

A Broken Kingdom: "Saul, The Failed King"

I Samuel 13:9-23

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I. Saul:

- Reacted to what he saw.
- Was impatient and did not wait.
- Worried about his circumstances.
- Gave in to his feelings.

II. Saul's excuses reveal his heart and his flaws.

III. Fool (foolish): Hebrew word is nabal

IV. Saul disobeyed the command of the Lord.

V. So how then should we live?

1. Respond in faith. II Peter 3:9-15
2. Wait patiently. Jude 1:17-23
3. Do not worry. Matthew 6:25-34, Philippians 4:4-9
4. Keep your eyes fixed. II Corinthians 7:13-18

LET'S GO DEEPER:

1. What scriptures have you memorized to respond to situations that are stressful or anxiety inducing?
2. How should our participation in the body of Christ impact our day to day lives?
3. Bring to mind a circumstance or situation in your life that required you to wait (sometimes until the last minute). What did God teach you through this experience? What scripture was your anchor?
4. What steps of obedience is God calling you to?