

Days 162-168 - Readings: Whole Bible

Day	OT	Wisdom/NT	Family Focus
162	1Kings 12-13	Mat 16	1Kings 12
163	1Kings 14-15	Mat 17	Matthew 17
164	1Kings 16-17	Mat 18	1Kings 17
165	1Kings 18-19	Mat 19	1Kings 18
166	1Kings 20-21	Mat 20	Matthew 20
167	1Kings 22	Mat 21	Matthew 21
168	day off		

Tips:

- The Bible calls the two southern tribes, Judah, and the ten northern tribes, Israel. Only two of Judah’s 20 kings were good. None of Israel’s 19 kings were good. God raised up prophets like Elijah and Elisha to turn His people back from their wickedness.
- In Matthew 16:18, Jesus uses the word “church” for the first time. The word means “assembly” or “called out.” It can refer to the global body or to a local assembly.

Look for this:

162. Whose counsel King Rehoboam heeded (1Kings 12); Why Jesus called Peter both “Blessed” and “Satan” (Mat 16)
163. What King Asa did to clean up Israel spiritually (1Kings 15); How long the apostles had to wait to tell their story (Mat 17)
164. What two miracles Elijah performed for the widow (1Kings 17); What steps Jesus gave us to resolve conflict (Mat 18)
165. How Elijah proved which god was the true God (1Kings 18); Who finds it difficult to enter God’s kingdom (Mat 19)

166. Why God allowed King Ahab to defeat the Syrians (1 Kings 20);
How natural and Christ-like leadership styles differ (Mat 20)

167. What the false prophet Zedekiah used as a visual aid (1 Kings 22);
What Israel's rejection of Jesus meant to Gentiles (Mat 21)