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II Chronicles’ Delineation of Solomon

Chronicles “omits a great deal . . . about him (Solomon) . . . consistently to his advantage.”

--Harsh squelching of opposition from Saul’s family I Kings 2

--Coercing of Israelites for Temple construction I Kings 5:13

--Spending 13 years building his own house, & only 7 years on the Temple I Kings 6:38, 7:1

--Vulnerability to enchantments of women, especially foreign women I Kings 11:1ff.
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Importance of the Temple in the OT

1. Center of worship that called people to correct belief through the generations

2. Symbol of God’s presence with His people

3. Symbol of forgiveness and grace, reminding the people of the seriousness of sin and the availability of mercy

4. Prepared the people for the true Lamb of God, the Lord Jesus Christ, Who would take away sin

5. A place of prayer