

**Valley Bible Church**  
**Sermon Notes for January 30, 2011**

**“God Users”**  
**1 Samuel 4:1-22**

1. Israel’s Beating (4:1-2)
  - Foolish Attempt
  - Four Thousand
2. Israel’s Bad Idea (4:3-9)
  - Feeling Forgotten
  - Further Foolishness
3. Israel’s Severe Beating (4:10-11)
  - Fled to Tents
  - Firm Spanking
  - Fulfilled Prophecy
4. Eli Falls Backwards (4:12-18)
  - Focus of Fall
  - Fresh Start
5. Israel’s Symbolic Baby (4:19-22)
  - Final Result

So What?

Acts 19:15

1 Samuel 2:12

Luke 13:23-27