

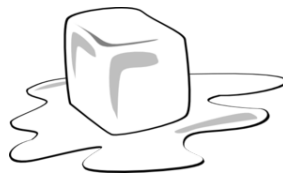
DIG DEEPER STUDY GUIDE

Sermon Title: The Sling

Sermon Series: From Shepherd to King

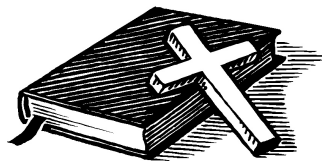
Sermon Scripture: 1 Samuel 17:26-50, 1 Samuel 30:6, Isaiah 54:17 (NLT), Psalm 23:4, Romans 8:31, Colossians 2:15, 2 Corinthians 10:3-4

Sermon Synopsis: Just as David fought Goliath, all of us will face giants in this life. Thankfully, we don't face any giants without being armed for battle. Find out what things from your life you can use to power through any giants that will come your way.



ICEBREAKER

On the television show “Man vs. Food,” the star of the show travels around trying take on various eating challenges at restaurants all across the country. Often these challenges involve eating a “giant” amount of a particular food. If you had to choose one food to eat a “giant” amount of, what would it be?



THINK & READ

What “giants” or obstacles have you faced in your life? Examples include unemployment, abandonment, abuse, depression, education, finances, marriage difficulties, or illness/death.



How do you defeat these “giants” or are you still facing them?

The story of David and Goliath provides us with a set of tools for facing our “giants” using the acronym SLING.

S - Strengths:

What strengths has God given to you and how can you use them for His Kingdom?

L - Life Lessons:

What are some of the most important lessons that life has taught you?

I - Imagination:

David fought the giant in a unique, creative way. The obvious approach would have been to put on armor, pick up a sword, and try to fight. However, David used a sling and stone. God has also blessed you with an imagination. What are some ways to approach your “giants” in a unique way?

N - Naysayers:

King Saul told David, “You are not able to go out against this Philistine and fight him; you are only a young man, and he has been a warrior from his youth.” Have you ever turned someone’s skepticism toward you into a positive?

G - God:

Read Romans 8:31-39

God makes us “more than conquerors.” Another way to say “more than conquerors” is “Super Conquerors.” Why do we feel the need to face our “giants” alone, without God’s help?



What battle can you invite God into today?

What “giants” or obstacles are you facing right now?



PRAYER

If you are in a Home Group, take individual prayer requests from everyone. Then take some time to pray out loud for the people in your Home Group.



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