

Notice What God Is Doing

The Thrill of Living Like Dave (part 5)

The whole world will know
that there is a God.

1 Samuel 17:46 NIV



Figure Out What God Is Doing and Get 100% Behind It

they never think about the Lord or notice what he is doing. Isaiah 5:12 NLT

❖ Give My Heart to God's Interests

This day the Lord will hand you over to me, and I'll strike you down and cut off your head. ... **the whole world will know that there is a God** in Israel. **All those gathered here will know** that it is not by sword or spear that the Lord saves; for the battle is the Lord's ...
1 Samuel 17:46-47 NIV

May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face shine upon us, **that your ways may be known on earth**, your salvation among all nations.

Psalms 67:1-2 NIV

❖ Choose Humility and Loyalty

The **soul of Jonathan was knit with the soul of David**; and Jonathan loved him as his own soul. ... He became **totally committed** to David. From that point on he would be **David's number-one advocate and friend**.
1 Samuel 18:1 KJV Msg

Jonathan made a covenant with David, a pledge of **mutual loyalty**,
swore eternal friendship

1 Samuel 18:3 NIV GWV GNB

Saul's anger flared up at Jonathan and he said to him, "You son of a perverse and rebellious woman! Don't I know that **you have sided with [chosen]** the son of Jesse to your own shame and to the shame of the mother who bore you? As long as the son of Jesse lives on this earth, neither you nor your kingdom will be established. Now send and bring him to me, for he must die!"

1 Samuel 20:30-31 NIV

David said, "You must not harm him! The Lord will certainly punish whoever harms his chosen king. By the living Lord," David continued, "I know that the Lord himself will kill Saul, either when his time comes to die a natural death or when he dies in battle. **The Lord forbid that I should try to harm the one whom the Lord has made king!**"

1 Samuel 26:9-11 GNB

❖ Aim Only at Doing My Best for Him

He **put his life on the line** when he killed the Philistine. What a great victory God gave Israel that day!

1 Samuel 19:5 Msg

I move on toward the goal **to win the prize**. God has appointed me to win it.

The heavenly prize is Christ Jesus himself.

Philippians 3:14 NIRV

You've all been to the stadium and seen the athletes race. Everyone runs; one wins. **Run to win.**

1 Corinthians 9:24 Msg

Athletes cannot win the prize unless they **follow the rules**.
2 Timothy 2:5 NLT

**I have become a slave to all people
to bring many to Christ.**

1 Corinthians 9:19 NLT

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MSG - The Message
NCV - New Century Version
GWV - God's Word Version

NLT - New Living Translation
NIRV - New International Readers' Version
GNB - New Living Translation
WSV - Word on the Street Version