

## QUESTIONS FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

THE LIFE OF DAVID PART 6:  
THE GOD WHO PROVIDES  
**1 SAMUEL 23**  
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1. What are some of the interesting contrasts between 1 Samuel 21-22 and chapter 23?
2. Saul complains that no one discloses urgent matters to him (22:7-8), but how does David discern God's will at Keilah?
3. When have you paused to pray about God's will before an action or a decision? What difference did it make?
4. Why did David flee from the city of Keilah? What does this decision say about him?
5. How did Jonathan encourage David to find his strength in God? How is God using you to encourage others to trust God?
6. How did God protect David at the place called the Rock of Escape? Can you think of examples from your own experience of God's wonderful timing?

*"In You, O LORD, I have taken refuge; let me never be ashamed; in Your righteousness deliver me. Incline Your ear to me, rescue me quickly; be to me a rock of strength, a stronghold to save me. For You are my rock and my fortress; for Your name's sake You will lead me and guide me."*

Psalm 31:1-3

*"Behold God is my helper; the Lord is the sustainer of my soul."*

Psalm 54:4

*"At my first defense no one supported me, but all deserted me; may it not be counted against them. But the Lord stood with me and strengthened me, so that through me the proclamation might be fully accomplished, and that all the Gentiles might hear; and I was rescued out of the lion's mouth."*

2 Timothy 4:16-17

I. Divine \_\_\_\_\_  
*Verses 1-13*

II. Divine \_\_\_\_\_  
*Verses 14-18*

III. Divine \_\_\_\_\_  
*Verses 19-28*

IV. Conclusions

Memory Verse: God's Provision

*“Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.”*

Ephesians 3:20-21