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THEME: The rise and expansion of David's kingdom

Key Verse: 2 Sam 5:10 And David went on, and grew great, and the Lord God of hosts was with him.

2 Sam 23:3 The God of Israel said, the Rock of Israel spake unto me, He that ruleth over men must be just, ruling in the fear of God.