LINE UP

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THE ASTERISK (DAVID, BATHSHEBA, AND URIAH)

SPEAKER: PASTOR WILLIE SIMPSON

ICEBREAKER

DO YOU PREFER WINTER OR SUMMER? WHY?

THE ROOFTOP

- Pastor Willie said, “Long before there is a visible collapse, there is an invisible compromise.” When you think back to a time where you made compromises that led to sin, where was your relationship with God?
- David wasn’t on the rooftop because he was pursuing God. He was there because he stopped pursuing what God called him to do. In your life, what does pursuing God look like?

THE PROPHET

- In 2 Samuel 12:1 God sent Nathan to confront David’s actions. Do you have someone who can confront you about your actions, choices, relationships, etc? If not, why?

THE SCAR

- In the Kingdom of God, scars are not signs of defeat, they’re evidence of redemption. How have your scars strengthened your relationship with God?

THE REDEMPTION

- Is anything holding you back from coming C.L.E.A.N. (Confess your sin, Lay down your excuses, Embrace God’s mercy, Ask for a new heart, Navigate to a new direction)?
- How has God shown you grace through redemption?

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ACT ON IT

ENCOURAGE

You may think your asterisk has disqualified you forever, but God sees your scar as a testimony. Even though David sinned deeply, he was restored and forgiven by God, through genuine repentance. God's grace is greater than your mistakes and his mercy is new every morning. (1 John 1:9)

ASK

Have you allowed small compromises to weaken your walk with Christ?
Who's holding you accountable?

CHALLENGE

Set aside at least 15 minutes each day to sit before God in honest prayer and self-examination. Ask Him to search your heart and reveal not only the obvious sins, but also the subtle compromises that may be weakening your walk with Him.

PRAYER

Use these prompts to help guide your prayer:

- Focus on God's direction for our lives
- Open your heart to correction
- Confess sin and lay down our excuses