

The Life of King David

Lesson 2 – II Samuel

II Samuel Chapter 2 Student Questions

1. What questions did David ask the Lord – 2:1? What answers did he receive?

2. Where did David go and who went with him – 2:2,3 ?

4. Who anointed David as king – 2:4?

Who had already anointed David as king?

5. What information was David given in 2:4? Where else is the story recorded? Give more details about what happened.

6. What did David say to these people as a result – 2:5,6?

7. What challenge did David give these people in 2:7?

8. Who had been the commander of Saul's army – 2:8?

9. How old was Ishbosheth, and how long did he reign – 2:10,11?

10. How long did David reign over Judah in Hebron?

11. Explain the purpose of the contest at Gibeon described in verses 12 - 16.
What was the outcome?

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12. Rather than the conflict being resolved by the contest of the young men, what followed – 2:17? What was the outcome?

13. How many sons did Zeruiah have in the battle and what were their names – 2:18? (Think: Who was Zeruiah?)

14. What characteristic did Asahel have, and how did he use his ability – 2:18,19?

15. What did Abner urge Asahel to do – 2:20,21?

What was the result?

16. What reason did Abner give to persuade Asahel – 2:22? (Think: Why might Abner be concerned about Joab?)

17. What did Abner finally do about Asahel – 2:23?

18. What request did Abner make of Joab – 2:26?

19. How did Joab respond to Abner and what was the result – 2:27,28?

20. What further information is given about the battle in 2:30,31?