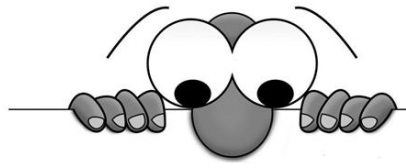


Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end.  
 He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and for ever.  
 The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this

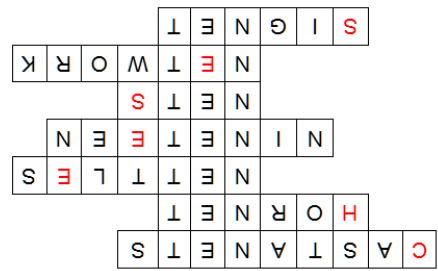
# David Puzzle Time



*No peeking!*

Isaiah 9:7

Here are the answers.



This day the Lord will deliver you into my hands, and I'll strike you down, and cut off your head. [1 Samuel 17:46]  
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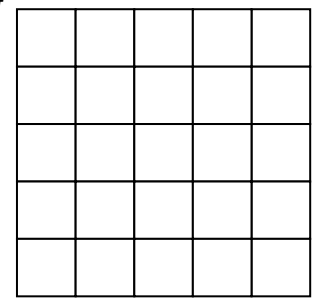
Common Link



**Routeword** Answer the clues, starting your answers in the top left square and working clockwise, gradually getting to the centre of the puzzle. The first letter of the second word is the last letter of the first word and so on.

All the words are from 1 Samuel 17- the story of David and Goliath.

- Place to pitch tents (4) [vs 1]
- Sharp tip (of a spear) (5) [vs 7]
- Part of income paid to government (5) [vs 25]
- Small rock (5) [vs 49]
- David's eldest brother (5) [vs 28]
- Metal alloy of copper and tin (6) [vs 38]

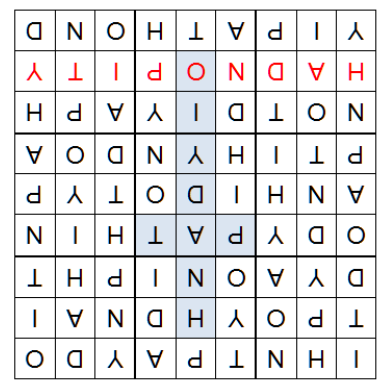
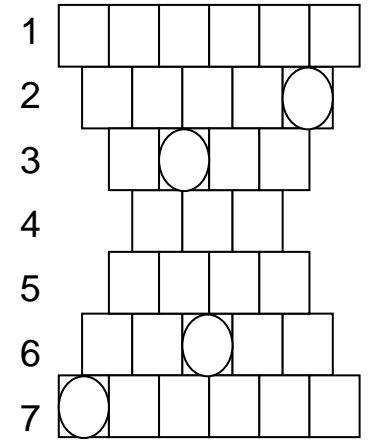


**Take A Letter**

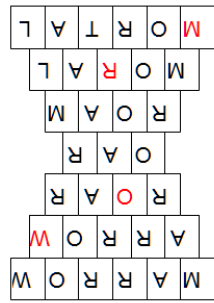
The answer to question 2 is an anagram of the answer to question 1, minus one letter and so on to question 4, then the answers are anagrams plus one letter.

Read down the circled letters to find what small, wriggling creature King David compared himself to. [Psalm 22:6]

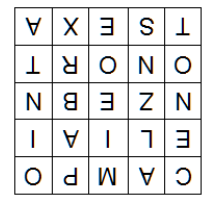
- Fatty substance in bones [Hebrews 4:14]
- Fired from a bow [Ephesians 6:16]
- Cry made by a lion [Proverbs 19:12]
- Wooden paddle for rowing [Mark 6:48]
- Ramble (wander about) [Jeremiah 50:6]
- Ethical [James 1:21]
- Not eternal (subject to death) [Genesis 6:3]



Crossoku



Take A Letter



Routeword  
 Camp, Point, Taxes, Stone, Ellab, Bronze

C	R	O
S	S	
O	K	U

Solve as a normal Sudoku except that nine different letters are

used instead of the numbers 1 to 9. The shaded cross also contains each of the 9 letters once only.

When complete, one of the rows or columns will contain a Bible word or phrase - a clue is given to help with this and a reference to where it can be found.

I		N			A		D	
			Y	H		N		
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		Y				H	I	N
	N						Y	
P	T	I				D		
N	O			I	Y	A		H
		D		O	P			
	I		A			O		D

Clue: Was without compassion - David's charge on hearing Nathan's story. (3 words)  
[2 Samuel 12:6]

### Common Link

Each word contains the same 3 letters. Solve the clues to find the words then read down the circled letters to find some food David took to his brothers [1 Samuel 17:18].

- Hand held percussion (clackers)  
[2 Samuel 6:5]
- Large stinging insect  
[Joshua 24:12]
- Wild stinging plants [Isaiah 34:13]
- One short of a score  
[Joshua 19:38]
- For catching fish  
[Luke 5:4]
- Fine, ornamental metal filigree  
[Exodus 27:4]
- King's ring (seal) [Haggai 2:23]

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If GOLIATH is 17 2 1 14 9 21 3, solve this cryptogram to find David's challenge to Goliath on the battle field.

21 3 14 7	20 9 18	21 3 12	1 2 23 20
5 14 1 1	20 12 1 14 24 12 23	18 2 10	
14 13 21 2	22 18	3 9 13 20 7	9 13 20
14 1 1	7 21 23 14 25 12	18 2 10	
20 2 5 13	9 13 20	6 10 21	2 26 26
18 2 10 23	3 12 9 20		



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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26