

# Legacy

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- I. Read 1 Kings 1
- II. Define unknown words
- III. Answer the following questions

## Comprehension

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1. What was the name of the woman who was found to minister to King David?
2. Where else do we find “Shunammites” in the Bible?
3. Which of David’s sons tried to take the throne just before the King’s death?
4. Which of David’s servants tried to help this son of David come to the throne?
5. Which son had David chosen to be king after him?
6. Which of David’s servants tried to help this son of David come to the throne?
7. List David’s sons in order of their birth (see 1 Chronicles 3)
8. Which two of Bathsheba’s sons are found in the genealogies of Jesus of Nazareth? (Mat. 1 and Luk. 2)
9. Why are there two different genealogies of Jesus?
10. Why was Bathsheba afraid for the life of her and her son Solomon?
11. What did Adonijah do when he heard Solomon declared king?
12. Why did Adonijah do this?
13. What was Solomon’s response to Adonijah’s request?

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### Discussion Opportunities

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The following topics are intended to present opportunities for relevant spiritual discussions among the families of the church. These are written as “leading questions”, and are not intended to be “answered” as much as “discussed”. Feel free to add other discussion topics, and be sure to mention them in Sunday School!

1. Adonijah was a son that never caused trouble, but schemed in silence to take the kingdom following his father’s death. Discuss the difference between “compliance” and “submission” - between “not causing trouble” and actually being “aligned” with your authority. Discuss also the importance of being “submitted”, not just “compliant”
  
2. Solomon was the fourth child of David and Bathsheba. Two of Bathsheba’s sons are found in the genealogies of Jesus of Nazareth as presented in Matthew 1 and Luke 2. Discuss why it is that there are two different genealogies for Jesus.
  
3. Bathsheba was David’s wife by way of murder and adultery, yet God chose to include two of Bathsheba’s sons in the genealogy of Christ. Discuss what this tells us about God’s character, about how He works in the world, and about what these truths can mean to us.