

Week 4:

Defeating Your Goliath



Questions

1. What illustration, story or scripture had the greatest impact on you this week?
2. What intimidating giant are you currently facing? Read 1 Samuel 17:48 again. David ran quickly to meet Goliath. Many times, we're slow to approach our overwhelming giants. What causes you to delay meeting your giants?
3. David used a sling, some stones, and a sword to defeat Goliath. What tools has God given you to defeat your giant? How have you used these tools in your life? (Check out Luke 4:1-13 and Matthew 26:36-46)
4. Satan has come into this world to steal, kill, and destroy (See John 10:10). How have you seen Satan at work in the world and in your own life? And where have you seen God victorious over that evil and destruction?
5. Read Colossians 2:14-15. What is one decisive victory over sin you can attribute to Jesus from your life?
6. Read 1 Corinthians 15:22-26. Jesus has conquered death and erased our sins. What worries or struggles do you need to give to Jesus now?

Scripture References

1 Samuel 17:48-49, 1 John 3:8b, Colossians 2:14-15, 1 Samuel 17:51, Revelation 20:10, Revelation 22:16, 1 Corinthians 15:22-26

Takeaways

Trust God and sprint.

Pray like it depends on God. Work like it depends on you.

All the pain in our lives is connected beneath the surface; it all traces back to Satan and the forces of evil.

At the cross, Jesus was defeating the ultimate Goliath.

Weekly Action Step

Identify one person that you can encourage this week that's fighting their Goliath. Visit, call, text or write, encouraging them to ask for God's help in that battle.