

DEEP IMPACT WITH DAVID

LIFE GROUP MATERIAL

Meeting no 2 THEME: FOCUS!

Prepare yourself at least by praying beforehand for a blessed meeting.

If you want to do more to prepare yourself you might read I Samuel 17

Start with sharing:

- Most people at times feel fears, worries and anxieties. What kind of these do you feel at times? And is your faith helpful in this or not?

Pray mentioning a bit about what has been shared.

Read from the Bible: I Samuel 17 step by step. Below you find one question on each scene, feel free to add and discuss your own questions. But make sure that you keep up the pace.

17: 1 -11 The appearance of Goliath and his words were intimidating. Israel however, had a Bible (not as thick as our Bible). What in their Bible could have helped them in this situation? [try to find answers by yourselves. you might look at Numbers 13, Deuteronomy 7:17-18, Deuteronomy 20:1-5]

17:12 -27 David's reaction on Goliath differs from Israel's reaction; he is not frightened but offended. How do you explain this? [see John 11:33, where Jesus' reaction is different]

17:28 -39 Compare the reactions on David's words (Eliab, the people, king Saul). Why does David believe that he can conquer Goliath?

17:40 -54 What do you learn from David's purpose with conquering Goliath?

17:55- 58 Why doesn't Saul allow David to marry his daughter as he promised? [s. 18:18, 18:23]

Digging deeper When you think of a 'Goliath' today, what comes to your mind? How does our Bible story refer to Jesus? And how does it help and encourage you today?

End the Life Group meeting with praying together.