

## God's Mercy Towards a Wayward People

Text: 1 Samuel 7:1-17

1 Samuel chapter 7 reminds us of God's gracious, merciful dealings with His wayward people.

1. In response to our desperate, belated cries, God's mercy allows for full restoration. (1 Samuel. 7:2-6)
2. Such a restoration brings a renewed sense of humility and an attitude of complete dependence. (1 Samuel 7:7-11)
3. Humble dependence allows for a settled rest and increased sanctification. (1 Samuel. 7:12-17)