

## Questions for reflection: 1 Samuel 23:1-18

1. When have you seen God produce good in you or around you either because of or in spite of trouble or difficult circumstances?
2. What are the evidences in your life that God has not abandoned you? To what can you point that shows the goodness of God, even when circumstances might tempt you to doubt his presence or goodness?
3. Can you recall a time when a friend not only spoke encouraging words of their own, but also brought you back into the presence of God, placing, as it were, your hand in God's hand.
4. Take some time to think about who you could encourage (in person, call, note, e-mail, text, etc.) in an abiding way and then act on it.