## **Overcoming Betrayal By Benefeciaries - 1 Samuel 23**

- 2 Samuel 7:8 Now therefore so shalt thou say unto <y servant David, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, I took thee from the sheepcote, from following the sheep, to be ruler over My people, over Israel:
- Summarized of David's progress from the shepherd to the King.
- Jonah 2 Summarized of Jonah. V9 But I will sacrifice unto thee with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay that that I have vowed. Salvation is of the LORD.
- 1 Samuel 26:11 The LORD forbid that I should stretch forth mine hand against the LORD'S anointed: but, I pray thee, take thou now the spear that is at his bolster, and the cruse of water, and let us go.
- 1 Samuel 23:1-29 (AV) & (NKJV)
- 1 Samuel 23:1 (AV) Then they told David, saying, Behold, the Philistines fight against Keilah, and they rob the threshingfloors.
- 1 Samuel 23:1 (NKJV) Then they told David, saying, Look, the Philistines are fighting against Keilah, and they are robbing the threshing floors.
- 1 Samuel 25 Summarized of Nabal.
- 1 Samuel 23:2 (AV) Therefore David enquired of the LORD, saying, Shall I go and smite these Philistines? And the LORD said unto David, Go, and smite the Philistines, and save Keilah.
- 1 Samuel 23:2 (NKJV) Therefore 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.
- Luke 8 Referred to the disciples trying to save themselves first then waking Jesus for help.
- Strongs #07592 sha'al shaw-al' or sha'el shaw-ale' AV-ask 94, enquire 22, desire 9, require 7, borrow 6, salute 4, demand 4, lent 4, request 3, earnestly 2, beg 2, misc 16; 173 1) to ask, enquire, borrow, beg 1a) (Qal) 1a1) to ask, ask for 1a2) to ask (as a favour), borrow 1a3) to enquire, enquire of 1a4) to enquire of, consult (of deity, oracle) 1a5) to seek 1b) (Niphal) to ask for oneself, ask leave of absence 1c) (Piel) 1c1) to enquire, enquire carefully 1c2) to beg, practise beggary 1d) (Hiphil) 1d1) to be given on request 1d2) to grant, make over to, let (one) ask (successfully) or give or lend on request (then) grant or make over to.
- 2 Kings 19 Hezekiah going to God for help from Sennacherib.
- 2 Corinthians 11:14 And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light.
- 1 Samuel 23:3 (AV) And David's men said unto him, Behold, we be afraid here in Judah: how much more then if we come to Keilah against the armies of the Philistines?

  1 Samuel 23:3 (NKJV) But 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?
- 1 Samuel 14 Summarized of the incident of Saul's ocurse, Jonathan eating honey & Israel saving him.
- Judges 6 Gideon testing if it was really God.
- 1 Samuel 23:4 (AV) Then David enquired of the LORD yet again. And the LORD answered him and said, Arise, go down to Keilah; for I will deliver the Philistines into thine hand.
- 1 Samuel 23:4 (NKJV) Then 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 18:27 Wherefore David arose and went, he and his men, and slew of the Philistines two hundred men; and David brought their foreskins, and they gave them in full tale to the king, that he might be the king's son in law. And Saul gave him Michal his daughter to wife.
- 1 Samuel 23:5 (AV) So David and his men went to Keilah, and fought with the Philistines, and brought away their cattle, and smote them with a great slaughter. So David saved the inhabitants of Keilah.
- 1 Samuel 23:5 (NKJV) And 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 (AV) And it came to pass, when Abiathar the son of Ahimelech fled to David to Keilah, *that* he came down *with* an ephod in his hand.
- 1 Samuel 23:6 (NKJV) Now 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 21 Summarized of David going to Ahimalech & his family killed.
- 1 Samuel 23:7 (AV) And it was told Saul that David was come to Keilah. And Saul said, God hath delivered him into mine hand; for he is shut in, by entering into a town that hath gates and bars.
- 1 Samuel 23:7 (NKJV) And 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.
- Isaiah 5:20 Woe unto them that call evil good, & good evil; that put darkness for light, & light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, & sweet for bitter!
- 1 Samuel 15:28 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 23:8 (AV) And Saul called all the people together to war, to go down to Keilah, to besiege David and his men.
- 1 Samuel 23:8 (NKJV) Then Saul called all the people together for war, to go down to Keilah to besiege David and his men.
- 1 Samuel 18:7 And the women answered one another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands.

- Joshua Referred to Israel with against six hundred thousand men entering the Promised Land.
- Judges 7 Referred to Gideon with 300 men against hundreds of thousands.
- 1 Samuel 23:9 (AV) And David knew that Saul secretly practised mischief against him; and he said to Abiathar the priest, Bring hither the ephod.
- 1 Samuel 23:9 (NKJV) When David knew that Saul plotted evil against him, he said to Abiathar the priest, Bring the ephod here.
- 1 Samuel 23:10 (AV) Then said David, O LORD God of Israel, Thy servant hath certainly heard that Saul seeketh to come to Keilah, to destroy the city for my sake.

  1 Samuel 23:10 (NKJV) Then 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.
- John 16:23 And in that day ye shall ask Me nothing. Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in My Name, He will give it you.
- 1 Samuel 23:11 (AV) Will the men of Keilah deliver me up into his hand? will Saul come down, as Thy servant hath heard? O LORD God of Israel, I beseech thee, tell Thy servant. And the LORD said, He will come down.
- 1 Samuel 23:11 (NKJV) Will 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. And the LORD said, He will come down.
- Judges 15 Referred to men of Judah betraying Samson.
- 1 Samuel 23:12 (AV) Then said David, Will the men of Keilah deliver me & my men into the hand of Saul? And the LORD said, They will deliver *thee* up.
- 1 Samuel 23:12 (NKJV) Then 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.
- 2 Samuel 20:21,22 The matter is not so: but a man of mount Ephraim, Sheba the son of Bichri by name, hath lifted up his hand against the king, even against David: deliver him only, and I will depart from the city. And the woman said unto Joab, Behold, his head shall be thrown to thee over the wall. 22 Then the woman went unto all the people in her wisdom. And they cut off the head of Sheba the son of Bichri, and cast it out to Joab. And he blew a trumpet, and they retired from the city, every man to his tent. And Joab returned to Jerusalem unto the king.
- 1 Samuel 23:13 (AV) Then David and his men, which were about 600 arose and departed out of Keilah, and went whithersoever they could go. And it was told Saul that David was escaped from Keilah; and he forbare to go forth.
- 1 Samuel 23:13 (NKJV) So 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.
- Matthew 2:13,14 And when they were departed, behold, the angel of the Lord appeareth to Joseph in a dream, saying, Arise, and take the young Child and His mother, and flee into Egypt, and be thou there until I bring thee

- Word: for Herod will seek the young Child to destroy Him. 14 When he arose, he took the young Child and His mother by night, and departed into Egypt:
- 1 Samuel 23:14 (AV) And David abode in the wilderness in strong holds, and remained in a mountain in the wilderness of Ziph. And Saul sought him every day, but God delivered him not into his hand.
- 1 Samuel 23:14 (NKJV) And David stayed in strongholds in the wilderness, and remained in the mountains in the Wilderness of Ziph. Saul sought him every day, but God did not deliver him into his hand.
- 1 Samuel 23:15 (AV) And David saw that Saul was come out to seek his life: and David was in the wilderness of Ziph in a wood.
- 1 Samuel 23:15 (NKJV) So David saw that Saul had come out to seek his life. And David *was* in the Wilderness of Ziph in a forest.
- 1 Samuel 23:16 (AV) And Jonathan Saul's son arose, and went to David into the wood, and strengthened his hand in God.
- 1 Samuel 23:16 (NKJV) Then Jonathan, Saul's son, arose and went to David in the woods and strengthened his hand in God.
- 1 Samuel 23:17 (AV) And he said unto him, Fear not: for the hand of Saul my father shall not find thee; and thou shalt be king over Israel, and I shall be next unto thee; and that also Saul my father knoweth.
- 1 Samuel 23:17 (NKJV) And he said to him, Do not fear, for the hand of Saul my father shall not find you. You shall be king over Israel, and I shall be next to you. Even my father Saul knows that.
- Acts 11:23 Who, when he came, and had seen the grace of God, was glad, and exhorted them all, that with purpose of heart they would cleave unto the Lord.
- 2 Timothy 1:7 For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.
- 1 Samuel 31:6 So Saul died, and his three sons, and his armourbearer, and all his men, that same day together.
- 1 Samuel 23:18 (AV) And they two made a covenant before the LORD: and David abode in the wood, and Jonathan went to his house.
- 1 Samuel 23:18 (NKJV) So the two of them made a covenant before the LORD. And David stayed in the woods, and Jonathan went to his own house.
- 2 Samuel 21:7 But the king spared Mephibosheth, the son of Jonathan the son of Saul, because of the LORD'S oath that was between them, between David and Jonathan the son of Saul.
- 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 23:19 (AV) Then came up the Ziphites to Saul to Gibeah, saying,

- Doth not David hide himself with us in strong holds in the wood, in the hill of Hachilah, which *is* on the south of Jeshimon?
- 1 Samuel 23:19 (NKJV) Then the Ziphites came up to Saul at Gibeah, saying, Is David not hiding with us in strongholds in the woods, in the hill of Hachilah, which *is* on the south of Jeshimon?
- 1 Samuel 23:20 (AV) Now therefore, O king, come down according to all the desire of thy soul to come down; and our part *shall be* to deliver him into the king's hand.
- 1 Samuel 23:20 (NKJV) Now therefore, O king, come down according to all the desire of your soul to come down; and our part *shall be* to deliver him into the king's hand.
- Judges 15 Referred to men of Judah betraying Samson.
- 1 Samuel 23:21 (AV) And Saul said, Blessed *be* ye of the LORD; for ye have compassion on me.
- 1 Samuel 23:21 (NKJV) And Saul said, Blessed *are* you of the LORD, for you have compassion on me.
- 1 Samuel 23:22 (AV) Go, I pray you, prepare yet, and know and see his place where his haunt is, *and* who hath seen him there: for it is told me *that* he dealeth very subtilly.
- 1 Samuel 23:22 (NKJV) Please go and find out for sure, and see the place where his hideout is, *and* who has seen him there. For I am told he is very crafty.
- Matthew 2:7,8 Then Herod, when he had privily called the wise men, enquired of them diligently what time the star appeared. 8 And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship him also.
- 1 Samuel 18:30 Then the princes of the Philistines went forth: and it came to pass, after they went forth, that David behaved himself more wisely than all the servants of Saul; so that his name was much set by.
- 1 Samuel 23:23 (AV) See therefore, and take knowledge of all the lurking places where he hideth himself, and come ye again to me with the certainty, and I will go with you: and it shall come to pass, if he be in the land, that I will search him out throughout all the thousands of Judah.
- 1 Samuel 23:23 (NKJV) See therefore, and take knowledge of all the lurking places where he hides; and come back to me with certainty, and I will go with you. And it shall be, if he is in the land, that I will search for him throughout all the clans of Judah.
- 1 Samuel 23:24 (AV) And 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.
- 1 Samuel 23:24 (NKJV) So 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.
- 1 Samuel 23:25 (AV) Saul also and his men went to seek *him*. And they told David: wherefore he came down into a rock, and abode in the wilderness of Maon. And when Saul heard *that*, he pursued after David in the wilderness of Maon.
- 1 Samuel 23:25 (NKJV) When 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.
- Ephesians 6:11 Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.
- 1 Samuel 23:26 (AV) And Saul went on this side of the mountain, and David and his men on that side of the mountain: and David made haste to get away for fear of Saul; for Saul and his men compassed David and his men round about to take them.
- 1 Samuel 23:26 (NKJV) Then 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.
- 1 Samuel 23:27 (AV) But there came a messenger unto Saul, saying, Haste thee, and come; for the Philistines have invaded the land.
- 1 Samuel 23:27 (NKJV) But a messenger came to Saul, saying, Hasten and come, for the Philistines have invaded the land!
- 1 Samuel 23:28 (AV) Wherefore Saul returned from pursuing after David, and went against the Philistines: therefore they called that place Selahammahlekoth.
- 1 Samuel 23:28 (NKJV) Therefore Saul returned from pursuing David, and went against the Philistines; so they called that place the Rock of Escape.
- Luke 18:1 And he spake a parable (of the persistant widow) unto them to this end, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint;
- 1 Samuel 23:29 (AV) And David went up from thence, and dwelt in strong holds at Engedi.
- 1 Samuel 23:29 (NKJV) Then David went up from there and dwelt in strongholds at En Gedi.

Referred to Moses' training process to be God's leader.

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