



# 9:00 Live Sunday School at FBJ

## Can the Anointed Lose the Holy Spirit?

### I. Saul's Rejection as King - 1st Samuel 15: 34-35

#### II. vv.1-5

A. v.1 – YHWH said to Samuel - YHWH told Samuel to be ready for an anointing  
“Jesse the Bethlehemite” – only Jesse in the Bible - This is a fulfillment of prophesy

#### B. Ruth 4:11-12; 18-22

1. Genesis 38 – Judah and Tamar

2. Deuteronomy 23:2: *No one born of a forbidden union may enter the assembly of the LORD. Even to the tenth generation, none of his descendants may enter the assembly of the LORD.* (ESV)

3. Ruth 4:18-22

C. Why is Samuel worried about Saul? He must pass directly by him

#### III. vv.6-7

A. Samuel makes an assumption like we might do - This speaks to God's sovereignty and His “directive will” after His permissive will has been shown - YHWH looks at our *labab*

#### IV. vv.8-11 - What's in a Name?

A. Eliab – God is my Father; Abinadab – My father is noble; Shammah – Astonishment; David – Beloved

B. v.11 - David the lesser? – *qatan*

1. Jonah 3:5 – *qatan* translated “the least”

2. Genesis 42:32 – *qatan* translated “the youngest”

## V. vv.12-15

- A. YHWH said – third time in this passage - The first time we see David in Scripture we see the Holy Spirit
- B. v.13b – Spirit of LORD rushed upon - KJV – “came upon”; NIV – “came powerfully upon”; HCSB – “took control”; NASB – “came mightily upon” –

- *tsalach* – Strong’s H6743

### C. Two Anointings:

1. Samuel sent to anoint David; Saul tripped into Samuel
2. Both done with an “invitation only” meal
3. Saul done in private; David in front of his brothers

### D. Can you lose the Holy Spirit? – Romans 8:9-17

1. v.9 – “if indeed” or “if in fact”
2. What am I to do?
  - a. Don’t live according to the flesh
  - b. Put to death deeds of the body
  - c. Suffer with Him

### E. Saul’s Failures:

1. Failed to obey (wait seven days 13:13)
2. Failed to trust (15:24-25)
3. Failed to repent – Psalm 51

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