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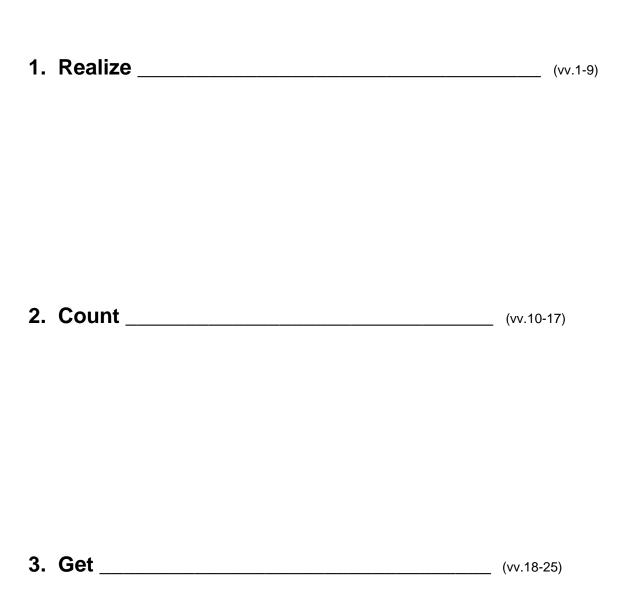
Text: 2 Samuel 24:1-25
Topic: Prosperity. Obedience.
Series: Book of 2 Samuel

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The Hazards of Prosperity





Application Questions

These questions are provided for your further study and application of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point of today's message. It is also helpful to discuss your answers with others. This can take place with friends, your family, accountability partners, or ministry groups within the church.

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1.	Describe a difficult or challenging season in your Christian life in which the circumstance to rely heavily on God's goodness, guidance, comfort and provision.	s of your life drove you	
	Read Deuteronomy 8:11-18. In what ways have you experienced the hazards described a comfortable season of your life?	in this passage during	
	How does this observation alter your perspective on "difficult times" or "lean seasons" of I	ife?	
2.	Read 1 Timothy 6:17. What are some practical exercises, routines, disciplines, prayers keep your "hope" firmly fixed on the Giver, instead of his gifts (whether his gifts are a gr growing army, a growing family, or growing friendships)?		
3.	Read Exodus 34:14 and James 4:4-5. Describe a situation in your Christian life that you to jealously intervene.	odus 34:14 and James 4:4-5. Describe a situation in your Christian life that you believe provoked God sly intervene.	
	How would you explain to someone the appropriateness of God requiring our absolute trust and primary attention.	Read through the Bible in a year! Here is this week's schedule. Don't worry about catching up, just jump in. Sunday Ezra 9-10 & Jms.3-5 Monday Neh.1-3 & 1Pt.1-2	
4.	What obedient act can you do today that is outside of your comfort zone?	Tuesday Neh.4-5 & 1Pt.3-4 Wednesday Neh.6-7 & 1Pt.5 Thursday Neh.8-9 & 2Pt.1-2	

Neh.10-11 & 2Pt.3

Neh.12-13 & 1Jn.1-2

Saturday