

Victories & Valleys: A study in the life of David

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1 Samuel 24 & 26



On Sunday we continued our series Victories & Valleys: a study in the life of David. Two moments conclude the feud between David and Saul and ask a pretty pointed and obvious question of us: whose voice are you listening to? The difference between David and Saul was closely connected to the who they were listening to. David was listening to the voice of the Lord; Saul was listening to the voice of others.

Getting Started

We are now four weeks into our David series. What has stood out so far? What has God used to speak to you?

Read

1 Samuel 24; 1 Samuel 26

Digging Deeper

- From the text above, we see two different moments that are very similar at their core. What stands out to you from these two moments and their similarities?
- David trusted God with his own life and with his role as a king. Has there been (or maybe there's something right now) in your life that was difficult to trust God with? What was it? How does David's story speak to you?
- The voice that enters our minds most, fills our hearts, and directs our step matters. It can be difficult to prioritize God's voice over the other voices vying for our allegiance. Which voices do you find yourself listening to?
- The Bible helps us hear God's voice most often and more clearly. The more we read it, soak in it, memorize it and mediate on it, the more we will be able to hear and prioritize God's voice. In what ways can you prioritize and listen to God's voice more in this current season? Is there a specific way you might engage with Scripture? Something else? Discuss.



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