

Kings Set and Maintain Standards

(This article provides more teaching on our current training to become a genuine king in The Kingdom)

King's set the standard in real life. That's not the case for presidents, prime ministers, premiers, etc., according to how we see things around us these days. Built into royalty from the past is the deliberate function of good kings and queens to set the standard for their successors and for their people. For example:

- The foot measurement standard – “The standard Roman foot (*pes*) was normally about 295.7mm (11.6 inches) (97% of today's measurement), but in the provinces, the so-called *pes Drusianus* (foot of Nero Claudius Drusus) was used, with a length of about 334mm (13.1 inches).”¹ “[A]s early as 950 the English kings seem to have (ineffectually) ordered measures to be based upon an iron yardstick at Winchester and then London.”²
- The cubit measurement standard – “The ancient Egyptian royal cubit (*meh niswt*) is the earliest attested standard measure. Cubit rods were used for the measurement of length.”³

Good kings set standards for their citizens, even though they don't operate as a citizen. It's part of their royal responsibilities of overseeing the people under their care.

In democracies these days, the government picks up that task, setting standards for the protection and smooth running of society through statutory organisations. For example: In Australia it's Standards Australia⁴ who maintain over 6,000 Australian Standard[®] brand standards.

In relation to life, when royalty sets the standards there, they must see to it that they're high/higher standards, ones that lead to the advancement of their kingdom (their domain). A monarch who lowers the standards is indirectly working against the success and prosperity of their domain/nation.

In our role as kings in what we manage,⁵ we need to raise our standards so they align with Heaven's standard. This is to be put into effect in every area of our lives.

IMPORTANT: The King's standard is excellence.⁶ He told me this about it:

*“Keep up the high standard of operation and show my face to the world in what you do and how you do it. **I operate in excellence** – in perfection – and I inhabit that which mirrors me and the way I work. 'Good luck' is not an appropriate way to operate. Preparation, fine-tuning and a deliberate desire for perfection is what is needed for my light to shine to this mediocre world. Yes, mediocre. Compared to me, what is proffered as good or excellent by the world is really very poor. Mediocrity will increase in these days and it will be my saints, my Bride, who will maintain the high standard that will be a light that draws those who are looking for better – just as a lamp attracts moths in the darkness.”⁷*

That's his high standard. We're mostly unable to do things perfectly like him, so we have three options:

1. Do everything to the best of our ability;
2. Ask him to train us to work in excellence: &
3. Do things his way, as they'll be excellent methods.

We'll need lots of advice and retraining to operate in excellence. The chief problem is our lack of a desire

1 – [en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Foot_\(unit\)#Historical_origin](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Foot_(unit)#Historical_origin)

2 – [en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Foot_\(unit\)#Historical_origin](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Foot_(unit)#Historical_origin)

3 – en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cubit#Ancient_Egyptian_royal_cubit

4 – www.standards.org.au

5 – “Operating In Dominion” canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Operating-In-Dominion.pdf

6 – “24b-Operate in Excellence” canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/24b-Operate-in-Excellence.pdf

7 – “24b-Operate in Excellence” canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/24b-Operate-in-Excellence.pdf

to do things excellently, and that needs to change. Unfortunately, for most of us, that means “excellence” has to become a revelation so we can accept it as a reality and work from that understanding.

Tony Robbins, a motivational speaker, has some great advice to help us see that we need to set high standards in life to produce long-term benefits. His is secular advice, but the concept is similar in the Kingdom. Watch these 2 video sessions of his:

* **VIDEO:** “The only thing that changes our lives long-term” (Tony Robbins) [10:04]
[youtube.com/shorts/kqMJfyughQ](https://www.youtube.com/shorts/kqMJfyughQ)

* **AUDIO:** “Change your life in 2021” (Tony Robbins) [23:12]
www.youtube.com/watch?v=O-MeOciMQ4I

Robin Sharma also speaks on the need to raise our standards:

* **VIDEO:** “Raise your game and standards to World Class” (Robin Sharma) [0:59]
www.youtube.com/watch?v=TQYhn267hw0



As king's we are responsible for setting the standards for ourselves and for those we oversee. This setting is by teaching and is demonstrated by example. The standards we set for ourselves and others must be the King's spiritual standards and his standard of excellence. Of course, we can't properly demonstrate his standards to the world if we don't set them for ourselves and follow them all the time.

REMEMBER: Sin is about standards. It's actually falling short of or missing the mark of 'God's'⁸ standard.⁹

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(Readers will need to look up for themselves any scriptures alluded to in this document)

8 – ‘God’: I use this term in inverted commas because ‘God’ is the generic term people use, while I don’t any more. I have an intimate relationship with the members of the Trinity, so I refer to them by name out of relationship.

9 – “What Really is Sin?” canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/What-Really-is-Sin.pdf

10 – Jose Henriquez canberraforerunners.org/?page_id=4445