

A HERO AMONGST MEN

# A Mighty Champion for the Philistine Camp



## Goliath of Gath

- Over 9 feet tall
- Bronze helmet
- Bronze coat of armor weighing 125 lbs.
- He carried a 10 -12 ft bronze javelin on his back.
- A Shield so large he had another man to carry .
- Years of military battle experience.

# The SHEPHERD from Bethlehem for Israel



## David the Son of Jesse

- Youngest in his family
- No military battle experience
- 5 stones
- Sling



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# 1. COURAGE

## 1 Samuel 17:32 (NKJV)

<sup>32</sup> Then David said to Saul, “Let no man’s heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine.”

## 2. CONFIDENCE

### 1 Samuel 17:34-36

“Your servant has been keeping his father’s sheep. When a lion or a bear came and carried off a sheep from the flock, <sup>35</sup> I went after it, struck it and rescued the sheep from its mouth. When it turned on me, I seized it by its hair, struck it and killed it.”

# 3. FAITH

## 1 SAMUEL 17: 37

“The LORD, who delivered me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, He will deliver me from the hand of this Philistine.”

## 4. PREPARATION

### 1 Samuel 17:40 (NLT)

“ He went down to the stream and picked out five smooth stones and put them in his shepherd's bag. Then, armed with his shepherd's staff and sling, he started out to fight Goliath.”



# 5. VICTORY

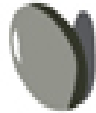
## 1 Samuel 17:47 (NKJV)

47” Then all this assembly shall know that the LORD does not save with sword and spear; for the battle *is* the LORD’s, and He will give you into our hands.”

# 5 STONE TAKE AWAY



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# THE LORD ALWAYS WINS

