

Study Aids

Discussion Questions For “What’s the Message?” Lessons

Lesson 53

Questions:

In this lesson we have seen the jealousy of Saul grow until it turned into a consuming hate. Is that a normal progression? Can hatred be stopped before it has reached this high state? How?

What is consuming hate? Is there a price to be paid by the bearer of such hate? What does it mean to you when you see these words: “Hatred poisons the one who carries it.”?

What is the cost of such hate? Short of death, does this cost have personal, social, and economic elements?

Can God forgive even this kind of hate? Can one who is burning with such hate turn back to God for help? Is there a role-model that can be followed as an example? Could David be such an example?