

Series: David, Jesus And Me  
Message: Anointed For Battle  
Scripture: 1 Samuel 16:1-13  
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### **Luke 24:27**

*<sup>27</sup> Then beginning with Moses and with all the prophets, He explained to them the things concerning Himself in all the Scriptures.*

### **DAVID**

1. Chosen By God vs. 1-11

#### **1 Samuel 16:1-3**

*<sup>1</sup> Now the LORD said to Samuel, "How long will you grieve over Saul, since I have rejected him from being king over Israel? Fill your horn with oil and go; I will send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, for I have selected a king for Myself among his sons."*

*<sup>2</sup> But Samuel said, "How can I go? When Saul hears of it, he will kill me." And the LORD said, "Take a heifer with you and say, 'I have come to sacrifice to the LORD.'"*

*<sup>3</sup> "You shall invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will show you what you shall do; and you shall anoint for Me the one whom I designate to you."*

#### **1 Samuel 16:4-5**

*<sup>4</sup> So Samuel did what the LORD said, and came to Bethlehem. And the elders of the city came trembling to meet him and said, "Do you come in peace?"*

*<sup>5</sup> He said, "In peace; I have come to sacrifice to the LORD. Consecrate yourselves and come with me to the sacrifice." He also consecrated Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice.*

#### **1 Samuel 16:6-11**

*<sup>6</sup> When they entered, he looked at Eliab and thought, "Surely the LORD'S anointed is before Him."*

*<sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not look at his appearance or at the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for God sees not as man sees, for man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart."*

*<sup>8</sup> Then Jesse called Abinadab and made him pass before Samuel. And he said, "The LORD has not chosen this one either."*

*<sup>9</sup> Next Jesse made Shammah pass by. And he said, "The LORD has not chosen this one either."*

*<sup>10</sup> Thus Jesse made seven of his sons pass before Samuel. But Samuel said to Jesse, "The LORD has not chosen these."*

*<sup>11</sup> And Samuel said to Jesse, "Are these all the children?" And he said, "There remains yet the youngest, and behold, he is tending the sheep." Then Samuel said to Jesse, "Send and bring him; for we will not sit down until he comes here."*

#### **1 Corinthians 1:27-30**

*<sup>27</sup> but God has chosen the foolish things of the world to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to shame the things which are strong,*

*<sup>28</sup> and the base things of the world and the despised God has chosen, the things that are not, so that He may nullify the things that are,*

*<sup>29</sup> so that no man may boast before God.*

*<sup>30</sup> But by His doing you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and redemption,*

2. A Heart For God vs. 7

**1 Samuel 16:7**

*<sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not look at his appearance or at the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for God sees not as man sees, for man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart."*

**Psalms 57:7**

*<sup>7</sup> My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast; I will sing, yes, I will sing praises!*

3. Anointed By God vs. 3-13

**1 Samuel 16:12-13**

*<sup>12</sup> So he sent and brought him in. Now he was ruddy, with beautiful eyes and a handsome appearance. And the LORD said, "Arise, anoint him; for this is he."*

*<sup>13</sup> Then Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the midst of his brothers; and the Spirit of the LORD came mightily upon David from that day forward. And Samuel arose and went to Ramah.*

4. Suffered For God

**JESUS**

1. Chosen By God

2. The Heart Of God

3. Anointed By God

**1 Samuel 2:10**

*<sup>10</sup> "Those who contend with the LORD will be shattered; Against them He will thunder in the heavens, The LORD will judge the ends of the earth; And He will give strength to His king, And will exalt the horn of His anointed."*

**Matthew 3:16**

*<sup>16</sup> After being baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending as a dove and lighting on Him,*

4. Suffered As God

**Hebrews 5:8**

*<sup>8</sup> Although He was a Son, He learned obedience from the things which He suffered.*

## Us

### 1. Chosen By God

#### **Ephesians 2:1-3**

<sup>1</sup> *And you were dead in your trespasses and sins,*

<sup>2</sup> *in which you formerly walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience.*

<sup>3</sup> *Among them we too all formerly lived in the lusts of our flesh, indulging the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, even as the rest.*

### 2. Given A Heart For God

#### **Ephesians 2:4-5**

<sup>4</sup> *But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,*

<sup>5</sup> *even when we were dead in our transgressions, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved),*

### 3. Anointed By God

#### **Ephesians 1:13**

<sup>13</sup> In Him, you also, after listening to the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation—having also believed, you were sealed in Him with the Holy Spirit of promise,

#### **Acts 1:8**

<sup>8</sup> but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth."

#### **Ephesians 5:18**

<sup>18</sup> And do not get drunk with wine, for that is dissipation, but be filled with the Spirit,

### 4. Suffer For God

#### **2 Timothy 3:12**

<sup>12</sup> Indeed, all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will be persecuted.

#### **Psalms 139:23-24**

<sup>23</sup> Search me, O God, and know my heart; Try me and know my anxious thoughts;

<sup>24</sup> And see if there be any hurtful way in me, And lead me in the everlasting way.