

**FAMOUS LESSONS FROM FORGOTTEN LIVES**  
**Six Lives from the Bible and What They Teach Us About**  
**God Establishing His Supremacy in Our Lives**

THE OVERLOOKED IMPACT OF FORGOTTEN LIVES  
Four Traits that Characterize Significant Lives  
(July 5th)

ABIGAIL  
The Woman Who Saved the Day  
(July 12th)

MEPHIBOSHETH  
The Pauper Who Became a Prince  
(July 19th)

HUR  
The Prayer Partner Who Won the Battle  
(July 26th)

JOSEPH  
The One Who Conquered Amid His Questions  
(August 2nd)

THE WOMAN WHO WASHED JESUS' FEET  
The One Who Learned to Really Love  
(August 9th)

THE PARALYZED MAN  
The One Who Turned Weakness into Strength  
(August 16th)

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**ABIGAIL:**  
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July 12, 2009  
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**INTRODUCTION**

**I. A STORY OF THE WILD WEST IN THE MIDDLE EAST**

In Your Bible:  
1 Samuel 25  
(Page 287 in the Pew Bible)

A. NABAL (v.1-3)....

B. DAVID (v.4-9)....

C. NABAL AND DAVID (v.10-13)...

## II. ALONG COMES ABIGAIL...

In Your Bible:  
1 Samuel 25  
(Page 287 in the Pew Bible)

A. Her Attitude and Actions (v.14-31)....

B. How Her Attitude and Actions Saved the Day  
(v. 32-42)....

## III. THREE MEMORABLE LESSONS FROM THE FORGOTTEN LIFE OF ABIGAIL

A. The Unfailing Strength of \_\_\_\_\_

Proverbs 15:1

A **gentle** answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.

B. The Contagious Influence of \_\_\_\_\_

Romans 2:4

Or do you show contempt for the riches of his kindness, tolerance and patience, not realizing that **God's kindness leads you toward repentance?**

C. The Transforming Power of \_\_\_\_\_

1 Timothy 2:5 (NLT)

For there is **only one God and one Mediator who can reconcile God and people.** He is the man Christ Jesus.

1 John 4:11-12 (The Message)

My dear, dear friends, if God loved us like this, we certainly ought to love each other.

## CONCLUSION

Romans 12:21 (The Message)

Don't let evil get the best of you; get the best of evil by doing good.