proverbs 27:6*

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**Action:** Be, and find, a friend that sticks closer than a brother!

*One who has unreliable friends soon comes to ruin, but there  
is a friend who sticks closer than a brother. – Proverbs 18:24*

### E-Check: Experiencing Christ-Like Relationships

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