

**SESSION #16 - THE FOUR FACES OF MANHOOD
PART ONE: KING /WARRIOR**

I. INTRODUCTION

1. In the next two sessions we're going to give you a perspective of masculinity that complements and **expands** our manhood definition.
2. Unfortunately, society has often depicted masculinity as _____.
3. We need biblically based, broad masculinity that is _____ - the kind of masculinity that can move into multiple settings and express itself appropriately and powerfully when needed.
4. Over the next two sessions, we are going to introduce you to the Four Faces of Manhood. In this session, we'll examine the **King** Face and the **Warrior** Face.

II. THE KING FACE | LEADING WITH INTEGRITY

1. The King face reflects _____ energy.
 - Characterized by:
 - Strong conviction
 - Courageous moral choices
 - Servant's spirit
 - Righteous leadership
 - Its essence is:
 - Providing for others
 - Loving what is right
2. The King face is primarily associated with **integrity**.
3. Good examples of the King Face, both from the Old Testament:
 - Nathan
 - King _____
4. The King Face is also associated with _____.
5. Caricatures of the King Face
 - If a man's King Face is pushed too far, he can become a bully, tyrant, or dictator – The **Tyrant**.
 - If a man does not have enough of the King Face, he can struggle with compromise – The _____.
6. The King Face – leading with integrity

III. THE WARRIOR FACE | FIGHTING FOR WHAT MATTERS MOST

1. The Warrior Face reflects _____ energy.
 - Characterized by:
 - Initiative
 - Protection
 - Provision
 - Perseverance
2. The Warrior Face is primarily associated with **initiative**.
3. The Warrior Face fights for what _____ most.
4. It is also associated with **purpose**.
5. 1 Corinthians 9:24-27 – Run the race to win. Fight for the _____ things and eternal things.
6. 1 Tim. 11:12 – Fight the good fight of the **Faith**.
7. Caricatures of the Warrior Face
 - If a man's Warrior Face is pushed too far, he can become abusive and harsh to those around him – The **Destroyer**.
 - If a man does not have enough of the Warrior Face, he can struggle with passivity. He easily gives up and is quick to tap out or surrender – The _____.
8. The Warrior Face – Fighting for What matters most.

IV. CONCLUSION

1. The _____ Face and the _____ Face are the first two faces of manhood. Authentic Manhood must have both. It has to have righteous energy and courageous energy. We must “lead with integrity” and be willing to “fight for what matters most.”
2. The next session we will examine the next two faces of manhood: The Face of the **Lover** and the Face of the **friend**.

DISCUSSION / REFLECTION QUESTIONS

1. What are some typical, one-dimensional caricatures of masculinity? How can this affect our view of manhood?
2. Do you identify more with the King Face or the Warrior Face? Why?
3. Has your integrity ever been tested? Under stress, are you more likely to be a tyrant or a compromiser?
4. Is it easy for you to take the initiative? Are you taking initiative in the right areas? Under stress, are you more likely to be a destroyer or a wimp?

ANSWERS:

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3. We need biblically based, broad masculinity that is **multidimensional** - the kind of masculinity that can move into multiple settings and express itself appropriately and powerfully when needed.

II. THE KING FACE | LEADING WITH INTEGRITY

1. The King face reflects **righteous** energy.
2. The King face is primarily associated with **integrity**.
3. Good examples of the King Face, both from the Old Testament:
 - Nathan
 - King **David**
4. The King Face is also associated with **leadership**.
5. Caricatures of the King Face
 - If a man does not have enough of the King Face, he can struggle with compromise – The **Tyrant**.
 - If a man does not have enough of the King Face, he can struggle with compromise – The **Compromiser**.

III. WARRIOR FACE | FIGHTING FOR WHAT MATTERS MOST

1. The Warrior Face reflects **courageous** energy.
2. The Warrior Face is primarily associated with **initiative**.
3. The Warrior Face fights for what **matters** most.
4. It is also associated with **purpose**.
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 - If a man's Warrior Face is pushed too far, he can become abusive and harsh to those around him – The **Destroyer**.
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