Emotional Health is defined as our ability to be selfaware, to love well, & to live a slowed down spirituality in order to cultivate our relationship with Jesus.

## 1 Samuel 15:7-24

- (v. 7-13) Emotionally immature people have a low self-awareness level and inflated sense of self.
- (v. 14-15) Emotionally immature people easily and quickly blame others.
- (v.16-17) Emotionally immature people walk in self-deception.
- (v.18-21) Saul's lack of self-awareness leads him to go through the motions of religious activity as if they were enough for God.
- (v.22-24, 30) Our false self can become such a part of who we are that we don't even realize it.

Hope Shot: Powerful breakthroughs take place below the surface of our lives when the riches of sloweddown spirituality and emotional health are joined together.

## Reflect:

Where are your blind spots?

Do we elevate the opinions of others above God?

Do we blame shift to avoid owning our own failures?