

Harsh Words

2 Samuel 19:41-43

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1.) An Historical Illustration of Proverbs 15:1

Proverbs 15:1

2.) Instruction From the Parallel Scriptures in Judges

A.) A Soft Answer- Judges 8:1-3

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B.) A Harsh Word- Judges 12:1-6

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3.) Instruction From Parallel Scriptures in David's Life

A.) A Soft Answer- 1 Samuel 30:23-24

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B.) A Deafening Silence Leading to Harsh Words- 2 Samuel 19:41-43.

2 Samuel 19:11-14

4.) David's Attempt at Self-Preservation

2 Samuel 20:1

Application:

A.) The Human Tongue is a Fire.

2 Samuel 19:9; 20:1

B.) Jesus Proclaims a Soft Answer.

C.) Our Words Matter.

Ephesians 4:29, 31-32