

# **JEHOSHAPHAT**

## **-goodness spoilt by folly**

*2 Chronicles 17-19*

*Learning from our mistakes*

*1 Cor 10.6,11*

### 1. He Began So Well, ch 17

- *personal commitment to the Lord*  
*his heart was devoted v6,2; 16.9*  
*1 Sam 16.7;13.14*  
*he strengthened himself*  
*against evil v1*
- *spiritual provision for his people*  
*teams of Bible teachers vs7-9*  
*Dt 8.3; John 6.63*
- *rewarded with God's presence v3*  
*prosperity v5; peace v10;*  
*power v12; protection vs 12-13*

## 2. His Big Mistake, ch 18

- **an unsuitable marriage v1; 21.6,20**  
**1 Ki 16.30-33; 2 Cor 6.14-15**
  - **those we marry must belong to the Lord 1 Ki 11.1-6; 1 Cor 7.39**
- **an unholy alliance vs2-3**
  - **an inability to say 'No!'**
  - **we're called to be different v3**  
**Mat 5.13; 10.36-38**
- **an unwise adventure vs4-30**
  - **heed God's warnings**
- **an undeserved deliverance vs31-32**
  - **God is merciful**

## 3. His Bold Recovery, ch 19

- **a deserved rebuke v1**
- **true repentance v3**
- **a personal mission to his people v4**
- **a call to fear God vs 6-11**

**Learn from your mistakes!**