Preschool · Easy

Abigail, David and Nabal Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · 1 Samuel 25:2–42

Name: _____ Date: _____

Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. Nabal had many (**sheep** / **camels**).
2. David girded on his (**sword** / **hat**).
3. Abigail took cakes of (**figs** / **candy**).
4. Abigail fell at David's (**feet** / **door**).
5. David said, Go up in (**peace** / **anger**).

Circle the number

6. How many young men did David send to Nabal? **2** / **10** / **20**
7. How many damsels went with Abigail to David? **2** / **5** / **7**

Trace the verse

Use a pencil to write over the gray letters. Then write the words again on the line below.

A soft answer turneth away wrath

Proverbs 15:1 (KJV) · wrath = great anger. Kind, gentle words calm people down.

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Answer key

Circle the right word

1. He had three thousand **sheep**, and a thousand goats. *(1 Samuel 25:2)*
2. David also girded on his **sword**. *(1 Samuel 25:13)*
3. Two hundred cakes of **figs**. *(1 Samuel 25:18)*
4. And fell at his **feet**. *(1 Samuel 25:24)*
5. "Go up in **peace** to thine house." *(1 Samuel 25:35)*

Circle the number

6. **10.** David "sent out ten young men." *(1 Samuel 25:5)*
7. **5.** She went "with five damsels of hers that went after her." *(1 Samuel 25:42)*

Trace the verse

"A soft answer turneth away wrath" is the start of Proverbs 15:1 (KJV). The whole verse is: "A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger."

For the teacher

Time: about 10 minutes · **Ages:** 4–6 (preschool and kindergarten)

- **Read it out loud:** read each sentence and both choices, then let kids circle the answer. Kids who can't write yet can point while you circle.
- **Tracing:** kids trace the gray letters with a pencil or crayon, then copy the words on the line. Younger kids can just trace.
- **Talk about it:** Abigail spoke to David, and he said, "Go up in peace" (1 Samuel 25:35). Ask: *What is a soft answer you can give when someone is upset?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Abigail, David and Nabal Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/abigail-lesson.

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