



Grades 2–3 • Lesson 81

# David Becomes King

1 Samuel 30:4–6, 31:1–4; 2 Samuel 2:8–11, 5:3–5

Find and circle the words from today's lesson.

**ACHISH, BATTLE, DAVID, HEBRON,  
ISRAEL, JERUSALEM, JONATHAN,  
JUDAH, KING, RAID, SAUL, ZIKLAG**

E	H	H	P	H	Q	N	N	H	O	B	P
U	D	B	A	T	T	L	E	D	L	J	A
T	U	D	C	Q	J	C	I	M	A	P	I
A	U	N	H	S	W	A	J	B	R	L	S
J	Z	W	I	P	R	D	E	O	D	J	R
Y	I	R	S	C	I	G	R	V	H	O	A
T	H	M	H	V	I	G	U	K	E	N	E
X	A	J	A	Q	A	W	S	I	B	A	L
E	J	D	O	L	M	G	A	N	R	T	S
W	D	S	K	S	M	A	L	G	O	H	A
H	W	I	S	Q	V	W	E	C	N	A	U
E	Z	P	C	E	Y	R	M	Y	A	N	L



Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Memory Verse

Some of the vowels (A, E, I, O, U) are missing. Use the number code to write the letters in the blanks. Then say the verse three times—fast!

**A, E, I, O, U**  
**1 2 3 4 5**

I cknowldged my sn  
1 2 3

to you, and I did not  
5

cover my inquty; I  
4 3 3

said, "I will cnfess my  
4

trnsgrssions to the  
1 2

LRD," and you forgve  
4 1

the iniqity of my sin.  
5

**Pslm 32:5**  
1



## **What You Heard** *In the Word*

- King Saul and his son Jonathan died in a battle against the Philistines.
- David had to wait many years, but he was made king of Judah and then king of Israel just as God promised.

## **OutWord** *For Family Discussion*

Suppose your neighbor says that the people in the Bible are just made-up characters, like in any storybook. **What would you say?**

*The Bible isn't like any storybook; it is the history book of the universe, inspired by God! The characters in the Bible were real people who lived. Did you know that artifacts we find today have proven the Bible? People recently found a stone piece that had the words, "House of David" carved on it. The stone was dated about 900 BC and proves that kings in Judah were from David, the same David written about in the Bible!*



## **Justin & Jessie**

They rode along the highway listening to music. Suddenly, Justin heard a strange noise—it sounded like a tea kettle whistling—*wheeee!*

"What is that?" Mom asked, looking startled.



When Justin's and Jessie's families take a vacation together, they run into a problem on their first day! Will this ruin their plans? Why doesn't God fix it? Find out what happens in "Waiting on Purpose."

Go to [KidsAnswers.org/jj81](http://KidsAnswers.org/jj81) to read the rest of the story and print out this week's Justin and Jessie coloring sheet.