

Saul Fails The Second Test - 1 Samuel 15

1 Samuel 8:5 And said unto him, Behold, thou art old, and thy sons walk not in thy ways: now make us a king to judge us like all the nations.

Luke 16 Referred to the parable of Lazarus & Rich Man.

Romans 13:11 And that, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep: for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed.

1 Samuel 13:9 And Saul said, Bring hither a burnt offering to me, and peace offerings. And he offered the burnt offering.

1 Samuel 15:1-35 (AV) & (NKJV)

1 Samuel 15:1 (AV) Samuel also said unto Saul, The LORD sent me to anoint thee *to be* king over His people, over Israel: now therefore hearken thou unto the voice of the Words of the LORD.

1 Samuel 15:1 (NKJV) Samuel also said to Saul, The LORD sent me to anoint you king over His people, over Israel. Now therefore, heed the voice of the Words of the LORD.

2 Samuel 12:14 Howbeit, because by this deed thou hast given great occasion to the enemies of the LORD to blaspheme, the child also that is born unto thee shall surely die.

1 Samuel 15:2 (AV) Thus saith the LORD of hosts, I remember *that* which Amalek did to Israel, how he laid *wait* for him in the way, when he came up from Egypt.

1 Samuel 15:2 (NKJV) Thus says the LORD of hosts: I will punish Amalek *for* what he did to Israel, how he ambushed him on the way when he came up from Egypt.

Exodus 17:8 Then came Amalek, and fought with Israel in Rephidim.

Exodus 17:14 And the LORD said unto Moses, Write this for a memorial in a book, and rehearse it in the ears of Joshua: for I will utterly put out the remembrance of Amalek from under heaven.

Genesis 15:16 But in the fourth generation they shall come hither again: for the iniquity of the Amorites is not yet full.

Revelation 6:10,11 And they cried with a loud voice, saying, How long, O Lord, holy and true, dost thou not judge and avenge our blood on them that dwell on the earth? **11** And white robes were given unto every one of them; and it was said unto them, that they should rest yet for a little season, until their fellowservants also and their brethren, that should be killed as they were, should be fulfilled.

Exodus 2:18 & Leviticus 18 Are Old Testament ways to deal with sin.

Ephesians 6:12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

- 1 Samuel 15:3 (AV)** Now go and smite Amalek, and utterly destroy all that they have, and spare them not; but slay both man and woman, infant and suckling, ox and sheep, camel and ass.
- 1 Samuel 15:3 (NKJV)** Now go and attack Amalek, and utterly destroy all that they have, and do not spare them. But kill both man and woman, infant and nursing child, ox and sheep, camel and donkey.
- 1 Samuel 15:4 (AV)** And Saul gathered the people together, & numbered them in Telaim, two hundred thousand footmen, and ten thousand men of Judah.
- 1 Samuel 15:4 (NKJV)** So Saul gathered the people together and numbered them in Telaim, 200,000 foot soldiers and 10,000 men of Judah.
- Joshua 6:18** And ye, in any wise keep yourselves from the accursed thing, lest ye make yourselves accursed, when ye take of the accursed thing, and make the camp of Israel a curse, and trouble it.
- Joshua 7** Summarized of the sin of Achan taking the accursed thing & some Israelites died against Ai.
- 1 Samuel 15:5 (AV)** & Saul came to a city of Amalek, & laid wait in the valley.
- 1 Samuel 15:5 (NKJV)** And Saul came to a city of Amalek, and lay in wait in the valley.
- 1 Samuel 15:6 (AV)** And Saul said unto the Kenites, Go, depart, get you down from among the Amalekites, lest I destroy you with them: for ye shewed kindness to all the children of Israel, when they came up out of Egypt. So the Kenites departed from among the Amalekites.
- 1 Samuel 15:6 (NKJV)** Then Saul said to the Kenites, Go, depart, get down from among the Amalekites, lest I destroy you with them. For you showed kindness to all the children of Israel when they came up out of Egypt. So the Kenites departed from among the Amalekites.
- Revelation 18:4** And I heard another voice from heaven, saying, Come out of her, My people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues.
- 1 Samuel 15:7 (AV)** And Saul smote the Amalekites from Havilah *until* thou comest to Shur, that *is* over against Egypt.
- 1 Samuel 15:7 (NKJV)** And Saul attacked the Amalekites, from Havilah all the way to Shur, which is east of Egypt.
- 1 Samuel 15:8 (AV)** And he took Agag the king of the Amalekites alive, and utterly destroyed all the people with the edge of the sword.
- 1 Samuel 15:8 (NKJV)** He also took Agag king of the Amalekites alive, and utterly destroyed all the people with the edge of the sword.
- 1 Samuel 15:9 (AV)** But Saul and the people spared Agag, and the best of the sheep, and of the oxen, and of the fatlings, and the lambs, and all *that was* good, and would not utterly destroy them: but every thing *that was* vile and refuse, that they destroyed utterly.
- 1 Samuel 15:9 (NKJV)** But Saul and the people spared Agag and the best of

the sheep, the oxen, the fatlings, the lambs, and all *that was* good, and were unwilling to utterly destroy them. But everything despised and worthless, that they utterly destroyed.

Numbers 33:55 But if ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land from before you; then it shall come to pass, that those which ye let remain of them shall be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you in the land wherein ye dwell.

Malachi 1:7,8 Ye offer polluted bread upon mine altar; and ye say, Wherein have we polluted thee? In that ye say, The table of the LORD is contemptible. 8 And if ye offer the blind for sacrifice, is it not evil? and if ye offer the lame and sick, is it not evil? offer it now unto thy governor; will he be pleased with thee, or accept thy person? saith the LORD of hosts.

1 Samuel 15:10 (AV) Then came the Word of the LORD unto Samuel, saying,

1 Samuel 15:10 (NKJV) Now the Word of the LORD came to Samuel, saying,

1 Samuel 15:11 (AV) It repenteth Me that I have set up Saul *to be* king: for he is turned back from following Me, and hath not performed My commandments. And it grieved Samuel; and he cried unto the LORD all night.

1 Samuel 15:11 (NKJV) I greatly regret that I have set up Saul *as* king, for he has turned back from following Me, and has not performed My commandments. And it grieved Samuel, and he cried out to the LORD all night.

John 14:15 If ye love Me, keep My commandments.

Exodus 20 Referred to the 10 Commandments.

Exodus 32 Referred to the golden calf sin & Moses interceding 40 days & nights.

Numbers 20:8,10-12 Take the rod, and gather thou the assembly together, thou, and Aaron thy brother, and speak ye unto the rock before their eyes; and it shall give forth his water, and thou shalt bring forth to them water out of the rock: so thou shalt give the congregation and their beasts drink. 10 And Moses and Aaron gathered the congregation together before the rock, and he said unto them, Hear now, ye rebels; must we fetch you water out of this rock? 11 And Moses lifted up his hand, and with his rod he smote the rock twice: and the water came out abundantly, and the congregation drank, and their beasts also. 12 And the LORD spake unto Moses and Aaron, Because ye believed me not, to sanctify me in the eyes of the children of Israel, therefore ye shall not bring this congregation into the land which I have given them.

1 Samuel 2:29 Wherefore kick ye at My sacrifice and at Mine offering, which I have commanded in My habitation; and honourest thy sons above Me, to make yourselves fat with the chiefest of all the offerings of Israel My people?

1 Samuel 15:12 (AV) & when Samuel rose early to meet Saul in the morning, it was told Samuel, saying, Saul came to Carmel, and, behold, he set him up a place, and is gone about, and passed on, and gone down to Gilgal.

- 1 Samuel 15:12 (NKJV)** So when Samuel rose early in the morning to meet Saul, it was told Samuel, saying, Saul went to Carmel, and indeed, he set up a monument for himself; and he has gone on around, passed by, and gone down to Gilgal.
- 1 Samuel 15:13 (AV)** And Samuel came to Saul: & Saul said unto him, Blessed *be* thou of the LORD: I have performed the commandment of the LORD.
- 1 Samuel 15:13 (NKJV)** Then Samuel went to Saul, and Saul said to him, Blessed *are* you of the LORD! I have performed the commandment of the LORD.
- 1 Samuel 15:14 (AV)** And Samuel said, What *meaneth* then this bleating of the sheep in mine ears, and the lowing of the oxen which I hear?
- 1 Samuel 15:14 (NKJV)** But Samuel said, What then *is* this bleating of the sheep in my ears, and the lowing of the oxen which I hear?
- 1 Samuel 15:15 (AV)** And Saul said, They have brought them from the Amalekites: for the people spared the best of the sheep and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto the LORD thy God; and the rest we have utterly destroyed.
- 1 Samuel 15:15 (NKJV)** And Saul said, They have brought them from the Amalekites; for the people spared the best of the sheep and the oxen, to sacrifice to the LORD your God; and the rest we have utterly destroyed.
- 1 Samuel 15:9 (NKJV)** But Saul and the people spared Agag and the best of the sheep, the oxen, the fatlings, the lambs, and all *that was* good, and were unwilling to utterly destroy them. But everything despised and worthless, that they utterly destroyed.

Genesis 3 Summarized of the sin of Adam & Eve & the blame game they played with God.

Mark 16:17,18 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In My Name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; 18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

Hebrews 13:8 Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever.

Matthew 25:34 Then shall the King say unto them on His right hand, Come, ye blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: 40 And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these My brethren, ye have done it unto Me. 45 Then shall He answer them, saying, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to Me. 46 And these shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the righteous into life eternal.

1 Kings 18&19 Referred to the the shoot-out on Mount Carmel, & Elijah running from Jezebel's curse.

1 Samuel 15:16 (AV) Then Samuel said unto Saul, Stay, and I will tell thee what the LORD hath said to me this night. And he said unto him, Say on.

- 1 Samuel 15:16 (NKJV)** Then Samuel said to Saul, Be quiet! And I will tell you what the LORD said to me last night. And he said to him, Speak on.
- Hebrews 12:6** For whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth, and scourgeth every son whom he receiveth.
- 1 Samuel 15:17 (AV)** And Samuel said, When thou *wast* little in thine own sight, *wast* thou not *made* the head of the tribes of Israel, and the LORD anointed thee king over Israel?
- 1 Samuel 15:17 (NKJV)** So Samuel said, When you *were* little in your own eyes, *were* you not head of the tribes of Israel? And did not the LORD anoint you king over Israel?
- 1 Samuel 15:18 (AV)** And the LORD sent thee on a journey, and said, Go and utterly destroy the sinners the Amalekites, and fight against them until they be consumed.
- 1 Samuel 15:18 (NKJV)** Now the LORD sent you on a mission, and said, Go, and utterly destroy the sinners, the Amalekites, and fight against them until they are consumed.
- 1 Samuel 15:19 (AV)** Wherefore then didst thou not obey the voice of the LORD, but didst fly upon the spoil, and didst evil in the sight of the LORD?
- 1 Samuel 15:19 (NKJV)** Why then did you not obey the voice of the LORD? Why did you swoop down on the spoil, and do evil in the sight of the LORD?
- 1 Samuel 15:20 (AV)** And Saul said unto Samuel, Yea, I have obeyed the voice of the LORD, and have gone the way which the LORD sent me, and have brought Agag the king of Amalek, and have utterly destroyed the Amalekites.
- 1 Samuel 15:20 (NKJV)** And Saul said to Samuel, But I have obeyed the voice of the LORD, and gone on the mission on which the LORD sent me, and brought back Agag king of Amalek; I have utterly destroyed the Amalekites.
- 2 Samuel 12:7,13,14** And Nathan said to David, Thou art the man. Thus saith the LORD God of Israel, I anointed thee king over Israel, and I delivered thee out of the hand of Saul; 13 And David said unto Nathan, I have sinned against the LORD. And Nathan said unto David, The LORD also hath put away thy sin; thou shalt not die. 14 Howbeit, because by this deed thou hast given great occasion to the enemies of the LORD to blaspheme, the child also that is born unto thee shall surely die.
- 1 Samuel 15:21 (AV)** But the people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, the chief of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the LORD thy God in Gilgal.
- 1 Samuel 15:21 (NKJV)** But the people took of the plunder, sheep and oxen, the best of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice to the LORD your God in Gilgal.

Exodus 32 Referred to Moses interceding for the sin of the people.

Exodus 32:10-12 Now therefore let Me alone, that My wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them: and I will make of thee a great nation. 11 And Moses besought the LORD his God, and said, LORD, why doth Thy wrath wax hot against Thy people, which Thou hast brought forth out of the land of Egypt with great power, and with a mighty hand? 12 Wherefore should the Egyptians speak, and say, For mischief did He bring them out, to slay them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth? Turn from thy fierce wrath, and repent of this evil against Thy people.

1 Samuel 15:22 (AV) And Samuel said, Hath the LORD *as great* delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the LORD? Behold, to obey *is* better than sacrifice, *and* to hearken than the fat of rams.

1 Samuel 15:22 (NKJV) Then Samuel said: Has the LORD *as great* delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, As in obeying the voice of the LORD? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, *And* to heed than the fat of rams.

Hebrews 13:12 Wherefore Jesus also, that he might sanctify the people with His Own Blood, suffered without the gate.

John 14:15 If ye love Me, keep My commandments.

Ephesians 6:4 And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.

2 Chronicles 7:14 If My people, which are called by My Name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

1 Samuel 15:23 (AV) For rebellion *is as* the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness *is as* iniquity and idolatry. Because thou hast rejected the Word of the LORD, He hath also rejected thee from *being* king.

1 Samuel 15:23 (NKJV) For rebellion *is as* the sin of witchcraft, And stubbornness *is as* iniquity and idolatry. Because you have rejected the Word of the LORD, He also has rejected you from *being* king.

Isaiah 14 & Ezekiel 24 Referred to satan rebelling against God.

Exodus 20:5 Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate Me;

1 Samuel 15:24 (AV) And Saul said unto Samuel, I have sinned: for I have transgressed the commandment of the LORD, and thy words: because I feared the people, and obeyed their voice.

1 Samuel 15:24 (NKJV) Then Saul said to Samuel, I have sinned, for I have transgressed the commandment of the LORD and your words, because I

feared the people and obeyed their voice.

1 Samuel 15:25 (AV) Now therefore, I pray thee, pardon my sin, and turn again with me, that I may worship the LORD.

1 Samuel 15:25 (NKJV) Now therefore, please pardon my sin, and return with me, that I may worship the LORD.

1 Samuel 15:26 (AV) And Samuel said unto Saul, I will not return with thee: for thou hast rejected the Word of the LORD, and the LORD hath rejected thee from being king over Israel.

1 Samuel 15:26 (NKJV) But Samuel said to Saul, I will not return with you, for you have rejected the Word of the LORD, and the LORD has rejected you from being king over Israel.

1 Kings 8:46 If they sin against Thee, (for there is no man that sinneth not,) and Thou be angry with them, and deliver them to the enemy, so that they carry them away captives unto the land of the enemy, far or near;

1 Samuel 15:27 (AV) And as Samuel turned about to go away, he laid hold upon the skirt of his mantle, and it rent.

1 Samuel 15:27 (NKJV) And as Samuel turned around to go away, *Saul* seized the edge of his robe, and it tore.

1 Samuel 15:28 (AV) And Samuel said unto him, The LORD hath rent the kingdom of Israel from thee this day, and hath given it to a neighbour of thine, *that is* better than thou.

1 Samuel 15:28 (NKJV) So Samuel said to him, The LORD has torn the kingdom of Israel from you today, and has given it to a neighbor of yours, *who is* better than you.

Acts 13:22 And when He had removed him, He raised up unto them David to be their king; to whom also He gave testimony, and said, I have found David the son of Jesse, a man after Mine Own heart, which shall fulfil all My will.

1 Samuel 15:29 (AV) And also the Strength of Israel will not lie nor repent: for He *is* not a man, that He should repent.

1 Samuel 15:29 (NKJV) And also the Strength of Israel will not lie nor relent. For He *is* not a man, that He should relent.

Matthew 27:3,4 Then Judas, which had betrayed him, when he saw that he was condemned, repented himself, and brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, 4 Saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is that to us? see thou to that.

2 Corinthians 7:10 For godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation not to be repented of: but the sorrow of the world worketh death.

1 Samuel 15:30 (AV) Then he said, I have sinned: yet honour me now, I pray thee, before the elders of my people, and before Israel, and turn again with me, that I may worship the LORD thy God.

- 1 Samuel 15:30 (NKJV)** Then he said, I have sinned; *yet* honor me now, please, before the elders of my people and before Israel, and return with me, that I may worship the LORD your God.
- 1 Samuel 15:31 (AV)** So Samuel turned again after Saul; and Saul worshipped the LORD.
- 1 Samuel 15:31 (NKJV)** So Samuel turned back after Saul, and Saul worshiped the LORD.
- 1 Samuel 15:32 (AV)** Then said Samuel, Bring ye hither to me Agag the king of the Amalekites. And Agag came unto him delicately. And Agag said, Surely the bitterness of death is past.
- 1 Samuel 15:32 (NKJV)** Then Samuel said, Bring Agag king of the Amalekites here to me. So Agag came to him cautiously. And Agag said, Surely the bitterness of death is past.
- 1 Samuel 15:33 (AV)** And Samuel said, As thy sword hath made women childless, so shall thy mother be childless among women. And Samuel hewed Agag in pieces before the LORD in Gilgal.
- 1 Samuel 15:33 (NKJV)** But Samuel said, As your sword has made women childless, so shall your mother be childless among women. And Samuel hacked Agag in pieces before the LORD in Gilgal.
- 1 Samuel 15:34 (AV)** Then Samuel went to Ramah; and Saul went up to his house to Gibeah of Saul.
- 1 Samuel 15:34 (NKJV)** Then Samuel went to Ramah, and Saul went up to his house at Gibeah of Saul.
- 1 Samuel 15:35 (AV)** And Samuel came no more to see Saul until the day of his death: nevertheless Samuel mourned for Saul: and the LORD repented that He had made Saul king over Israel.
- 1 Samuel 15:35 (NKJV)** And Samuel went no more to see Saul until the day of his death. Nevertheless Samuel mourned for Saul, and the LORD regretted that He had made Saul king over Israel.
- Ezra 7:10** For Ezra had prepared his heart to seek the law of the LORD, and to do *it*, and to teach in Israel statutes and judgments.
- Summarized of David relying on the Lord as a shepherd.**
- 1 Samuel 17:37** David said moreover, The LORD that delivered me out of the paw of the lion, and out of the paw of the bear, He will deliver me out of the hand of this Philistine. And Saul said unto David, Go, and the LORD be with thee.
- 1 Kings 13** Summarized of Jeroboam's sin of the calf idols, etc.