Divisions of the Bible Old Testament – History

| Joshua | 1 Samuel | 2 Kings | Ezra |
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| Judges | 2 Samuel | 1 Chronicles | Nehemiah |
| Ruth | 1 Kings | 2 Chronicles | Esther |

History Timeline

Fill in the blanks with the names found below in the order they are given.

About 1400 B.C. After Moses died, _____ became the leader of the Israelite people. He

led them to take over the land that God had promised them.

About 1300-1100 B.C. Later God gave the people leaders called judges. Some of them were

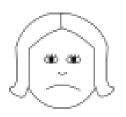


_____, ____, and _____.

About 1100-1000 B.C. ______ was leading the people, but they wanted a king. The first three kings were _____, ____, and _____.

About 900-600 B.C. The country of Israel broke into two countries – Judah and Israel. They had lots more kings. Some kings pleased God, and many did not please God.

About 700-600 B.C. The people disobeyed God so much that he allowed them to become slaves in other countries.



About 500-400 B.C. Later God helped the people return home.

taught the people about God's laws, and _____ led the people to

rebuild the wall around Jerusalem.

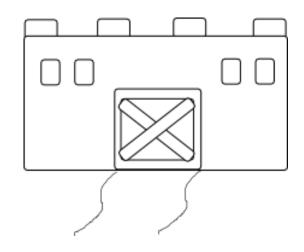
Name List: Joshua, Deborah, Gideon, Samson, Samuel, Saul, David, Solomon, Ezra, Nehemiah

Marching around Jericho

God told Joshua to have the people march around the city of Jericho. For six days they marched around one time each day. On the seventh day they marched around seven times. Altogether they marched around 13 times!

Then they blew trumpets and shouted. The walls of the city fell down!

Use your pencil to circle Jericho 13 times.



Lots of Kings

1 and 2 Samuel, 1 and 2 Kings, and 1 and 2 Chronicles tell about the kings of Israel and Judah. Some of their names are hidden in the crown puzzle. Find and circle each name.

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| Kings Who Pleased God | | | | | |
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| DAVID | HEZEKIAH | | | | |
| JEHOSHAPHAT | SOLOMON | | | | |
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| Kings Who Did | n't Please God |
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| AHAB | REHOBOAM |
| JEHU | SAUL |
| JEROBOAM | ZEDEKIAH |
| MANASSEH | |

Women in the Bible

The only two Bible books named for women are found in this division of the Bible. Connect the dots to learn their names.

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She helped her mother-in-law Naomi after both of their husbands died, by gathering grain for them to eat.

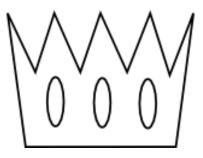
She lived during the times of the judges.





She still lived in another country while Ezra, Nehemiah, and others were returning home.

She became the queen of Persia and was able to save her people, the Jews, from being killed.



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