

Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions

Study Aid for the Sermon from May 20, 2012
Going Public
1 Samuel 10:1-27

Observing the text

As a review, read 1 Samuel 9. How does that chapter end for Saul?

How does 1 Samuel 10:1 make the comments at the end of chapter 9 more clear?

What else does God do in 1 Samuel 10:2-13 to make 10:1 a sure thing?

Why would casting lots be used in 1 Samuel 10:20-21, if God had already chosen Saul?

What does 1 Samuel 10:22 reveal about Israel's new king?

Applying the sermon

How can the advice given to Saul in verse 7 instruct us?

How is the Holy Spirit's indwelling in your life different than in Saul's?

In what way was Saul like Jonah in verse 22? In what areas do you see this tendency in your life?

What can we learn and apply from the instruction given to kings in Deuteronomy 17:18-20?

What can we learn from Saul's example in verse 27?