

FBC Groups Ministry Discussion Guide

From the King of My Heart Series in 1 Samuel: “When God Goes After Our Hearts” Our Text for the Week of 7.4: 1 Samuel 9-10

Who is the real King of your heart? We continue answering that question in part eight when God answers the people’s demand for a king. Saul was not looking for God, but God was looking for him and had already chosen him to be the next king. Consider how the interaction between Samuel and Saul speaks to our own relationship with God. Read 1 Samuel 10:1-9.

The Interaction between Samuel and Saul reflects the gospel in this way:

Your Relationship with God begins with God

Your Relationship with God brings change to your heart

Your Relationship with God brings change to your purpose

Questions for Group Discussion:

1. How did God interrupt Saul during his pursuit of the donkeys?
2. Describe a time when God has interrupted you.
3. How does Saul’s experience with the Holy Spirit point to the gospel?
4. Describe a divine opportunity in which you were able to help someone else.
5. Be honest in describing how you are trying to keep God at a “safe” distance.
6. Discuss the difference between conversion and calling.
7. How has your relationship with others changed since your conversion to Christ?
8. How do you fulfill your calling in your workplace or other areas of life?

Final Thoughts and Closing Prayer:

What will I do to be ready for daily divine interruptions this week?

How will I pray and live differently because of this study?

Notes & Reflections: