WELCOME

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Discovery is a non-denominational Christian Church that seeks to lead people to discover and experience life, love and hope in Jesus Christ. These values drive our Sunday morning worship, community gatherings throughout the week, and ministries we serve in.

SUMMER MESSAGE SERIES

This week's message: **When God Says "NO"** II Samuel 7
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When we have a good idea for God, we expect Him to approve it. David experienced this too when God rejected David's excellent plan to build a house for Him. Why did this happen?

The background for this and the results are very interesting and can provide some good application for us.

I. God's reply to David's request may come through three sources of counsel.
   The counsel of a **GODLY** person

   The counsel of his own **SPIRIT**

      Being **FORGIVEN** and free from sin

      Seeking **HIS** real answers

      Being willing to accept His **DESIRES**

   The counsel of **SILENCE/TIME**

II. The reasons for God's reply to David may be because of some of these things.
   It may be the wrong **PROJECT**. I Kings 8:19

   It may be the wrong **PERSON**. I Chronicles 22:7-10

   It may be the wrong **TIMING**.

III. David's responses came in several positive ways.
   It was **ACCEPTANCE** even without understanding. II Sam. 7:18-29

   It was in a spirit of **GRATITUDE**. II Sam. 7:5-16

   It included his personal **SUPPORT/RESOURCES**. I Chron. 29:1-5

   It involved his **CHALLENGE** to others. I Chron. 29:5

MORE NOTES: _____

NEXT SUNDAY…

Sunday August 1st – Church in the Park
Next Sunday we will be meeting in the park for some breakfast and a devotional time. Please bring chairs and blankets to sit on, as seating can be tight, and your favorite breakfast dish to share in a potluck – we'll see you there!

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