

1 Samuel 20:1-42

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1. Jonathan and David devised a _____. ([1 Samuel 20:1-23](#))
 - A. David needed to know who he could _____.
 - B. Jonathan agreed to determine Saul's _____ toward David.
2. The Events at the New Moon Festival.
 - A. At first, David's absence seems like a social _____.
 - B. Saul reacted with fierce _____ at David's absence on day two.
 - C. Saul is committed to _____ David.
3. Jonathan and David part ways. ([1 Samuel 20:35-42](#))
 - A. Jonathan reaffirmed his _____ with David.

Discussion Questions

1. Why do you think Jonathan was slow to accept his father's vendetta against David?
2. Why do you think David thought the relationship with Saul could be mended?
3. Why do you think they created such intricate planning regarding their meeting?
4. Why the need for a covenant if the relationship between Jonathan and David was so strong?
5. Why would God bless and elevate David only to have him become a fugitive?
6. Is Jonathan and David's relationship a model for our relationships? Why or why not?
7. What is our responsibility when peace is not possible?