

# Read through the Bible - 12th week

## March 15-21

### Week 12, Sunday (March 15) I Sam 2-5

1. How many more children did God grant Hannah (I Sam. 2:21)? 3 sons and 2 daughters
2. Besides treating God's sacrifices with contempt (I Sam. 2:17), what other abomination did Eli's sons commit (I Sam. 2:22)? laying with the women who assembled at the door of the tabernacle
3. I Sam. 2:26 - Samuel grew in stature and in favor both with the Lord and men - about who else was this said (Luke 2:52)? Jesus
4. According to I Sam. 2:29, whom did Eli honor more than God? his sons
5. Why did the Israelites bring the Ark of the Covenant from Shiloh to Ebenezer (I Sam. 4:3)? to save them from the hands of the Philistines
6. Who accompanied the Ark (I Sam 4:4)? Hophni and Phinehas (Eli's sons)
7. What happened to Israel and the Ark (I Sam. 4:10-11)? Israel was defeated, Eli's sons were killed; the ark was captured
8. How long did Eli judge Israel (I Sam. 4:18) and how old was he when he died (I Sam. 4:15)? 40 years; 98 yrs old
9. What happened to the "god" Dagon of the Philistines in the presence of the Ark of God? he fell on his face
10. T F The people of Ashdod prospered tremendously while the Ark of God was there. FALSE

### Week 12, Monday (March 16) I Sam 6-8

11. How long was the Ark of the Lord in the country of the Philistines (I Sam. 6:1)? 7 months
12. To where (from Ekron) did the cows take the Ark of the Lord? the field of J oshua of Beth Shemesh
13. How many men of Beth Shemesh did the Lord kill and why (I Sam. 6:19)? 50,070; they looked into the ark
14. T F The people of Kirjath Jearim prospered tremendously while the Ark of God was there. FALSE
15. How long was the Ark of God at Kirjath Jearim? 20 years
16. Whom did the Israelites reject (I Sam. 8:7) in asking for a king? God
17. Did God allow Israel to have a king? YES

### Week 12, Tuesday (March 17) I Sam 9-11

18. Who was the first king of Israel (besides God)? Saul
19. T F Israel's first king was tall and very handsome. TRUE
20. T F Samuel blessed sacrifices made at a high place (not at the Tabernacle). TRUE

21. How many specific prophecies did Samuel tell Saul about his journey home? 4 (chap. 10 vs. 2-6)
22. How long did Samuel say Saul should wait until Samuel would come to him (I Sam. 10:8)? 7 days
23. I Sam. 11:2 - What did Nahash the Ammonite want to do to the Israelites at Jabesh Gilead? Put out all of their right eyes
24. How many Israelites gathered at Bezek against Nahash (I Sam. 11:8)? 300,000 Of Judah? 30,000
25. After Nahash's defeat, what did all the people do at Gilgal? they make Saul king

**Week 12, Wednesday (March 18) I Sam 12-14**

26. Which Judges does Samuel specifically mention in I Sam. 12:11? Jerubbael (Gideon), Bedan, Jephthah, Samuel
27. T F Samuel acknowledged Israel's righteous request for a king (I Sam. 12:17). FALSE
28. What "foolish" thing did Saul do at Gilgal (I Sam. 13:9)? offered a burnt offering
29. Whom did the Lord seek, according to I Sam. 13:14, to replace Saul? a man after His own heart
30. I Sam. 13:19-21 - Why did the Israelites have to have their tools sharpened by the Philistines? Because they had no blacksmith.
31. How many men accompanied Saul at Gibeah (I Sam. 14:2)? about 600
32. How many Philistines did Jonathan and his armor-bearer kill near Michmash? about 20
33. How did Saul determine that Jonathan had "sinned"? He called the roll.
34. I Sam. 14:50 - Who was the commander of Saul's army, and what relation was he to Saul? Abner; uncle

**Week 12, Thursday (March 19) I Sam 15-18**

35. T F Besides Agag the king of Amalek, Saul killed every man, woman and child of Amalek. TRUE
36. Why did God regret making Saul king? Because he turned back from following God.
37. Which does God prefer most? 1) Burnt offerings, 2) Sacrifices, 3) Obedience
38. I Sam. 16:7 - ". . . For the Lord does not see as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart
39. Describe David, according to I Sam. 16:18: skillful in playing, a mighty man of valor, a man of war, prudent in speech, handsome, the Lord is with him
40. If a cubit is 1 1/2 feet, and a span is 6 inches, how tall was Goliath of Gath? 9 1/2 feet
41. How many days did Goliath taunt Israel? 40 days
42. In I Sam. 17:33, what did Saul call David? a youth
43. Why (I Sam. 17:39) couldn't David use Saul's armor? He had not tested them
44. What was David's main weapon (I Sam. 17:45)? the name of the Lord of hosts

45. How did David approach Goliath (I Sam. 17:48)? *He hastened and ran*
46. This saying made Saul very angry: "Saul has slain his *thousands* and David his *ten thousands*
47. T F Saul was afraid of David (I Sam. 18:12). *TRUE*
48. Why did Saul want to give Michal to marry David (I Sam. 18:21)? *so she would be a snare to him*

**Week 12, Friday (March 20) I Sam 19-21**

49. To whom did David go when he fled from Saul (I Sam. 19:18)? *Samuel at Ramah*
50. What happened to Saul's messengers sent to Samuel (I Sam. 19:20-21)? *they prophesied*
51. What did Saul do in Samuel's presence (I Sam. 19:23-24)? *stripped off his clothes and prophesied*
52. T F David trusted Jonathan more than Saul. *TRUE*
53. To whose descendants did David promise to show kindness forever (I Sam. 20:15)? *Jonathan's*
54. What did Saul call his son Jonathan after learning of David's "absence"? *the son of a perverse and rebellious woman*
55. T F Saul tried to kill Jonathan (I Sam. 20:33). *TRUE*
56. According to I Sam. 20:41, who cried more at the parting of Jonathan and David? *David*
57. I Sam. 21:7b - Who was Doeg the Edomite? *chief of Saul's herdsmen*
58. T F David and his men ate holy bread given by Ahimilech (I Sam. 21:6). *TRUE*
59. What weapon did Ahimilech give David (I Sam. 21:9)? *the sword of Goliath*
60. What did David pretend to be to escape Achish king of Gath? *A madman*

**Week 12, Saturday (March 21) I Sam 22-24**

61. How many men joined David (I Sam. 22:2) and what kind of men were many of them? *about 400; distressed, in debt, discontented*
62. Who did Doeg the Edomite kill in I Sam. 22:18-19? *85 priests*
63. Who did David blame for this (I Sam. 22:22)? *himself*
64. David's "army" grew from 400 in I Sam. 22:2 to *about 600* in I Sam. 23:13.
65. Who tattle-taled on David to Saul in I Sam. 23:19? *the Ziphites*
66. According to I Sam. 23:27, why did Saul (temporarily) give up searching for David? *the Philistines had invaded the land*
67. After David spared Saul's life and told Samuel about it, what did Saul realize (I Sam. 24:20)? *that David would become king*
68. T F After David spared Saul, Saul returned home. *TRUE*

