

I HAVE PLAYED THE FOOL: 1ST. SAM. 26:21

Intro: Characteristics of a fool.

In the Bible a fool is a person who is

1. Always right – Prov. 12:15
2. Almost reprobate – prov. 1:22 , Rom. 1:21-22
3. Altogether ruined – Prov. 19:3

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Saul played the fool when he turned against

1. His father 1st. Sam. 13:13-14 (Saul had a problem with)
 1. Accepting the Word of God – 1st. Sam. 13:13
 2. Accomplishing the will of God – 1st. Sam. 15:13, 22-23
2. His family 1st. Sam. 20:25-34
 1. Saul's resentment towards Jonathan was unjustified – Verses 30-31
 2. Saul's rage towards Jonathan was unprovoked – Verses 32-34
3. His friends – 1st. Sam. 18:29 (Notice)
 1. The good David had done – 1st. Sam. 16:14-23
 2. The grace that David displayed – 1st. Sam. 24:17, 26: