LIFE OF DAVID—HANDOUT 19

2 Samuel 15:1-12

Character interface:

Structural patterns:

2 Samuel 15:13-37

Narrative envelope:

Narrative drama:

v. 30
A. David went up
   B. wept
      C. bareheaded or head covered
         D. barefotted
      C'. bareheaded or head covered
   B'. wept
A'. The people went up

Redemptive-historical/protological-eschatological paradigm:
2 Samuel 16

Character interface:

Structural patterns:

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v. 7

v. 8

Broader Structure:

Psalm 3

Patterns of reversal/antithesis as key to poetic structure
Absalom gathers all Israel, on counsel of Hushai the Archite.

Absalom crowned by elders of Judah and Israel.

David flees from Absalom.

Absalom's army.

Death of Absalom.

David's army.

Abimelech son of Zadok runs by way of the valley.

David awaits news of battle.

Zarethan.