

1 Samuel 21-23

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- This was the harder seasons of David's life, not the mountaintop
- He's been faithful but living like a fugitive
- Saul is hurting David, but God is holding him
- Sometimes after God gives a promise, there's a process
- The wilderness is not proof that you have been rejected
- David went from the mountaintop to the lowest valley, but God is still providing
- God teaches us daily trust
- God delivered you once, He'll do it again!
- Don't forget past victories when pressure is on. He's still the same God
- The Bible does not hide the struggle of God's people. He's not looking for perfect
- Fear can make a strange place look safer than trusting God
- Fear can affect your judgment. Don't let fear become your decision maker
- Do not despise the cave. Sometimes God develops things in us when nobody is watching
- It's not a wasted season if God is shaping you
- God can take the broken and shape them into faithful servants
- He doesn't begin using polished people. He needs surrendered hearts
- God can transform broken people into useful vessels because of His mercy
- Being ruled by fear is an awful place to be. Your spiritual position matters the most.