

# IT'S ONLY A TEST

## I Samuel 24

*Then Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the midst of his brothers; and the Spirit of the LORD came mightily upon David from that day forward.. 1 Samuel 16:13*

### **David's Circumstances:**

#### **David Comes from a Questionable \_\_\_\_\_**

*It came about the next day, the second day of the new moon, that David's place was empty; so Saul said to Jonathan his son, "Why has the son of Jesse not come to the meal, either yesterday or today?" 1 Samuel 20:27*

#### **David is currently \_\_\_\_\_**

*Saul tried to pin David to the wall with the spear, but he slipped away out of Saul's presence, so that he stuck the spear into the wall. And David fled and escaped that night. 1 Samuel 19:10*

*Now David became aware that Saul had come out to seek his 1 Sam. 23:15*

#### **David has \_\_\_\_\_**

*So David and his men, about six hundred 1 Samuel 23:13*

#### **Rejected by those he \_\_\_\_\_**

*Then David said, "Will the men of Keilah deliver me and my men into the hand of Saul?" And the LORD said, "They will deliver you." 1 Samuel 23:12*

#### **Betrayed by \_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 23:19-21)**

*"Beware of the false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly are ravenous wolves. Matthew 7:15*

### **Psalm 54**

#### **David's Wife \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ man**

*Now Michal, Saul's daughter, loved David. 1 Samuel 18:20*

*Now Saul had given Michal his daughter, David's wife, to Palti the son of Laish, who was from Gallim. 1 Samuel 25:44*

*Palti- escape (strongs)*

#### **In all of this God never tells David \_\_\_\_\_**

**(vs.1-2) Psalm 57**

**(v.3)**

*Saul went into a cave to go to the bathroom 1 Samuel 24:3 (TLB)*

*and Saul goeth in to cover his feet; and David and his men in the sides of the cave are abiding. 1 Samuel 24:3 (YLT)*

**When it seems like a God thing but I'm just not sure:**

**1. Is there a \_\_\_\_\_**

*"You shall not murder. Exodus 20:13*

**2. Is there a \_\_\_\_\_ that prohibits the behavior**

*Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, this he will also reap. Galatians 6:7*

*"Treat others the same way you want them to treat you. Luke 6:31 (NASB)*

*He who is slow to anger is better than the mighty, And he who rules his spirit, than he who captures a city. Proverbs 16:32*

**3. Is my \_\_\_\_\_ (vs.4B-5)**

*keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander. <sup>17</sup>It is better, if it is God's will, to suffer for doing good than for doing evil. 1 Pet 3:16-17*

*Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body; and be thankful. Colossians 3:15 (NASB)*

*Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying, "This is the way; walk in it." Isaiah 30:21 (NIV)*

**4. What \_\_\_\_\_ am I giving**

*But take care that this liberty of yours does not somehow become a stumbling block to the weak. 1 Corinthians 8:9*

**(vs.6-7)**

*Then Samuel took the flask of oil, poured it on his (**Saul**) head, kissed him and said, "Has not the LORD anointed you a ruler ... 1 Samuel 10:1*