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I Samuel 22 (Selected Verses)

## LIFE IN A CAVE

### I. Introduction

<sup>14</sup> In everything he did he had great success, because the LORD was with him. <sup>15</sup> When Saul saw how successful he was, he was afraid of him.”  
I Samuel 18:14-15

<sup>10</sup> Saul tried to pin him to the wall with his spear, but David eluded him as Saul drove the spear into the wall. That night David made good his **escape**.”  
I Samuel 19:10

### II. Six Supports David Lost:

\_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 18:11)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 19:9-10)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 19:11-17)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 19:18-20:1)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 20:42)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (I Samuel 21:10-15)

**22** David left Gath and **escaped to the cave of Adullam**. When his brothers and his father’s household heard about it, they went down to him there. <sup>2</sup> **All those who were in distress or in debt or discontented gathered around him**, and he became their commander. About **four hundred men** were with him.”  
I Samuel 22:1-2

### III. Surviving Life In A Cave

A. \_\_\_\_\_ **how you feel.**

<sup>1</sup> **I cry aloud** to the LORD; I lift up my voice to the LORD for mercy. <sup>2</sup> **I pour out** before him my complaint; before **him I tell** my trouble.” Psalm 142:1-2

<sup>6</sup> Listen to my cry, for **I am in desperate need**; rescue me from those who pursue me, for **they are too strong for me.**" I Samuel 142:6

**B. \_\_\_\_\_ for who He is.**

<sup>5</sup> I cry to you, LORD; I say, "You are **my refuge, my portion** in the land of the living." Psalm 142:5

"Then I pray to you, O Lord. I say, "You are my place of refuge. **You are all I really want in life.**" Psalm 142:5 (NLT)

Have mercy on me, my God, have mercy on me, for in you I take **refuge**. I will take **refuge** in the shadow of your wings until the disaster has passed." Psalm 57:1

<sup>10</sup> For great is your love, reaching to the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies.' Psalm 57:10

#### **IV. Conclusion And Application:**