



COMMUNITY OF FAITH

STUDENT TAKEOVER - WEEK ONE

“DON’T WASTE YOUR WAIT”

1 Samuel 16:11

So he asked Jesse, “Are these all the sons you have?” “There is still the youngest,” Jesse answered. “He is tending the sheep.” Samuel said, “Send for him; we will not sit down until he arrives.”

1 Samuel 16:12-13 NIV

Samuel said, “Send for him; we will not sit down until he arrives.” So he sent for him and had him brought in. He was glowing with health and had a fine appearance and handsome features. Then the Lord said, “Rise and anoint him; this is the one.” So Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the presence of his brothers, and from that day on the Spirit of the Lord came powerfully upon David. Samuel then went to Ramah.

1 Samuel 16:14

Now the Spirit of the Lord had departed from Saul...

Just because you’re not there yet, doesn’t mean you’re not on your way.

1 Samuel 16:19

“Send me your son David, who is with the Sheep.”

Just because it’s painful doesn’t mean God’s not present.

Your success in life will largely be determined by what you do in the waiting.

Our waiting seasons are preparation seasons.

Good things too soon may end up hurting you.

1 Samuel 17:48 NLT

As the Philistine moved closer to attack him, David ran quickly toward the battle line to meet him.

Judges 20:16

Among all these soldiers there were seven hundred select troops who were left-handed, each of whom could sling a stone at a hair and not miss.

You may not be able to change your situation, but you can change your perspective in that situation.

Ephesians 6:12

For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.