### Series

### Faith That Worships

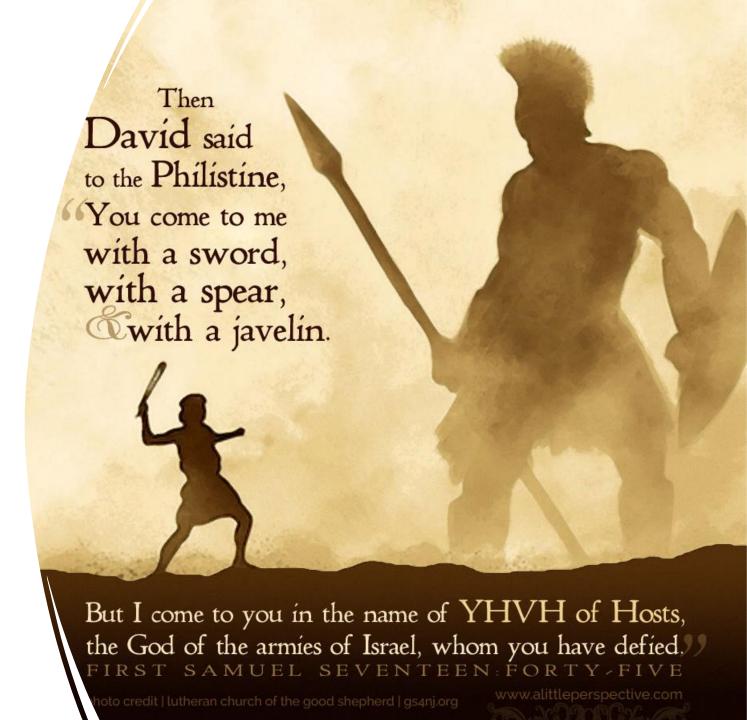


#### A Giant ...

- any situation that tries to make God's character look bad, weak, insufficient, untrustworthy, or doubtful in your eyes and thinking ...
- attempts to make you doubt or distrust God.

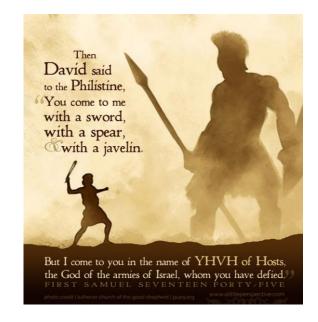


1 Samuel 17



#### 1 Samuel 17:45-46

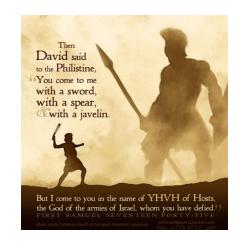
- 45 Then David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with a sword, with a spear, and with a javelin. But I come to you in the name of the LORD of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied.
- 46 This day the LORD will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you and take your head from you. And this day I will give the carcasses of the camp of the Philistines to the birds of the air and the wild beasts of the earth, that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel.



#### 1. Simple Faith v26b

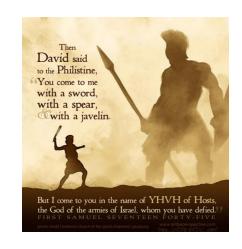
- Then David spoke to the men who stood by him, saying, "What shall be done for the man who kills this Philistine and takes away the reproach from Israel?

  For who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should defy the armies of the living God?"
- 31 Now when the words which David spoke were heard, they reported them to Saul; and he sent for him.
- 32 Then David said to Saul, "Let no man's heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine."



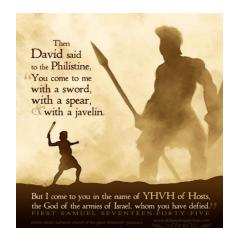
#### 2. Living Faith v34-37

- 34 David said to Saul, "Your servant used to keep his father's sheep, and when a lion or a bear came and took a lamb out of the flock,
- 35 I went out after it and struck it, and delivered the lamb from its mouth; and when it arose against me, I caught it by its beard, and struck and killed it.
- 36 Your servant has killed both lion and bear; and this uncircumcised Philistine will be like one of them, seeing he has defied the armies of the living God."
- 37 Moreover David said, "The LORD, who delivered me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, He will deliver me from the hand of this Philistine." And Saul said to David, "Go, and the LORD be with you!"



#### 3. Crisis Faith v45-47

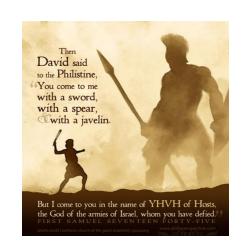
- Then David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with a sword, with a spear, and with a javelin. But I come to you in the <u>name</u> of the LORD of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied.
- This day the LORD will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you and take your head from you. And this day I will give the carcasses of the camp of the Philistines to the birds of the air and the wild beasts of the earth, that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel.
- 47 Then all this assembly shall know that the LORD does not save with sword and spear; for the battle is the LORD's, and He will give you into our hands."



#### Simple, Living, Crisis Faith

#### Principles for having giant slaying faith...

- 1. Your encouragement cannot come from the defeated.
- 2. Remember your past victories.
- 3. Give God your unique ability for faith
- 4. The threats of the enemy are just threats.



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