

1 Samuel 20

- 1. Who asked, "How have I wronged your father, that he is trying to take my life?"**
 - A. Jonathan
 - B. Saul
 - C. David
 - D. None of the above
- 2. Who said, "Never! You are not going to die! Look, my father doesn't do anything, great or small, without confiding in me."**
 - A. Jonathan
 - B. Saul
 - C. David
 - D. None of the above
- 3. David took an oath and said to Jonathan, "Your father knows very well that I have ____."**
 - A. lied to him
 - B. killed Goliath
 - C. married Michal
 - D. found favor in your eyes
- 4. Why does David feel that Saul would not tell his son Jonathan of his plan to kill David?**
 - A. Saul wants to surprise Jonathan
 - B. Jonathan will be grieved
 - C. Jonathan might kill Saul
 - D. The text doesn't say
- 5. David said to Jonathan that as surely as the LORD lives there is only a step between David and ____.**
 - A. being king
 - B. death
 - C. great riches
 - D. being a shepherd again
- 6. On what occasion was David supposed to dine with the king?**
 - A. New Moon festival
 - B. Passover
 - C. Feast of Tabernacles
 - D. Celebration of Purim
- 7. If the king misses David at a certain meal, David wants Jonathan to tell his father that David ____.**
 - A. is fighting the Philistines
 - B. is ceremonially unclean
 - C. has gone to Bethlehem
 - D. has business in Gath
- 8. What response to David's absence at the meal does David expect if Saul is determined to harm David?**
 - A. Saul will lose his temper
 - B. Saul will say, "Very well."
 - C. Saul will throw his spear at Jonathan
 - D. None of the above
- 9. David suggested to Jonathan that if David was guilty, Jonathan himself should kill David. Jonathan said, "Never! If I had the least inkling that my father was determined to ____, wouldn't I tell you?"**
 - A. make you king
 - B. harm you
 - C. sell the ark of the LORD
 - D. call Samuel from the grave
- 10. Jonathan said to David, "If my father is inclined to harm you, may the LORD deal with me, be it ever so severely, if I do not ____."**
 - A. let you know and send you away safely
 - B. succeed in changing his mind
 - C. kill him first
 - D. turn him over to the Philistines

11. Jonathan said to David, "Tomorrow is the New Moon festival. You will be missed, because _____."

- A. you are loved
- B. your seat will be empty
- C. you tell the best stories
- D. your replacement is unfit

12. Where did Jonathan instruct David to meet after Jonathan determined whether or not Saul was trying to kill David?

- A. At Gilgal
- B. By the stone Ezel
- C. At Deborah's Palm
- D. Under a pomegranate tree in Migron.

13. Jonathan planned to sound out Saul's reaction to David being gone from the meal. Which one of the following would be part of Jonathan's signal to David?

- A. Shoot three arrows
- B. Throw five smooth stones
- C. Build an altar
- D. Hurl his spear

14. If there was no danger to David from Saul, Jonathan would say to the boy with him,

- A. "The spear is beyond you."
- B. "Fetch five more smooth stones."
- C. "Look, the arrows are to this side of you."
- D. "You have found favor with my father."

15. On the first day of the month at the New Moon festival, why did Saul think David was gone from the meal?

- A. David had made a Nazirite vow
- B. David was offering sacrifices to the LORD
- C. David was ceremonially unclean
- D. David's father had died

16. When Saul asked why David was gone, Jonathan answered that David earnestly asked for permission to go to _____ to attend a sacrifice with his brothers.

- A. Gath
- B. Samuel
- C. Bethlehem
- D. Jerusalem

17. After Saul's anger flared up at Jonathan, what was Jonathan's response?

- A. "Why should David be put to death?"
- B. "You're the king; do what you want."
- C. "Why are you hiding that spear?"
- D. "Please just finish your meal."

18. What did Saul do to Jonathan when Jonathan asked him why he was intent on killing David?"

- A. Sent Jonathan to his relatives in Gibeah
- B. Hurlled a spear at him, intending to kill him
- C. Charged at him with a sword
- D. Had him put in the stockade

19. During Jonathan's signal to David, what did Jonathan tell the boy when the boy had retrieved the arrows?

- A. "Carry them back to town."
- B. "Do not tell my father where David is."
- C. "Hurry, run to the palace!"
- D. All of the above.

20. "After the boy had gone, David bowed before Jonathan three times, with his face to the ground. Then they kissed each other and wept together - _____."

- A. but neither actually shed tears
- B. but David wept the most
- C. and made plans to share the throne
- D. then both went into town together

21. Jonathan said to David, "Go in peace, for we have sworn friendship with each other in the name of the LORD, saying, 'The LORD is witness between _____.'"

- A. you and me
- B. your descendants and my descendants
- C. you and Saul's family
- D. A and B above