

<u>Life Group Story Guide (Week 2)</u>

Theme: "JESUS Is For Losers", **Story Guide 2: 1st Samuel 16:1-13** (David Anointed King)

Open in Prayer, Welcome & Introductions

Review of Life Group Guidelines

Hook Question:

What are three words that people would use to describe you?

Background of tonight' story:

Saul's disobedience to the LORD makes him an unfit king for the Israelites. In the aftermath of the LORD'S rejection of Saul as king of Israel; the Prophet Samuel is still mourning the decision. But, the LORD has someone else in mind as king and asks Samuel to seek the new righteous king, and it is someone no one would have expected.

Tell the Story: This week's Bible passage is found in 1st Samuel 16:1-13

Rebuild the Story (look for additions or omissions)

Read the Story out loud

Questions:

- What can we learn from GOD telling Samuel to get up and move on when we are dealing with our difficult situations?
- Is there something GOD is calling you to let go of from the past or present so HE can move you on to 'a new thing' if so, please share.
- How does it make you feel knowing that GOD doesn't call the qualified, but HE qualifies "the called"?
- How can you use these Bible verses to make better decisions about people you encounter and to love others as GOD loves you?

Review & Retell the Story

Assign Next Week's Story: Luke 7:36-50

Close in Prayer