

A Broken Kingdom: “Israel Got Their King”

I Samuel 11:1-15

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I. Separated from leadership (vs 1-3)

“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.” Matthew 5:11

II. Separated from the enemy (vs 4-11)

“I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.” John 16:33

III. United we stand (vs 12-15)

“But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven.” Matthew 5:44

LET’S GO DEEPER:

1. How do the actions of Saul in this chapter compare to the qualities of modern-day leaders?
2. How can the concept of divine intervention be applied to current global crises?
3. How can Saul's courage inspire us in times of personal trials?
4. How does the affirmation of Saul's kingship illustrate the impact of successful leadership?
5. How can we use Saul's story as an example when facing adversity or challenges?