

AMPT Kids Church Sunday 25 July 2021

David a new King

Welcome

Welcome to Ampt with Ruth.

Prayer

Let's pray. Dear Lord Jesus, we thank you for being with us this week and helping us as we study at home. Please help us to understand the Bible passage today. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Bible passage

Today's bible passage is about the most famous King of Israel and the Ark of God which God told the Israelites to make just after he helped them escape from Egypt. The Ten Commandments on stones were kept in the Ark of God. It showed that they had made an agreement or covenant together. God promised to be with the Israelites and they promised to live his way. It was a sign that God was present with his people.

From a young boy David knew that God was great, that he could trust God to keep His promises and that God deserves praise and honour.

1 Samuel 16:1 and 11 NIV

Samuel Anoints David

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¹¹ So he asked Jesse, "Are these all the sons you have?"

"There is still the youngest," Jesse answered. "He is tending the sheep."

Samuel said, "Send for him; we will not sit down until he arrives."



1 Samuel 17

David said to the Philistine, “You come against me with sword and spear and javelin, but I come against you in the name of the LORD Almighty, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. ⁴⁶This day the LORD will deliver you into my hands, and I’ll strike you down and cut off your head.....When the Philistines saw that their hero was dead, they turned and ran.

2 Samuel 5:4-12

⁴ David was thirty years old when he became king, and he reigned forty years. ⁵ In Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months, and in Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years.

David Conquers Jerusalem

⁶ The king and his men marched to Jerusalem to attack the Jebusites, who lived there. The Jebusites said to David, “You will not get in here; even the blind and the lame can ward you off.” They thought, “David cannot get in here.” ⁷ Nevertheless, David captured the fortress of Zion. [*Skip to verse 9*]

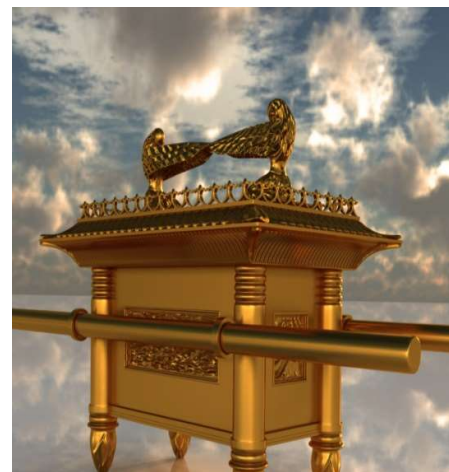
⁹ David then took up residence in the fortress and called it the City of David. He built up the area around it, from the terraces^[b] inward. ¹⁰ And he became more and more powerful, because the LORD God Almighty was with him.

2 Samuel 6:1-19

The Ark Brought to Jerusalem



⁶ David again brought together all the able young men of Israel—thirty thousand. ² He and all his men went to Baalah^[a] in Judah to bring up from there the ark of God, which is called by the Name,^[b] the name of the LORD Almighty, who is enthroned between the cherubim on the ark. ³ They set the ark of God on a new cart and brought it from the house of Abinadab, which was on the hill. Uzzah and Ahio, sons of Abinadab, were guiding the new cart ⁴ with the ark of God on it,^[c] and Ahio was walking in front of it. ⁵ David and all Israel were celebrating with all their might before the LORD, with castanets,^[d] harps, lyres, timbrels, sistrums and cymbals.



⁶ When they came to the threshing floor of Nakon, Uzzah reached out and took hold of the ark of God, because the oxen stumbled. ⁷ The LORD's anger burned against Uzzah because of his irreverent act; therefore God struck him down, and he died there beside the ark of God.

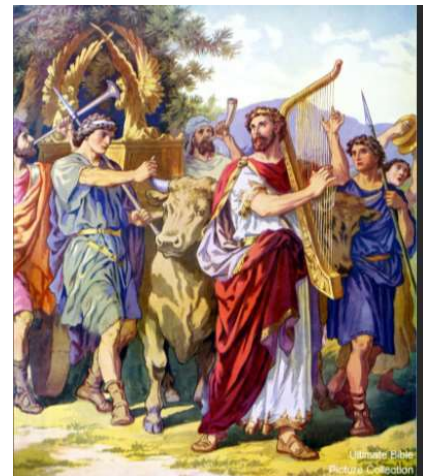
⁸ Then David was angry because the LORD's wrath had broken out against Uzzah, and to this day that place is called Perez Uzzah.^[e]

⁹ David was afraid of the LORD that day and said, "How can the ark of the LORD ever come to me?" ¹⁰ He was not willing to take the ark of the LORD to be with him in the City of David. Instead, he took it to the house of Obed-Edom the Gittite. ¹¹ The ark of the LORD remained in the house of Obed-Edom the Gittite for three months, and the LORD blessed him and his entire household.

¹² Now King David was told, "The LORD has blessed the household of Obed-Edom and everything he has, because of the ark of God." So David went to bring up the ark of God from the house of Obed-Edom to the City of David with rejoicing. ¹³ When those who were carrying the ark of the LORD had taken six steps, he sacrificed a bull and a fattened calf. ¹⁴ Wearing a linen ephod, David was dancing before the LORD with all his might, ¹⁵ while he and all Israel were bringing up the ark of the LORD with shouts and the sound of trumpets.

¹⁶ As the ark of the LORD was entering the City of David, Michal daughter of Saul watched from a window. And when she saw King David leaping and dancing before the LORD, she despised him in her heart.

¹⁷ They brought the ark of the LORD and set it in its place inside the tent that David had pitched for it, and David sacrificed burnt offerings and fellowship offerings before the LORD. ¹⁸ After he had finished sacrificing the burnt offerings and fellowship offerings, he blessed the people in the name of the LORD Almighty. ¹⁹ Then he gave a loaf of bread, a cake of dates and a cake of raisins to each person in the whole crowd of Israelites, both men and women. And all the people went to their homes.



Video

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YcZ_Yy8aWo0



The Ark of the Covenant was a sign of God's presence and was only allowed to be carried by the Levite tribe. See Deuteronomy 10:8

King David and the people celebrated because they were excited to know that God was now with them. Because of Jesus we can have God with us all the time.

Quiz

Look at the quiz on the next page and see how much you can remember from the Bible passage.

Prayer

Dear Lord Jesus, we praise your mighty power and thank you, that we can have you with us always. We praise and thank you for the many good things that you bless us with. We ask that you would protect us and our family from the covid virus. Please help us to remember to keep asking for your guidance and help every day. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Activity

Trace around your hand with fingers stretched out and write onto each finger something that you can thank or praise God for.



story quiz

Use the Bible verses to help you with this quiz.

How old do you think he was?



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Read 1 Samuel 17:51. David is most remembered for defeating:
a Goliath?
b the Incredible Hulk?
c Samson?

How long did he wait for God's promise to him to be fulfilled?

4

Read 2 Samuel 5:10. Why did David become such a great king?
a he ate his breakfast every day?
b God was on his side?
c he played his harp daily?

Read 1 Samuel 16:11. When David was first chosen to be a king he was:
a a farmer?
b a shepherd?
c a lion tamer?

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Was David scared taking on a giant?
See 1 Samuel 17:34-36.

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Read 2 Samuel 5:4. How old was David when he finally became king?
a 45 years old?
b 30 years old?
c 60 years old?

3

Read 2 Samuel 6:1,2. What did David take 30,000 troops to do?
a fight the Philistines?
b build a railway?
c escort the covenant box to Jerusalem?



Read 2 Samuel 6:2. Why was the covenant box so important?
a it was made of gold and very valuable?
b it was made of gold and carried the tea bags?
c it was made of gold and was the symbol of God's presence?

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Read 2 Samuel 6:7. Who touched the box and died?
a David?
b Abinadab?
c Uzzah?

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Read 2 Samuel 6:11,12. Whose house did the covenant box get taken to?
a Obed Edom?
b Obed Kenobi?
c Obed Neco?

3

Read 2 Samuel 6:15. When the covenant box finally got to Jerusalem everyone felt:
a very sad?
b very happy?
c very scared?

2

Read 2 Samuel 6:20. David felt really great and danced all night, but:
a his wife Michal told him he was disgusting?
b his slave girls laughed at him?
c his children got very embarrassed by his dancing?

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do you think this was fair? David didn't see 2 Samuel 6:8,9.

Have you ever felt really great and then had someone say something hurtful to you?