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Digging Deeper: Group Questions & Personal Reflection

1. Read Psalm 40 together. This Psalm describes David's rescue from an undisclosed, miry pit. What are some pits that are common in life? Name a pit that you've experienced.
2. How can we determine the balance between trusting completely in the Lord versus using our own legitimate means or methods?
3. Why is pragmatism ("if it works, it must be okay") dangerous? Do methods that do not include God sometimes "work"?
4. Study Genesis 41:1 and Acts 24:27 in their contexts. Why does God make His choice servants wait, especially when they could accomplish so much if they were free?
5. Read the story of King Saul (1 Samuel 15). Why was he tempted not to wait on the Lord, but to take matters into his own hands? What were the consequences?