

**IMPACT BIBLE STUDY  
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**I SAMUEL 25:1 – 28:2**

Day 1 – Read I Samuel 25:1 – 28:2

1. What part of the lecture on I Samuel 21:10 – 24:22 was most significant to you?

Day 2 – Review I Samuel 25:1-31

2. Samuel had died. What do you remember as important facts in his life?

3. a. What characteristics are given about Nabal?

b. About Abigail?

4. David's request of verse 8 was fair and in accordance with the customs of the land. Put Nabal's reply in your own words.

5. What kind of attitude did this cause in David?

6. Read Proverbs 24:29; I Thessalonians 5:15.

a. What attitude is referred to in these Scriptures?

b. What lessons can you learn from this?

7. What did Abigail do when she heard the news?
8. List three important facts that Abigail reminds David of in verse 28.

### Day 3 – Review I Samuel 25:32-44

9. What is David's response to Abigail?
10. a. In Matthew 5:9, what does Jesus say about "peacemakers?"  
  
b. On what occasions have you received blessings for being a "peacemaker?"
11. If David had gone on to seek out Nabal, where and in what condition would he have been found? Vs. 36
12. a. What became of Nabal?  
  
b. Of Abigail? What were her immediate and long term blessings?

### Day 4 – Review I Samuel 26:1-25

13. Why did David spare Saul?
14. Reread David's appeal in 24:8-15. What is significant to you in these appeals?
15. a. What do you think Saul was feeling about David and this situation?

- b. What would you do if you were in Saul's place?

Day 5 – Review I Samuel 27:1 – 28:2. Also read Psalm 56.

- 16. a. Where did David flee?

- b. Why?

- 17. a. Describe David's previous encounter with Achish, King of Gath. See I Samuel 21:10-15.

- b. Why had David returned to the land of Judah from this previous hiding in Philistia? See I Samuel 22:1-5.

- 18. a. Where did David make raids?

- b. Where did David say he was making raids?

- 19. What was Achish' conclusion concerning David?

- 20. Read Psalm 56 which is said to have been written during this exile. What were David's feelings at this time?

- 21. With which of these feelings can you most readily identify?

- 22. Mark your favorite verse in this Psalm and share your reasons for choosing it.