

# Home Group Discussion Questions



*This study guide is designed to help you apply Sunday's message. Join one of our sermon-based Home Groups in order to do this study together. Visit [crosspointsr.org/homegroups](http://crosspointsr.org/homegroups) to find a group for you!*

1. Has there ever been a time when someone said things against God and you felt you had to do something about it? What did you do?

2. Read 1 Samuel 17:1-11 and answer the following questions:

-What did you see when looking at Goliath? What was he like physically?

-What was Goliath like emotionally or spiritually?

-How did King Saul and the other soldiers respond to Goliath's challenge? Who should have faced him?

3. Read 1 Samuel 17:20-26. How did David's perception of the Goliath problem differ from all the other soldiers?

Now read verses 33-37. How did David's view of Goliath's challenge differ from Saul's view? What was the difference in their focus?

4. Read 1 Samuel 17:41-54. How did Goliath insult God? What was David's purpose in battling Goliath?

How did David's defeat of Goliath give glory to God and showcase God's choice of David as Israel's king?

5. On Sunday, Pastor Mike said that David's defeat of Goliath parallels Jesus' defeat of sin and Satan. How?

6. In what ways does your life demonstrate that you are confident in God's power? In what ways does your life NOT demonstrate this confidence? What needs to take place so you can be confident in God's power?

*Pray for each other in your group, for trust in God's power in the different situations you face in life.*