



What To Do When You Have To Fight A Giant

1 Samuel 17:1-11

Identify Your Giant

- The story of David and Goliath is more than just a story, it is a fact.
- Goliath was 9 feet 9 inches tall.
- Nobody believed in God enough to take a risk in fighting Goliath.
- We all have giants in our lives.
- We need to identify our giants.
- We have a God who can help us kill our giants just like David killed Goliath.

Identify Yourself

- David was the youngest of eight sons, but we do not know for sure how old he was.
- To understand the story of David and Goliath, you need to see who he became.
- David is mentioned 1092 times in the Bible.
- David is mainly known for how he killed the giant, Goliath.
- David had no doubt about who he was and what he had to do.
- As Christians, we need to have the assurance of who we are.

Identify Your Strengths

- David knew that nothing less than total success would be acceptable.
- David was not afraid to commit himself to a line of action.
- We do not set goals in our personal and spiritual lives, because we are afraid of how it will look if we do not succeed.
- Every problem we encounter will not necessarily be a giant.
- David never expected that he could kill Goliath all by himself.
- David did not deny that he was small, or young, he talked about how great his God was.
- David claimed God's promises, but David did everything he could do as well.

Conclusion

- One of the most important steps in overcoming the giants in our life is coming face to face with the fact that it is up to you.
- God expects us to do our part so He can do His part.
- Are your problems bigger than God can handle?
- Do not wait for a David to come along because YOU are “David!”