

## The King is Born Don Williams- The King God Chooses

### **3 Differences between a President and a King:**

- Kings are born into the position not elected to the position.
- Kings are for a lifetime not just for a set term.
- Kings have ultimate not limited authority

#### Deuteronomy 17:14-20

*"When you enter the land the Lord your God is giving you and have taken possession of it and settled in it, and you say, "Let us set a king over us like all the nations around us,"<sup>15</sup> be sure to appoint over you a king the Lord your God chooses. He must be from among your fellow Israelites. Do not place a foreigner over you, one who is not an Israelite.<sup>16</sup> The king, moreover, must not acquire great numbers of horses for himself or make the people return to Egypt to get more of them, for the Lord has told you, "You are not to go back that way again."<sup>17</sup> He must not take many wives, or his heart will be led astray. He must not accumulate large amounts of silver and gold.*

<sup>18</sup> *When he takes the throne of his kingdom, he is to write for himself on a scroll a copy of this law, taken from that of the Levitical priests.<sup>19</sup> It is to be with*

*him, and he is to read it all the days of his life so that he may learn to revere the Lord his God and follow carefully all the words of this law and these decrees<sup>20</sup> and not consider himself better than his fellow Israelites and turn from the law to the right or to the left. Then he and his descendants will reign a long time over his kingdom in Israel."*

### **Qualities of God's King** **The King is Chosen by God not by man**

#### 1 Peter 1:19-21

*"but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.<sup>20</sup> He (Jesus) was chosen before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake.<sup>21</sup> Through him you believe in God, who raised him from the dead and glorified him, and so your faith and hope are in God."*

### **The King is different not common** Deuteronomy 17:16

### **The King is Dependent not Independent** Deuteronomy 17:17

### **Never compromise God's kingdom by trying to strengthen your own**

#### John 5:19

*"Jesus gave them this answer: "I tell you the truth, **the Son can do nothing by himself**; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does."*

### **The King is led by God's Word not other's opinions**

#### Deuteronomy 17:18-20

*When the Bible is central to our everyday lives... then the King will be the center of our lives.*

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