

Saul seeks to kill David



Underline the right word in the brackets to complete the story:

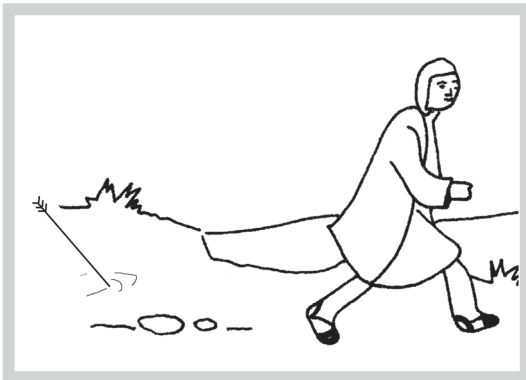
David fought against the [Egyptians / Philistines / Assyrians] and killed [many / a few / none] of them.

The Lord made Saul very [happy / jealous / old] so that he threw a [brick / ball / javelin] at David, narrowly [hitting / missing] him.

David's wife knew that he was in [a fight / favour / danger] so that night she let him down through [the roof / a door / a window] and he ran away and escaped.

She then made [a lump / the tea] in the bed and put some [horse's / cat's / goat's] hair to look like [David's / Saul's / Jonathan's] hair. She told Saul that he was [dead / away / ill]. When Saul realised that David had escaped he was [delighted / furious / sad].

Connect each message to the right picture



"You must go because the Lord has sent you away"

"Come because as surely as the Lord lives, you are safe"



A bookmark for you

Jealousy

leads to

hatred,

friendship

leads to

love and

kindness

Hunt through 1 Samuel 25 for the answers to these questions.

You will build up the story of

David and Abigail

1. Who died?
2. Where did David go?
3. Who was the wealthy man living there?
4. Who was his wife?
5. What was she like? [ugly / intelligent / tall / beautiful / proud]
6. Who did David send to Nabal?
7. How had David treated Nabal's shepherds? [well / badly]
8. What did David want from Nabal? [horses / something to eat / money]
9. What did Nabal say? [yes / no / maybe]
10. What did David's men do?
11. Who went to Abigail?
12. What did he tell her about? [What Nabal had said / his holidays]
13. What did Abigail send? [bread / coffee / wine / sheep / jelly / figs / raisins]
14. What did she tell Nabal?
15. What was David coming to do when Abigail met him?
16. Abigail (deobw nowd) and (sepaloogid) for Nabal
17. What did David say would have happened if Abigail hadn't come? (v33) [they would have gone home / they would have shed blood]
18. What had Nabal been doing when Abigail got home?
19. What happened about 10 days later?
20. What did David do? (v39) [cried / praised God]
21. Then what did he do?
22. What did Abigail say? (one word)



Some readings for next week:

Sunday	1 Samuel 19	verses 4-7
Monday		verses 9-14
Tuesday		verses 15-18
Wednesday	1 Samuel 20	verses 24-27
Thursday		verses 28-30
Friday		verses 31-34
Saturday		verses 35-42

Notice three people who helped David. Which two would have been in danger from Saul had he found out?
Try to have courage to help people even if it means that you may be laughed at or ridiculed.