

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
AUGUST 2, 2026

SAFE IN THE STRONG HAND OF GOD
1 SAMUEL 23:14-29

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

You will find no better safety for your pilgrimage through the wilderness than in the hand of Almighty God.

- I. God's Hand of Strengthening (v.14-18)
- II. God's Hand of Protection (v.19-29)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

- 1. How are you tempted to put your trust in all kinds of natural securities, such as home, money, health, etc.? Why can't they provide ultimate safety?
- 2. What are some texts in the Bible that speak of friendship? How can you pray these to God as you seek Christian friendship or pray for your current friends?
- 3. Reflect on how the Lord has delivered you in your lifetime in very unexpected ways? Praise God and trust Him for your current needs!
- 4. Covenant children – do you look to God as your ultimate source of safety? Why can't anyone or anything else keep you as safe as King Jesus does?

FURTHER READING: Prov 18:24; Luke 9:57-58; Luke 22:42, 23:46; Heb 4:15-16; Psalm 54