

ROYAL MISTAKES

Lessons from the Bible's worst leaders

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Mistake #3 Fighting the Wrong Enemy

1 Kings 16:8-20

1. The supposed enemies

- Not the “system” that constrains
- Not the clueless who are expendable
- Not the rivals who threaten
- Not the powerful who control

2. The real enemy

- The inner self who seeks opportunity
- The inner self who seeks power
- The inner self who seeks approval
- The inner self who seeks self-determination

3. Defeating the real enemy

- Bring yourself joyfully under authority
- Bring yourself joyfully into obedience
- Bring yourself joyfully into a relationship with God