

SERMON MESSAGE FOR JULY 20/21, 2019

Pastor Josh Rose
BEAUTIFULLY IMPERFECT
The Beauty, the Beast, and the Buffoon
1 Samuel 25 (p. 259)

FROM THE JULY 20/21, 2019 SERMON
GO DEEPER WITH THIS WEEKEND'S MESSAGE

EFCC's Life Groups are on break until early September. To help you go deeper in God's Word this summer, this page may feature options for you such as S.O.A.P. journal entries. Consider this page as a guide to help you, but feel free to use your own notebook.

Abigail's lessons in _____ that _____ David's kingdom:

1. Your _____ builds _____ with people. (14)

2. Be willing to _____ into the _____, (17-18)

3. Earn the _____ to be _____. (18-23)

4. Humbly _____ your _____, (24-28)

5. Know your _____ and then _____ them. (28-31)

THE MAIN LESSON

Change is _____ when God's _____ works in God's
_____ for God's _____. (32-35)

SCRIPTURE

Read 1 Samuel 25 and review your sermon outline notes. Compare this passage and related verses in different Bible versions. Read through the passage a few times.

OBSERVATION

Write down some observations about the passage. What does it actually say or mean? Define terms and notice the context of the passage. See if you can summarize it.

APPLICATION

Next ask, "Lord, what are you saying to me through this passage of Your Word?" Write down how you think the passage relates to you right now.

PRAYER

Now interact with God's Word in prayer. Respond to the passage with prayers of adoration, confession, renewal, petition, intercession, and/or thanksgiving.



For online sermon resources (audios, videos and study notes), scan the QR code with your smart phone or tablet, or visit our web site at www.efcc.org/sermons.

EFCC Open Wi-Fi Password: **John3:16**

July 20/21, 2019

BEAUTIFULLY IMPERFECT

The Beauty, the Beast, and the Buffoon

1 Samuel 25, (p. 259)

Pastor Josh Rose

(For Scripture references and fill-in the blanks)

Abigail teaches David a lesson in godly leadership that saves his kingdom.

Abigail's 7 Lessons of Humble Leadership:

1. Trust is the currency of leadership. (25:14)
2. Be willing to step into the gaps. (25:18)
3. You must earn the right to be heard. (25:18-23)
4. Own your failures. (25:24-25)
5. Know your audience. (25:28-29)
6. A vision of a better future is compelling. (25:30-31)
7. Change is necessary for growth. (25:32-35)

Humility is so important because it is the inner attitude necessary for love.

God's leaders must reject the love of power and embrace the power of love.