

Entering The Battlefield

without God

1 Samuel 17:40-50

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- 1) **What Does That Look like?**
- 2) **What Are The Conquences of Doing So ?**



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- ❑ What Does That Look like? **Arrogance** V41-42
- ❑ “*He despised him*” *You’re only “A” ... ? or you’re a nobody*
- ❑ “*Come here*” **PRIDE +ARROGANCE** V 43

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PRIDE +Arrogance

- ▶ Pride says ... **Who needs the God of Israelites ?**
- ▶ *I don't know Him... I don't believe in Him... I don't need Him ... I'm already successful without HIM.*
- ▶ Pride-arrogance- boastfulness... is all wrapped up in?

Self –Sufficiency



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- ▶ How about a quiet word in Goliath's ear **Proverbs 16:18 GNT**
- ▶ **Pride leads to destruction, and arrogance to downfall.**
- ▶ Or how about...? **Matthew 23:12**
 - ▶ *For those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.*
- ▶ Would he have listened? **Would -You?**



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3 FATAL-ERRORS

1. Goliath **Allowed** his Pride and Arrogance Rule the Day
2. He **Heard** *the warnings* but chose not to **Heed** them
3. **Regardless** of power-position or success... no man ... can fight God and win

