From Moses to King Saul Chapter 8

5 important facts as we trace the mediatorial concept during this period

1) Chosen by God
2) Judges judged
3) Endowed by the Spirit
4) Office not permanent
5) Survival of the un-fittest
Conclusion:
4 lessons for us:
#1 God alone is Faithful.
#2: Man always fails.
#3: God's Word and God's Son are sufficient for God's People.
#4: America is on the clock.
The Monarchial Form of the Mediatorial Kingdom Chapter 9
I Sam. 8:7 is often misunderstood
Proof: Gen. 17:6 "kings will come forth from you" Deut. 17:15 "whom the Lord your God chooses" Deut. 17:14-20 (King's Code of Conduct):
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What about Saul?
They wanted a king – ok. "like all the nations of the earth" – not ok. Political Lesson –
Moral Lesson –
Consider what happened to the kingdom of God on earth during this time:
So what went wrong? In a word,
Chapter 10 – the Decline
1's personal failure
Instead he settled down into a continuous violation of Rules 1-3 Result?
All b/c Israel wanted a king – "like the nations"
Never has a king failed like Except maybe King
6 Lessons for us from's personal failure: