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1. Everyone Has an Opinion

1 Kings 12:1-7

1. Why is it advantageous to seek the counsel of older (more mature) brothers and sisters in Christ when making decisions?

2. Testify to a time you sought the advice of more seasoned Christians. What was the decision, what was their advice, what was the outcome and would you say it was wise? .

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II. Be Careful to Whom You Listen

1 Kings 12:8-11

1.	To whom	do you go	when you	่ม need	to m	nake a	decision?	Why do
	you go to	this perso	n?					

2. Why is it dangerous for a leader to surround himself/herself with sycophants?

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III. Heeding Unwise Advice Has Consequences

1 Kings 12:12-19

1. Why do we sometimes make poor decisions?

2. Can you recall some other historical examples where a decision had a lasting impact (for good or ill)? What are they?

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DEFINITIONS					
1.	Prophet				
2.	Burden				
3.	Servant				
4.	Allegiance				
5.	Sycophants				
6.	Decision				
7.	Advice				
8.	Effect				