

David Is Anointed King Worksheet

Hard: look up the answers in your Bible • 1 Samuel 16

Name: _____ Date: _____

Look it up in your Bible

Read the verse, then write the answer on the line.

1. Where did the LORD send Samuel? *Read 1 Samuel 16:1.* _____
2. What did Samuel say when he saw Eliab? *Read 1 Samuel 16:6.* _____
3. What does the LORD look on? *Read 1 Samuel 16:7.* _____
4. What did Samuel say of the seven sons? *Read 1 Samuel 16:10.* _____
5. Where was the youngest son? *Read 1 Samuel 16:11.* _____
6. What did the LORD say of David? *Read 1 Samuel 16:12.* _____
7. What came upon David from that day? *Read 1 Samuel 16:13.* _____
8. What did David play with his hand? *Read 1 Samuel 16:23.* _____

Memory verse

Write 1 Samuel 16:7 from memory. The first letter of each word is given.

But t L s u S , L n o h c ,
 o o t h o h s ; b l h r
 h : f t L s n a m s ; f m l
 o t o a , b t L l o t h

. 1 Samuel 16:7 (KJV)

Think about it

What does God want to see in your heart? (1 Samuel 16:7)



Answer key

Look it up in your Bible

1. To Jesse the Bethlehemite. (*1 Samuel 16:1*)
2. "Surely the LORD's anointed is before him." (*1 Samuel 16:6*)
3. The heart. (*1 Samuel 16:7*)
4. "The LORD hath not chosen these." (*1 Samuel 16:10*)
5. He keepeth the sheep. (*1 Samuel 16:11*)
6. "Arise, anoint him: for this is he." (*1 Samuel 16:12*)
7. The Spirit of the LORD. (*1 Samuel 16:13*)
8. An harp. (*1 Samuel 16:23*)

Memory verse

"But the LORD said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the LORD seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the LORD looketh on the heart." *1 Samuel 16:7 (KJV)*

Think about it

Answers will vary: love for God, kindness, obeying, telling the truth. Help kids see that God cares more about who we are inside than how we look, and that He chose the youngest son.

For the teacher

Time: about 20 minutes • **Ages:** grades 3–5

- **Bibles:** each child (or each pair) needs a King James Bible open to 1 Samuel 16.
- **Old Bible words explained:** mourn = be sad, horn = an animal's horn used to hold oil, Bethlehemite = a man from Bethlehem, heifer = a young cow, peaceably = in peace, sanctify = make clean and ready for God, countenance = face, stature = how tall he was, seeth = sees, looketh = looks, remaineth = is still left, ruddy = reddish, withal = also, brethren = brothers, anoint = pour oil on to set apart.
- **Talk about it:** Samuel anointed David, the youngest, because "the LORD looketh on the heart" (1 Samuel 16:7). Ask kids to share their "think about it" answers.
- **Teach the story first:** use the free David Is Anointed King Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/david-anointed-lesson.