

Review Questions

1. What was the name of Saul's city that David had to flee from? *Gibeah.*
2. What did the priest, Ahimelech, give David when he was fleeing from Saul? *Bread and Goliath's sword.*
3. What was the name of the city where Ahimelech and the other priests lived? *Nob.*
4. What did Saul do to the priests in Nob because he thought they were loyal to David rather than to him? *Killed the priests and their families.*
5. When David was in the Philistine city of Gath, what did he do so they wouldn't kill him? *Pretended to be crazy/insane. He scratched at the gate and drooled.*
6. Who came to support David at the cave of Adullam? *His family and about 400 men.*
7. Where did David take his parents to be safe from Saul? *Moabite city of Mizpeh.*
8. What did David and his men do for the city of Keilah? *Saved them from the Philistines.*
9. Why didn't David and his men stay in Keilah? *Saul found out they were there and wanted to trap them; God warned David to leave or he'd be caught.*
10. Who came to visit and encourage David in the wilderness of Ziph? *Jonathan.*
11. How did God save David and his men when Saul was chasing them around a mountain? *A messenger told Saul that Philistines were attacking, so he had to leave.*
12. What kind of a place was Engedi? How would you describe it? *An oasis with fresh water, plants, trees, and caves.*
13. Who came into the cave where David and his men were hiding? *Saul.*
14. What did David do when he could have killed Saul? *He spared his life and cut off a piece of his robe.*
15. How did Saul respond when David called to him and showed the piece of his robe? *He wept and admitted that he'd sinned.*
16. Who went with David into Saul's camp at night? *His nephew, Abishai.*
17. What did Abishai want to do while Saul slept? *Kill him with his spear.*
18. Why wouldn't David let Abishai kill Saul? *He trusted that God would kill Saul when it was time. He refused to harm God's anointed king.*
19. What two items did David and Abishai take from Saul's camp to prove they could've killed him? *His spear and jar of water.*
20. What did God do so David and Abishai could sneak into Saul's camp? *Put Saul and his men into a deep sleep.*
21. What did Saul do when he learned that David had spared his life while he was sleeping? *He left/stopped chasing him.*
22. What qualities did David show when he spared Saul's life? *Mercy, kindness, forgiveness, faith in God, courage to do what was right, etc.*

Bonus: What was the name of Saul's army commander? *Abner.*