



Community Group Questions

Promises - David

1. Ice Breaker

- What's one story you were anxious to see the end of?
- If you've been baptized, tell about that experience. What led you to take that step of faith?

2. Discussion Questions

- Read 1 Samuel 16:7 - Why is the heart more important to look at than outward appearance? How can we prioritize the inner life more than the outer life?
- What's one area where you might be trying to "perform" for God instead of just giving Him your heart?
- Read 1 Samuel 13:14 - David was called "a man after God's own heart" before his major moral failure. How does that affect your understanding of God's grace and purpose?
- What's one way that you can pursue God's heart this week?
- Is there a step God's calling you to take—repentance, baptism, serving, reconciliation, or something else?

3. Key Takeaways

- **"Repent and be baptized"** (Acts 2:36-39)
This isn't just an act of worship but also a step of obedience.
- **God's love is greater than our mistakes.**
Through repentance, because of God's love and grace, we experience forgiveness. This has nothing to do with our performance. (Romans 5:8, Ephesians 2:8-9)