

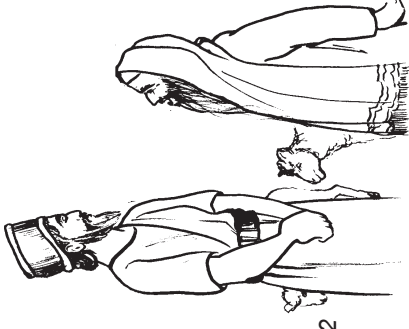
# Lesson 19 God Rejects Saul

Saul began his reign over \_\_\_\_\_ well, leading them to victory over their \_\_\_\_\_, the Philistines. But it soon became easy to see that Saul was not a man of great \_\_\_\_\_, as Gideon, \_\_\_\_\_ and Moses had been. On one occasion, \_\_\_\_\_ told Saul to wait for him at \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ days. Samuel would then offer \_\_\_\_\_ to God before the people went to \_\_\_\_\_ . But the \_\_\_\_\_ were coming closer and closer. Saul became \_\_\_\_\_ and offered the \_\_\_\_\_ himself – just as Samuel came. \_\_\_\_\_ was very angry when he saw that \_\_\_\_\_ had disobeyed him. He told Saul: “Thou hast done \_\_\_\_\_ . Now thy \_\_\_\_\_ shall not continue.” God would choose a new king, the kind of \_\_\_\_\_ the people needed, one who would \_\_\_\_\_ and honour and o \_\_\_\_\_ his God. God now would choose “a man after his \_\_\_\_\_ to be \_\_\_\_\_ over his people” \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ man!

Battle	Gilgal	Kingdom	Samuel (x2)
Captain	Heart	Love	Saul
Enemies	Impatient	Obey	Seven
Faith	Israel (x2)	Own	
Faithful	Joshua	Philistines	
Foolishly	King	Sacrifices (x2)	

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1. S \_\_\_\_\_ He spoke to Saul v1
2. S \_\_\_\_\_ He disobeyed God v4
3. S \_\_\_\_\_ Weapon v8
4. S \_\_\_\_\_ Saul said the people did this v15
5. S \_\_\_\_\_ What Saul said the people took v14
6. S \_\_\_\_\_ What Samuel could hear v14
7. S \_\_\_\_\_ Samuel said to obey is better than this v22
8. S \_\_\_\_\_ What Saul told Samuel he had done v24
9. S \_\_\_\_\_ Samuel's command to Saul v16
10. S \_\_\_\_\_ Saul took hold of this v27



Read the verses from 1 Samuel 15 and add in the missing words.

## JUNIOR BIBLE RESEARCH - BIG WORDS

Look up 1 Samuel 15:23. Do you know what the big words mean?

Look in a reliable Bible dictionary or lexicon and add the meanings below.

- rebellion: .....
- witchcraft: .....
- stubbornness: .....
- iniquity: .....
- idolatry: .....

Now write out the verse in your own words:

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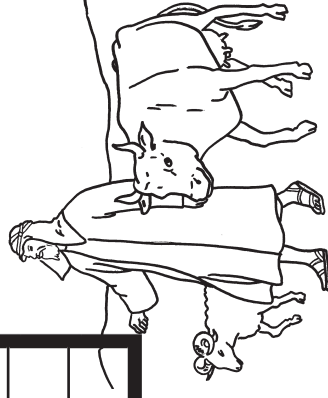
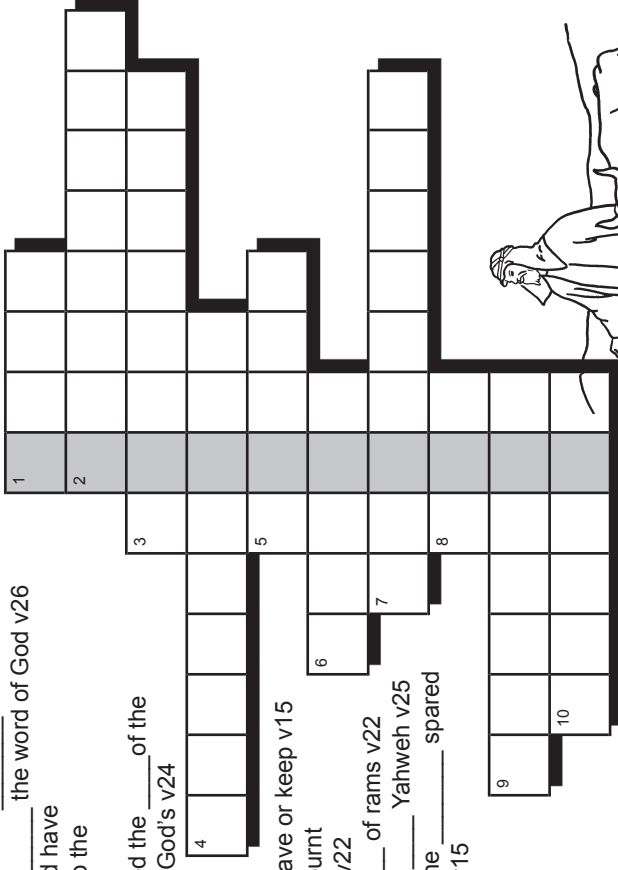
Samuel continued to try and teach \_\_\_\_\_ to listen, and  
 o \_\_\_\_\_. Saul was told to “utterly \_\_\_\_\_” the  
 Amalekites for the evil they had done to \_\_\_\_\_ many years  
 before in the \_\_\_\_\_. Saul had the opportunity now to show his  
 \_\_\_\_\_ and obedience! Saul led Israel against \_\_\_\_\_,  
 destroyed all the \_\_\_\_\_, but kept alive \_\_\_\_\_, king  
 of the \_\_\_\_\_. And instead of destroying all of the cattle, Saul and  
 the people kept \_\_\_\_\_ the best of the sheep, \_\_\_\_\_  
 and lambs, u \_\_\_\_\_ destroying all the rest. When Samuel  
 arrived the next \_\_\_\_\_ he was very \_\_\_\_\_. Saul  
 \_\_\_\_\_ the people for wanting to keep the \_\_\_\_\_ of  
 the animals to \_\_\_\_\_. Samuel told him that “to \_\_\_\_\_  
 is better than sacrifice!” Samuel \_\_\_\_\_ Agag himself. Saul  
 acknowledged his \_\_\_\_\_, but Samuel told him that the  
 \_\_\_\_\_ was to go to a man \_\_\_\_\_ than he, not to  
 his \_\_\_\_\_.

Agag	Best	Israel	Oxen	Son
Alive	Better	Killed	People	Utterly
Amalek	Blamed	Kingdom	Sacrifice	Wilderness
Amalekites	Destroy	Morning	Saul	
Angry	Faith	Obey (x2)	Sin	

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Across

- Samuel heard the lowing of \_\_\_\_\_ v14
- The sheep were \_\_\_\_\_ v14
- Saul had \_\_\_\_\_ the word of God v26
- Saul should have done this to the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Amalekites
- Saul obeyed the \_\_\_\_\_ of the people not God's v24
- Means to save or keep v15
- Delight in burnt \_\_\_\_\_ v22
- Than the \_\_\_\_\_ of rams v22
- That I may \_\_\_\_\_ Yahweh v25
- Saul said the \_\_\_\_\_ spared the flocks v15



## ACROSS ONLY CROSSWORD

Find the hidden message in the shaded section.

## JUNIOR BIBLE RESEARCH TO OBEY OR NOT TO OBEY

Look up these quotes and find out how important obedience to God is. Write down who was or wasn't obedient.

Genesis 28:7 .....

Exodus 5:2 .....

Deuteronomy 21:18 .....

1 Samuel 8:19 .....

Proverbs 30:17 .....

Acts 5:29 .....