

## Word Search:

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COVENANT

KING DAVID

SOLOMON

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QUEEN

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# Children's Ministry

Great Stories of the Bible



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# Kingdom News

Lesson 9:

King David + King Solomon

## Today's Story:

Can anyone tell us what is a covenant? It's a promise. When people make promises, sometimes they break them. BUT when God makes a promise, He KEEPS it!

In today's story you will hear that God kept his promise of giving his people a land of their own. And then God promised King David that from his family line, there would be a King born to rule forever. This was God's covenant, his forever promise. God said he would establish King David's house, kingdom and throne forever! This promise was pointing to God's Son, Jesus, who would be born in the Promised Land many, many years later.

When King David was very old, his son, Solomon became king. Solomon built a beautiful temple so that the people could worship God. In this temple the people offered sacrifices to God to pass over their sins. This reminds us of the first Passover, when God saved his people from dying in Egypt.

God gave King Solomon great wisdom. Wisdom means knowing and following the ways of God. Many people were helped by the wisdom that God gave Solomon. In fact, even a queen from a far away land came to visit Solomon. The world was beginning to be blessed, just as God promised.

### BIBLE MEMORY VERSE:

*"I will raise up your descendant....and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever."* (2 Samuel 7:12-13 -NIV paraphrased)

## My Art Response:

