

Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions

Study Aid for the Sermon from January 20, 2013
Trust and Obey
1 Samuel 13:1-23

Observing the text

What impresses you about Jonathan and what depresses you about Saul in 1 Samuel 13:2-4?

What was the reaction of Saul's men when the Philistines assembled to fight?

In light of 1 Samuel 10:8 and 13:8, Saul is in what kind of dilemma?

How does Saul handle this dilemma?

What is the result of Saul's decision?

Applying the sermon

What areas in your life are you allowing Satan to control because you want to avoid a spiritual battle?

When you feel "out numbered" by the enemy (Satan), what is your typical response?
What should be your response?

In what life situations are you most likely to make decisions based on your fear of man?

Knowing that the fear of man is a snare and can lead to disobedience, what can you do to avoid this sin?

How can you grow in your opportunities to trust and wait on the Lord?