

Ministry of Disappointment 1 Chron. 17:1-5
Everyone writes two books 2 Chron 6:1-9

Strange ministers. Disappointment - when O says no to
a plan or vision or dream -

David + Temple = "it was in my heart" an earnest longing &
a fixed purpose. David had built it every night in his
dreams - the climax of his life

David's heart was collected for building

I. A Great Vision, Idea, Plan is not
necessarily a Godly Plan.

Can find nothing wrong w/ David's idea

- 1- It was needed = O dwell in a tent
- 2- It covered Israel + Judah, the kingdom + unite
- 3- the next was to honor O
- 4- Idea came from O - 1 Chron. 28:12, 19
- 5- Prophet Nathan confirmed it.

But O says "No." - How many of our prayers like this?

1- O Himself sets our tasks, chooses what we shall
do.

2- David's failure doesn't mean O's failure - the temple
will be built.

3- later O explained why - your hands are bloody -
I use you for battling, not building.

3 Temples destroyed 587 BC - Neb

(2) Zerubbabel 520 - 168 BC

(3) Herod 19 AD - 70 AD - today muslim mosque

II. O judges us not by the achievement of
our hands but by the ambition of our heart.

1- To want to do it is the same as doing it =
both w/ sin & righteousness

2- O is the only master who pays his servants for
intentions as well as actions
He sees the intent as the action