

FCABC LIFE GROUP DQS

1) God told Samuel that man looks at the outward appearance but God looks at the heart.

a) In what ways do we still judge people by outward appearances today?

b) How would we love, forgive, and treat others differently if we viewed them through God's perspective?

2) The sermon references 2 Chronicles 16:9, which describes God actively searching the earth for someone whose heart is fully devoted to Him. **What does it look like in daily life to cultivate that kind of wholehearted loyalty toward God? What tends to pull our hearts away from it?**

3) David's experience fighting lions and bears as a shepherd directly shaped his courage and faith when he faced Goliath. **How have the difficult seasons of your own life served as preparation for challenges you could not have anticipated?**

4) Revelation 1:5-6 describes believers as having been made kings and priests through the blood of Jesus. **How does embracing that identity change the way you think about your purpose, your worth, and your responsibility to others around you?**

TAKE HOME / CHALLENGE QUESTION

1) David was faithful as a shepherd when no one was watching. That faithfulness prepared him for a much greater responsibility. **What does your own faithfulness look like in the unseen, unglamorous areas of your life right now?**