

Review Questions

1. Which son of David tried to make himself king when David was old: Adonijah or Abiathar? *Adonijah.*
2. Who had David promised would be king after him? *Solomon.*
3. Who was Solomon's mother? *Bathsheba.*
4. Name one of the three men David called to him when he heard Adonijah was making himself king.
(Allow several students to answer.) *Nathan the prophet, Zadok the priest, Benaiah the head of David's bodyguard.*
5. What did David command his three servants to do? *Anoint/make Solomon king.*
6. Before David died, what did he tell Solomon to always do? *Keep God's commands.*
7. What did God say when he appeared to Solomon in a dream? *Ask what I shall give you. He offered to give Solomon whatever he asked for.*
8. What did Solomon ask God for? *Understanding mind. Wisdom.*
9. What did God think of Solomon's request: was he pleased or disappointed? *Pleased.*
10. What else did God promise to give Solomon? *Riches and honor.*
11. Why did Solomon want wisdom? *To govern (lead) the people. To discern between good and evil.*
12. Who came before Solomon with a difficult case to judge? *Two women.*
13. What were the two women fighting about? *A baby boy and who he belonged to.*
14. Why did Solomon call for a sword to cut the baby in half? *He was testing the women to see how each one responded.*
15. How did Solomon know which woman was the baby's real mother? *The real mother begged for the baby to be spared.*
16. What did the people think when they heard how Solomon used his wisdom in the case of the two women and the baby? *They were awed. They recognized his wisdom came from God.*
17. True or false: Wisdom is facts about things or skills we can learn. *False. That is the definition of knowledge.*
18. What is wisdom? *Knowing and using God's truth in our own lives.*
19. Where can we learn God's truth so we can wisely use it in our lives? *The Bible.*
20. How else does the memory verse say we can get wisdom? *Ask God.*