

Hebrews 11:1 (NKJV)

¹Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

Hebrews 11:2 (NKJV)

²For by it the elders obtained a good testimony.

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1 Samuel 23:1 (NKJV)

¹Then they told David, saying, “Look, the Philistines are fighting against Keilah, and they are robbing the threshing floors.”

1 Samuel 23:2 (NKJV)

²Therefore David inquired of the LORD, saying, “Shall I go and attack these Philistines?” And the LORD said to David, “Go and attack the Philistines, and save Keilah.”

1 Samuel 23:3 (NKJV)

³But David's men said to him, "Look, we are afraid here in Judah. How much more then if we go to Keilah against the armies of the Philistines?"

I Samuel 23:4 (NKJV)

⁴Then David inquired of the LORD once again. And the LORD answered him and said, “Arise, go down to Keilah. For I will deliver the Philistines into your hand.”

1 Samuel 23:5 (NKJV)

⁵And David and his men went to Keilah and fought with the Philistines, struck them with a mighty blow, and took away their livestock. So David saved the inhabitants of Keilah.

1 Samuel 23:6 (NKJV)

⁶Now it happened, when Abiathar the son of Ahimelech fled to David at Keilah, that he went down with an ephod in his hand.

1 Samuel 23:7 (NKJV)

⁷And Saul was told that David had gone to Keilah. So Saul said, “God has delivered him into my hand, for he has shut himself in by entering a town that has gates and bars.”

1 Samuel 23:8 (NKJV)

⁸Then Saul called all the people together for war, to go down to Keilah to besiege David and his men.

1 Samuel 23:9 (NKJV)

⁹When David knew that Saul plotted evil against him, he said to Abiathar the priest, “Bring the ephod here.”

I Samuel 23:10 (NKJV)

¹⁰Then David said, “O LORD God of Israel, Your servant has certainly heard that Saul seeks to come to Keilah to destroy the city for my sake.

I Samuel 23:11 (NKJV)

¹¹Will the men of Keilah deliver me into his hand? Will Saul come down, as Your servant has heard? O LORD God of Israel, I pray, tell Your servant.”

I Samuel 23:11 (NKJV)

And the LORD said, “He will come down.”

I Samuel 23:12 (NKJV)

¹²Then David said, “Will the men of Keilah deliver me and my men into the hand of Saul?” And the LORD said, “They will deliver you.”

I Samuel 23:13 (NKJV)

¹³So David and his men, about six hundred, arose and departed from Keilah and went wherever they could go. Then it was told Saul that David had escaped from Keilah; so he halted the expedition.

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The Plot _____

Psalms 31:9 (NKJV)

⁹Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am in trouble;
My eye wastes away with grief,
Yes, my soul and my body!

Psalms 31:10 (NKJV)

¹⁰For my life is spent with grief,
And my years with sighing;
My strength fails because of my iniquity,

Psalms 31:10 (NKJV)

And my bones waste away.

Psalms 31:11 (NKJV)

¹¹I am a reproach among all my enemies,
But especially among my neighbors,
And am repulsive to my acquaintances;

Psalms 31:11 (NKJV)

Those who see me outside flee from me.

Psalms 31:12 (NKJV)

¹²I am forgotten like a dead man, out of mind;
I am like a broken vessel.

Psalms 31:13 (NKJV)

¹³For I hear the slander of many;
Fear is on every side;
While they take counsel together against me,

Psalms 31:13 (NKJV)

They scheme to take away my life.

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The Plot Cannot Stop _____

Psalms 31:1 (NKJV)

¹In You, O LORD, I put my trust;
Let me never be ashamed;
Deliver me in Your righteousness.

Psalms 31:2 (NKJV)

²Bow down Your ear to me,
Deliver me speedily;
Be my rock of refuge,

Psalms 31:2 (NKJV)

A fortress of defense to save me.

Psalms 31:3 (NKJV)

³For You are my rock and my fortress;
Therefore, for Your name's sake,
Lead me and guide me.

Psalms 31:4 (NKJV)

⁴Pull me out of the net which they have secretly laid for me,
For You are my strength.

Psalms 31:6 (NKJV)

⁶I have hated those who regard useless idols;
But I trust in the LORD.

Psalms 31:7 (NKJV)

⁷I will be glad and rejoice in Your mercy,
For You have considered my trouble;
You have known my soul in adversities,

Psalms 31:8 (NKJV)

⁸And have not shut me up into the hand of the enemy;
You have set my feet in a wide place.

Psalms 31:24 (NKJV)

²⁴Be of good courage,
And He shall strengthen your heart,
All you who hope in the LORD.

1 Samuel 23:9 (NKJV)

⁹When David knew that Saul plotted evil against him, he said to Abiathar the priest, “Bring the ephod here.”

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The Plot Cannot Stop God's Plan

I Samuel 23:24 (NKJV)

²⁴So they arose and went to Ziph before Saul. But David and his men were in the Wilderness of Maon, in the plain on the south of Jeshimon.

I Samuel 23:25 (NKJV)

²⁵When Saul and his men went to seek him, they told David. Therefore he went down to the rock, and stayed in the Wilderness of Maon. And when Saul heard that, he pursued David in the Wilderness of Maon.

I Samuel 23:26 (NKJV)

²⁶Then Saul went on one side of the mountain, and David and his men on the other side of the mountain. So David made haste to get away from Saul, for Saul and his men were encircling David and his men to take them.

I Samuel 23:27 (NKJV)

²⁷But a messenger came to Saul, saying, “Hurry and come, for the Philistines have invaded the land!”

I Samuel 23:28 (NKJV)

²⁸Therefore Saul returned from pursuing David, and went against the Philistines; so they called that place the Rock of Escape.

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For You are my strength.

Psalms 31:14 (NKJV)

¹⁴But as for me, I trust in You, O LORD;
I say, "You are my God."

Psalms 31:15 (NKJV)

¹⁵My times are in Your hand;
Deliver me from the hand of my enemies,
And from those who persecute me.

Psalms 31:16 (NKJV)

¹⁶Make Your face shine upon Your servant;
Save me for Your mercies' sake.

