

THE BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM

WEEK 43 – 1 Samuel 17 – 22 & John 17 – 18

Overview – This study is a 6 day program covering both the Old Testament (OT) and the New Testament (NT). This study program is to take place on a daily basis (Monday through Saturday). The study will involve reading/studying 6 OT chapters and 2 NT chapters per week. The OT chapters will only be covered 1 time with the NT chapters being covered 3 times. Depending on reading speed, chapter length, etc., total study time should take approximately 15 to 30 minutes a day. In other words, by simply dedicating only about 15 to 30 minutes a day (6 days a week) to Bible study, in roughly 2 ½ to 3 years, you will have read and studied the entire Bible. If followed, you will have read the OT once and the NT three times, while studying through the entire Bible. The KJV (King James Version) is used to prepare the questions.

How it works – Read, study, and/or answer questions as outlined below. Place an “x” in the blank after you have completed each day’s study. If you are unable to do the study on the set day, either try to “double up” and get back on schedule or if you get several days behind, simply skip to the current day’s schedule. If necessary you can always come back weeks or months later and study the chapters you missed. You will be able to identify any missed chapters easily if you consistently mark your studied chapters with an “x.” Practically speaking, however, this is not advisable and the student is encouraged to “stay on the daily schedule.” In short, this program will not work, if you do not commit yourself to a daily study habit. We also suggest that the student keeps the weekly study program sheets in a 3 ring binder for easy reference. It is likewise necessary that everyone in the local congregation who is involved in this study program get together weekly or at least biweekly to review the questions and answers.

WEEK 43 – (____ / ____ / ____) to (____ / ____ / ____)

1. **Sunday** – Worship/Time With Family/Review Answers With Others
2. **Monday** –
 - 1) OT – 1 Samuel 17 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
 - 2) NT – John 17 (Read) _____
3. **Tuesday** –
 - 1) OT – 1 Samuel 18 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
 - 2) NT – John 17 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
4. **Wednesday** –
 - 1) OT – 1 Samuel 19 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
 - 2) NT – John 17 (Read & Word Study/Research) _____
5. **Thursday** –
 - 1) OT – 1 Samuel 20 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
 - 2) NT – John 18 (Read) _____
6. **Friday** –
 - 1) OT – 1 Samuel 21 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
 - 2) NT – John 18 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
7. **Saturday** –
 - 1) OT – 1 Samuel 22 (Read & Answer Questions) _____
 - 2) NT – John 18 (Read & Word Study/Research) _____

WEEK 43 – DAILY PROGRAM

1. **Sunday** – Worship/Time With Family/Review Answers With Others

2. **Monday** –

1) 1 Samuel 17 – Read & Answer Below

- a) As this chapter opens, the Israelites are at war with what group?
- b) Saul and his men were camping “by the valley of _____.”
- c) The champion warrior of the Philistines was named _____.
- d) The staff of the champion warrior’s spear was “like a weaver’s _____.”
- e) When Saul and his army heard the challenge of the great Philistine warrior, were they eager to fight, indifferent to his comments or were they afraid?
- f) What was the name of David’s father?
- g) Was David the oldest son or the youngest son?
- h) What was the name of David’s brother that spoke to him harshly after David inquired about Goliath?
- i) What two animals had David previously slain in amazing fashion?
- j) How many “smooth stones” did David put in his “shepherd’s bag?”
- k) When the Philistine giant came toward the young David, did David back up in fear?
- l) What did David put in his tent?

2) John 17 – Read Only

3. **Tuesday** –

1) 1 Samuel 18 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Speaking of the beauty of a great friendship, the text says that “the soul of _____ was knit with the soul of David....”
- b) What verse says of David, that “he behaved himself wisely” and that “he was accepted in the sight of all the people?”
- c) What verse says, “And Saul eyed David from that day and forward?”
- d) 1 Samuel 18:16 says, “But all Israel and Judah _____ David, because he went out and came in before them.”
- e) What was the name of the daughter that Saul promised to give to David, but instead gave her to another?
- f) What daughter of King Saul, did David marry?
- g) Did this daughter of Saul actually love David?
- h) What verse toward the end of the chapter says, “and Saul became David’s enemy continually?”

2) John 17 – Read & Answer Below

- a) As this chapter opens, what person is praying to “the Father?”
- b) John 17:3 reads, “And this is life _____, that they might _____ Thee the only true _____, and Jesus _____, whom Thou has sent.”
- c) In what verse does Jesus say, “I have glorified Thee on the earth: I have finished the work which Thou gavest Me to do?”
- d) According to John 17:8, did the apostles truly believe that Jesus was from God?

- e) In what verse does Jesus say, “I pray for them: I pray not for the world, but for them which thou hast given Me; for they are Thine?”
- f) In what verse does Jesus say, “...and none of them is lost, but the son of perdition; that the scripture might be fulfilled?”
- g) In John 17:17, Jesus says, “Sanctify them _____ thy _____: Thy _____ is truth.”
- h) In what verse does Jesus say, “O righteous Father, the world hath not known Thee: but I have known Thee, and these have known that thou hast sent Me?”

4. **Wednesday** –

1) 1 Samuel 19 – Read & Answer Below

- a) 1 Samuel 19:1 reads, “And _____ spake to _____ his son, and to all his servants, that they should kill _____.”
- b) Was Jonathan, Saul’s son, onboard with the plot to murder David?
- c) According to 1 Samuel 19:4, did Jonathan speak evil of David or good of David, to his father?
- d) At this time, was Jonathan able to convince Saul to accept David?
- e) What person let “David down through a window” in order to help him escape the rage of Saul?
- f) What verse says, “So David fled, and escaped, and came to Samuel to Ramah, and told him all that Saul had done to him...?”
- g) What did the three groups that Saul sent to “take David” do? The text also says that Saul did the same thing?

2) John 17 – Read & Word Study/Research

- a) In what verse does Jesus say, “...Father, the hour is come...?”
- b) In John 17:5, Jesus says, “And now, O _____, glorify Thou Me with Thine own self with the _____ which I had with Thee _____ the world was.”
- c) What scripture is Jesus referring to in John 17:12?
- d) In what verse does Jesus say, “I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil?”
- e) In what verse does Jesus say, “Sanctify them through thy truth: Thy Word is truth?”
- f) John 17:20-21 declares, “Neither pray I for these _____, but for them also which shall believe on Me though _____ word; That they all may be _____; as thou, Father, art in Me, and I in Thee, that they also may be _____ in Us: that the _____ may _____ that Thou has sent Me.”
- g) In what verse does Jesus say, “Father, I will that they also, whom Thou hast given Me, be with Me where I am; that they may behold My glory...?”
- h) What verse is this chapter begins with the words, “O righteous Father...?”

5. **Thursday** –

1) 1 Samuel 20 – Read & Answer Below

- a) As this chapter opens, what two close friends are in conversation together?
- b) In what verse does David say that there is “but a step between me and death?”
- c) In what verse does David say, “if there be in me iniquity, slay me thyself; for why shouldest thou bring me to thy father?”

- d) 1 Samuel 20:16 says, “So _____ made a covenant with the house of _____ saying....”
- e) What stone or stone heap is named in this chapter? In other words, what is the name of this stone?
- f) When Saul finally learned that David was not coming to the banquet, at what person did he direct his anger?
- g) What verse says, “So Jonathan arose from the table in fierce anger...?”
- h) What verse describes David falling on his face to the ground and bowing himself three times? The verse also describes Jonathan and David weeping with each other, because of all that had occurred with Saul’s murderous plans.

2) John 18 – Read Only

6. **Friday** –

1) 1 Samuel 21 – Read & Answer Below

- a) This chapter begins, “Then came David to Nob to _____ the priest....”
- b) Did David lie to Ahimelech?
- c) What did David ask Ahimelech to give him?
- d) What was the name of the Edomite (i.e., the chiefest of the herdmen that belonged to Saul) who was mentioned in this chapter?
- e) What famous sword did David obtain from Ahimelech?
- f) What king did David try to escape to for help?
- g) What verse says of David, “And he changed his behavior before them, and feigned himself mad...and let his spittle fall down upon his beard?”

2) John 18 – Read & Answer Below

- a) After crossing “the brook Cedron,” Jesus and his disciples entered a _____.
- b) What person brought “a band of men” to take Jesus?
- c) What verse says, “As soon then as He had said unto them, I am He, they went backward, and fell to the ground?”
- d) What apostle of Jesus “having a sword drew it, and smote the high priest’s servant, and cut off his...ear?”
- e) Which ear did this apostle cut off?
- f) What was the servant’s name, who had his ear cut off?
- g) What is mentioned in the text that references (indirectly) the temperature or climate during these happenings?
- h) In John 12:36, Jesus says, “...My _____ is not of this world....”
- i) In what verse does Jesus say, “...To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth?”
- j) What Roman leader asked, seemingly in an insincere way, “What is truth?”
- k) The last sentence of the last verse of this chapter says, “...Now _____ was a robber.”

7. **Saturday** –

1) 1 Samuel 22 – Read & Answer Below

- a) After escaping from Achish, the king of Gath, by acting like he was mad or mentally disturbed, David “escaped to the cave _____.”

- b) According to 1 Samuel 22:2, how many men came and placed themselves under David?
 - c) The king of Moab gave protection to what special relatives of David?
 - d) What prophet is mentioned in 1 Samuel 22:5?
 - e) What person told Saul that he saw David go to Ahimelech, in Nob?
 - f) What person heeded the wicked request of Saul and slew 85 priests along with performing other acts of slaughter?
 - g) What son of Ahimelech escaped and came to David?
 - h) Did David give this escaping priest safe haven or did David slay him?
- 2) John 18 – Read & Word Study/Research
- a) What “brook” did Jesus and His disciples cross on their way to “the garden?”
 - b) Was this the first time Jesus and His disciples went to this garden?
 - c) Did Jesus try to hide Himself from Judas and the armed mob?
 - d) Did Jesus tell Peter to “fight” or to “Put up thy sword...the cup which My Father hath given Me, shall I not drink it?”
 - e) Did the mob take Jesus to Annas or Caiaphas, first?
 - f) What man had given “counsel to the Jews, that it was expedient that one man should die for the people?”
 - g) What verse says, “But Peter stood at the door without. Then went out that other disciple, which was known unto the high priest, and spake unto her that kept the door, and brought in Peter?”
 - h) What did “one of the officers which stood by” strike Jesus with?
 - i) What verse says, “Then led they Jesus from Caiaphas unto the hall of judgment: and it was early...?”
 - j) In what verse did Jesus say that He came to “bear witness of the truth” and that “every one that is of the truth heareth My voice?”