

# Unlikely Hero

## A Study Of The Life Of David



### Calling A King

#### 1 Samuel 16:1-13

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The following questions can be used for Small Group discussions or for personal reflection:

1. What are some of your biggest questions about the Bible? Have you ever tried to seek out the answers to those questions?
2. David is a foreshadowing of Christ. In what ways can you see Christ in the character and life of David?
3. "One of the most terrifying things that can happen in this world is when God gives people what they want." How have you seen this statement to be true in your life or experience?
4. Who have you seen to be a good leader? Remember that our definition of a good leader is one who is a passionate follower of Jesus.
5. God is the great initiator of grace. He comes to us. How has God come to you with his grace?
6. When it comes to character, what is the condition of your heart? What is good? What needs to change?
7. When it comes to calling, what has God called you to do? How can you see him equipping you to do this?
8. For further study, read and discuss the following Scriptures: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Ephesians 2:1-10; Romans 8:28; 2 Timothy 1:9; Romans 5:1-5; James 1:2-3.

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**The best \_\_\_\_\_ have to be the most passionate \_\_\_\_\_.**

**God is the \_\_\_\_\_ – He comes to us with His \_\_\_\_\_.**

#### **Why did God choose David to be King?**

Because of God's \_\_\_\_\_.

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#### **What's so special about David's heart?**

\_\_\_\_\_ – Your character is a reflection of your heart.

\_\_\_\_\_ – God doesn't call the qualified as much as he qualifies the called.

#### **Questions to ask ourselves:**

What is the condition of my heart?

What has God called me to do?