

SECTION 3 : Chapters 11 - 15**CHAPTER 11**

1. **According to 2 Samuel 11:1, what happened in the spring?**
 - A. Kings go off to war.
 - B. Rains keep troops from moving around.
 - C. Flowers bloom in Israel.
 - D. The men plant gardens.
2. **Where did David stay while his army destroyed the Ammonites and besieged Rabbah?**
 - A. by the river Jordan
 - B. in Jerusalem
 - C. on the front lines
 - D. in the royal tent
3. **Where was David when he saw the woman bathing?**
 - A. riding down the street
 - B. on the roof of the palace
 - C. by the city gate of Jerusalem
 - D. in his bedroom in the palace
4. **Who was the beautiful woman David wanted to know about?**
 - A. the daughter of Eliam
 - B. Bathsheba
 - C. the wife of Uriah the Hittite
 - D. All of these
5. **What happened after David sent messengers to get the woman, Bathsheba?**
 - A. She came to him, and he slept with her.
 - B. She took a bath and washed her hair.
 - C. She was afraid and told her husband.
 - D. She told the messengers to go away.
6. **What word did Bathsheba send to David while Uriah was still at war?**
 - A. "Please do not send for me again."
 - B. "I am pregnant."
 - C. "Run for your life."
 - D. "I want to see you again."
7. **Immediately upon learning Bathsheba was pregnant, what did David tell Joab to do?**
 - A. "Send me Uriah the Hittite."
 - B. "Go tell the woman that I do not believe her."
 - C. "Bring the woman here."
 - D. "Send me our family magician."
8. **When Uriah first came to David, what did David ask him?**
 - A. "How is Joab?"
 - B. "How is the war going?"
 - C. "How are the soldiers?"
 - D. All of these
9. **The first time they met, what did David tell Uriah to do?**
 - A. "Go to your house and bring me your wife."
 - B. "Go to your house and rest."
 - C. "Go to your house and wash your feet."
 - D. All of these
10. **When Uriah first left the palace, what was sent after him?**
 - A. fine wine to make him drunk
 - B. soldiers to protect Uriah
 - C. a spy to see what Uriah would do
 - D. a gift from the king
11. **What did Uriah do after he left David the first time?**
 - A. washed his feet
 - B. slept at the entrance to the palace
 - C. opened his gift
 - D. talked to his soldiers

12. **What was David told Uriah did after leaving the palace the first time?**
- A. threw his gift away
 - B. washed his feet
 - C. did not go home
 - D. did not see his soldiers
13. **What did Uriah say to David when asked why he did not go home?**
- A. "The ark and Israel and Judah are staying in tents."
 - B. "As surely as you live, I will not do such a thing."
 - C. "My master Joab and my lord's men are camped in the open fields."
 - D. All of these
14. **After David questioned Uriah the second time, what did he tell him to do then?**
- A. "Go eat, drink, and lie with your wife."
 - B. "Stay here one more day."
 - C. "Go, wash your feet."
 - D. "Rest and go back in three days."
15. **At David's invitation, what did Uriah do?**
- A. used the palace bath to wash his feet
 - B. slept for two days
 - C. went home
 - D. ate and drank with David and got drunk
16. **The morning after Uriah got drunk and still slept among the servants, what did David do?**
- A. prayed and ask God for help
 - B. wrote a letter to Joab
 - C. went to see the woman
 - D. sent Uriah to wash his feet
17. **What was in the letter David wrote to Joab about Uriah?**
- A. "Put Uriah in the front line."
 - B. "Rebuke Uriah for not doing what the king asked."
 - C. "Put Uriah in charge of seven hundred men."
 - D. "Keep Uriah in a safe position."
18. **Where did Joab put Uriah?**
- A. where he could see the battle
 - B. where there was plenty of water
 - C. where his strongest soldiers were
 - D. where the strongest defenders were
19. **When the men of the city came out and fought against Joab, what happened?**
- A. some of the men in David's army fell
 - B. Uriah the Hittite died
 - C. Joab was killed
 - D. A & B
20. **What did Joab say that David might say after receiving a full account of the battle?**
- A. 'Why didn't you climb the wall?'
 - B. 'Why did you get so close to the city to fight?'
 - C. 'Why did you let so many of my men die?'
 - D. 'Why didn't you stay away from the arrows?'
21. **What did Joab tell the messenger to say after David asked his questions about the battle where so many men fell?**
- A. 'Your servant Joab followed your instructions.'
 - B. 'Your servant Joab was a strong leader.'
 - C. 'Also, your servant Uriah the Hittite is dead.'
 - D. 'We withdrew when the fighting was fierce.'
22. **What did Joab's messenger tell David about the battle of Rabbah?**
- A. "We overpowered the enemy."
 - B. "Our archers shot arrows at the enemy."
 - C. "They drove us back into the open."
 - D. None of these

23. **What did David tell the messenger to say to Joab?**
 A. "Press the attack against the city and destroy it."
 B. "Don't let this upset you."
 C. "The sword devours one as well as another."
 D. All of these
24. **Why did David tell the messenger to tell Joab not to be upset?**
 A. to encourage Joab
 B. to ensure Joab would follow orders again
 C. to give the messenger courage
 D. to help Joab with the grieving process
25. **What did Uriah's wife do when she heard her husband was dead?**
 A. She was secretly happy.
 B. She mourned for him.
 C. She prepared his burial clothes.
 D. She went to see David.
26. **After Uriah's death, when did David send for Uriah's wife?**
 A. after all the soldiers came home
 B. after the victory celebration
 C. after the time of mourning was over
 D. after the funeral
27. **What was the result of David's actions with Bathsheba and Uriah?**
 A. Uriah's wife became David's wife.
 B. David and Bathsheba had a son.
 C. The LORD was displeased.
 D. All of these

CHAPTER 12

1. **Who said to David, "There were two men in a certain town, one rich and the other poor"?**
 A. Joab
 B. a traveler
 C. Uriah
 D. Nathan
2. **How was the poor man's one little ewe lamb treated by him?**
 A. It shared his food and drank from his cup.
 B. It slept in his arms.
 C. It grew up with him and his children.
 D. All of these
3. **What did the rich man prepare for the traveler who came to him?**
 A. the best lamb he had
 B. his weakest lamb
 C. the ewe lamb that belonged to the poor man
 D. one of his own sheep
4. **What did David say to Nathan when he heard the story about the rich man?**
 A. "I am very angry, bring this man to me."
 B. "Why are you telling me this tale?"
 C. "The man who did this deserves to die."
 D. "I will give to the poor man four times more."
5. **David said because the rich man had no pity, what must happen?**
 A. He must give the poor man fifty lambs.
 B. He must pay with his own life.
 C. He must pay for that lamb four times over.
 D. He must beg for forgiveness and pay back.
6. **After David showed his anger, what did Nathan say to him?**
 A. "The LORD is angry too."
 B. "You are a good king."
 C. "I feel your pain."
 D. "You are the man!"

7. **What did Nathan tell David the LORD, the God of Israel said?**
A. "I delivered you from your enemies."
B. "I gave you all you wanted."
C. "I gave your master's house to you."
D. "Saul was your best friend."
8. **David _____ by doing evil in the LORD's eyes?**
A. felt he was above reproach
B. became boastful
C. despised the word of the LORD
D. acted selfishly
9. **What did the LORD, the God of Israel say David took as his own?**
A. the children of the Arameans
B. the cattle of the Ammonites
C. the wife of Abimelech
D. the wife of Uriah the Hittite
10. **What did the LORD, the God of Israel say would never depart from David's house?**
A. the sword
B. the curse of the house of Saul
C. his wives
D. the chalice
11. **What was the LORD going to bring upon David out of his own household?**
A. depression
B. calamity
C. wealth
D. famine
12. **What was the LORD going to give to one who was close to David?**
A. David's harvest
B. David's cattle
C. David's army
D. David's wives
13. **While David acted in secret, the LORD will do this thing when?**
A. in the early morning before all his household
B. at dusk when the armies come home
C. at noon in the palace courtyard
D. in broad daylight before all Israel
14. **To whom did David say, "I have sinned against the LORD"?**
A. Joab
B. Nathan
C. his messenger
D. Bathsheba
15. **Who did Nathan say would die because of David's actions?**
A. the son born to David
B. Bathsheba
C. David himself
D. all his children
16. **After Nathan had gone home who became ill?**
A. David himself
B. all his children
C. Bathsheba
D. the child that Uriah's wife had born to David
17. **What did David do after the child became ill?**
A. pleaded with God
B. fasted
C. spent the nights lying on the ground
D. All of these
18. **Who tried to get David up from the ground?**
A. the elders of his household
B. Nathan
C. the household servants
D. Bathsheba

19. **How many days later did the child die?**

- A. six
- B. five
- C. four
- D. seven

20. **What did David notice the servants doing?**

- A. standing in groups
- B. whispering among themselves
- C. talking to Bathsheba
- D. carrying lotions and cloths

21. **What did David do when he was told the child was dead?**

- A. got up from the ground
- B. put on lotions and changed his clothes
- C. went into the house of the LORD and worshiped
- D. All of these

22. **What did the servants ask David?**

- A. "Why are you acting this way?"
- B. "What shall we do with the child?"
- C. "Why did you not eat before?"
- D. "What can we prepare for you to eat?"

23. **What did David do after he talked with his servants?**

- A. prepared for the child's burial
- B. ate
- C. wept
- D. comforted Bathsheba and lay with her

24. **Why was Nathan told to name the boy Jedidiah?**

- A. because the LORD was angry
- B. because Solomon was not a good name
- C. because the LORD loved him
- D. because Bathsheba had been Uriah's widow

25. **What did Joab capture and take when he fought the Ammonites?**

- A. the royal citadel and its water supply
- B. the walled city and its treasures
- C. the captains and their swords
- D. the land and all the herds

26. **What did Joab tell David to do after his battle with the Ammonites?**

- A. be proud of his armies
- B. eat, drink, and be merry
- C. send more troops to Joab
- D. besiege the city and capture it

27. **What was the crown that David took made of?**

- A. gold and silver
- B. silver and jewels
- C. gold and precious stones
- D. iron

28. **After David plundered all the Ammonite towns, where did he go?**

- A. Jerusalem
- B. home
- C. Israel
- D. Rabbah

29. **What did David take from the city?**

- A. a great quantity of plunder
- B. the king's crown
- C. all the animals
- D. A & B

CHAPTER 13

1. **In the course of time, how did Amnon feel about Tamar?**
 - A. loved her
 - B. hated her
 - C. disliked her
 - D. admired her
2. **Amnon's friend Jonadab was said to be what kind of man?**
 - A. smart
 - B. cunning
 - C. shrewd
 - D. wise
3. **What did Jonadab tell Amnon to do?**
 - A. leave town
 - B. pretend to be ill
 - C. rest for a day
 - D. give a gift to Tamar
4. **What did King David tell Tamar to do for Amnon?**
 - A. anoint with oil
 - B. sing a song
 - C. make a rich robe
 - D. prepare some food
5. **What did Amnon do when Tamar served him the bread?**
 - A. threw it out
 - B. ate it with gusto
 - C. refused to eat it
 - D. gave it away
6. **Where did Amnon tell Tamar to bring the food?**
 - A. into the kitchen
 - B. on a picnic
 - C. to his bedroom
 - D. to his dining table
7. **What did Amnon do when Tamar brought the bread to his bedroom?**
 - A. praised her talents
 - B. ate it from her hand
 - C. grabbed her and raped her
 - D. fed the bread to Tamar
8. **What did Amnon do after he raped Tamar?**
 - A. laughed at her
 - B. cried
 - C. told her to get out
 - D. asked for more bread
9. **How did Amnon's servant treat Tamar?**
 - A. asked her to stay and hide
 - B. gave her a richly ornamented robe
 - C. told her to take a bath
 - D. put her out and bolted the door
10. **What did Absalom tell Tamar to do?**
 - A. "Go tell your father, King David."
 - B. "Go stay with relatives out of town."
 - C. "Be quiet...don't take this thing to heart."
 - D. "Go back and tell Amnon to marry you."
11. **When King David heard all this, how did he react?**
 - A. He went into seclusion.
 - B. He was furious.
 - C. He said it was not true.
 - D. He told Absalom to keep quiet.
12. **Why did King David refuse to go to the sheepshearing?**
 - A. He did not want to be gone that long.
 - B. He was getting old and tired.
 - C. He would be a burden to Absalom.
 - D. He wanted to protect Tamar.

- 13. Who did Absalom ask King David to send to the sheepshearing?**
- A. servants
 - B. all his brothers
 - C. Tamar
 - D. Amnon
- 14. What did Absalom order his men to do?**
- A. protect Tamar
 - B. gather the sheep for shearing
 - C. strike Amnon down
 - D. get Amnon drunk
- 15. What did the king's sons do when Amnon was killed?**
- A. mounted their stallions and fled
 - B. mounted their mules and fled
 - C. mounted their camels and fled
 - D. mounted their horses and fled
- 16. What was the report that came to King David as the men were returning?**
- A. his sons killed Amnon
 - B. all his sons were dead
 - C. none of his sons were harmed
 - D. half of his sons were dead
- 17. What did the king do when he got the report?**
- A. tore his clothes and lay down on the ground
 - B. told his men to prepare to return
 - C. called for his horse and prepared to fight
 - D. put ashes on his head and beat his chest
- 18. This death had been Absalom's _____ ever since Tamar's rape?**
- A. dreaded fear
 - B. dream
 - C. nightmare
 - D. expressed intention
- 19. Who told the king that men were coming down the side of the hill?**
- A. the watchman
 - B. the reporter
 - C. the servant
 - D. the princes
- 20. What did the king and his sons and servants do when the sons came in?**
- A. shouted and declared war loudly
 - B. wept bitterly and lay on the floor
 - C. hugged and shouted loudly
 - D. wailed loudly and wept bitterly
- 21. Where did Absalom flee to?**
- A. the king of Geshur
 - B. the sea shore
 - C. his father's house
 - D. Jerusalem
- 22. How long did Absalom stay in Geshur?**
- A. 3 days
 - B. 3 weeks
 - C. 3 months
 - D. 3 years
- 23. The king longed to do what?**
- A. to avenge Amnon's death
 - B. to go to Absalom
 - C. to seek consolation
 - D. to protect Tamar

CHAPTER 14

1. **What did Joab know that the king's heart longed for?**
 - A. Justice
 - B. God's approval
 - C. Absalom
 - D. Food
2. **In chapter 14 where did the wise woman live?**
 - A. Geshur
 - B. Talmi
 - C. Tekoa
 - D. The hill country
3. **What was the wise woman supposed to wear?**
 - A. Oils for burial
 - B. Mourning clothes
 - C. Wedding clothes
 - D. Sack cloth
4. **Who told the wise woman what to say to David?**
 - A. Joab
 - B. Ammihud
 - C. Absalom
 - D. Jonadab
5. **When the wise woman went to David she _____.**
 - A. Fell with her face to the ground
 - B. Bowed her head
 - C. Lay flat on the ground before David
 - D. Kneeled before David
6. **In the story the wise woman was telling the king, what did the one son do to the other son?**
 - A. Tricked him
 - B. Stole from him
 - C. Killed him
 - D. Beat him up
7. **When the wise woman told her story to David, she said that if they killed the heir, what would it not leave to her husband?**
 - A. Land belonging to their forefathers
 - B. His name or a descendant
 - C. An inheritance of gold
 - D. Daughters of value
8. **In Chapter 14 when the wise woman told about one of her sons killing the other, she called the son still living _____.**
 - A. A criminal
 - B. A curse
 - C. The only burning coal I have left
 - D. A & B
9. **On whom did the wise woman want the blame to rest on?**
 - A. Her husband
 - B. The daughters they were fighting for
 - C. Her guilty son
 - D. On her and her father's family
10. **The wise woman told David that if she and her father's family took the blame, what would the king and his throne be without?**
 - A. God's blessing
 - B. Honor
 - C. Guilt
 - D. The tribe of Benjamin
11. **The king said that if anyone said anything about bringing the guilty son to him to be killed, what was the woman to do?**
 - A. Spit on the ground
 - B. Call the soldiers
 - C. Kill them
 - D. Bring the accuser to the king.

12. **The wise woman asked the king to invoke ____ to prevent the avenger of blood from adding to the destruction.**
- A. wrath
B. anger
C. A law
D. The LORD his God
13. **The king said to the wise woman that as surely as the LORD lives, what would happen to the guilty son?**
- A. He would be thrown in jail for the murder
B. Be banished from the kingdom
C. Not one hair of his head would fall to the ground
D. Killed to avenge his brother
14. **The wise woman said the king convicted himself by what?**
- A. Not protecting the people of Israel
B. Not seeking the prophet to seek God's help
C. Going against God's anointed
D. By not bringing back his banished son
15. **2 Samuel Chapter 14 says, "Like water spilled on the ground, which cannot be recovered, so we must ____."**
- A. Live
B. Repent
C. Die
D. Forgive
16. **2 Samuel Chapter 14 says that God does not take away life; instead, he devises ways so that a person may not remain estranged from him.**
- A. Banished
B. Troubled
C. Sinful
D. Hateful
17. **The woman in Chapter 14 tells David, "...for my lord the king is like an ____ of God in discerning good and evil.**
- A. Servant
B. Prophet
C. Angel
D. Agent
18. **The king asked, "Isn't the hand of ____ with you in all of this?"**
- A. Joab
B. Absalom
C. Jacob
D. Jonathan
19. **Why had Joab asked the wise woman to speak to the king?**
- A. To bring God's anger on the nation of Israel
B. To change the present situation.
C. He knew the king would not listen to him
D. The king had banished Joab with Absalom
20. **After the wise woman spoke to David, what did David agree to do for Joab?**
- A. Allow Joab to bring back the young man Absalom
B. Bring Absalom back and present him to the people of Israel
C. To bring back Absalom to stand in judgement for his guilt
D. Bless his home and children
21. **When David agreed to bring back Absalom, what did Joab do?**
- A. Went immediately to tell Absalom the news
B. Gave him a king's reward
C. Went to Absalom to plot against David
D. Fell on his face to the ground to pay him honor, and he blessed the king

22. **What did Joab know when the king granted his request to bring back Absalom?**
- A. That Nathan would desire a sacrifice to be offered to God
 - B. That God would bless his family
 - C. That he was free from the oath to Absalom
 - D. That he had found favor in the king's eyes
23. **What did the king refuse to let Absalom do when he returned from banishment?**
- A. Enter the house of God
 - B. Take a wife
 - C. Cut his hair
 - D. See the face of the king
24. **Where did Absalom stay when he returned to Jerusalem?**
- A. In the house of Joab
 - B. His own house
 - C. In the temple
 - D. In the house of David
25. **What was about Absalom that he was highly praised?**
- A. His honesty
 - B. His handsome appearance
 - C. His reverence to God
 - D. His valor
26. **What caused Absalom to cut his hair?**
- A. The death of the firstborn son
 - B. The anger of David
 - C. It was too heavy for him
 - D. A Nazirite vow was completed
27. **When Absalom cut his hair, its weight would be _____ shekels.**
- A. 300
 - B. 100
 - C. 400
 - D. 200
28. **How many kids did Absalom have?**
- A. 3 daughters
 - B. 3 sons, 1 daughter
 - C. 2 sons, 2 daughters
 - D. 1 son, 2 daughters
29. **Absalom lived _____ years in Jerusalem without seeing the king's face.**
- A. 3
 - B. 5
 - C. 2
 - D. 4
30. **Joab had a field next to Absalom and what was planted there?**
- A. Corn
 - B. Barley
 - C. Wheat
 - D. Rice
31. **When Joab went to Absalom's house he said to him, " Why have your servants set my _____ on fire.**
- A. Field
 - B. House
 - C. Wheat
 - D. Barn
32. **Absalom asked Joab to tell the king " . . . if I am guilty of anything, let him put me _____."**
- A. Out of town
 - B. Chains
 - C. To death
 - D. In jail
33. **When the king summoned Absalom, Absalom came in bowed down with his _____ to the ground before the king.**
- A. Knees
 - B. Head
 - C. Face
 - D. Hands

CHAPTER 15

1. **"In the course of time" with what did Absalom provide himself?**
 - A. horses
 - B. 50 men to run ahead of him
 - C. a chariot
 - D. All of these
2. **What would Absalom do each morning?**
 - A. groom his horses
 - B. wash his long hair
 - C. stand by the road leading to the city gate
 - D. eat breakfast
3. **What did Absalom ask of the people who came with a complaint?**
 - A. "What have you brought as a gift to the king?"
 - B. "What town are you from?"
 - C. "Tell me your complaints because I have been appointed as Judge."
 - D. "Did you bring a sacrifice to God first?"
4. **What would Absalom tell people?**
 - A. "The city is full, so don't go there."
 - B. "You must bring tribute to me."
 - C. "There is no representative of the king to hear you."
 - D. A & B
5. **How did Absalom tell people they could get justice?**
 - A. by giving money to King David
 - B. by choosing twelve men to hear them
 - C. by bringing gold to the judges
 - D. by having Absalom as judge
6. **How did Absalom win the hearts of the people who bowed before him?**
 - A. He took hold of them and kissed them
 - B. He gave them gold.
 - C. He promised them land.
 - D. He gave them food.
7. **What did Absalom ask of the king?**
 - A. to give him his own army
 - B. to appoint him to be a judge
 - C. to go to Jerusalem
 - D. to allow him to go to Hebron to fulfill a vow to the LORD
8. **Where did Absalom vow he would worship the LORD?**
 - A. Hebron
 - B. Ur
 - C. Judah
 - D. Jerusalem
9. **What was the vow that Absalom told David he had made to the LORD?**
 - A. "If the LORD takes me back to Jerusalem, I will worship the LORD in Hebron."
 - B. "If I am able return to Jerusalem, I will worship God only."
 - C. "If I am able to return to Jerusalem, I will defend my father David as king."
 - D. "If the king will accept me back in the family, I will sacrifice all I have to the LORD."
10. **What did David say to Absalom about Absalom's request?**
 - A. "I need you to stay here."
 - B. "Go in peace."
 - C. "Wait until after the harvest."
 - D. "You must worship only in Jerusalem."
11. **What did Absalom's secret message to the tribes of Israel say?**
 - A. "The king won't allow me to leave."
 - B. "I will meet you in Jerusalem."
 - C. "When you hear the trumpet, say, 'Absalom is king in Hebron.'"
 - D. "I have been appointed as judge."

12. **How many men innocently accompanied Absalom as guests to Hebron?**
 A. 1000
 B. 500
 C. 5000
 D. 200
13. **Who was Ahithophel?**
 A. Absalom's brother-in-law
 B. David's counselor
 C. Absalom's general
 D. Joab's son
14. **What did a messenger tell David?**
 A. "Absalom did not go to Hebron."
 B. "The sacrifices of Absalom in Hebron are completed."
 C. "The hearts of the men of Israel are with Absalom."
 D. "Ahithophel is on his way back from Hebron."
15. **What did David say Absalom would do?**
 A. overtake them
 B. put the city to the sword
 C. ask David to forgive him
 D. A & B
16. **How did David's servants respond to David's order to get ready to flee Jerusalem?**
 A. They fled to the temple.
 B. They allied themselves with Absalom.
 C. They were ready to do whatever David chose.
 D. They scattered in fear.
17. **Who did David leave behind in the palace?**
 A. 500 soldiers
 B. 10 concubines
 C. all of the women and children
 D. the elderly men
18. **What was the response of the man David told to leave him?**
 A. "It matters not if I leave. Absalom will kill me."
 B. "Wherever my lord the king may be, there will your servant be."
 C. "I will take my countrymen and return to my homeland."
 D. "I will go back and stay with King Absalom."
19. **What did the whole countryside do when all the people with David passed by?**
 A. wept aloud
 B. bowed down
 C. shouted insults
 D. threw stones
20. **When David fled Jerusalem, what did Abiathar do until all the people finished leaving the city?**
 A. prayed to God for redemption
 B. hid in the temple
 C. offered sacrifices
 D. sang praises to God
21. **What did David tell Zadok to do?**
 A. "Go ahead of me and the people."
 B. "Form another army to help me fight Absalom."
 C. "Light fires on the mountaintops to encourage and guide the people."
 D. "Take the ark of God back to the city."

22. **What did David say the LORD would do if he found favor in the LORD's eyes?**
- A. "He will lead me to a new city where the ark will have a dwelling place once again."
 - B. "He will feed and care for me in the desert."
 - C. "He will bring me back and see the ark in his dwelling place again."
 - D. "He will crush Absalom."
23. **What did David say his response would be if the LORD was not pleased with him?**
- A. "Make me a wanderer forever like Cain."
 - B. "Bury me on the mountain with Moses."
 - C. "Let him do to me whatever seems good to him."
 - D. "Let me be a servant in the palace of Absalom."
24. **The king said to Zadok the priest, "Aren't you _____?"**
- A. a seer
 - B. coming with me
 - C. wise in God's eyes
 - D. a Levite
25. **Where did David tell Zadok he would go and wait for word from Zadok?**
- A. at the temple
 - B. on the Mount of Olives
 - C. at the fords in the desert
 - D. on Mt. Sinai
26. **What were David and the people doing as they continued up the Mount of Olives?**
- A. weeping
 - B. cursing Absalom
 - C. laughing
 - D. laughing singing
27. **What did David pray about Ahithophel?**
- A. "Let Ahithophel return to me."
 - B. "Turn his counsel into foolishness."
 - C. "May he die a horrible death."
 - D. "Let him repent."
28. **How did David say this person at the summit could help him?**
- A. He could find more horses and chariots.
 - B. He could protect the women and children.
 - C. He could offer to be Absalom's servant.
 - D. He could find more men to help David fight.
29. **Who did David tell Hushai to send back to David with any information he heard in the palace?**
- A. Ahimaaz
 - B. Jonathan
 - C. Zadok
 - D. A & B
30. **Who arrived in Jerusalem just as Absalom was entering the city?**
- A. Hushai
 - B. Zadok and Abiathar
 - C. Ittai
 - D. Ahithophel

QUIZ BANK

Directions: Number the events in each section in the order in which they occurred.

WHO

1. ___ **Uriah** died in a battle by arrangement of the king.
2. ___ **Solomon** was born to David and Bathsheba.
3. ___ **Secret messengers** were sent throughout the tribes of Israel to say, "As soon as you hear the sound of the trumpets, then say, 'Absalom is king in Hebron.'"
4. ___ **Joab** sent a woman from Tekoa to speak to King David regarding a fight between brothers.
5. ___ **Bathsheba** was seen bathing by the king.
6. ___ **Absalom** had his brother Amnon killed.
7. ___ **Tamar** was disgraced by Amnon.
8. ___ **Absalom's servants** set Joab's barley field on fire.
9. ___ **Nathan** said to David, "There were two men in a certain town, one rich and the other poor."
10. ___ **Hushai the Arkite** returned to Jerusalem to spy on Absalom on behalf of David.

WHAT

1. ___ Tamar tore her **richly ornamented robe**.
2. ___ A parable about a **little ewe lamb** was told to David by Nathan.
3. ___ Whenever anyone came with a complaint to be placed before the king, Absalom would tell them that if he [Absalom] were appointed as judge, they would have **justice**.
4. ___ Joab instructed the woman from Tekoa to dress in **mourning clothes** for her visit to the king.
5. ___ David wrote a **letter** to Joab regarding Uriah.
6. ___ Absalom's **conspiracy** gained strength, and his following kept on increasing.
7. ___ David made Uriah **drunk**.
8. ___ Joab took Rabbah's **water supply**.
9. ___ **Absalom's hair** weighed two hundred shekels by the royal standard.
10. ___ Absalom said to his father David, "Your servant has had **shearers** come. Will the king and his officials please join me?"

WHEN

1. ___ **After Bathsheba's time of mourning was over**, David had her brought to his house, and she became his wife and bore him a son.
2. ___ **Whenever anyone approached him to bow down before him**, Absalom would reach out his hand, take hold of him and kiss him
3. ___ **One evening** David got up and walked around outside on the roof of his palace.
4. ___ **After learning that the hearts of the men of Israel were with Absalom**, David said, "Come! We must flee, or none of us will escape from Absalom."
5. ___ **After his visit with the woman from Tekoa**, King David ordered Joab to go and bring Absalom back to Jerusalem.
6. ___ **After Nathan had gone home**, the LORD struck the child that Uriah's wife had borne to David
7. ___ **The first and second times** Absalom requested that Joab visit with him regarding the king's refusal to see Absalom, Joab refused to see Absalom.
8. ___ **Two years after the event** which caused Absalom to hate Amnon, Absalom plotted to have Amnon killed.
9. ___ **After Amnon had disgraced Tamar**, he hated her with a hatred more intense than the love with which he had loved her.
10. ___ **On the seventh day** the child died.

WHERE

1. ___ After the child of David and Bathsheba died, David went to **the house of the LORD** and worshiped.
2. ___ The LORD told David, "**Out of your own household** I am going to bring calamity upon you. "
3. ___ Tamar lived in **Absalom's house** as a desolate woman.
4. ___ Joab is told to put Uriah **in the front of the battle**, where the fighting is the fiercest.
5. ___ Absalom would get up early and stand **by the side of the road leading to the city gate**.
6. ___ Amnon arranged for Tamar to come into **his bedroom**.
7. ___ But David continued up the **Mount of Olives**, weeping as he went
8. ___ David assured the woman from Tekoa that not one hair of her son's head would fall **to the ground**.
9. ___ **From his roof**, David saw the wife of Uriah the Hittite.
10. ___ Absalom told Joab that it would have been better to remain in **Geshur** if the king was going to continue to refuse to see him.

WHY

1. ___ Amnon was frustrated to the point of illness over Tamar, ***because it was impossible for him to do anything to her.***
2. ___ Uriah refused to go home to sleep ***because the ark and Israel and Judah were in tents.***
3. ___ Absalom had Joab's barley field set on fire ***because Joab had refused to come to him.***
4. ___ ***Because Absalom told David that he had made a vow to the LORD*** regarding worshiping in Hebron, David said, "Go in peace."
5. ___ King David tore his clothes and lay on the ground ***because he believed Absalom had killed all of his sons.***
6. ___ David fasted and wept for his child who was ill ***because he thought, "Who knows? The LORD may be gracious to me and let the child live."***
7. ___ David attempted to get Uriah to sleep with his wife ***to conceal David's own sin.***
8. ___ Joab arranged for the woman from Tekoa to speak to King David ***because he knew the king's heart longed for Absalom.***
9. ___ David told Ittai the Gittite to return to Absalom ***because he was a foreigner who had just joined them the day before.***
10. ___ In response to a story Nathan told about a lamb, David said, "He must pay for that lamb four times over, ***because he did such a thing and had no pity*** "

WHAT CHAPTER?

1. ___ David acknowledged to Nathan, "I have sinned against the LORD."
2. ___ It is said that the thing that David had done displeased the LORD.
3. ___ Absalom lived two years in Jerusalem without seeing the king's face.
4. ___ Absalom fled to Geshur.
5. ___ In the spring, at the time when kings go off to war, David sent Joab out with the king's men and the whole Israelite army.
6. ___ Because the LORD loved Solomon, he sent word through Nathan the prophet to name him Jedidiah
7. ___ Absalom sent secret messengers throughout the tribes of Israel to say, "As soon as you hear the sound of the trumpets, then say, 'Absalom is king in Hebron.' "
8. ___ Jonidab advised Amnon regarding Tamar.
9. ___ The king said to Joab, "Very well, I will do it. Go, bring back the young man Absalom."

10. ___ When the men of the city came out and fought against Joab, Uriah the Hittite died.
11. ___ King David said to Zadok, "Take the ark of God back into the city. If I find favor in the LORD's eyes, he will bring me back and let me see it and his dwelling place again."
12. ___ Tamar prepared bread for her brother Amnon.
13. ___ The crown taken from the head of the king of Rabbah was placed on David's head.
14. ___ Absalom provided himself with a chariot and horses and with fifty men to run ahead of him.
15. ___ It was said that in all Israel there was not a man so highly praised for his handsome appearance as Absalom.
16. ___ Amnon pretended to be ill.
17. ___ Bathsheba conceived and sent word to David, saying, "I am pregnant."
18. ___ The king and his entire household set out to leave Jerusalem, but left ten concubines behind to take care of the palace.
19. ___ Then the king summoned Absalom, and he came in and bowed down with his face to the ground before the king.
20. ___ David's servants were afraid to tell him that his child was dead.