

# PARENT GUIDE

## BECOMING EXTRAORDINARY

### **BIG IDEA:**

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### **VERSE:**

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**WEEK 2:** David, the Musician (1 Samuel 16:14-19, 21-23)

**WEEK 3:** David, the Warrior (1 Samuel 17:1-4, 10-11, 25-26, 32-35, 37, 40, 42-43, 45, 47-50)

**WEEK 4:** David, the Kind Host (2 Samuel 9:2-3, 5-8, 11, 13)

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### **WEEKLY/DAILY ACTIVITIES:**

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1. God makes an Extraordinary Friendship (1 Sam 20)
2. God makes David Extraordinarily Good (1 Sam 21:1-10)
3. God makes David an Extraordinary Warrior (Again) (1 Sam 23:1-4)
4. God makes David Extraordinarily Merciful (1 Sam 24)
5. God makes David Great (2 Sam 7:1-17)

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With each story, ask these questions:

- How did God make David extraordinary?
- What do these stories have in common?
- How do you hope God makes you extraordinary?
- Why does God make His people extraordinary?

Be sure to pray after you read and discuss.

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