

Study QUESTIONS

Ep. 1129: How Can I Be a Giant Slayer Like David?

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1. Why should we study the life of David? (See Matthew 1:1, Revelation 22:16; 2 Timothy 2:8; Hebrews 11:32)
2. What did Saul do (or not do) that angered the Lord? What did David do (or not do) that endeared him to God? (See 1 Samuel 13:8-23, 1 Samuel 15:1-30, 1 Chronicles 14:10,14, Proverbs 21:2-3)
3. Who or what is a “Goliath” in your life? What mindset must we have when we face our Goliaths? (See 1 Samuel 17:26)
4. What *must* we do when faced with the persistent and intimidating giants in our lives? What will happen if we tolerate these Goliaths? (See 1 Samuel 17:37,51)
5. How did David’s focus on all the times God delivered him from dangerous situations help him in the battle against Goliath? How can we apply that lesson in our own lives? (See 1 Samuel 17:36-37,45)
6. How does the *helmet of the hope of salvation* comfort us? If we accept that salvation is guaranteed and why it is guaranteed, what does that knowledge give us? (See 1 Corinthians 15:21-22, 1 Timothy 2:6, Hebrews 11:1, CQ Episode 1086: Are Jesus’ Ransom and Salvation the Same?)
7. Why is “a true friend like a great tree that shelters us against the blast of lonely winds”? (See 1 Samuel 18:1-5, 1 Samuel 23:15-18, 1 Samuel 20:11-17) What can we, as Christians, learn from Jonathan’s character?
8. How did Jonathan protect David against his father? What moved Saul in Jonathan’s words? (See 1 Samuel 19:1-6)
9. Why are loyal friends, especially Christian friends, so important in our lives? (See John 15:13, 1 Samuel 10:4, 1 Samuel 23:16, 1 Samuel 18:1, 1 Corinthians 15:33)
10. How does the visual of lining up our *shields of faith* as we stand shoulder to shoulder facing the world and its arrows, show us the importance of being loyal co-laborers in the battle for the spreading of God’s truth? (See Ephesians 6:16, Hebrews 10:25, 1 Samuel 30:23-25)