

1Samuel 3

Key Verse:

Key Word:

X-Ref:

Paraphrase:

Examining the Text:

- 1) What was peculiar about the word of the Lord during this time?
- 2) "It is the Lord. Let him do what seems good to him" was Eli's response to what?
- 3) Samuel grew and became known as what?

1Samuel 4

Examining the Text:

- 1) After Israel lost a battle to the Philistines, they decided to bring the ark of the covenant to the battle. Why?
- 2) Did God fight for them?
- 3) What does the name "Ichabod" mean?

1Samuel 5

Examining the Text:

- 1) Name the locations that the Philistines brought the ark of the covenant.
- 2) What happened to the god of the Philistines?
- 3) People in the cities were afflicted with tumors. Did anyone die from this?

1Samuel 6

Examining the Text:

- 1) How long did the Philistines keep the ark?
- 2) If people were dying and getting tumors, why didn't they get rid of it sooner?
- 3) When Israel saw the ark, how did they react?

1Samuel 7

Examining the Text:

- 1) At whose house did the ark remain for 20 years?
- 2) What instructions did Samuel give to Israel?
- 3) What did the Lord do when the Philistines attacked?
- 4) What did Samuel do to remember this day?

1Samuel 8

Examining the Text:

- 1) Samuel was a great man and a good judge. Describe his sons.
- 2) How did Samuel feel when the people asked for a king?
- 3) How did Israel respond to the words of the Lord spoken by Samuel regarding Kings?

1Samuel 9

Examining the Text:

- 1) Why did Saul go to see the prophet/seer?
- 2) Describe Saul.
- 3) Why was Saul confused by the way that Samuel treated him?