

Appendix 3

Answer Key for *Breakthrough! The Bible for Young Catholics: Old Testament Activity Booklet* Puzzles

Bible Books

HIDDEN BOOKS OF THE BIBLE NAMES

1. Hosea
2. Job
3. Sirach
4. Daniel
5. Matthew
6. John
7. Romans
8. Numbers
9. Amos
10. James

Introduction to the Old Testament

ANSWERS TO OLD TESTAMENT QUESTIONS 1–10

1. 46
2. Genesis
3. Malachi
4. Obadiah
5. Psalms
6. Pentateuch, History, Wisdom, Prophets
7. Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy
8. Proverbs
9. History, Prophets, Wisdom, Prophets

COMPLETED SENTENCE: Israelites chosen people

Connections

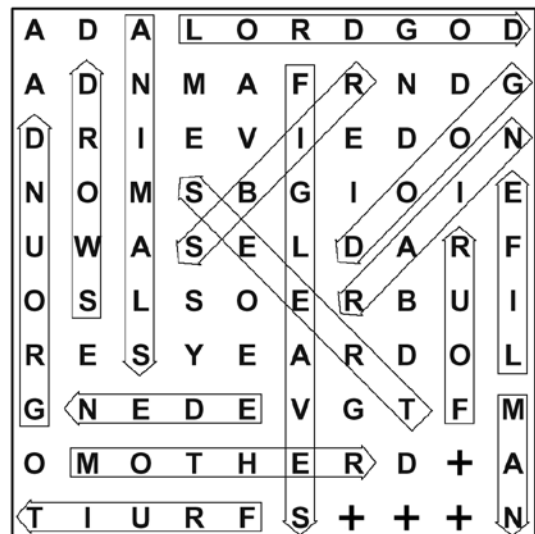
OLD TESTAMENT PASSAGES		
Isaiah 61:1–2 Luke 4:16–19 2	Malachi 3:1–3 John 2:13–17 9	Isaiah 9:1–2 Matthew 4:12–16 4
Micah 5:2 Luke 2:4–7 7	Isaiah 35:5–6 Matthew 11:3–6 5	Genesis 12:1–3 Matthew 1:1 3
Jeremiah 31:31–34 Luke 22:20 6	Isaiah 7:14 Matthew 1:23 1	Zechariah 9:9 Matthew 21:1–11 8

All numbers add to 15

Adam and Eve

WORDS HIDDEN IN WORD SEARCH

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|-----------|------------|----------------|
| 1. RAIN | 6. MAN | 11. FIG LEAVES |
| 2. GROUND | 7. GOOD | 12. TREES |
| 3. EDEN | 8. ANIMALS | 13. MOTHER |
| 4. LIFE | 9. RIBS | 14. LORD GOD |
| 5. FOUR | 10. FRUIT | 15. SWORD |



FILL-IN ANSWER: ADAM AND EVE DISOBEYED GOD.

Noah

WORDS HIDDEN IN WORD SEARCH

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|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1. JAPHETH | 5. FORTY, FORTY | 9. RETURN |
| 2. VIOLENT | 6. RAVEN | 10. COVENANT |
| 3. BOAT | 7. DOVE | 11. DESTROY |
| 4. WIFE, WIVES,
FEMALE | 8. OLIVE | 12. RAINBOW |



FILL-IN ANSWER: The ARK is a symbol of the CHURCH.

Abraham

EVENT ORDER WITH LETTERS TO BE INSERTED IN BLANK SPACES AT BOTTOM

- 7 b and e
- 10 e
- 3 r and i
- 8 s
- 9 i and d
- 13 r and a
- 1 b
- 14 h
- 6 i and m
- 4 e
- 12 A
- 2 u
- 5 d and h
- 11 s

FILL-IN ANSWER: BURIED HIM BESIDE SARAH

Sarah

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|-------------|------------|------------------------|
| 1. RAIAS | = SARAI | S (11) and R (6) |
| 2. RNAHA | = HARAN | H (19) and R (17) |
| 3. EFMNIA | = FAMINE | A (18) and E (3) |
| 4. YETABU | = BEAUTY | B (8) and T (1) |
| 5. HULAGDE | = LAUGHED | L (9) and D (14) |
| 6. NOTECNVA | = COVENANT | O (5) and E (13) |
| 7. SIACA | = ISAAC | S (12) and A (16) |
| 8. EMHASLI | = ISHMAEL | S (15) H (2) and L (4) |
| 9. LIDEF | = FIELD | E (10) and D (7) |

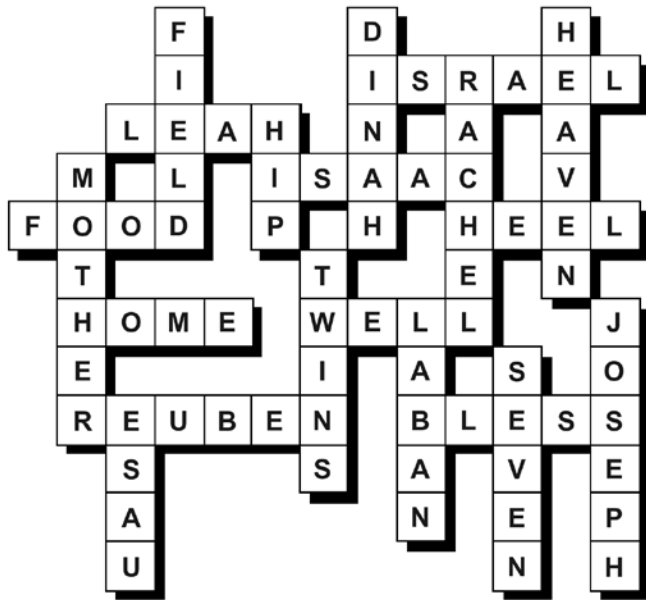
FILL-IN ANSWER: THE LORD BLESSED SARAH.

Isaac

STATEMENTS

- God promised to keep his Covenant with Isaac just as he had kept it with Abraham.
- Isaac had twin sons named Esau and Jacob.
- Isaac was tricked by his wife and son.

Jacob



Leah and Rachel

"IF" - "THEN" STATEMENTS WITH LETTERS TO BE USED IN BLANK SPACES AT BOTTOM

- 1 = I
- 2 = N
- 3 = B
- 4 = E
- 5 = T
- 6 = H
- 7 = L
- 8 = E
- 9 = H
- 10 = E
- 11 = M

FILL-IN ANSWER: IN BETHLEHEM

Joseph

PROBLEM REFERENCE

GENESIS 37:2	17 YEARS OLD
GENESIS 37:5-11	11 STARS
GENESIS 37:28	20 SILVER PIECES
GENESIS 40:5-8	2 PRISONERS' DREAMS
GENESIS 40:16-19	3 DAYS
GENESIS 41:17-19	7 COWS
GENESIS 41:25	2 DREAMS
GENESIS 41:45	30 YEARS OLD
GENESIS 41:50	2 SONS
GENESIS 42:17	3 DAYS IN PRISON
GENESIS 43:34	5 TIMES AS MUCH
GENESIS 46:27	70 OF JACOB'S FAMILY
GENESIS 47:1	5 BROTHERS

FILL-IN ANSWER: 110

Moses

EVENT ORDER WITH LETTERS TO BE INSERTED IN BLANK SPACES AT BOTTOM

1. 9 a and f
2. 12 e
3. 13 n
4. 10 r
5. 7 c and e
6. 1 f
7. 2 a
8. 4 t
9. 14 d
10. 6 f and a
11. 11 i
12. 8 a and s
13. 3 c and e
14. 5 o

FILL-IN ANSWER: FACE TO FACE AS A FRIEND

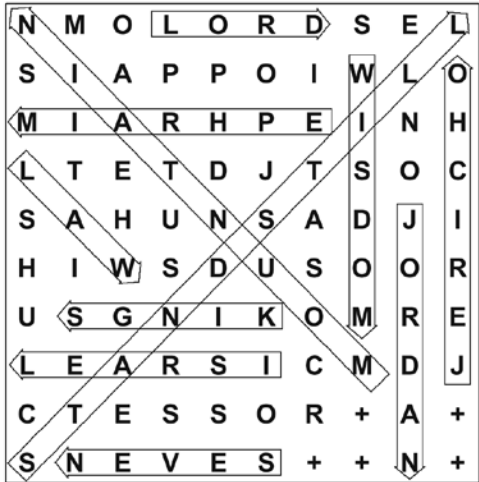
Aaron and Miriam



Joshua

WORDS HIDDEN IN WORD SEARCH

- 1. MOUNTAIN
- 2. WISDOM
- 3. JERICO
- 4. JORDAN
- 5. SEVEN
- 6. LAW
- 7. STAND STILL
- 8. ISRAEL
- 9. KINGS
- 10. LORD
- 11. EPHRAIM



FILL-IN ANSWER: MOSES APPOINTED JOSHUA HIS SUCCESSOR.

Deborah

STATEMENTS

- 1. Deborah was a prophet and a judge of Israel.
- 2. She and Barak defeated the army of Sisera.
- 3. Deborah sang a song of praise to the Lord.

Gideon

ANSWERS TO CLUES (KEY LETTERS IN BOLD)

- 1. Joash
- 2. Angel
- 3. Jars
- 4. Three Hundred
- 5. Abimilech
- 6. Ore**b** or Ze**e**b
- 7. Midianites
- 8. Ophrah
- 9. Altar

HIDDEN NAME: JERUBBAAL
WHAT DOES THIS NAME HAVE TO DO WITH GIDEON? Gideon was called Jerubbaal because he destroyed the altars to Baal.

Samson

THE MOTHER OF SAMSON WAS NOT TO DRINK WINE

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NOT TO DRINK WINE

SAMSON TORE APART A LION WITH HIS BARE HANDS

SAMSON TORE APART A LION
WITH HIS BARE HANDS

THE LORD MADE SAMSON STRONG ENOUGH TO
BREAK THE ROPES THAT HELD HIM

THE LORD MADE SAMSON STRONG
ENOUGH TO BREAK THE
ROPES THAT HELD HIM

SAMSON KNOCKED DOWN A BUILDING AND KILLED
THE PHILISTINES

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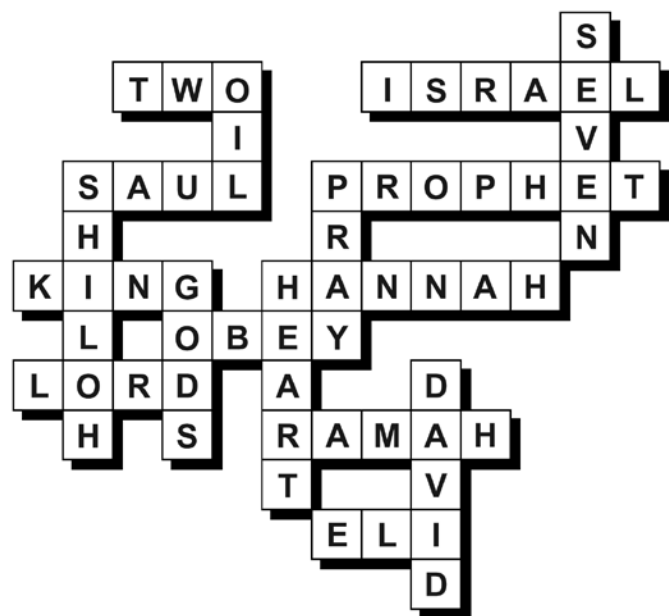
Ruth

"IF" - "THEN" STATEMENTS WITH LETTERS TO BE
USED IN BLANK SPACES AT BOTTOM

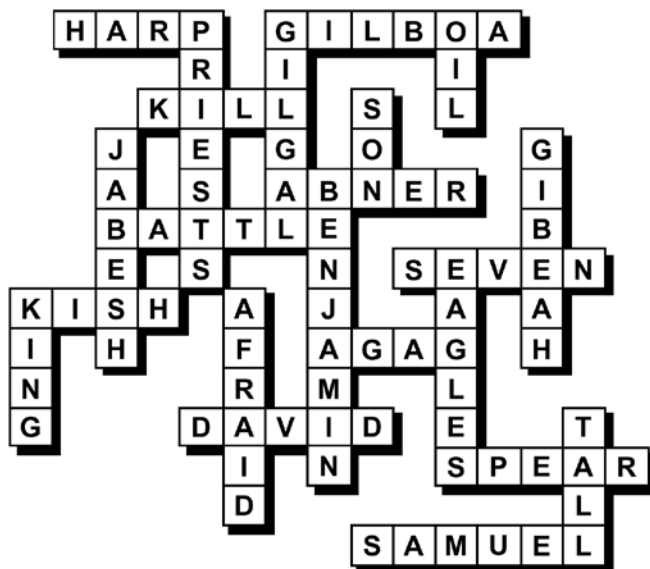
- 1 = G
- 2 = R
- 3 = E
- 4 = A
- 5 = T
- 6 = G
- 7 = R
- 8 = A
- 9 = N
- 10 = D
- 11 = M
- 12 = O
- 13 = T
- 14 = H
- 15 = E
- 16 = R

FILL-IN ANSWER: GREAT-GRANDMOTHER

Samuel



Saul



David

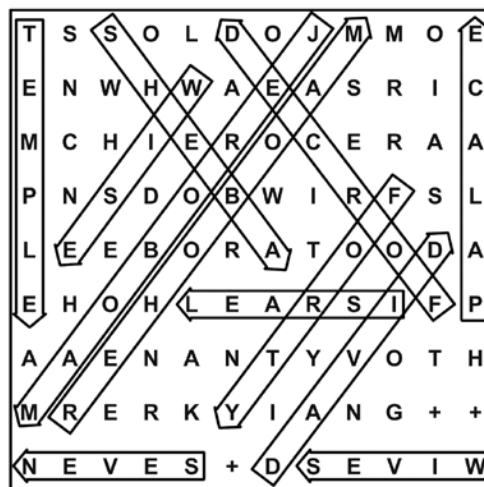
ANALOGIES

- Jonathan is to Saul as Amnon is to **DAVID**. (son to father)
- Kish is to Saul as **JESSE** is to David. (father to son)
- Samuel is to Saul as **SAMUEL** is to David. (one who anoints)
- Jonathan is to Michal as Absalom is to **TAMAR**. (brother to sister)
- Nabal is to Abigail as Uriah is to **BATHSHEBA**. (first husband to wife of David)
- Saul is to the Ammonites as David is to the **PHILISTINES**. (conqueror to conquered)
- Jerusalem is to Solomon as **BETHLEHEM** is to David. (hometown to person)
- Nathan is to a prophet as Joab is to a **GENERAL/ ARMY COMMANDER**. (person to vocation)

Solomon

WORDS HIDDEN IN WORD SEARCH

- | | |
|-----------|--------------|
| 1. DAVID | 7. FORCED |
| 2. WISE | 8. SHEBA |
| 3. TEMPLE | 9. WIVES |
| 4. ISRAEL | 10. JEROBOAM |
| 5. SEVEN | 11. FORTY |
| 6. PALACE | 12. REHOBAM |



FILL-IN ANSWER: SOLOMON WAS RICHER AND WISER THAN ANY OTHER KING.

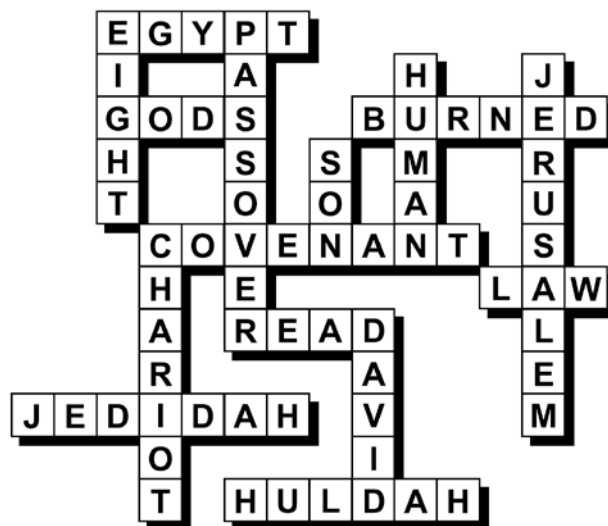
Hezekiah

KEY LETTERS ARE IN BOLD (numbers, left to right, correspond to numbers in the fill-in answer)

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|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) Ahaz | (37 & 3) |
| (2) King | (5, 20 & 29) |
| (3) Nehushtan | (14 & 4) |
| (4) Philistines | (9 & 15) |
| (5) Judah | (10, 31 & 23) |
| (6) Rely | (16, 38 & 39) |
| (7) Isaiah | (6, 18, 13 & 1) |
| (8) Order | (26, 28 & 2) |
| (9) Nothing | (21, 32, 11, 12 & 34) |
| (10) Fourteenth | (33, 30, 17, 36, 22, 24, 19 & 8) |
| (11) Jerusalem | (27, 35, 7 & 25) |

FILL-IN ANSWER: HEZEKIAH PUT HIS TRUST IN THE LORD GOD OF ISRAEL.

Josiah



Elijah

SCRAMBLED WORDS UNSCRAMBLED (KEY LETTERS IN BOLD)

VSAREN = RAVENS
DIWWO = WIDOW
BAHA = AHAB
MERCAL = CARMEL
THERPOP = PROPHET
VELWET = TWELVE
CIVOE = VOICE
DVRIANYE = VINEYARD

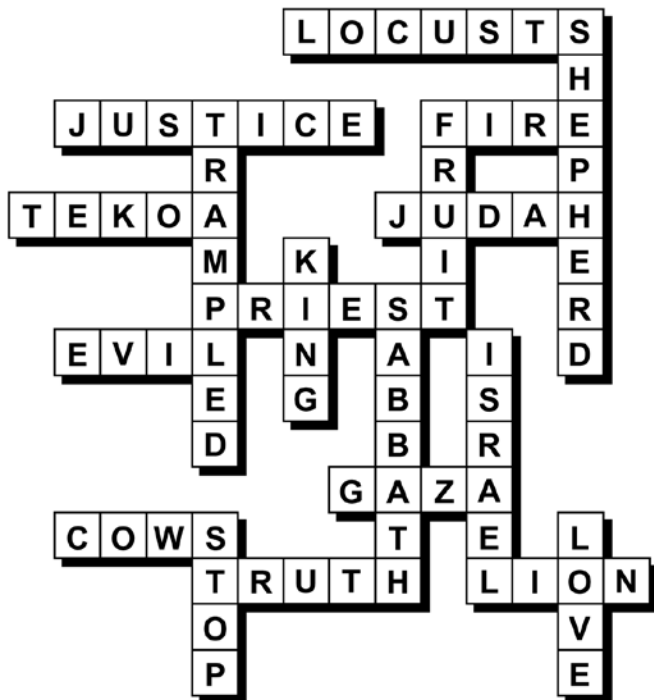
FILL-IN ANSWER: A FIERY CHARIOT CAME
BETWEEN ELIJAH AND ELISHA, AND ELIJAH WENT
TO HEAVEN IN A WHIRLWIND.

Elisha

ELISHA'S MIRACLES		
Elisha causes an ax head to float 6	Elisha purifies bad water 1	Elisha causes one jar, or jug, of oil to fill many jars, or vessels 8
Elisha revives someone who has died 7	Elisha cures a man of leprosy 5	Elisha makes poisoned stew good to eat 3
Elisha blesses a childless woman so that she may have a son 2	Elisha multiplies loaves and grain 9	Elisha divides the Jordan River 4

All numbers add to 15.

Amos



Hosea

HOSEA MARRIED A WOMAN NAMED GOMER WHO WAS UNFAITHFUL TO HIM

H O S E A M A R R I E D A W O M A N N A
M E D G O M E R W H O W A S U N F A I T
H F U L T O H I M

ISRAEL WAS UNFAITHFUL TO GOD AS GOMER WAS UNFAITHFUL TO HOSEA

I S R A E L W A S U N F A I T H F U L T O
G O D A S G O M E R W A S U N F A I T
H F U L T O H O S E A

THE LOVE OF HOSEA FOR HIS WIFE WAS AS
CONSTANT AS THE LOVE OF GOD FOR ISRAEL

T H E L O V E O F H O S E A F O R H I
S W I F E W A S A S C O N S T A N T A
S T H E L O V E O F G O D F O R I S
R A E L

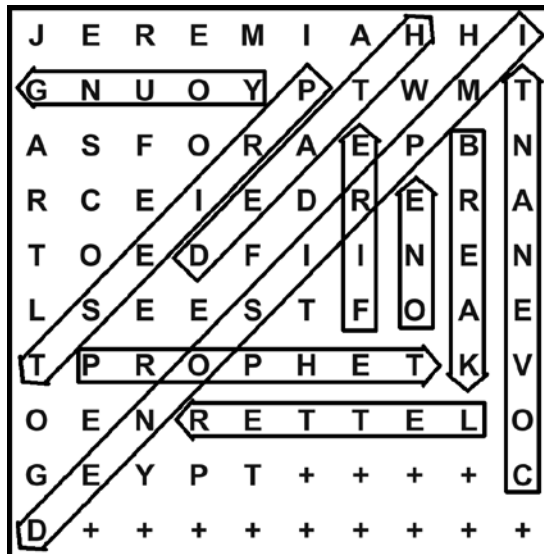
Isaiah



Jeremiah

WORDS HIDDEN IN WORD SEARCH

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|-----------|----------------|
| 1. YOUNG | 6. FIRE |
| 2. DEATH | 7. LETTER |
| 3. ONE | 8. COVENANT |
| 4. BREAK | 9. PROPHET |
| 5. PRIEST | 10. IMPRISONED |

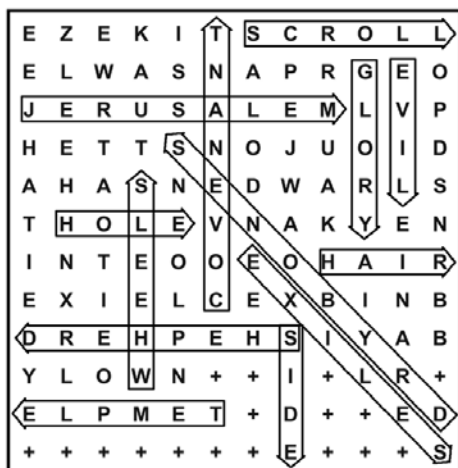


FILL-IN ANSWER: Jeremiah was forced to flee to Egypt.

Ezekiel

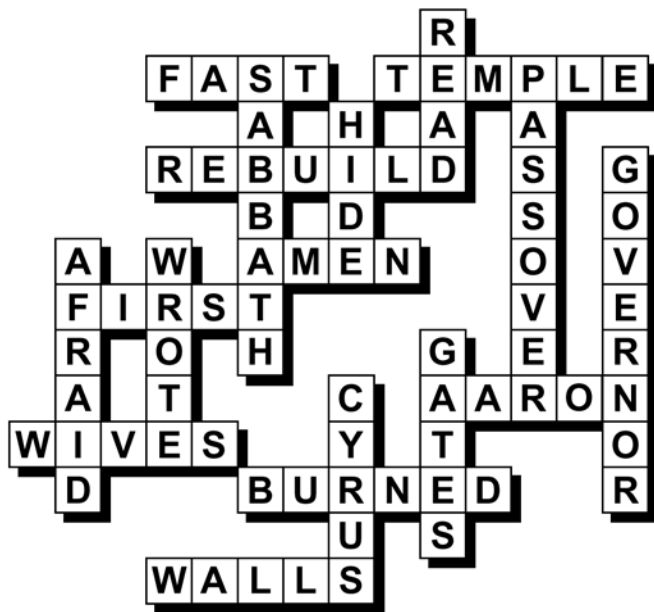
WORDS HIDDEN IN WORD SEARCH

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|-----------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. EXILES | 6. HOLE | 10. JERUSALEM |
| 2. WHEELS | 7. GLORY | 11. SHEPHERD |
| 3. SCROLL | 8. COVENANT | 12. DRY BONES |
| 4. SIDE | 9. EVIL | 13. TEMPLE |
| 5. HAIR | | |



FILL-IN ANSWER: Ezekiel was a prophet to Judah and was taken into exile in Babylon.

Ezra and Nehemiah



Judith

EVENT ORDER, WITH LETTERS TO BE INSERTED
IN BLANK SPACES AT BOTTOM

1. 9 i
2. 7 j and u
3. 8 d
4. 6 e
5. 14 s and j
6. 10 t
7. 3 e
8. 15 e
9. 13 a and n
10. 12 m and e
11. 16 w
12. 18 s and s
13. 2 h
14. 17 e
15. 4 n
16. 5 a and m
17. 11 h
18. 1 t

FILL-IN ANSWER: The name Judith means Jewess.

Esther

EVENT ORDER, WITH LETTERS TO BE INSERTED IN
BLANK SPACES AT BOTTOM

1. 8 t
2. 9 o
3. 3 e
4. 7 s
5. 10 f
6. 11 l
7. 4 f
8. 6 a
9. 1 t
10. 14 s
11. 13 t
12. 12 o
13. 5 e
14. 2 h

FILL-IN ANSWER: The feast of Purim is also
called . . . the feast of Lots.

The Maccabees

ANSWERS TO STATEMENTS

1. Mattathias
2. Judas
3. Antiochus
4. Rededicated
5. Eleazar
6. Burn
7. Rome
8. Galilee
9. Simon

In what year did the Jews win their battle
for freedom? 170

What year is that in the current calendar? 142 BC

Job

SCRAMBLED WORDS UNSCRAMBLED
(KEY LETTERS IN BOLD)

NASTA	=	SATAN
MASNILA	=	ANIMALS
NELHIRCD	=	CHILDREN
DGO	=	GOD
ROTSEUBL	=	TROUBLES
NIENSD	=	SINNED
ERTAH	=	HEART
CONNEMD	=	CONDEMN
WIDKEC	=	WICKED
SJTU	=	JUST

FILL-IN ANSWER: human and cannot understand God.

Lady Wisdom

WISDOM BEGINS WHEN WE SINCERELY WANT
TO LEARN

WIS	DOM	BE	GIN	S	WHEN	WE	SI
NCE	REL	Y	WANT	TO	LE	ARN	

WISDOM IS SO PURE THAT SHE PENETRATES
EVERYTHING

WIS	DOM	IS	SO	PURE	THAT	S	
HE	PEN	ETR	ATES	S	EVER	YTH	ING

WHAT YOU GET FROM WISDOM IS BETTER
THAN GOLD OR SILVER

WHA	T	YOU	GET	FROM	WIS	DOM	
IS	BET	TTER	THAN	GOLD	OR		
SIL	VER						

WISDOM RESCUES US FROM DANGER

WIS	DOM	RE	SCUES	US	FROM	D	
ANGER							