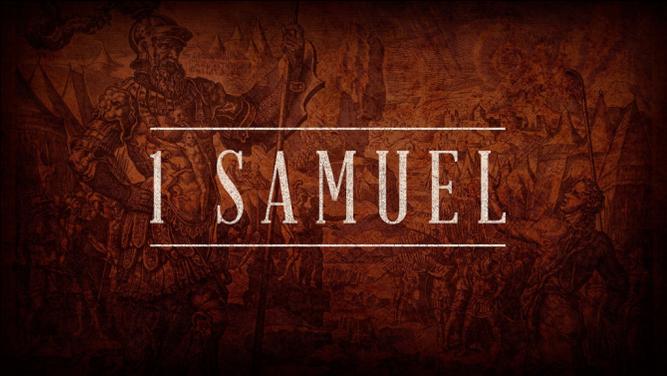




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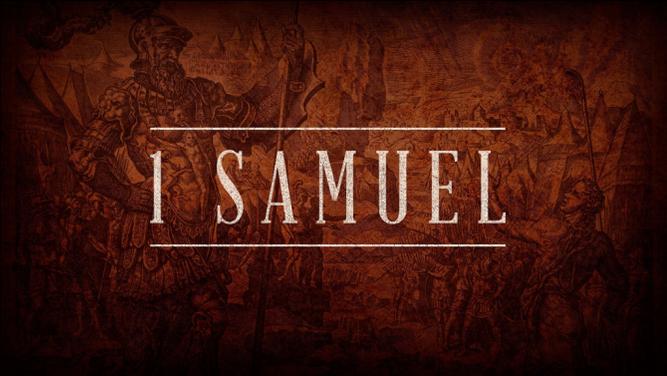
**And they
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called in
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WHAT COULD HAVE BEEN

1 Chronicles 10:13–14

So Saul died for his unfaithfulness which he had committed against the Lord, because he did not keep the word of the Lord, and also because he consulted a medium for guidance. But he did not inquire of the Lord; therefore He killed him, and turned the kingdom over to David the son of Jesse.



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WHAT CAN BE

2 Timothy 4:7

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

Matthew 25:21

... 'Well done, good and faithful servant; you were faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your lord.'

TRUST IN THE LORD

Proverbs 3:5–6

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths.

Saul remains one of the most powerful O.T. examples for believers. We are each flawed, and each has his or her own weaknesses. As events will show, David certainly did! Yet if our hearts are constantly turned to God, the Lord can protect us from our weaknesses even as He uses our strengths. The wonderful word for us in the story of Saul is, “You and I do not have to end our life as Saul did, a failure.” We can make different choices, and succeed in this world!

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ABUNDANT LIFE

John 10:10

The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.