David Spares the Lord’s Anointed

1 Samuel 24-27

Lesson 9
Outline of 1 Samuel:

I. Samuel: Judge and Prophet (1 Samuel 1-7)

II. The Reign of Saul (1 Samuel 8-14)

III. The Decline of Saul and Rise of David (1 Samuel 15-31)
   I. Saul Rejected (15:23)
   II. David Anointed (16:12-13)
   III. Saul’s Anger Makes David a Fugitive (19-23)
David Shows Restraint –
...against Saul (24)
...against Nabal (25)
...against Saul (26)

David in Philistia (27)
David Shows Restraint –
...against Saul (24)

- Saul enters the Cave (24:1-3)
- David Cuts Off the Skirt of Saul’s Robe (24:4-7)
- David’s Long Speech (24:8-15)
- Saul’s Response (24:16-22)
David Shows Restraint – …against Nabal (25)

- Death of Samuel (25:1)
- Nabal in Maon (25:2-3)
- David Sends to Nabal (25:4-8)
- Nabal Responds (25:9-11)
- David Gets Ready to Fight (25:12-13)
- Abigail is Informed (25:14-17)
- Abigail Gets Ready (25:18-19)
- Abigail Meets David (25:20-23)
David Shows Restraint –
...against Nabal (25)
- Abigail’s Long Speech (25:24-31)
- David’s Response to Abigail (25:32-35)
- Death of Nabal (25:36-39a)
- Abigail Becomes David’s Wife (25:39b-44)
David Shows Restraint –
...against Saul (26)
  ❖ Ziphites Inform Saul (26:1-3a)
  ❖ David Goes to Saul’s Camp (26:3b-5)
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  ❖ David and Abner (26:13-16)
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