

Blood for Blood

5 January 2014

2 Samuel 21:1-14

I. The “bloody house of Saul”

- A. The Gibeonites (Joshua 9-10)
- B. Saul, Israel, and famine
- C. The sins of the fathers visited on the children (Exodus 20:4-6)
- D. Blood demands blood (Genesis 3:21; 4:10-11; 9:6)

II. Blessed are those who mourn

- A. The victims
- B. Honoring the accursed (Deuteronomy 21:22-23)
- C. Payment for sins
- D. Blessed are those who mourn (Matthew 5:4)
- E. The promise of justice