High School Discussion Guide All the Signs Were There: For the week of October 30 - November 5, 2022

Main Thought:

Although he was a mighty "hero of faith," David was still human and prone to sin. All the God-given success and blessings led him to lower his guard and fall into sin, bringing consequences on himself, his family, and his nation. There were signs preceding his moment of failure. He sent away all his accountability and was not doing what he was supposed to—leading to his fall. Like David, we are prone to sin and need to walk in the will of God and have others keep us accountable if we want to avoid giving in to sin.

Main Scripture:

"This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. ⁶If we claim to have fellowship with him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live out the truth. ⁷But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin." (1 John 1:5-7 NIV)

"Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves. A cord of three strands is not quickly broken." (Ecclesiastes 4:12 NIV)

"The Lord makes firm the steps of the one who delights in him; though he may stumble, he will not fall, for the Lord upholds him with his hand." (Psalm 37:23-24 NIV)

Discussion:

- Keeping in mind what you discussed, which scripture above is the most encouraging to you and why?
- What is one thing you learned about God and about yourself?