“David Makes Solomon King”

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Introduction:
A. We might retire from our ____________, but we never retire from being a ____________.

I. The Story
A. King David is ready to __________, but before he does, there are a couple of more things to _______________.
B. Like many elderly people, David, in the twilight of his years, has a diminished ____________ condition.
C. They found a young lady to serve him, and her name was ____________.
D. Meanwhile, ____________ took advantage of the situation and proclaimed himself to be the ____________.
E. Much like Absalom, it appears that Adonijah was a ________ young man.
F. It appears that Adonijah has some sense that what he was doing was ____________.
G. When they heard the news, ____________ the prophet and ____________ the queen moved quickly.
H. To his credit, David was, to the end of his life, a man of ____________.
I. David’s faithful ________ did exactly as he had ____________.
J. David made Solomon the king in compliance with ________ __________.

II. The Application
A. Leadership sometimes calls for ____________ ________.
B. We must ________ from the Lord the positions and ________ that God has given us.
C. ________ will catch up with all of us.

Are you ready for the ____________?