



THE HUMBLING OF THE PROUD AND THE PRIDE OF THE HUMBLE

FAITH BUILDERS

1 KINGS 10 & 2 CHRONICLES 9:1-28

KING SOLOMON & HIS WRITINGS

NOVEMBER 28, 2021



I. The Humbling of the Proud (1-13)

II. The Pride of the Humble (14-29)



III. The Lessons for Us

I. THE HUMBLING OF THE PROUD (1-13)

- A. The Queen's Goal (1-2)
- B. The King's Performance (3-5)
- C. The Queen's Testimony (6-9)
- D. The Grand Exchange (10-13)

II. THE PRIDE OF THE HUMBLE (14-29)

A. The Riches (14-15)

- 1 Talent = 75 Pounds
- 666 Talents = 50,000 Pounds (Approx)
- 1 Pound = 453.6 Grams
- 1 Gram of Gold = \$59.45
- 666 Talents = \$1.346 Bn ($\$59.45 \times 50,000 \times 453.6$)

II. THE PRIDE OF THE HUMBLE (14-29)

- A. The Riches (14-15)
- B. The Armor (16-17)
- C. The Throne (18-20)
- D. The Vessels (21)
- E. The Trade (22)
- F. The Fame (23-25)
- G. The Chariots and Horses (26-29)

Deuteronomy 17:16–17 (NASB95)

¹⁶“Moreover, he shall not multiply horses for himself, nor shall he cause the people to return to Egypt to multiply horses, since the LORD has said to you, ‘You shall never again return that way.’

¹⁷“He shall not multiply wives for himself, or else his heart will turn away; nor shall he greatly increase silver and gold for himself.

III. THE LESSONS FOR US

- A. For Unbelievers – The Queen from the South will one day point Her finger at you
- B. What Christ has to offer far exceeds what the mind can comprehend
- C. Our passion to pursue Christlikeness must far exceed the Queen's passion for Wisdom
- D. Use your giftings / resources to point people to Christ
- E. Remember, Influence comes from God



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