

## David and Goliath

### 1 Samuel 16-17

Key Scripture: Psalm 28:7

The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in Him, and I am helped.  
My heart leaps for joy and I will give thanks to Him in song.

Main Principle:

God will bring victory to our lives when we put all our trust in Him.

Focus Points:

- Believing and obeying the Word of God will always bring us victory over our enemies.
- The power of God is mightier than the power of this world.
- God will never fail us when we put Him first in our lives.
- God is our strength and protection.

Group Questions:

1. How many days did Goliath taunt the army of Israel and why do you think he did that?

Answer: Goliath taunted the army of Israel for 40 days and nights. He did this to bring fear into the hearts of the soldiers so that they would be easy to kill in battle.

2. How did David respond to the taunts of Goliath?

Answer: David showed great courage and boldness by telling Goliath that he didn't need a sword or spear but that the Lord will hand him over to David and he would cut off Goliath's head.

3. After David killed Goliath and the army of Israel defeated the Philistines in battle, how did King Saul feel about David, when he heard the crowds celebrating by singing, "Saul has killed his thousands and David his ten thousands."

Answer: Saul's heart was filled with jealousy towards David.