

1 Samuel Study Guide

Chapter 1

- 1) How many wives did Elkanah have? (1:2) **Two**
- 2) Which of Elkanah's wives had no children? (1:2) **Hannah**
- 3) How often did Elkanah go to worship and sacrifice to the Lord? (1:3) **Yearly**
- 4) Where were the sons of Eli serving as priests? (1:3) **Shiloh**
- 5) Who would Elkanah give a double portion to? (1:5) **Hannah**
- 6) Who was sitting by the doorpost of the temple when Hannah prayed to the Lord? (1:9) **Eli the Priest**
- 7) What did Hannah ask God to give her while praying in the temple? (1:11) **A Son**
- 8) What did Hannah vow she would do if God gave her a son? (1:11) **Give him to the Lord and a razor would never touch his head**
- 9) While Hannah was praying, what was Eli watching? (1:12) **Her mouth**
- 10) How was Hannah speaking when she prayed to God in the temple? (1:13) **In her heart**
- 11) What did Eli think when he saw Hannah praying but did not hear her voice? (1:13) **He thought she was drunk**
- 12) What did Eli tell Hannah to put away when he saw her in the temple praying? (1:14) **Her wine**
- 13) What did Hannah say she had poured out before the Lord? (1:15) **Her Soul**
- 14) What did Hannah name her son? (1:20) **Samuel**
- 15) What did Hannah say when she had named her son Samuel? (1:20) **“Because I have asked him of the Lord”**
- 16) Who did not go with Elkanah to offer the yearly sacrifice after Samuel was born? (1:22) **Hannah**
- 17) When did Hannah say she would go up to the temple? (1:22) **When the child was weaned**
- 18) How long did Hannah say that the child would stay before the Lord? (1:22) **Forever**
- 19) After the child was weaned, where did Hannah take him? (1:24) **To the house of the Lord, in Shiloh**
- 20) When Hannah took her child to the house of the Lord, what did she bring with her? (1:24) **A 3 year old bull, an Ephah of flour and a jug of wine**
- 21) Who did Hannah take her child to? (1:25) **Eli**

Chapter 2

- 1) In Hannah's song of thanksgiving, what did she say happens to the bows of the mighty? (2:4) **They are shattered**
- 2) In Hannah's song of thanksgiving, what did she say happens to the hungry? (2:5) **They cease to hunger**
- 3) In Hannah's song of thanksgiving, who did she say was raised from the dust? (2:8) **The poor**
- 4) Where was Elkanah's home? (2:11) **Ramah**
- 5) What did Hannah's son do after he was presented to Eli? (2:11) **He ministered to the Lord before Eli the priest**
- 6) How are the son's of Eli described? (2:12) **Worthless men**
- 7) When a man was offering a sacrifice, who would come while the meat was boiling? (2:13) **the priests servant**
- 8) What would be in the hand of the priests servant when he came during a sacrifice? (2:13) **a three-pronged fork**

- 9) What would happen to the meat that came up on the three-pronged fork? (2:14) **The priest would take it for himself**
- 10) When would the priests servant come and ask for meat to roast? (2:15) **Before they burned the fat**
- 11) Why would the priests servant say they needed meat for roasting? (2:15) **they would not take boiled meat, only raw**
- 12) What would the priests servant say if he was told they must burn the fat off the meat first? (2:16) **No, you shall give it to me now, and if not, I will take it by force**
- 13) What was Samuel wearing when he ministered to the lord as a boy? (2:18) **a linen ephod**
- 14) What would Samuel's mother make for him from year to year? (2:19) **a little robe**
- 15) When would Samuel's mother bring him what she had made? (2:19) **when she came with her husband to make the yearly sacrifice**
- 16) How many children did Hannah have? (2:21) **Three sons and two daughters**
- 17) What did Eli tell him he had heard about them from the people? (2:23) **Evil things**
- 18) Eli told his sons that if one man sins against another, who will mediate for him? (2:25) **God**
- 19) What did the Lord desire for Eli's sons? (2:25) **To put them to death**
- 20) Who came to speak to Eli about his sons? (2:27) **A man of God**
- 21) Where did the Lord say he had revealed himself to the Israelites? (2:27) **While they were in Egypt**
- 22) What did the Lord say he would do to those who honor him? (2:30) **He would honor them**
- 23) What did the Lord say he would do to those who despise him? (2:30) **They would be lightly esteemed**
- 24) Who were the sons of Eli? (2:34) **Hophni and Phinehas**
- 25) What was the sign that would come to Eli? (2:34) **Both his sons would die on the same day**
- 26) The Lord told Eli he would raise up a faithful priest who would do according to what? (2:35) **What was in his Heart and his Soul**

Chapter 3

- 1) When Samuel was ministering before Eli, what was infrequent? (3:1) **Visions**
- 2) What had happened to Eli's vision? (3:2) **It had grown dim**
- 3) Where was Samuel lying when the Lord called to him? (3:3) **In the Temple of the Lord**
- 4) When the Lord called to Samuel, who did Samuel think was calling him? (3:5) **Eli**
- 5) When the Lord was calling to Samuel, what had not yet been revealed to him? (3:7) **The word of the Lord**
- 6) How many times did Samuel think that Eli was calling him before Eli discerned that it was the Lord? (3:8) **Three**
- 7) What did Samuel say to Eli each time that he thought Eli had called him? (3:8) **“Here I am, for you called me”**
- 8) What did Eli tell Samuel to say the next time he heard the call? (3:9) **“Speak Lord, for your servant is listening”**
- 9) The Lord told Samuel that he was going to judge the house of whom? (3:12-13) **Eli**
- 10) God told Samuel that Eli's sons had brought what on themselves? (3:13) **A Curse**
- 11) After God spoke to Samuel, what was Samuel afraid to do? (3:15) **Tell the vision to Eli**
- 12) What did Samuel tell Eli of the vision he had? (3:18) **Everything**
- 13) What did Eli say after Samuel told him what God had spoken? (3:18) **“It is the Lord, let him do what seems good to him”**
- 14) Who knew that Samuel was confirmed as a prophet of the Lord? (3:20) **All Israel**

15) Where did the Lord reveal himself to Samuel? (3:21) **Shiloh**

Chapter 4

- 1) Who did the Israelites go to meet in battle in chapter 4? (4:1) **The Philistines**
- 2) When the Israelites went to meet the Philistines in battle, where did they camp? (4:1) **beside Ebenezer**
- 3) When the Israelites went to meet the Philistines in battle, where did the Philistines camp? (4:1) **in Aphek**
- 4) How many men of the Israelites did the Philistines kill before they brought the ark to the camp? (4:2) **About 4000**
- 5) After they were defeated by the Philistines, who decided to take the Ark of the Covenant from Shiloh? (4:3) **The Elders of Israel**
- 6) Where did the Israelites go to get the Ark of the Covenant? (4:4) **Shiloh**
- 7) Who was with the Ark of the Covenant when the people went to get it? (4:4) **the Sons of Eli, Hophni and Phinehas**
- 8) When the Ark of the Covenant came into the camp, what did the Israelites do? (4:5) **Shouted with a great shout**
- 9) When the Philistines knew that the Ark of the Lord was in the Israelite camp, what was their reaction? (4:7) **They were afraid**
- 10) When the Philistines decided to attack the Israelites, how many of the foot soldiers of Israel fell? (4:10) **Thirty Thousand**
- 11) When the Philistines attacked the Israelites, what did they take? (4:11) **The Ark of God**
- 12) When the Philistines attacked Israel, what two people died in the battle? (4:11) **Hophni and Phinehas**
- 13) The man that ran from the battle with the Philistines was from what tribe? (4:12) **Benjamin**
- 14) Where did the man, who ran from the battle with the Philistines, come to? (4:12) **Shiloh**
- 15) Where was Eli when the man came with news of the battle against the Philistines? (4:13) **In his seat by the road**
- 16) How old was Eli when he died? (4:15) **Ninety-Eight**
- 17) How long did Eli judge Israel? (4:18) **Forty years**
- 18) What happened to Phineas's wife when she learned that her husband had died? (4:19) **She gave birth**
- 19) What did Phineas's wife name her son? (4:20) **Ichabod**

Chapter 5

- 1) When the Philistines took the ark of God, they brought it from Ebenezer to where? (5:1) **Ashdod**
- 2) Where did the Philistines put the ark of God? (5:2) **In the house of Dagon**
- 3) When the Philistines put the Ark of God into the house of Dagon, what happened to Dagon? (5:4) **He fell on his face before the Ark**
- 4) What did the hand of the Lord do to the Ashdodites after they took the Ark? (5:6) **Smote them with tumors**
- 5) Whose had the Philistines say was on them when the Tumors broke out? (5:7) **The God of Israel**
- 6) When the Ark came to Ekron, what did the Ekronites say was the reason it had been sent to them? (5:10) **To kill them and their people**

- 7) Where did the Ekronites ask the Philistine Lords to do with the Ark of God? (5:11) **Send it back to it's place**

Chapter 6

- 1) How long was the Ark of the Lord in the country of the Philistines? (6:1) **Seven months**
- 2) Who did the Philistines call to tell them what to do with the Ark? (6:2) **Priests and diviners**
- 3) What offering did the priests and diviners tell the Philistines to send back with the Ark? (6:4) **Five golden tumors and five golden mice**
- 4) Who did the Priests and diviners say that the Philistine lords should give glory to? (6:5) **The God of Israel**
- 5) Who did the priests and diviners compare the Philistine Lords to in the way they hardened their hearts? (6:6) **The Egyptians and Pharaoh**
- 6) What did the Philistines use to return the Ark to Israel? (6:8) **A new cart hauled by two cows**
- 7) Where did the cows, who were hauling the Ark of the covenant, go? (6:12) **Beth-shemesh**
- 8) How far did the Philistine Lords follow the Cart that had the Ark in it? (6:12) **To the border of Beth-shemesh**
- 9) What were the people of Beth-shemesh doing when they saw the Ark coming? (6:13) **Reaping the wheat harvest in the valley**
- 10) What was the reaction of the people of Beth-shemesh when they saw the Ark? (6:13) **They were glad**
- 11) Whose field did the Cart carrying the Ark stop in? (6:14) **Joshua the Beth-shemite**
- 12) What did the Beth-shemites do with the cart and cows that brought the ark to them? (6:14) **They split the wood of the cart and offered the cows as a burnt offering**
- 13) Who took the Ark down from the cart in Beth-shemesh? (6:15) **The Levites**
- 14) When the Philistine Lords saw what happened to the Ark, what did they do? (6:16) **Returned to Ekron**
- 15) Why did the Lord strike down some of the men of Beth-shemesh? (6:19) **They had looked into the ark**
- 16) How many people did the Lord strike down in Beth-shemesh? (6:19) **50,070**
- 17) Who did the people of Beth-shemesh send messages to after the Ark came to them? (6:21) **The inhabitants of Kiriath-jearim**

Chapter 7

- 1) To whose house did the men of Kiriath-jearim take the ark of the Lord? (7:1) **Abinadab**
- 2) Who did the inhabitants of Kiriath-jearim consecrate to keep the Ark of the Lord? (7:1) **Eleazar**
- 3) How long did the Ark of the Lord remain at Kiriath-jearim? (7:2) **Twenty Years**
- 4) Where did Samuel tell the Israelites to assemble so that he could intercede for them? (7:5) **Mizpah**
- 5) What did the Israelites pour out before the Lord at Mizpah? (7:6) **Water**
- 6) Who was serving as the leader of the Israelites at Mizpah? (7:6) **Samuel**
- 7) When the Philistines heard that the Israelites had gathered at Mizpah, what did they do? (7:7) **They came up to attack them**
- 8) What did Samuel sacrifice to the Lord at Mizpah? (7:9) **A suckling lamb**
- 9) When did the Philistines come to attack the Israelites at Mizpah? (7:10) **While Samuel was offering the sacrifice**

- 10) Where did Samuel set up a stone for the Israelites? (7:12) **Between Mizpah and Shen**
- 11) What did Samuel name the stone he set up? (7:12) **Ebenezer**
- 12) What did Samuel say when he set up the stone? (7:12) **“Thus far the Lord has helped us”**
- 13) How long was the hand of the Lord against the Philistines? (7:13) **Throughout Samuel's Lifetime**
- 14) What happened to the towns between Ekron and Gath that the Philistines had captured? (7:14) **They were restored to Israel**
- 15) How long did Samuel continue as Israel's leader? (7:15) **All the days of his life**
- 16) In what places did Samuel go to judge Israel? (7:15) **Bethel, Gilgal and Mizpah**
- 17) Where was Samuel's home? (7:17) **Ramah**
- 18) What did Samuel build in Ramah? (7:17) **An Altar to the Lord**

Chapter 8

- 1) When Samuel grew old, who did he appoint as Israel's leaders? (8:1) **His Sons**
- 2) What was the name of Samuel's Firstborn son? (8:2) **Joel**
- 3) What was the name of Samuel's second son? (8:2) **Abijah**
- 4) Where did Samuel's sons serve as Israel's leaders? (8:2) **Beersheba**
- 5) Who gathered together to come to Samuel? (8:4) **The elders of Israel**
- 6) Where did the Elders of Israel come to Samuel? (8:4) **Ramah**
- 7) What did the Elders of Israel ask Samuel to do? (8:5) **appoint a king to lead them**
- 8) What was Samuel's reaction when the Elders asked him for a king? (8:6) **He was displeased**
- 9) What did Samuel do when the Elders asked him for a king? (8:6) **He prayed to the Lord**
- 10) What did God tell Samuel to do when he was asked for a king? (8:7) **Listen to what they say**
- 11) Who did God say the people were rejecting by asking for a king? (8:7) **They rejected God**
- 12) How long did God say they had been rejecting him? (8:8) **From the day he brought them out of Egypt to this day**
- 13) What does the Lord tell Samuel to warn the Elders of Israel about the King they want? (8:9) **What he will claim as his rights**
- 14) What did Samuel tell the people that the king would do with their sons? (8:11) **He would take them and make them serve with his chariots and horses**
- 15) Where did Samuel tell the people the king would make their sons run? (8:11) **In front of his chariots**
- 16) What did Samuel tell the people the king would do with their Daughters? (8:13) **Take them to be perfumers, cooks and bakers**
- 17) What did Samuel tell the people the king would do with their field, vineyards and olive groves? (8:14) **Take them and give them to his officials and attendants**
- 18) What did Samuel tell the people the king would do with their grain and vintage? (8:15) **Take a tenth of it**
- 19) What did Samuel say the Lord would do when Israel cried out to them because of what their king was doing to them? (8:18) **He would not listen to them**
- 20) When Samuel told the Lord that the people still wanted a king after he warned them, what did the Lord tell him to do? (8:22) **Listen to them and appoint a King**

Chapter 9

- 1) What tribe was Kish, the Father of Saul from? (9:1) **Benjamin**

- 2) How was Saul described? (9:2) **There was not a more handsome man in all of Israel**
- 3) How much taller than other people was Saul? (9:2) **From the shoulders up he was taller than any of the people**
- 4) What did Kish tell Saul to search for? (9:3) **His Donkeys**
- 5) In what land did Saul tell his servant they needed to return or his father would become concerned? (9:5) **The land of Zuph**
- 6) What did Saul's servant say he had to give to the man of God? (9:8) **A fourth of a shekel of Silver**
- 7) What did the people call a prophet in the time of Saul? (9:9) **A Seer**
- 8) When Saul and his servant ask about the seer when they approached the city he was in? (9:11) **Young women going to draw water**
- 9) What did the young women tell Saul was the reason the seer had come to the city? (9:12) **The people had a sacrifice on the high place**
- 10) Why would the people not eat until the seer had come? (9:13) **He had to bless the sacrifice**
- 11) Who was the seer that Saul and his servant met while looking for the donkeys? (9:14) **Samuel**
- 12) When had God revealed to Samuel that he would send him the man who would be King? (9:15) **The day before Saul arrived**
- 13) Who did God tell Samuel that the man he sent would save his people from? (9:16) **The Philistines**
- 14) When Saul approached Samuel, What did the Lord say to Samuel? (9:17) **“Behold the man of whom I spoke to you! This one shall rule over my people.”**
- 15) When Saul approached Samuel, what did Saul say? (9:18) **Please tell me where the Seer's house is**
- 16) What did Saul tell Samuel about his Tribe? (9:21) **It was the smallest of the tribes of Israel**
- 17) What did Saul tell Samuel about his family? (9:21) **It was the least of the families of Benjamin**
- 18) How many people were invited to the feast to which Samuel brought Saul? (9:22) **About Thirty**
- 19) Where did Samuel place Saul when he brought him to the feast? (9:22) **At the Head of those who were invited**
- 20) After the feast, Where did Samuel speak with Saul? (9:25) **On the roof**

Chapter 10

- 1) What did Samuel pour on Saul's head? (10:1) **Oil**
- 2) What did Samuel tell Saul he had anointed him ruler over? (10:1) **The Lord's Inheritance**
- 3) Where did Samuel tell Saul he would find two men that would tell him about his donkeys? (10:2) **Close to Rachel's tomb**
- 4) Where did Samuel tell Saul he would meet Three men carrying goats, bread and wine? (10:3) **The Oak of Tabor**
- 5) Samuel told Saul that he would meet a group of what near the hill of God? (10:5) **Prophets**
- 6) What did Samuel tell Saul would happen to him when he met the Prophets? (10:6) **He would prophesy with them and be changed into another man**
- 7) Where did Samuel tell Saul to go so that Samuel could meet him to offer sacrifices? (10:8) **Gilgal**
- 8) How long was Saul to wait at Gilgal for Samuel? (10:8) **seven days**
- 9) What saying about Saul became a proverb? (10:12) **“Is Saul also among the Prophets”**
- 10) After meeting Saul, where did Samuel call the people together? (10:17) **Mizpah**

- 11) When Samuel brought forward the Tribes of Israel to select a king, what tribe was taken by lot? (10:20) **Benjamin**
- 12) When Samuel brought forward the Tribes of Israel to select a king, what Family was taken by lot? (10:21) **the Matrite family**
- 13) Where was Saul hiding when his name was taken by lot to be king? (10:22) **By the baggage**
- 14) How tall was Saul described as being? (10:23) **Taller than any of the people from the shoulders up**
- 15) What did the People say after Samuel said that God had chosen Saul? (10:24) **“Long live the King”**
- 16) When Samuel told the people the ordinances of the kingdom, what did he do with them? (10:25) **Wrote them in the book and placed it before the Lord**
- 17) Where did Saul go after being declared king? (10:26) **His house at Gibeah**
- 18) Who went with Saul to Gibeah after he was named King? (10:26) **Valiant men whose hearts God had touched**
- 19) Who said about Saul, “How can this one deliver us”? (10:27) **Certain worthless men**

Chapter 11

- 1) Who besieged Jabesh-gilead? (11:1) **Nahash the Ammonite**
- 2) What did Nahash tell the men of Jabesh he would do to them in return for peace? (11:2) **Gouge out the right eye of all of them**
- 3) How much time did the Elders of Jabesh ask Nahash for? (11:3) **Seven days**
- 4) Where was Saul when word of what was happening at Jabesh came to him? (11:5) **Coming from the field**
- 5) What did Saul do to get the Men of Israel to come to war against Nahash? (11:7) **Cut up a yoke of oxen and sent it through out Israel**
- 6) How many men of Israel came to Saul to help Jabesh-gilead? (11:8) **Three Hundred Thousand**
- 7) How many men of Judah came to Saul to help Jabesh-gilead? (11:8) **Thirty Thousand**
- 8) When did Saul tell the men of Jabesh-gilead they would be delivered? (11:9) **Tomorrow, by the time the sun is hot**
- 9) When attacking Nahash, how many companies did Saul divide his people into? (11:11) **Three**
- 10) After winning the battle against Nahash, where did Samuel tell the people to go? (11:14) **Gilgal**
- 11) What did Samuel say the people would do at Gilgal? (11:14) **Renew the kingdom**

Chapter 12

- 1) Who said 'Whose ox have I taken, or whose donkey have I taken'? (12:3) **Samuel**
- 2) Who did Samuel say was a witness against the people of Israel? (12:5) **The Lord**
- 3) Who did Samuel say had appointed Moses and Aaron over their fathers? (12:6) **The Lord**
- 4) Who did Samuel say Sisera was? (12:9) **Captain of the army of Hazor**
- 5) When the people asked for a king, who did Samuel say was their King? (12:12) **The Lord**
- 6) What was happening on the day Samuel addressed Israel? (12:17) **The wheat harvest**
- 7) What did Samuel call on the Lord to send when he addressed Israel? (12:17) **Thunder and Rain**
- 8) What sin did the People of Israel say they had committed after God sent Thunder and Rain? (12:19) **asking for a king**

- 9) On what account did Samuel say God would not abandon his people? (12:22) **His great name**
- 10) How did Samuel say the people should serve the Lord? (12:24) **In truth with all their heart**
- 11) What did Samuel tell the people would happen if they still acted wickedly? (12:25) **Both you and your king will be swept away**

Chapter 13

- 1) How old was Saul when he began his reign? (13:1) **Thirty years old**
- 2) How long did Saul reign over Israel? (13:1) **Forty Two years**
- 3) How many men did Saul choose to go to war with the Philistines? (13:2) **3000**
- 4) Where was Jonathan with his 1000 men? (13:2) **Gibeah of Benjamin**
- 5) How many chariots did the Philistines bring to war against Israel? (13:5) **30,000**
- 6) How many horseman did the Philistines bring to war against Israel? (13:5) **6,000**
- 7) Where did the Philistines camp when they came up against Saul? (13:5) **Michmash**
- 8) How long did Saul wait for Samuel at Gilgal? (13:8) **Seven days**
- 9) What did Saul offer to the Lord when Samuel had not come? (13:9) **The Burnt offering**
- 10) When did Samuel come to Gilgal? (13:10) **as soon as Saul finished the Burnt offering**
- 11) After Samuel rebuked Saul at Gilgal, how many men did Saul count that were with him? **About Six Hundred**
- 12) Where were Saul and Jonathan staying while the Philistines camped at Michmash? (13:16) **Geba of Benjamin**
- 13) How many companies of raiders came from the Philistines while they were at Michmash? (13:17) **Three**
- 14) What could not be found in the land of Israel? (13:19) **blacksmiths**
- 15) How much did the Philistines charge to sharpen the plowshare, mattock, axe or hoe of the Israelites? (13:21) **Two Thirds of a Shekel**

Chapter 14

- 1) Who did Jonathan tell that he wanted to cross to the Philistines garrison? (14:1) **the young man who carried his armor**
- 2) What were the names of the two crags that were between the Philistines and the Israelites? (14:4) **Bozez and Seneh**
- 3) What did Jonathan tell his armor bearer he would do if the Philistines told them to wait until the Philistines came up to them? (14:9) **They would stay where they were**
- 4) What did Jonathan tell his armor bearer he would do if the Philistines told them to come up to the Philistines? (14:8) **They would go up to them**
- 5) How many Philistines did Jonathan and his armor bearer kill in the first slaughter? (14:14) **about twenty men**
- 6) When there was disturbance in the camp and Saul noticed that Jonathan was missing, what did he call to be brought to him? (14:18) **The Ark of God**
- 7) When Saul joined the battle his son had started, who else joined him? (14:21) **The Hebrews who were with the Philistines previously**
- 8) How far did the battle against the Philistines spread after Saul and his men joined the battle? (14:23) **Beyond Beth-aven**
- 9) What oath did Saul put the people under? (14:24) **Cursed be the man who eats food before**

evening and until I have avenged myself on my enemies

- 10) What was on the ground in the forest that the people were walking through? (14:25) **Honey**
- 11) Who ate of the Honey on the ground? (14:27) **Jonathan**
- 12) How did Saul determine who had sinned? (14:41) **Casting of Lots**
- 13) Who kept Jonathan from being killed after he had eaten the honey? (14:45) **The people**
- 14) How many sons and daughters did Saul have? (14:48) **3 sons and 2 daughters**
- 15) Who was Saul's wife? (14:50) **Ahinoam daughter of Ahimaaz**
- 16) Who was Saul's captain of his army? (14:50) **Abner**
- 17) How was Abner related to Saul? (14:50) **He was Saul's uncle**

Chapter 15

- 1) Who did God tell Saul to go up and utterly destroy? (15:3) **Amalek**
- 2) When Saul prepared to go to war with Amalek, how many men did he have? (15:4) **200,000 foot soldiers and 10,000 men of Judah**
- 3) When Saul came to the City of Amalek, where did he set an ambush? (15:5) **In the valley**
- 4) When Saul Went up against the Amelkites, who did he tell to leave the Amelekites? (15:6) **The Kenites**
- 5) Who did Saul capture alive from the Amalekites? (15:8) **Agag, king of Amalek**
- 6) What of the Amalekites did the people of Israel destroy? (15:9) **Everything despised and worthless**
- 7) Samuel was told that Saul had set up a monument to himself where? (15:12) **Carmel**
- 8) When Saul told Samuel he had carried out the command of the Lord, what did Samuel say? (15:14) **What then is this bleating of the sheep in my ears, and the lowing of oxen which I hear?**
- 9) What did Saul say the people had spared of the Amalekites? (15:15) **The best of the sheep and oxen**
- 10) What did Samue tell Saul was better than sacrifice? (15:22) **To obey**
- 11) What did Samuel say was to be Saul's punishment for disobedience? (15:26) **The Lord had rejected him as king**
- 12) What did Saul tear from Samuel when he was told he had been rejected as king? (15:27) **The edge of Samuel's robe**
- 13) Who killed Agag, king of Amalek? (15:33) **Samuel**
- 14) How often did Samuel see Saul after he had been rejected as king? (15:35) **never**

Chapter 16

- 1) What did God tell Samuel to fill his horn with to go find a new king? (16:1) **Oil**
- 2) After rejecting Saul, who did God send Samuel to to select a new king? (16:1) **Jesse the Bethlehemite**
- 3) What was Samuel to tell Jesse he had come to do? (16:2) **Sacrifice to the Lord**
- 4) When going to find a new king, what city did Samuel come to? (16:4) **Bethlehem**
- 5) Who was the first of Jesse's sons that Samuel saw? (16:6) **Eliab**

- 6) Man looks at the outward appearance, What does God look at? (16:7) **the Heart**
- 7) How many of Jesse's sons did God tell Samuel were not the one he had chosen? (16:10) **Seven**
- 8) Where was the youngest son of Jesse when his brothers were before Samuel? (16:11) **Tending the sheep**
- 9) How was the youngest son of Jesse described? (16:12) **ruddy, with beautiful eyes and a handsome appearance**
- 10) Who was the youngest son of Jesse? (16:13) **David**
- 11) What did Samuel do to David when he came before him? (16:13) **Anointed him with oil**
- 12) After the Spirit of the Lord had departed from Saul, what was terrorizing Saul? (16:14) **An evil spirit**
- 13) What did Saul's servant's tell him to send for to comfort him? (16:16) **A man who is skillful with the harp**
- 14) When looking for a skilled harpist, who did Saul send for? (16:19) **David**
- 15) What did Jesse send with his son David to Saul? (16:20) **A donkey loaded with bread, a jug of wine, and a young goat**
- 16) What did Saul make David? (16:21) **his Armor bearer**
- 17) When would David play the Harp for Saul? (16:23) **Whenever the Evil spirit came to him**
- 18) What would happen when David played for Saul? (16:23) **He would be refreshed and well, and the evil spirit left him**

Chapter 17

- 1) Where did Saul and the men of Israel camp when Goliath challenged them? (17:2) **The valley of Elah**
- 2) Who was the champion of the Philistines? (17:4) **Goliath**
- 3) Where was Goliath from? (17:4) **Gath**
- 4) How tall was Goliath? (17:4) **Six cubits and a span**
- 5) How much did Goliath's armor weigh? (17:5) **5000 shekels of bronze**
- 6) How much did the head of Goliath's spear weigh? (17:7) **600 shekels of Iron**
- 7) What did Goliath say would happen if the man who came out to him would kill him? (17:9) **The philistines would become their servants**
- 8) How many of Jesse's sons had gone to the battle? (17:13) **Three**
- 9) How many days did Goliath issue his challenge? (17:16) **forty**
- 10) What did Jesse send with David for his brothers? (17:17) **an ephah of roasted grain and ten loaves**
- 11) What did the men say Saul would give to the man who killed Goliath? (17:25) **Great riches, His daughter, and his father's house would be free in Israel**
- 12) Who accused David of coming down to see the battle and being wicked? (17:28) **Eliab, his oldest brother**
- 13) Who volunteered to fight Goliath? (17:32) **David**
- 14) What did David tell Saul he had fought before? (17:34) **A lion and a bear**
- 15) Who did David tell Saul would deliver him from the philistine? (17:37) **The Lord**
- 16) What did Saul give to David to fight in? (17:38) **His own armor**
- 17) Why did David say he could not fight in Saul's armor? (17:39) **He had not tested them**
- 18) What did David take with him to fight Goliath? (17:40) **His stick. Five smooth stones, and his sling**
- 19) What did Goliath say when David approached him? (17:43) **Am I a Dog that you come at me with sticks?**

- 20) What did David do with Goliath's sword? (17:51) **Cut Goliath's head off**
- 21) How far did the Israelites pursue the Philistines after Goliath was killed? (17:52) **As far as the valley and the Gates of Ekron**

Chapter 18

- 1) Who is described as having his soul knit to David? (18:1) **Jonathan**
- 2) What did Jonathan make with David because he loved him? (18:3) **A covenant**
- 3) What did Jonathan give to David when he made the covenant? (18:4) **His robe, his armor, sword, bow and belt**
- 4) What did Saul set David over? (18:5) **the men of war**
- 5) When The women were singing, how many men did they say Saul had killed? (18:7) **thousands**
- 6) When The women were singing, how many men did they say David had killed? (18:7) **Tens of thousands**
- 7) What was David doing when Saul threw a spear at him? (18:10) **Playing the harp**
- 8) Why was Saul afraid of David? (18:12) **The Lord was with David and had left Saul**
- 9) Who did Saul first offer to David as a wife? (18:17) **His oldest daughter Merab**
- 10) Who was Merab given to instead of David? (18:19) **Adriel the Meholathite**
- 11) Which of Saul's daughters loved David? (18:20) **Michal**
- 12) What dowry did Saul ask for his Daughter? (18:25) **A hundred foreskins of the Philistines**
- 13) How many Philistines did David kill to get the Dowry for Saul? (18:27) **Two hundred**

Chapter 19

- 1) Who did Saul tell to put David to Death? (19:1) **Jonathan and his servants**
- 2) Who told David that Saul was seeking to kill him? (19:2) **Jonathan**
- 3) When Jonathan told his father about the good David had done, what did Saul vow? (19:6) **David would not be put to death**
- 4) Who let David out through a window so he could escape Saul? (19:12) **Michal**
- 5) What did Michal put in David's bed to deceive Saul's men? (19:13) **The household idol**
- 6) What did Michal put at the head of the household idol to deceive Saul's men? (19:13) **Quilt of goats hair**
- 7) When David fled Saul, who did he come to? (19:18) **Samuel**
- 8) Where did David and Samuel go to stay? (19:18) **Naioth**
- 9) What happened to Saul's messengers when they saw Samuel and the company of prophets? (19:20) **They also prophesied**
- 10) How many times did Saul send messengers that ended up prophesying? (19:21) **Three**
- 11) When Saul himself went up to Naioth, what did he do there? (19:24) **Stripped off his clothes and prophesied**

Chapter 20

- 1) When David fled Naioth, who did he come to? (20:1) **Jonathan**
- 2) On what day was David to sit and eat with the king? (20:5) **The new moon**
- 3) How long was David going to hide in the field? (20:5) **Till the third evening**
- 4) What did David say Saul would do if he had decided on evil? (20:7) **he would be very angry**
- 5) How many arrows would Jonathan shoot to signal David? (20:20) **Three**
- 6) What stone was David to wait by when Jonathan shot the arrows? (20:19) **Ezel**

- 7) If Jonathon told the lad who was looking for the arrows “The arrows are on this side of you”, what would that mean? (20:22) **David could come, he was safe**
- 8) If Jonathon told the lad who was looking for the arrows “The arrows are beyond you”, what would that mean? (20:22) **David was to go**
- 9) On what day of the feast did Saul ask Jonathan about David? (20:27) **The Second**
- 10) Where did Jonathan say that David had gone? (20:28) **Bethlehem**
- 11) When Jonathan asked his father why David should be put to death, what did Saul do? (20:33) **Threw a spear at him**
- 12) Who came with Jonathan to the place David was waiting? (20:35) **a little lad**
- 13) How many times did David bow to Jonathan after he came out from his hiding place? (20:41) **three times**

Chapter 21

- 1) Who was the Priest David met in Nob? (21:1) **Ahimelech**
- 2) What did David ask Ahimelech for? (21:3) **five loaves of bread, or whatever could be found**
- 3) What kind of bread did Ahimelech tell David there was? (21:4) **Consecrated bread**
- 4) Why was the bread given to David removed from the presence of the Lord? (21:6) **So that Hot bread could be put in it's place**
- 5) Who was Doeg, the Edomite? (21:7) **Chief of Saul's shepherds**
- 6) After getting bread, what else did David ask for? (21:8) **spear or sword**
- 7) What sword did Ahimilech say was there? (21:9) **Goliath's sword**
- 8) Where was Goliath's sword? (21:9) **Behind the Ephod**
- 9) Who did David flee to after getting bread and sword from Ahimilech? (21:10) **Achish, king of Gath**
- 10) What did David do because he feared Achish king of Gath? (21:13) **acted insanely**
- 11) How did David act insanely before Achish? (21:13) **scribbled on the doors of the gate and let saliva run into his beard**

Chapter 22

- 1) When David left the king of Gath, where did he hide? (22:1) **the cave of Adullam**
- 2) Who joined David when they heard he was in the cave? (22:1) **His father and brothers**
- 3) What kinds of people joined David in the cave of Adullam? (22:2) **Distressed, in debt and discontented**
- 4) How many men were with David in the cave of Adullam? (22:2) **about 400**
- 5) Who did David ask to let his parents stay with? (22:3) **king of Moab**
- 6) Who told David to go into Judah? (22:5) **the prophet Gad**
- 7) Who told Saul that Ahimelech had given supplies to David? (22:9) **Doeg**
- 8) When Saul heard what Ahimelech had done, who did he send for? (22:11) **Ahimilech, all his household and the priests who were in Nob**
- 9) What did the Guards who were attending Saul do when he told them to kill the priests? (22:17) **they were not willing**
- 10) Who killed the Priests from Nob? (22:18) **Doeg**
- 11) How many priests were killed at Saul's command? (22:18) **Eighty Five**
- 12) Who of the city of Nob escaped from Saul? (22:20) **Abiathar son of Ahimelech**

Chapter 23

- 1) David was told that the Philistines were fighting against what city? (23:1) **Keilah**
- 2) How many times did David inquire of the Lord whether he should go save Keilah? (23:4) **Twice**
- 3) Who fled to David at Keilah? (23:6) **Abiathar son of Ahimelech**
- 4) When Abiathar fled to David, what did he bring in his hand? (23:6) **An Ephod**
- 5) Why did Saul think David had been delivered to him when he heard David was in Keilah? (23:7) **It was a city with double gates and bars**
- 6) What did God tell David the people of Keilah would do to him? (23:12) **Deliver him to Saul**
- 7) How many men of David's were with him in Keilah? (23:13) **about 600**
- 8) Where was David when he became aware that Saul and come to seek his life? (23:15) **the wilderness of Ziph**
- 9) While David was in the Wilderness, where did Jonathan come to him? (23:16) **Horesh**
- 10) Who came to Saul to tell him where David was hiding? (23:19) **Ziphites**
- 11) Why did Saul have to stop chasing David in the wilderness of Maon? (23:27) **The Philistines were raiding**
- 12) When Saul was called away from chasing David, what did they call that place? (23:28) **Rock of Escape**

Chapter 24

- 1) When Saul came back from pursuing the Philistines, where was he told David was staying? (24:1) **Wilderness of Engedi**
- 2) How many men did Saul take to chase David in the wilderness of Engedi? (24:2) **three thousand**
- 3) Where were David and his men when Saul entered the cave? (24:3) **The inner recesses of the cave**
- 4) While in the cave, what did David cut from Saul? (24:4) **The corner of his robe**
- 5) What bothered David after he cut Saul's robe? (24:5) **his conscience**
- 6) How did David address Saul after he cut his robe? (24:8) **My Lord the King**
- 7) What did David do when Saul turned around and looked at him, after he had cut his robe? (24:8) **Bowed and prostrated himself**
- 8) After cutting Saul's robe, then swearing to Saul, where did David and his men go? (24:22) **To the stronghold**

Chapter 25

- 1) Where was Samuel buried? (25:1) **At his house in Ramah**
- 2) Who was the Man in Maon who was very rich? (25:3) **Nabal**
- 3) Who was Nabal's wife? (25:3) **Abigail**
- 4) How many men did David send to Nabal? (25:5) **Ten**
- 5) When David went up against Nabal, how many men went with him? (25:13) **Four hundred**
- 6) Who took supplies to David and his men to keep them from killing Nabal? (25:18) **Abigail**
- 7) When Abigail told Nabal what she had done, what happened to him? (25:37) **His heart died so that he became as a stone**
- 8) How long after Abigail told Nabal what she had done did he die? (25:38) **Ten days**
- 9) After Nabal died, who married Abigail? (25:42) **David**
- 10) Who came with Abigail when she went to be David's wife? (25:42) **Her five maidens**
- 11) Who else, other than Abigail, had David taken as a wife? (25:43) **Ahinoam of Jezreel**

12) Who had Michal, David's wife, been given to? (25:44) **Palti, son of Laish**

Chapter 26

- 1) While he was staying in the wilderness of Ziph, how did David know Saul was coming? (26:4) **He sent out spies**
- 2) When David saw Saul's camp, where was Saul lying? (26:5) **in the circle of the camp, the people around him**
- 3) Who went down with David into Saul's camp? (26:6) **Abishai**
- 4) What was by Saul's head while he slept? (26:7) **His spear**
- 5) Who asked David for permission to kill Saul while in his camp? (26:8) **Abishai**
- 6) Who stopped Abishai from killing Saul? (26:9) **David**
- 7) What did David and Abishai take from Saul's camp? (26:11) **Saul's spear and the jug of water**
- 8) Why did none of Saul's men awake while David was in the camp? (26:12) **A Sound sleep from the Lord had fallen on them**
- 9) After seeking into and out of Saul's camp, who did David call out to? (26:14) **Abner**
- 10) Who recognized David's voice while he called to Abner? (26:17) **Saul**
- 11) While speaking to Saul, what insect did David compare himself to? (26:20) **a flea**
- 12) When David asked Saul what he had done, what did Saul respond? (26:21) **I have sinned**
- 13) Who did David say should fetch the King's spear from him? (26:22) **one of the young men**

Chapter 27

- 1) After sneaking into Saul's camp, where did David decide to escape to? (27:1) **the land of the Philistines**
- 2) How many men went with David to the land of the Philistines? (27:2) **Six hundred**
- 3) When David went to the land of the Philistines, who did he go to? (27:20) **Achish, king of Gath**
- 4) When Saul was told that David had fled to Gath, what did he stop doing? (27:4) **searching for David**
- 5) What city did Achish give to David? (27:6) **Ziklag**
- 6) How long did David live in the land of the Philistines? (27:7) **A year and four months**
- 7) Who did David raid while living in the Philistines land? (27:8) **The Geshurites, the Girzites and the Amelekites**
- 8) Who did David leave alive when he raided? (27:9) **No one**
- 9) What did David take when he raided? (27:9) **Sheep, cattle, donkeys, camels, and clothing**
- 10) Who did David tell Achish he had raided? (27:9) **Judah, Jerahmeelites and the Kenites**

Chapter 28

- 1) Who did Achish make his bodyguard? (28:2) **David**
- 2) What had Saul removed from the land? (28:3) **Mediums and spiritists**
- 3) When God did not answer Saul, what did he ask for? (28:7) **A woman who was a medium**
- 4) Where was the medium from that Saul went to see? (28:7) **En-dor**
- 5) How did Saul disguise himself when he went to see the medium? (28:8) **He put on other clothes**
- 6) Who did Saul ask the medium to call for him? (28:11) **Samuel**
- 7) When did the medium recognize Saul? (28:12) **When she saw Samuel**
- 8) How did the Medium describe Samuel? (28:14) **an old man, wrapped in a robe**

- 9) When Saul knew that it was Samuel the medium had called, what did he do? (28:14) **bowed to the ground and did homage**
- 10) When he went to see the medium, how long had it been since Saul had eaten? (28:20) **He had not eaten all day or night**
- 11) What did the medium offer Saul when she saw he was weak? (28:22) **a piece of bread**

Chapter 29

- 1) When David was with the armies of the Philistines, where was Israel camped? (29:1) **by the spring in Jezreel**
- 2) When David marched with the Philistines, where was he positioned? (29:2) **In the rear with Achish**
- 3) Who asked Achish why the Hebrews were with him? (29:3) **The commanders of the Philistines**
- 4) How long did Achish say that David had been with him? (29:3) **Years**
- 5) What did the Philistine commanders tell Achish to do with David? (29:4) **Make him go back**
- 6) What were the Philistine commanders afraid David would do in the battle? (29:4) **become an adversary to them**
- 7) When did Achish tell David to leave? (29:10) **early in the morning**
- 8) After David left the Philistines, where did the Philistines go? (29:11) **Jezreel**

Chapter 30

- 1) On what day after leaving the Philistines did David come to Ziklag? (30:1) **The Third**
- 2) Who had raided Ziklag when David came there? (30:1) **The Amalekites**
- 3) Who did the Amalekites kill when they raided Ziklag? (30:2) **No one**
- 4) When David and his men reached Ziklag and saw it burned, what did they do? (30:4) **they wept**
- 5) What did the people think of doing to David when they saw Ziklag burned? (30:6) **stoning him**
- 6) How many men went with David from Ziklag? (30:9) **Six hundred**
- 7) How many of the men with David were too exhausted to cross the brook Besor? (30:10) **Two hundred**
- 8) While pursuing the Amalekites, who did David and his men find in the field? (30:11) **An Egyptian**
- 9) How long had it been since the Egyptian David found had eaten? (30:12) **Three days and nights**
- 10) What did David ask the Egyptian he found to do for him? (30:15) **Bring him to the Amalekites**
- 11) What were the Amalekites who had raided doing when David found them? (30:16) **Eating, Drinking and Dancing**
- 12) How many of the Amalekites escaped from David? (30:17) **Four hundred**
- 13) What did the Men who went with David want to give to the two hundred who remained behind? (30:22) **Nothing but their wives and children**
- 14) Who did David send some of the spoil to after defeating the Amalekites? (30:26) **The elder of Judah**

Chapter 31

- 1) Where did the Philistines defeat the Israelites and slay Saul and his sons? (31:1) **Mount Gilboa**
- 2) How many of Saul's sons fell in the battle? (31:2) **three**
- 3) Who badly wounded Saul in the battle? (31:3) **Archers**
- 4) Who did Saul ask to kill him? (31:4) **His armor bearer**
- 5) How did Saul die? (31:4) **He fell on his own sword**
- 6) How did Saul's armor bearer die? (31:5) **He fell on his own sword**
- 7) Who died on the same day as Saul? (31:6) **His three sons, his armor bearer, and all his men**
- 8) After the men of Israel fled their cities, who came and lived in them? (31:7) **The Philistines**
- 9) Where did the Philistines put the weapons of Saul? **The temple of Ashtaroah**
- 10) Who went and took the body of Saul from the Philistines? (31:11) **The inhabitants of Jabesh-Gilead.**
- 11) Where were the bones of Saul buried? (31:13) **Under the Tamarisk tree at Jabesh**
- 12) After burying the bones of Saul, how long did the men of Jabesh-Gilead fast? (31:13) **Seven days**