

1 Samuel 9

1. **From which Israelite tribe was Saul's father?**
 - A. Reuben
 - B. Judah
 - C. Simeon
 - D. Benjamin
2. **Did Saul have an equal among the Israelites?**
 - A. Yes, many were equal in height
 - B. Yes, many were equally wise
 - C. Yes, Samuel was said to be his equal
 - D. No, he was a head taller than anyone
3. **What type of animal belonging to Saul's father Kish was lost in 1 Samuel 9?**
 - A. Donkey
 - B. Camel
 - C. Llama
 - D. Bull
4. **Who did Saul take with him in his search for his father's missing animals?**
 - A. His brother
 - B. A servant
 - C. A priest
 - D. No one
5. **What did Saul suggest to his companion that they do when his search for his father's animals took him to the district of Zuph?**
 - A. Go back
 - B. Pitch their tents
 - C. Find the man of God in Zuph
 - D. Pray for guidance
6. **Why did the servant suggest that the man of God in Zuph might tell them which way to take?**
 - A. He had a crystal ball
 - B. He had predicted rain
 - C. Everything he said came true
 - D. None of the above
7. **Why was Saul concerned about visiting the man of God in Zuph?**
 - A. They were not dressed properly
 - B. They had no food or gifts to give him
 - C. They had no cattle to give him
 - D. They had no family in common
8. **What did the servant traveling with Saul have to offer the man of God in Zuph?**
 - A. One shekel of silver
 - B. One quarter shekel of silver
 - C. One shekel of gold
 - D. One quarter shekel of gold
9. **What were prophets formerly called by the Israelites?**
 - A. Seers
 - B. Soothsayers
 - C. Low Priests
 - D. Diviners
10. **When Saul and the servant were going up the hill to the town, they encountered some girls who were coming out to**
 - A. draw water
 - B. check their sheep
 - C. check their cattle
 - D. mourn their dead
11. **What reason did the girls give to explain to Saul why the seer was in town that day?**
 - A. Passover
 - B. To tell fortunes
 - C. To cleanse the temple
 - D. The people were sacrificing at the high place

12. What were the people of Zuph waiting for the seer to do before they would eat the sacrifice at the high place?

- A. Bless their children
- B. Bless the sacrifice
- C. Plunge a fork into the sacrificed meat
- D. None of the above

13. As Saul and the servant were entering the town, who was coming toward them on his way to the high place?

- A. Saul's father
- B. Eli's daughter
- C. Samuel
- D. an angel of the LORD

14. The day before Saul was in Zuph, the LORD had told Samuel that he would encounter a Benjamite, and that he should anoint him as

- A. leader over Israel
- B. a commander in Israel's army
- C. The High Priest
- D. a judge

15. When Saul first saw Samuel, to what location did he request directions?

- A. The seer's house
- B. A well for water
- C. The highest place
- D. An inn

16. After inviting Saul to eat with him, Samuel told Saul which of the following things?

- A. His donkeys were still lost
- B. Samuel would leave at midnight
- C. Israel's desire had turned to Saul
- D. Samuel's father was worried about him

17. Why did Saul have difficulty believing all Samuel told him when they first met in Zuph?

- A. Saul was a Benjamite
- B. Saul was too tall
- C. Saul was extremely poor
- D. Saul was crippled

18. After accepting Samuel's invitation, with about how many other invited guests did Saul and the servant dine?

- A. Thirty
- B. One hundred
- C. Fifty
- D. One hundred fifty

19. After coming down from the high place, Samuel and Saul talked

- A. in an upper room
- B. in the synagogue
- C. near a well
- D. on the roof of Samuel's house

20. Samuel told Saul to tell the servant to go on ahead of them, but that Saul should stay there, so that Samuel could give him

- A. his own ephod
- B. a quarter shekel of silver
- C. a message from God
- D. his father's donkeys

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21. Who was the son of Kish, son of Abiel?

- A. Saul
- B. Zeror
- C. Benjamin
- D. Becorath

22. Kish is described in 1 Samuel 9 as being a man of

- A. kindness.
- B. wealth
- C. wrath.
- D. standing

23. On their search for the donkeys, Saul and the servant passed through the hill country of

- A. Simeon
- B. Ephraim
- C. Judah
- D. Manasseh

24. What information did Saul and the servant hope Samuel would give them in exchange for the quarter of a shekel of silver?

- A. The way to go home
- B. The way to Samuel's house
- C. The way to the high place
- D. The way to take to find the donkeys

25. Approximately how many grams does a shekel of silver weigh?

- A. Five
- B. Seven
- C. Nine
- D. Twelve

26. When did the LORD identify Saul to Samuel as being the one who would govern Israel?

- A. When lightening struck
- B. When Saul's donkey appeared
- C. When Samuel caught sight of Saul
- D. When the high place shook

27. How long had passed between the time the donkeys were lost and the time Saul ate with Samuel at the high place?

- A. Three days
- B. Thirty days
- C. Ten days
- D. Sixty days

28. Who declared that a leg of the sacrificed animal should be laid aside for Saul to eat?

- A. Saul himself
- B. The servant
- C. Samuel
- D. The young girls at the well

29. Which of the following is said regarding the departure of Saul and his servant from Zuph?

- A. Saul was 20 paces ahead of the servant
- B. The servant left before Saul
- C. They traveled together
- D. Saul left before the servant