## 1 & 2 SAMUEL

"Lessons in Leadership from Life on the Lam, Part 1"

**INTRO:** David begins life "on the lam" due to Saul's jealousy-filled pursuit of the newly anointed King. David is forced to make decisions with farreaching consequences. But God is at work in David!

I. Believers' <u>may evoke</u> from others. David's success evoked jealousy from Saul who sought David's life.

- II. A Believer's response to enemy \_\_\_\_\_ may boil down to \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_. For David, the ONLY responsible response was *flight*.
- III. Whether by \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ in response to enemy \_\_\_\_\_, learn God's \_\_\_\_\_ lessons (21:1-22:23).

God is using all things to teach us and enhance our future ministry.

**A.** 

Intentions aside, David's actions were **deceptive** at best.

B.

David assumed responsibility for his actions. So should we.