

Abner Joins Forces with David Fill in the Blanks

2 Samuel 3, 4

Use the phrases in the box to fill in the blanks and complete the story. Answer questions 9 and 10 on your own.

make a covenant	in peace
the death of Asahel	Saul
Hebron	stronger and stronger
wear sackcloth	captains of his troops
executed	pretending to get wheat

1. The house of David grew _____ while the house of _____ grew weaker and weaker.
2. Abner sent messengers to _____ with David.
3. David sent Abner away _____.
4. Joab stabbed Abner because of _____.
5. David told the people to _____ as a sign of mourning for Abner.
6. David buried Abner in _____.
7. Ishbosheth was murdered by two _____ who were _____.
8. David was very upset with Rechab and Baanah and had them _____.
9. How did David feel about people taking revenge into their own hands?
10. Do you agree with him?