

Should Israel Have a King?

1 Samuel 7-8

Samuel had good reasons for being unhappy that the people wanted a king. He knew that they no longer wanted the Lord to lead them. They wanted to “be like other nations” that were ruled by kings (1 Samuel 8:20). Why was Samuel worried?

1. Name one good thing might happen if Israel gets a king.

2. Name one bad thing that might happen if Israel gets a king:



3. Which of these things is the most important?

4. Predict what could happen when Israel chooses to be like other nations.

5. What BIG idea can be like having a king to rule over you?