



Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 1

by Aude McKee

Joshua 1 - 6

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

1. _____ was the new leader of the Israelites.
2. The Israelites were to meditate in the _____ day and night.
3. The spies lodged in _____ house.
4. The _____ was to precede the people by 2000 cubits.
5. _____ stones were set up for a memorial.
6. The people crossed Jordan the _____ day of the _____ month.
7. Those men born in the wilderness had not been _____.
8. The Israelites kept the passover in the plains of _____.
9. _____ trips around the city were to be made the seventh day.
10. When the people _____ the walls fell down.

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ The spies were hidden in the basement.
12. _____ The news of Israel's conquests had reached Jericho ahead of them.
13. _____ Rahab had no sisters.
14. _____ The ark went clean over the Jordan ahead of the people.
15. _____ The hearts of the enemy melted when they heard of the Jordan drying up.
16. _____ The Israelites were allowed to take the silver and gold of Jericho for themselves.
17. _____ Israel was to march around Jericho one time in 6 days.
18. _____ Hebrews 11:31 teaches that Rahab was saved by faith.
19. _____ Hebrews 11:30 tells us that the walls of Jericho fell because of ground vibrations.
20. _____ The ark was taken along in the march around the city.

QUESTIONS:

21. How were the spies hidden?
22. Where was Rahab's house built?
23. How was Rahab's house to be identified during the siege?
24. Where did Rahab and her family have to remain to be save?
25. What report did the spies bring back to Joshua?
26. How did the Israelites get across Jordan?
27. Was the river high or low at this time?
28. When did God stop providing Manna?
29. What happened to Rahab and her family in the siege?
30. What curse was placed on the man who would rebuild Jericho?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

31. Within (2, 4, 3) days they were to passover Jordan.
32. (8, 12, 2) spies were sent over Jordan to Jericho.
33. The spies got out of Jericho by means of a (rope, ladder).
34. The spies spent (3, 10, 2) days in the mountains.
35. (300, 40,000, 20,000) were prepared for war.
36. The people of the city were (utterly, partly) destroyed.
37. A total of (6, 7, 13) trips were made around the city of Jericho
38. There are (2, 3, 4) cases of people crossing a body of water on dry land recorded in the Bible.
39. (Cow's, ram's) horns were blown after the last trip around the city.
40. The silver and gold were put in the (individual's, Lord's) treasury.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #2

by Aude McKee

Joshua 7 - 17

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Achan was the son of Carmi.
2. _____ After the defeat of Ai, the nations banded together to fight Israel.
3. _____ Ai was burned with fire.
4. _____ Old shoes and moldy bread helped play a trick.
5. _____ Six kings fought against Gibeon.
6. _____ Joshua had the sun to stand still for about a day.
7. _____ King Saul is mentioned in Chapter 12.
8. _____ By the close of Chapter 12, all the land had been possessed.
9. _____ The shore of the Salt Sea was a part of the boundary.
10. _____ Kenaz married Caleb's daughter.

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

11. _____ Man who took of the accursed thing.
12. _____ Number of Israelites who fought against Ai the 1st time.
13. _____ Tribe of which the sinner was a part.
14. _____ Number who hid behind the city.
15. _____ Number of people of Ai who were killed.
16. _____ Name of King of Jerusalem.
17. _____ Chapter in which the land rested from war.
18. _____ Number of tribes to inherit Canaan.
19. _____ Age of Caleb after Israel entered Canaan.
20. _____ Name of Caleb's daughter.

QUESTIONS:

21. Why did Israel lose the battle in chapter 7?
22. What was the accursed thing that was taken?
23. What punishment was given for the crime?
24. Explain the strategy by which Ai was capture?
25. How did the inhabitants of Gibeon escape death at the hand of Israel?
26. What kind of work were they given to do?
27. How many kings were defeated?
28. What success did Israel have against the Jebusites?
29. Did the Ephraimites drive out the Canaanites?
30. Were the children of Joseph satisfied with their inheritance?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

31. (Ai, Israel) was victorious in the first battle.
32. The king of Ai was (hanged, stoned, shot).
33. The (princes, elders) of Israel swear unto the Gibeonites.
34. (Fire, Hailstones) was rained from heaven on the Kings.
35. Caleb was given (Syria, Hebron) for an inheritance.
36. The Canaanites had chariots of (steel, wood, iron).
37. So far (5, 6, 7) tribes have received their inheritance.
38. Milcah was the daughter of (Manasseh, Ephraim, Zelephehad).
39. The house of Joseph was a (weak, great) people.
40. There are (38, 36, 39) books in the Old Testament.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #3

by Aude McKee

Joshua 18 - Judges 3

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. _____ | Three men | A. Age of Joshua at death |
| 2. _____ | Jericho | B. City of refuge |
| 3. _____ | Seventh lot | C. Joseph buried |
| 4. _____ | Hebron | D. To describe the land |
| 5. _____ | Phinehas | E. Altar |
| 6. _____ | Ed | F. Tribe of Benjamin |
| 7. _____ | Land of Gilead | G. "Choose you this day" |
| 8. _____ | Joshua 24:15 | H. Tribe of Dan |
| 9. _____ | 110 | I. Son of Eleazar |
| 10. _____ | Shechem | J. Where 2 1/2 tribes lived |

QUESTIONS:

11. How long was a person to remain in the city of refuge?
12. What verse in chapter 21 says that God gave Israel the land he had promised their fathers?
13. What did the tribes of Gad, Reuben and 1/2 tribe of Manasseh do that displeased the Israelites?
14. How did the 2 1/2 tribes explain their action?
15. Who said, "But as for me and my house we will serve the Lord?"
16. Who brought Israel out of Egypt and gave them the land of Canaan?
17. What was done to Adoni-bezek?
18. Which tribe captured Jerusalem?
19. How long did the people serve the Lord after Joshua died?
20. In addition to Baal, what idol did Israel serve?

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Seven tribes had not received their inheritance when the tabernacle was set up at Shiloh.
22. _____ Jacob was given Mt. Seir to possess it.
23. _____ Israel wandered in the wilderness 40 years.
24. _____ Seven nations occupied the land of Canaan.
25. _____ Moses and Joshua died at the same age.
26. _____ The Canaanites were put to tribute.
27. _____ Strong leadership was of no benefit to Israel.
28. _____ Othniel was the first judge.
29. _____ Under Othniel the land had rest 30 years.
30. _____ Israel served Eglon 18 years.

TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH EACH STATEMENT:

31. The tribes of Gad, Reuben and Manasseh received land on the east side of Jordan.
32. Joshua's closing speech begins in chapter 22.
33. Moses and Aaron were brother and sister.
34. Balaam asked Balak to curse Israel.
35. The Lord raised up governors to deliver Israel from their enemies.
36. Israel served Chushanrishathaim nine years.
37. Eglon was king of Israel.
38. Ehud was the third judge and a left-handed man.
39. Ehud was a fat man.
40. Shamgar was the fifth judge.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #4

by Aude McKee

Judges 4 - 8

QUESTIONS:

1. How long did Jabin oppress Israel?
2. Barak said he would go fight on what conditions?
3. What did Jael give Sisera to drink?
4. Who looked out the window for Sisera's return?
5. Who was the fifth Judge?
6. What signs did God give Gideon to prove He would be with him?
7. How did God reduce, in number, Gideon's forces?
8. Explain how Gideon's forces defeated the enemy?
9. What did the people do as soon as Gideon was dead?
10. What did Gideon make out of the earrings?

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ All of the judges were men.
12. _____ Barak had 10,000 men.
13. _____ Sisera died by being nailed to the ground.
14. _____ Gideon was tactless in dealing with the Ephraimites.
15. _____ Jether did not obey his father because of fear.
16. _____ Gideon requested the people's earrings.
17. _____ One of Israel's weaknesses was that they soon forgot God.
18. _____ Baalberith was a god.
19. _____ Gideon would be classified as a good judge.
20. _____ The judges ruled Israel after Saul, David and Solomon.

MATCH:

- | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 21. _____ Sisera | A. Princes of Midian |
| 22. _____ Jael | B. A god |
| 23. _____ Mother in Israel | C. Gideon |
| 24. _____ Jerubbaal | D. Father of Gideon |
| 25. _____ 300 men | E. Captain of host |
| 26. _____ Oreb and Zeeb | F. Deborah |
| 27. _____ Jether | G. Number of Gideon's sons |
| 28. _____ 70 | H. Son of Gideon |
| 29. _____ Joash | I. Wife of Heber |
| 30. _____ Baalim | J. Lapped water as a dog |

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

31. The first three judges were _____, _____ and Shamgar.
32. Jabin, king of Caanan, had _____ chariots of iron.
33. Israel disobeyed God and He delivered them to the Midianites for _____ years.
34. The men of _____ were angry with Gideon because they were not asked to fight.
35. The men of _____ and _____ refused to give bread to Gideon's army. Gideon said, "*I will not rule over you; neither shall my son. The _____ shall rule over you.*"
36. The land had quietness _____ years under Gideon.
37. Gideon had _____ wives.
38. _____ was the fourth judge over Israel.
39. Gideon was buried in _____.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #5

by Aude McKee

Judges 9 - 14

TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH EACH STATEMENT:

1. Jotham told a true story to illustrate a point.
2. Abimelech sowed a city with wheat.
3. Jephthah was cast out by his brethren because of his wickedness.
4. Jephthah's daughter was punished by never being allowed to marry.
5. Samson's parents names were Manoah and Esther.
6. Samson found that birds had built a nest in the carcass of a dead animal.
7. Samson's wife got the answer to the riddle by the "direct approach."
8. Samson bought the garments and paid off his bet.
9. Samson's difficulty fundamentally was brought about by betting.
10. Samson justified taking the wife by saying God approved.

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ Jotham was made king.
12. _____ Gaal led the forces that fought against Abimelech.
13. _____ Tola judged Israel 32 years.
14. _____ The Ephraimites were people easy to get along with.
15. _____ If a man said "Shibboleth" he was killed.
16. _____ Samson's parents approved of his choice of a wife.
17. _____ Samson's wife did not know the answer to the riddle.
18. _____ Samson's parents knew the answer.
19. _____ While Samson was home his wife married another man.
20. _____ Samson was one of Israel's judges.

QUESTIONS:

21. Which of his brothers did Abimelech fail to kill?
22. To what place did Jotham flee?
23. How did Abimelech die?
24. Why was Israel sold into the hands of the children of Ammon?
25. What reason did Jephthah give the children of Ammon for driving them out?
26. What was Jephthah's rash vow?
27. What is a "Nazarite"?
28. What instructions did the angel give Manoah and his wife?
29. What was Samson's riddle?
30. What did Samson's wife do on learning the answer to the riddle?

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

31. Abimelech hired _____ and _____ persons which followed him.
32. The judge that followed Abimelech was named _____.
33. Jair had _____ sons.
34. Jephthah's daughter asked to be allowed to go to the mountains for _____ months.
35. Following Jephthah, _____, _____ and _____ judged Israel.
36. Samson's wife lived in _____.
37. On the way to visit her Samson killed a _____.
38. Samson told his wife the answer to the riddle on the _____ day.
39. "If you had not plowed with my _____."
40. Samson's parents referred to the Philistines as _____.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #6

by Aude McKee

Judges 15 - 21

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|----------|---|
| 1. _____ | 300 | A. Spies of the tribe of Dan |
| 2. _____ | 1000 | B. God of the Philistines |
| 3. _____ | Midnight | C. Left-handed stone slingers |
| 4. _____ | 1100 | D. Number of foxes |
| 5. _____ | Dagon | E. Gave lodging to the Levite and his concubine |
| 6. _____ | 3000 | F. Number of Philistines slain |
| 7. _____ | 5 | G. Number of men of Benjamin |
| 8. _____ | Old man | H. Pieces of silver offered Delilah |
| 9. _____ | 26,000 | I. Number on the roof |
| 10. _____ | 700 | J. Doors of the city gate carried off |

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ Samson was bound with three new cords on top of rock Etam.
12. _____ Samson judged Israel 20 years.
13. _____ The Bible says that Samson married Delilah.
14. _____ The Lord departed from Samson when his hair was cut.
15. _____ The Danites stole the gods Micah had made.
16. _____ The men of Gibeah killed the concubine.
17. _____ The Benjaminites were unsuccessful in the first two battles against the Israelites.
18. _____ The stone slingers were very "poor" shots.
19. _____ There were 400,000 men that drew the sword of Israel.
20. _____ Strategy was employed in the defeat of the Benjaminites.

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

21. Samson's father-in-law wanted him to marry his (mother-in-law, sister-in-law).
22. Samson's weapon was the (jaw-bone, hip-bone) of an ass.
23. Samson had no strength when his hair was (braided, cut).
24. (Women, wine) accounted for Samson's downfall.
25. "*In those days there was no (king, judge) in Israel.*"
26. The events of ch. 19 reveal the (evil, good) to which men will go who remember forget God.
27. In this lesson we can see (unity, division) come into the 12 tribes.
28. (Phinehas, Eleazar) led the Israelites in battle.
29. (Bugle, smoke signals) were used in the battle.
30. (600, 800) fled to the rock Rimmon.

QUESTIONS:

31. What did the Philistines do to Samson's father-in-law and wife?
32. What was the relationship between Israel and the Philistines at this time?
33. From what unusual place did Samson get a drink?
34. How many wrong answers did Samson give to the question of where his strength lay?
35. When a man was found slain in a field, who was to make atonement for his death?
36. What evil was Micah responsible for?
37. What city did the tribe of Dan build in the country of Laish?
38. What does the phrase "*Dan to Beersheba*" mean to you?
39. What does the last verse of Judges say?
40. How did Israel solve the problem of wives for the young men of Benjamin?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #7

by Aude McKee

The Book of Ruth

QUESTIONS:

1. These things took place during what period of Israel's history?
2. What argument did Naomi use to persuade the girls to remain in Moab?
3. What answer did Boaz give to Ruth's question as to why she found grace in his eyes?
4. How many elders witnessed Boaz's deal with the kinsman?
5. If the kinsman redeemed the land, what else was included in the bargain?
6. What reason did the kinsman give for not redeeming?
7. To whom does "so he drew off his shoe" refer?
8. What was the name of the son born to Ruth?
9. What was the child's grandson's name?
10. Of what famous person was Ruth an ancestor?

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

11. _____ Reason for the trip into Moab.
12. _____ Number that made the trip to Moab.
13. _____ Number of deaths that occurred in the family.
14. _____ City to which they returned in Judah.
15. _____ Substance in which the morsel was dipped.
16. _____ Amount of barley that Ruth gleaned.
17. _____ Amount of barley Boaz gave Ruth.
18. _____ Number of judges who ruled Israel (total number).
19. _____ Total number of years the Judges ruled.
20. _____ Number of chapters in the book of Ruth.

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

21. (Orpha, Ruth, Naomi) remained in Moab.
22. "*Mara*" meant that the Lord had dealt (bitterly, lovingly) with Naomi.
23. Boaz was related to (Ruth, Elimelech, Naomi) by blood.
24. Ruth had a (kinsman, neighbor) nearer than Boaz.
25. To confirm a deal a (sock, shoe, hat) had to be removed.
26. Ruth became the wife of (Pharez, Judah, Boaz).
27. (Naomi, Ruth, Orpha) became nurse unto the child.
28. The people of Moab were worshippers of (God, idols).
29. Ruth became a convert to (Christianity, Judaism, Idolatry).
30. This story (proves, disproves) that mothers-in-law may be objects of deep affection.

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ Orpha was Elimelech's wife.
32. _____ The return to Judah came at the beginning of barley harvest.
33. _____ Ruth reaped in the field of Elimelech.
34. _____ Boaz ordered that grain was to be dropped on purpose.
35. _____ Ruth lay down at the feet of Boaz.
36. _____ Evidently Boaz was a young man.
37. _____ The nearest of kinsman of Ruth redeemed the land.
38. _____ Ruth named her baby herself.
39. _____ The book of Ruth would be classified as a love story.
40. _____ Ruth specified that she was to be returned to Moab for burial.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #8

by Aude McKee

1 Samuel 1 - 6

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Peninnah had no children.
2. _____ Hannah was drunk.
3. _____ The sons of Eli were upright men.
4. _____ Samuel was the only child born to Elkanah and Hannah.
5. _____ Samuel was established to be a prophet of the Lord.
6. _____ The Philistines were afraid of the ark of the covenant.
7. _____ Five golden Emerods and five golden mice were sent along with the ark.
8. _____ The men of Bethshemesh were harvesting oats when the ark was returned.
9. _____ The men of Bethshemesh looked into the ark.
10. _____ Gaza was a city of the Israelites.

TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH EACH STATEMENT:

11. Hannah had two wives -- one of them was Peninnah.
12. Hannah's voice was heard, only her lips moved not.
13. The Lord spoke to Eli four different times.
14. Eli's sons were wicked, but Eli was not accused of wrong doing.
15. In battle with the Philistines, the ark was captured and Eli was killed.
16. Eli was a "dried up old man" when he died.
17. Two cows and their calves made the trip along with the ark.
18. The cows took the ark to the Philistines advised to send the ark back on a cart pulled by two cows.
19. There were six Lords of the Philistines.
20. The men of Bethshemesh sent messengers to the inhabitants of Kirjath-sepher to persuade them to come and take the ark out of their midst.

QUESTIONS:

21. Why was Hannah so unhappy?
22. Who was the high priest at this time?
23. What vow did Hannah make?
24. What did Hannah do with Samuel when he was weaned?
25. What did Hannah do for Samuel every year?
26. What two sins did Hophni and Phinehas commit?
27. What happened to Dagon each night after the ark arrived?
28. How was the ark transported back to the Israelites?
29. How did the Philistines determine whether their troubles were of God?
30. What request did the men of Bethsemesh make?

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| 31. _____ | Hophni and Phinehas | A. Eli's grandchild |
| 32. _____ | Ramah | B. Tied at home |
| 33. _____ | Shiloh | C. God of the Philistines |
| 34. _____ | 98 | D. Sons of Eli |
| 35. _____ | 40 | E. # of Bethsemesh men God slew |
| 36. _____ | Ichabod | F. Place where Hannah lived |
| 37. _____ | Dagon | G. # of months Philistines had ark |
| 38. _____ | 7 | H. Age of Eli at death |
| 39. _____ | 50,070 | I. God revealed Himself to Samuel |
| 40. _____ | 2 calves | J. Years Eli judged Israel |

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #9

by Aude McKee

1 Samuel 7 - 12

QUESTIONS:

1. What name did Samuel give the stone?
2. Where was Samuel's house located?
3. What did the people ask Samuel to give them?
4. What reason did the people give for making the request?
5. What three signs did God give Saul?
6. What did the people shout when Samuel presented Saul to them?
7. On what condition was Nahash willing to make a covenant with the men of Jebesh-gilead?
8. How did Saul recruit help to fight against Nahash?
9. What did Samuel remind the people of?
10. Who was Israel's king during the period of the judges?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

11. The last of the judges was (Saul, Samson, Samuel).
12. A "seer" was the same as a (prophet, judge, minister).
13. Some (boys, old men, girls) told Saul where to find the seer.
14. "*Is (Samuel, Eli, Saul) also among the prophets?*"
15. The children of (Nahash, Belial, Benjamin) despised Saul.
16. Saul was made king in (Gilgal, Rome, Gibeah).
17. Nahash was king of the (Philistines, Ammonites, Amorites).
18. Samuel said, "*I will not cease to (pray, prophesy, negotiate) for you.*"
19. God would bless the king and the people if they (fought for, prayed to, obeyed) God.
20. Saul is number (two, three, one) in the line of the kings of Israel.

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

21. _____ Number of years the ark was in Kirjath-jearim?
22. _____ Kind of lamb Samuel offered as a sacrifice?
23. _____ In asking for a King the people had rejected whom?
24. _____ The name of Saul's father?
25. _____ The seer's name?
26. _____ The name of Saul's tribe?
27. _____ Place where Samuel presented Saul to the people?
28. _____ Punishment the Lord sent on the people for asking for a King?
29. _____ Number of guests at the feast Samuel gave for Saul?
30. _____ Location of Saul's home?

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ Samuel was a circuit judge.
32. _____ Samuel's sons were as good as Samuel.
33. _____ Samuel was pleased that the people wanted a King.
34. _____ Saul was a short husky person.
35. _____ Saul found the asses.
36. _____ Saul thought he was the logical selection for the throne.
37. _____ Saul told his uncle about the Kingdom.
38. _____ Saul hid when Samuel was going to present him to the people.
39. _____ The people accused Samuel of Fraud.
40. _____ Samuel was gray headed when Saul was made king.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 10

by Aude McKee

1 Samuel 13 - 17

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ The Philistines were few in number.
2. _____ Saul and his armour-bearer slew 20 Philistines.
3. _____ God told Saul to utterly destroy the Amalekites.
4. _____ Samuel had Agag burned at the stake.
5. _____ The Lord looks on the outward appearance.
6. _____ David was Jesse's youngest son.
7. _____ The Israelites were not afraid of Goliath.
8. _____ David refused to wear Saul's armour.
9. _____ David cut off Goliath's head.
10. _____ Saul called David a stripling.

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

11. When Saul was in Gilgal all the people followed him _____.
12. Samuel said to Saul, "*Thou hast done* _____."
13. Jonathan said the "*Lord can save by* _____ *or by* _____."
14. Jonathan's sin was eating a little _____.
15. Saul had _____ sons.
16. "*To obey is better than* _____ *and to* _____ *than the fat of* _____."
17. Saul got rid of the evil spirit by the music of an _____.
18. _____ became Saul's armour-bearer for awhile.
19. David brought Goliath's _____ to Jerusalem.
20. One reward for killing Goliath was to marry the _____ daughter.

QUESTIONS:

21. With what act of Saul in chapter 13 was God displeased?
22. Why were the Israelites not armed with swords and spears?
23. Who was responsible for Jonathan's life being spared?
24. For what purpose did Saul take the spoil of the Amalekites?
25. Because of his sin, what did God take from Saul?
26. Describe the plan Samuel used to get to talk to Jesse without Saul's knowledge?
27. What departed from Saul when David was anointed?
28. How tall was Goliath?
29. What had David done that qualified him to fight against Goliath?
30. In whose name did David fight Goliath?

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| 31. _____ | 1000 | A. Number of Jesse's sons |
| 32. _____ | 30,000 | B. Number of stones David took |
| 33. _____ | Jonathan | C. Saul's daughter |
| 34. _____ | Abner | D. Captain of Saul's army |
| 35. _____ | Michal | E. One boy the Lord refused |
| 36. _____ | Agag | F. Number of men with Jonathan |
| 37. _____ | Eliab | G. Number of the Philistine chariots |
| 38. _____ | 8 | H. Number of days Goliath appeared |
| 39. _____ | 40 | I. King of the Amalekites |
| 40. _____ | 5 | J. Son of Saul |

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 1 1

by Aude McKee

1 Samuel 18 - 24

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

1. "Saul hath slain his (hundreds, thousands, ten thousands)."
2. David behaved himself (wisely, unwisely).
3. (Jonathan, David) was to shoot (1, 2, 3, 4) arrows as a sign.
4. "The arrow is (beyond, this side of) thee."
5. David formed a small army at the cave of (Keilah, Adullam, Hareth).
6. (Abiathar, Ahimelech) escaped Saul's sword and fled to David.
7. Jonathan went to see David in the wilderness of (Maon, Ziph).
8. David refused to allow his men to hurt Saul because he was the Lord's (anointed, servant, priest).
9. "Wickedness proceedeth from the (heart, hand, wicked)."
10. After David cut off Saul's skirt, Saul (wept, cursed, laughed).

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ Saul's attitude toward David remained friendly.
12. _____ David fled to Ramah where Samuel lived.
13. _____ Saul sent messengers to Ramah to take David but they prophesied.
14. _____ Saul said Jonathan was the son of a good woman.
15. _____ David ate hallowed bread on one occasion when he was hungry.
16. _____ Doeg was one of the chief herdsmen of Jesse.
17. _____ David left his parents in the keeping of the King of Moab.
18. _____ David and his army saved Keilah from the Philistines.
19. _____ David said that Jonathan was to be king over Israel.
20. _____ The Ziphites were on David's side.

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

21. _____ loved David as his own soul.
22. Saul cast a _____ at David.
23. David killed _____ of the Philistines.
24. _____ let David down through a window.
25. "Thou shalt be missed because thy _____ will be _____."
26. In addition to trying to kill David, Saul also tried to kill _____.
27. As David fled from Saul, the only weapon that he had was a sword that had belonged to _____.
28. _____ bowed himself before Jonathan.
29. Hareth was the name of a _____.
30. Doeg killed _____ men that wore a linen ephod.

QUESTIONS:

31. What did the women do that made Saul angry?
32. When Saul gave orders to have David slain, who pleaded for his life?
33. Describe the trick Michal played on Saul's men?
34. How did the saying, "Is Saul also among the prophets" get started?
35. What trick did David play on Achish, King of Gath?
36. Who did Saul's footmen refuse to kill?
37. How did David know to flee from Keilah?
38. What incident prevented Saul from continuing his search for David in the wilderness of Maon?
39. After David left the wilderness of Maon, where did he go?
40. What motives were behind Saul's attitude and conduct toward David?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #12

by Aude McKee

1 Samuel 25 - 31

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

1. _____ came to meet David with loaves, wine, sheep, etc.
2. _____ days later, _____ died.
3. Saul said, "*I have played the _____.*"
4. Samuel said that the kingdom had been taken from _____ and given to _____.
5. The _____ took David's wives captive.
6. _____ hundred men stayed behind to guard the stuff.
7. Perhaps _____ was Saul's besetting sin.
8. When the followers of David saw that their families were captured, they spoke of David.
9. Normally, David had about _____ hundred men in his company.
10. Saul had _____ sons killed in battle.

MATCH:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 11. _____ Samuel buried | A. Committed suicide |
| 12. _____ Abner | B. Familiar spirit |
| 13. _____ 16 months | C. Saul wounded by |
| 14. _____ Endor | D. of Saul's host |
| 15. _____ Gilboa | E. Distrusted David |
| 16. _____ Bethshan | F. Ramah |
| 17. _____ House of Ashtaroth | G. David lived in land of Philistines |
| 18. _____ Archers | H. Saul's three sons slain |
| 19. _____ Saul's armor-bearer | I. body exhibited |
| 20. _____ Philistine Lords | J. Saul's armor exhibited |

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Nabal and Abigail were a well-matched couple.
22. _____ Nabal was anxious to help David.
23. _____ Abigail knew that David would rule over Israel.
24. _____ David married Abigail and Ahinoam.
25. _____ David told Abishai to spear Saul.
26. _____ Saul was afraid of the Philistines because God would not answer him by prophets or by dreams.
27. _____ The Philistines were united in wanting David to fight with them.
28. _____ David recovered his two wives.
29. _____ The men whom David left behind to guard the stuff received none of the spoils.
30. _____ Saul committed suicide.

QUESTIONS:

31. What request did David make of Nabal?
32. What happened to Michal, David's first wife?
33. What did David take from Saul when he found him sleeping?
34. What man did the woman bring from the dead to speak to Saul?
35. What did Samuel tell Saul about his death?
36. What city did the Philistines give David to live in?
37. Who led David and his men to the camp of the kidnapers?
38. Who won the battle between Israel and the Philistines?
39. What did the Philistines do to Saul when they found him dead?
40. What did the men of Jabesh-gilead do?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 13

by Aude McKee

2 Samuel 1 - 6

TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH EACH STATEMENT:

1. David said the love of Saul passed the love of women.
2. Immediately after the death of Saul, David became king over all Israel.
3. David invited Abner to a feast in order to slay him.
4. Mephibosheth was born with his affliction.
5. Hebron is the city of David.
6. Solomon was the son of Saul.
7. The oxen stumbled; Ahio touched the ark and died.
8. Abigail saw David dancing and she despised him in her heart.
9. When reproved for his conduct, David promised to do better.
10. The house of Obed was blessed because the Ark was there.

YES / NO:

11. _____ Was David happy because Saul was dead?
12. _____ Was the man rewarded who said he killed Saul?
13. _____ Did David say that Saul and Jonathan were lovely in their lives?
14. _____ Was Ishbosheth related to Saul?
15. _____ Did Ishbosheth fear Abner?
16. _____ Jonathan's son's name was Rechab?
17. _____ David was displeased with the men who slew Ishbosheth?
18. _____ Did David have more than three wives?
19. _____ Did David and the Israelites believe in instrumental music?
20. _____ Was Michal punished for her difference with David?

QUESTIONS:

21. What did the man from the camp of Israel bring to David?
22. How did David feel toward the men of Jabesh-gilead?
23. Who did Abner make king over Israel?
24. Who killed Asahel?
25. In the war between the houses of Saul and David, whose house grew weaker?
26. What did David request that caused a man to cry?
27. What crime did Joab commit? What motivated it?
28. How did Ishbosheth die?
29. Which son of David became the most famous?
30. Which two men were selected to drive the cart?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

31. An (Israelite, Amalekite) claimed to have killed Saul.
32. David was made king in (Jabesh, Gibeon, Hebron).
33. Asahel was known for his (strength, speed, wisdom).
34. David had (5, 4, 7, 6) sons born in Hebron.
35. Jonathan's son was (lame, feeble minded, left handed).
36. David was (40, 25, 30, 35) when he began to reign and he reigned (40, 24, 30, 35) years.
37. David reigned in Hebron (8 1/2, 7 1/2, 6 1/2) years.
38. (Hiram, Nathan, Solomon) sent cedar trees to David.
39. The ark had been in the house of (Nachor, Abinadab).
40. David put the ark in a (tabernacle, cave).

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 14

by Aude McKee

2 Samuel 7 - 12

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

1. Up to this time the Lord has dwelt in a _____ and a _____ and _____.
2. Thy house and thy _____ shall be established forever.
3. Mephiboseth was the son of _____.
4. _____ was very beautiful to look upon.
5. In addition to adultery, David was guilty of _____.
6. _____ mourned for her husband.
7. "Thou art the _____."
8. David said, "I have sinned _____."
9. The dead child's mother was _____.
10. The child died on the _____ day.

YES / NO:

11. _____ Nathan was a prophet?
12. _____ David's prayer is found in chapter nine?
13. _____ Was David a man of war?
14. _____ Did the Syrians fight against Israel?
15. _____ Uriah was an Hittite?
16. _____ Was God pleased with David's conduct?
17. _____ Wife stealing is a thing of the past?
18. _____ When David heard Nathan's story he was angry?
19. _____ David believed that children were born totally depraved?
20. _____ The death of David's child was the direct result of his sin?

QUESTIONS:

21. Who was to build the Lord a house?
22. How many groups became David's servants in chapter eight?
23. For whose sake did David want to show kindness to the house of Saul?
24. What was Mephiboseth's affliction?
25. What did the people of Ammon do to David's servants?
26. Who was Joab?
27. Why did David try to get Uriah to go home?
28. How did Joab tell the messenger to appease David's anger over the conduct of the battle?
29. What story did Nathan tell David?
30. Describe David's conduct before and after the child's death?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

31. Nathan said he lived in a house of cedar.
32. Mephiboseth referred to himself as a dead hog.
33. Ziba was a servant in the house of David.
34. Uriah slept at the door of Joab's house.
35. David got Joab drunk.
36. Bathsheba became the wife of Uriah after her husband died.
37. Nathan said the sceptre would never depart from David's house.
38. Bathsheba's first son was named Solomon.
39. The crown of the king of Rabbah was set on Solomon's head.
40. After the baby's death, David comforted Abigail.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 15

by Aude McKee

2 Samuel 13 - 18

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. _____ | Tamar | A. Priest |
| 2. _____ | Jonadab | B. Messenger |
| 3. _____ | Woman of Tekoah | C. Absalom |
| 4. _____ | Lots of hair | D. Captain of Absalom's army |
| 5. _____ | Ahithophel | E. Sister of Absalom |
| 6. _____ | Zadok | F. David's counsellor |
| 7. _____ | Shimei | G. Absalom buried |
| 8. _____ | Amasa | H. Cursed David and cast stones |
| 9. _____ | Pit in the woods | I. Acted like a mourner |
| 10. _____ | Cushi | J. David's nephew |

QUESTIONS:

11. By what means did the men escape when Amnon was killed?
12. What did David do after the woman of Tekoah talked to him?
13. What did Absalom accomplish by setting fire to Joab's field?
14. How did David and the people go up to Mount Olivet?
15. What did Ahithophel do when he saw his counsel was not followed?
16. How did the two messengers escape from the servants of Absalom?
17. How did Absalom die?
18. What did David say when he learned Absalom was dead?
19. Where was David when he learned of Absalom's death?
20. Who was responsible for Absalom's death?

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Jonadab was an exceedingly fine fellow.
22. _____ Absalom hated Amnon.
23. _____ Absalom killed all the king's sons.
24. _____ David hated Absalom for killing his brother.
25. _____ Absalom wanted to be king in Hebron.
26. _____ David set up a spy system among the followers of Absalom.
27. _____ Ahithophel and Hushai both advised Absalom to do the same thing.
28. _____ Ahimaaz told David that Absalom was dead.
29. _____ Two messengers brought news to David.
30. _____ David was a man after God's own heart.

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

31. Amnon played like he was _____.
32. Absalom fled to _____ and was there for _____ years.
33. _____ put the woman of Tekoah up to talking to David.
34. David did not see Absalom for _____ years after he returned to Jerusalem.
35. Absalom stole the _____ of the men of Israel.
36. Absalom asked permission of David to go to _____.
37. David left ten women, who were _____, behind to keep house.
38. David asked the Lord to turn the counsel of Ahithophel into _____.
39. The people said, "*You are worth _____ of us.*"
40. David said, "*Deal gently with _____.*"

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 16

by Aude McKee

2 Samuel 19 - 24

QUESTIONS:

1. How was the king's household transported across the Jordan?
2. Who was the leader of David's opposition in chapter 20?
3. What did the Gibeonites ask that David give them?
4. What did David do with the bones of Saul and Jonathan?
5. What is meant by "*numbering the people*?"
6. When David was given his choice of punishments, what did he say?
7. Where was the plague stayed?
8. Where did David go to offer sacrifices?
9. What was David's answer when Araunah offered him the alter, etc.?
10. What parallel could you make between David's attitude in this matter and our worship today?

YES / NO:

11. _____ Amasa was made captain over David's army?
12. _____ The famine lasted four years?
13. _____ Adino killed 800 men at one time?
14. _____ Joab was in favor of numbering the people?
15. _____ There were more men of Judah than Israel?
16. _____ David did right in numbering the people?
17. _____ Jerusalem was destroyed in the pestilence?
18. _____ Araunah offered all the things necessary to the sacrifice to David for nothing?
19. _____ Gad was David's seer?
20. _____ Uriah the Hittite is named as one of David's brave men?

MATCH THE STATEMENT WITH SCRIPTURE LOCATION:

- | | |
|---|----------|
| 21. _____ Thou lovest thine enemies | A. 20:10 |
| 22. _____ Smite him in the 5th rib | B. 19:6 |
| 23. _____ 12 fingers -- 12 toes | C. 23:6 |
| 24. _____ Come near hither that I may speak with thee | D. 24:2 |
| 25. _____ The Lord is my rock | E. 23:20 |
| 26. _____ From Dan to Beersheba | F. 20:21 |
| 27. _____ I have done foolishly | G. 20:16 |
| 28. _____ Bowed himself upon the ground | H. 22:2 |
| 29. _____ Shall be as thorns thrust away | I. 24:10 |
| 30. _____ Shew him a lion in time of snow | J. 24:20 |

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

31. Absalom was the son of _____.
32. _____ did not wash his cloths, dress his feet, or trim his beard until the king returned.
33. _____ head was thrown over the wall.
34. David's _____ is found in chapter 22.
35. David was called the sweet _____ of Israel.
36. It took _____ months and _____ days to number the people.
37. David was given his choice of _____ punishments.
38. _____ thousand men died in the pestilence.
39. David paid _____ of silver for the threshing floor.
40. In Judah and Israel there were a total of _____ men.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 17

by Aude McKee

1 Kings 1 - 6

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Solomon slew Adonijah.
2. _____ The people wanted Adonijah to be king.
3. _____ David told Solomon to deal gently with Joab.
4. _____ Solomon and Adonijah were half-brothers.
5. _____ Solomon showed very little respect for his mother.
6. _____ Adonijah married Abishag.
7. _____ Solomon was humble as he began his reign.
8. _____ Solomon became known for his wisdom.
9. _____ Solomon's reign was more peaceful than David's.
10. _____ The men worked in Lebanon more than at home.

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

11. _____ the priest was not with Adonijah.
12. Bathsheba and Nathan worked together to make _____ king.
13. David charged _____ to keep the law of Moses.
14. David reigned for _____ years.
15. Solomon spoke _____ thousand proverbs.
16. Solomon raised a levy of _____ thousand men.
17. The house was started _____ years after leaving Egypt.
18. _____ different kinds of wood are mentioned in chapter 6.
19. It took _____ years to build the house.
20. There were winding _____ in the house.

MATCH:

- | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 21. _____ Abishag | A. Windows |
| 22. _____ Horns of the altar | B. Wing of the cherub |
| 23. _____ Benaiah | C. Captain of Solomon's army |
| 24. _____ Hiram | D. Ruled over the work |
| 25. _____ Sidonians | E. Skilled timbermen |
| 26. _____ Zif | F. King of Tyre |
| 27. _____ Narrow lights | G. Adonijah and Joab |
| 28. _____ Bul | H. Virgin brought to King David |
| 29. _____ 3300 | I. Month house began construction |
| 30. _____ 5 cubits | J. Month house was finished |

QUESTIONS:

31. What did Adonijah try to do?
32. On what did Solomon ride into Gihon?
33. What request did Adonijah make of Bathsheba?
34. Why was Shimei put to death?
35. What request did Solomon make of the Lord?
36. How did Solomon solve a difficult problem between two women?
37. What were Solomon's provisions for one day?
38. How was the timber gotten to Jerusalem?
39. What size was the house Solomon built for the Lord?
40. What was the most unusual thing about the method of construction of this house?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #18

by Aude McKee

1 Kings 7 - 12

QUESTIONS:

1. What kind of wood is most often mentioned in this lesson?
2. What was in the ark when it was transferred to the temple?
3. In what bodily position did Solomon pray?
4. How do you suppose the word "forever" is used in 9:3?
5. Compare 1 Samuel 8:10-18 with 1 Kings 9:22-23. Is the prediction being fulfilled?
6. How much gold came to Solomon in one year?
7. What turned Solomon's heart from the Lord?
8. What was the punishment decreed by the Lord for his sins?
9. Who stirred up Hadad and others to afflict Solomon?
10. Who reigned in Solomon's place after he died?

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

11. Solomon brought _____ out of Tyre to help with the work.
12. _____ was the first man to plan to build the Lord's house.
13. Solomon made a _____ of _____ in Ezion-geber.
14. The queen of _____ said, "*The half was not told me.*"
15. Solomon had horses brought out of _____.
16. Pharaoh's wife's name was _____.
17. Jeroboam was to receive _____ tribes.
18. "*My little _____ shall be thicker than my father's _____.*"
19. Jeroboam made two _____ of gold.
20. They were placed in _____ and _____.

YES / NO:

21. _____ Solomon married one of Pharaoh's daughters?
22. _____ Solomon was a humble, God-fearing man in Chapter 8?
23. _____ Solomon said there were some men who did not sin?
24. _____ Hiram was pleased with the cities Solomon gave him?
25. _____ The king's drinking cups were made of silver?
26. _____ Solomon confined his affection to Israelite women?
27. _____ Solomon was buried in Jerusalem?
28. _____ The people ask Rehoboam to make their burdens lighter?
29. _____ The tribe of Judah followed the house of David?
30. _____ Jeroboam made all the priests from the tribe of Levi?

TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH EACH STATEMENT:

31. It took David 13 years to build his own house.
32. Solomon said the house he had built could contain God.
33. The queen of Pharaoh came to prove Solomon with hard questions.
34. There was one king that exceeded Solomon in riches.
35. Solomon had 300 wives and 700 concubines.
36. Solomon converted his wives from idol worship.
37. Solomon reigned over Israel 39 years.
38. Jeroboam took the advice of the young men.
39. Israel made Rehoboam their king.
40. Jeroboam urged the people to return to Jerusalem to worship.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History # 19

by Aude McKee

1 Kings 13 - 17

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ A man of God of Judah cried out against the alter at Bethel.
2. _____ The prophet went home with Jeroboam.
3. _____ After the prophet cried out against him, Jeroboam repented.
4. _____ Ahijah, the prophet, was an old man.
5. _____ Asa was a good king.
6. _____ All of Israel's kings died of natural causes.
7. _____ Jezebel was the wife of king Ahab.
8. _____ Elijah prayed in order to raise the boy back to life.
9. _____ Elijah told the widow to make him a cake first, before she made one for herself.
10. _____ The dead child's soul had left his body.

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

11. Jeroboam's (hand, foot, tongue) dried up.
12. Rehoboam's successor was (Naamah, Asa, Abijam).
13. (Zimri, Omri, Elah) reigned seven days.
14. (Joshua, Abiram, Ahab) did more to displease the Lord than any other king before him.
15. Elijah was a (prophet, priest, king).
16. Elijah stretched himself upon the boy (2, 4, 3) times.
17. Nadab reigned in Israel (22, 31, 2) years.
18. During this lesson there was (peace, war) between Israel and Judah.
19. Benhadad (helped, fought against) king Asa.
20. We can read more about these kings in the book of (Ezra, Chronicles, Malachi).

MATCH:

- | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 21. _____ Prophet killed | A. Asa |
| 22. _____ Son of Jeroboam | B. Hiel |
| 23. _____ 22 Years | C. Widow's home |
| 24. _____ Shishak | D. Lion |
| 25. _____ 17 years | E. King of Egypt |
| 26. _____ Diseased in his feet | F. Abijah |
| 27. _____ Committed suicide | G. Boy raised to life |
| 28. _____ Built Jericho | H. Length of Jeroboam's reign |
| 29. _____ Loft | I. Zimri |
| 30. _____ Zarephath | J. Length of Rehoboam's reign |

QUESTIONS:

31. How did the old prophet get the young prophet to go home with him?
32. How did Jeroboam's wife try to get information about her sick son?
33. With what did Rehoboam replace the shields of gold that Shishak stole?
34. Who built the city of Samaria?
35. How long did the drought continue as a result of Elijah's prayer? (cf. Jas. 5:17).
36. Read Joshua 6:26. Was this prophecy fulfilled?
37. What happened to the widow's cruse of oil and barrel of meal?
38. How did Elijah manage to live during the drought?
39. How many kings are mentioned in these chapters? How many were good kings?
40. What did Asa do to his mother because of her sin?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #20

by Aude McKee

1 Kings 18 - 22

YES / NO:

1. _____ Was there a famine in Samaria as this lesson begins?
2. _____ Did Jezebel repent after the events on Mount Carmel?
3. _____ Did Benhadad win the battle with Ahab?
4. _____ Ahab considered Elijah his enemy?
5. _____ Did Micaiah agree with the other prophets?
6. _____ Did Ahab's son reign after him?
7. _____ Was Jehoshaphat a good king?
8. _____ Was Ahaziah the son of Jehoshaphat?
9. _____ Did Jehoshaphat lose his life in the battle?
10. _____ Did Ahab's son follow the Lord?

QUESTIONS:

11. In what way did Obadiah show his fear of the Lord?
12. Why did Obadiah object to telling Ahab that *"Elijah is here"*?
13. In what way did Elijah prove that his God was superior to Baal?
14. To what mountain did Elijah go when he fled from Jezebel?
15. What parable or saying did Ahab send to Benhadad?
16. How did the Lord, through a prophet, tell Ahab of his approaching death?
17. How did Jezebel acquire the vineyard for her husband?
18. How was Ahab encouraged to go and fight for Ramoth in Gilead?
19. What did Ahab do to Micaiah?
20. In the final battle what trick did Ahab pull that failed to work?

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

21. *"Art thou he that _____ Israel?"*
22. _____ prophets were gathered at Mount Carmel.
23. Ahab's wife was named _____.
24. _____ barrels of water were poured on the sacrifices.
25. Elijah sat down under a _____ tree.
26. God said there were _____ thousand who had not bowed to Baal.
27. The Syrians thought that God was the God of the _____ but not of the _____.
28. _____ stirred up Ahab to do evil.
29. The king of Judah was _____.
30. _____ smote Micaiah on the cheek.

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|--------------|-----------------------------|
| 31. _____ | Obadiah | A. Idol |
| 32. _____ | Baal | B. Elijah |
| 33. _____ | Kishon | C. King of Syria |
| 34. _____ | Elisha | D. Horns of iron |
| 35. _____ | Benhadad | E. Vineyard |
| 36. _____ | Naboth | F. Governor of Ahab's house |
| 37. _____ | Ivory house | G. Prophets slain |
| 38. _____ | Jehoshaphat | H. Made ships |
| 39. _____ | The Tishbite | I. Ahab |
| 40. _____ | Zedekiah | J. Elijah's mantle |

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #21

by Aude McKee

2 Kings 1 - 5

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

1. Ahaziah sent messenger to _____, the god of Ekron.
2. Elijah smote the waters of the _____ and they parted.
3. Elijah's _____ fell on Elisha.
4. Children cried, "Go up thou _____ head."
5. The widow was told to borrow _____ of her neighbors.
6. _____ cast into the pot made the food edible.
7. Naaman found out about the prophet through a little _____.
8. Naaman's leprosy was transferred to _____.
9. In 2 Kings 5, Naaman made at least _____ mistakes.
10. The king of Israel _____ his cloths.

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| 11. _____ | Ahaziah's successor | A. Mocking children |
| 12. _____ | Three days | B. Naaman |
| 13. _____ | Two she bears | C. Rivers of Damascus |
| 14. _____ | Jehoram | D. Search for Elijah |
| 15. _____ | Headache | E. Seven times |
| 16. _____ | Seven times | F. Elisha's servant |
| 17. _____ | Gehazi | G. Shunammite woman's son |
| 18. _____ | Leprosy | H. Jehoram |
| 19. _____ | River Jordan | I. Ahab's son |
| 20. _____ | Abana and Pharpar | J. Sneezed |

YES / NO:

21. _____ Did Elijah send Ahaziah encouraging news?
22. _____ Did Elisha and Elijah go to Bethel together?
23. _____ Were the kings of Israel and Judah allies in chapter 3?
24. _____ Did the Shunamite woman send for Elijah when her son died?
25. _____ Did the king of Israel appreciate Naaman coming to him?
26. _____ Did Naaman like the waters of Abana and Pharpar?
27. _____ Did this experience cause Naaman to believe in God?
28. _____ Was Gehazi a truthful man?
29. _____ Was there power in the Jordan waters to heal leprosy?
30. _____ Was lying Gehazi's fundamental sin?

QUESTIONS:

31. How was Ahaziah injured?
32. What happened to the first two captains with their fifties?
33. What did the prophets tell Elisha at Bethel and Jericho?
34. What happened to Elijah?
35. How did Elisha heal the waters of the land?
36. What caused the Moabites to think the armies of the Israelites were ready to be defeated?
37. What did the king of Moab offer as a sacrifice?
38. What did the woman of Shunem do for Elisha?
39. To what event in the New Testament would you liken 4:42-44?
40. What instructions did Elisha give Naaman?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #22

by Aude McKee

2 Kings 6 - 11

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Elisha made an ax head float.
2. _____ Israel had spies in the Syrian camp.
3. _____ The famine in Samaria was not severe.
4. _____ The four leprous men were killed by the Syrians.
5. _____ Jehoshaphat was married to Ahab's daughter.
6. _____ Joram killed Jehu.
7. _____ Ahab's sons were honored in Israel.
8. _____ Jehu was a reformer.
9. _____ Joash was hid six years.
10. _____ Athaliah died a natural death.

QUESTIONS:

11. What is the meaning of "*strait*" in 6:1?
12. What problem did the woman present to the king of Israel?
13. What caused the Syrians to leave the siege of Samaria?
14. What happened to the man who doubted Elisha's prophecy?
15. Explain the 10th verse of chapter 8?
16. For what reason was Jehu anointed king over Israel?
17. Where was the body of Joram thrown?
18. How did Jezebel attempt to escape?
19. When they came to look for Jezebel, what remains did they find?
20. How did Jehu get all the worshippers of Baal together?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

21. Elisha caused the Syrian men to be (burned, blinded, captured).
22. In 7:1, Elisha said that the next day prices would be (lower, higher, the same).
23. The woman went to the land of the (Assyrians, Moabites, Philistines) till the famine was over.
24. (Moab, Edom, Syria) revolted from under the hand of Judah.
25. Jehu was a (fast, slow, careful) driver.
26. (Prophets, Servants, Eunuchs) threw Jezebel out of the window.
27. Athaliah cried (treason, robbers, God save the queen).
28. Jehoash was (30, 21, 7) years old when he began to reign.
29. Jehoiada was a (king, priest, lawyer).
30. In this lesson we have our first (female, good) ruler.

MATCH:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 31. _____ Benhadad | A. Ahab |
| 32. _____ 80 pieces of silver | B. Priest of Baal |
| 33. _____ Hazael | C. Jehoahaz |
| 34. _____ Dogs eat flesh | D. Rode with Jehu |
| 35. _____ 70 sons | E. King of Syria |
| 36. _____ Jehonadab | F. Price of a donkey's head |
| 37. _____ 28 years | G. Jehu's reign |
| 38. _____ Jehu's son | H. Benhadad's successor |
| 39. _____ Athaliah | I. Jezebel |
| 40. _____ Mattan | J. Ahaziah's mother |

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #23

by Aude McKee

2 Kings 12 - 18

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

1. Jehoash reigned (35, 45, 40) years.
2. Jehoahaz reigned (25, 17, 35) years.
3. The Lord delivered Israel into the hands of the (Syrians, Egyptians, Moabites) for a short time.
4. Azariah was (16, 26, 36) years old when he became king.
5. Shallum reigned (one year, one month, 5 years) in Samaria.
6. Ahaz caused his (son, daughter, wife) to pass through the fire.
7. The king of Assyria bound (Nebat, Jereboam, Hoshea) and put him in prison.
8. In her history, Israel had a total of (27, 19, 21) kings.
9. (Hezekiah, Jotham, Ahaz) was king of Judah at the time of Israel's fall.
10. There were (1, 2, 3) kings by the name of Jereboam in Israel's history.

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ Jehoash was a good king.
12. _____ Joash was killed in a conspiracy.
13. _____ Amaziah reigned after Joash.
14. _____ Elisha died a natural death.
15. _____ Amaziah was a good king.
16. _____ Pul was king of Assyria in the days of Menahem.
17. _____ Of the two divisions of God's people, Judah fell first.
18. _____ Judah was more righteous than Israel.
19. _____ Up to this time, Uzziah had reigned the longest of any king.
20. _____ The Lord was long-suffering with Israel.

TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH EACH STATEMENT:

21. Joash and Jehoiada were the same person.
22. Joash stood his ground against Hazael.
23. Two men were buried in one grave and the Moabites objected.
24. Children were to be put to death for the sin of their parents.
25. The Lord smote Azariah with blindness.
26. Jotham was a good king over Israel.
27. Hoshea reigned over Samaria and was more evil than those before him.
28. Hezekiah would be rated a "fair" king as far as goodness was concerned.
29. Israel's fall was the result of more powerful nations warring against her.
30. Israel had two good kings before her fall.

QUESTIONS:

31. What use was made of the money the people gave?
32. How did Elisha show Joash, king of Israel, that they would smite the Syrians?
33. How long did Azariah reign?
34. What nation finally ended Israel's history as a nation?
35. In what chapter does God review the cause of Israel's downfall?
36. Did Israel ever throw off the yoke of the foreign power?
37. What did the king of Assyria do to the cities of Samaria?
38. What language did the Assyrians request Judah to speak?
39. For what purpose did God send His servants the prophets to Israel?
40. How were God's servants the prophets received?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #24

by Aude McKee

2 Kings 19 - 25

MATCH:

- | | | |
|-----------|------------|-------------------------|
| 1. _____ | Shebna | A. Prophetess |
| 2. _____ | 185,000 | B. God of the Assyrians |
| 3. _____ | Nisroch | C. Son of Ahikam |
| 4. _____ | Amoz | D. High Priest |
| 5. _____ | Manasseh | E. Mattaniah |
| 6. _____ | Hilkiah | F. Dead Assyrians |
| 7. _____ | Huldah | G. Scribe |
| 8. _____ | Jehoiachin | H. Father of Isaiah |
| 9. _____ | Zedekiah | I. Hezekiah's son |
| 10. _____ | Gedaliah | J. Son of Jehoiakim |

QUESTIONS:

11. For whose sake did God often do good to His people?
12. What was the nature of Hezekiah's illness?
13. What sign did the Lord give Hezekiah?
14. How did Hezekiah bring water to Jerusalem?
15. To what did the Lord liken the judgment of Jerusalem?
16. What was done with the bones of the prophet that cried out against the altar at Bethel?
17. How did Josiah die?
18. What nation made Judah pay tribute after the death of Josiah?
19. Who did Nebuchadnezzar leave in Jerusalem after the first raid?
20. How long did the second seige of Jerusalem last?

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

21. The well-known prophet _____ appears in this lesson.
22. Sennacherib was king of the _____.
23. "*Set thine _____ in order for thou shalt _____, and not live.*"
24. _____ was given 15 extra years to live.
25. He was healed with a lump of _____.
26. Manasseh was _____ years old when he began to reign.
27. Josiah was the grandson of _____.
28. Hilkiah found the book of the _____ in the _____ of the Lord.
29. Eliakim's name was changed to _____.
30. The Babylonian people were also called _____.

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ Hezekiah was king over Judah in the beginning of this lesson.
32. _____ The Lord said that Jerusalem would fall to the Assyrians.
33. _____ Isaiah said that Babylon would take Judah captive.
34. _____ Manasseh was a good king.
35. _____ Josiah had no respect for the Lord's word.
36. _____ Nebuchadnezzar was king of Babylon.
37. _____ Zedekiah rebelled against the king of Babylon.
38. _____ The Babylonians did not disturb the riches of the temple.
39. _____ Jehoiachin was put to death in prison.
40. _____ After the second seige of Jerusalem, no one was left there.

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #25

by Aude McKee

1 Chronicles 1 - 15

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Of Israel's sons, Joseph was given the birthright.
2. _____ The tribe of Benjamin was divided in half.
3. _____ The ark was brought from Kirjath-jearim.
4. _____ David did not take any wives in Jerusalem.
5. _____ Berechiah was a doorkeeper for the ark.
6. _____ The ark was transported from the house of Obed-edom on a cart.
7. _____ Solomon was born in Jerusalem.
8. _____ David commanded that the Philistine's gods be burned.
9. _____ Of the first three kings, David reigned the longest.
10. _____ The reign of David & Solomon could be described as the "golden age of Israel's history."

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

11. The sons of Noah were _____, _____, and _____.
12. The earth was divided in the days of _____.
13. The tribe of _____ served in the tabernacle and the temple.
14. _____ and _____ drove the cart on which the ark was carried.
15. David fought against the Philistines in the _____ trees.
16. Only the _____ were to carry the ark.
17. David pitched a _____ for the ark.
18. _____ and _____ were two of the musical instruments that were used.
19. The Old Testament is divided into the divisions of law, history, poetry, major and minor prophets.
20. Daniel would fall in the classification of _____.

QUESTIONS:

21. How many children did David have by Bathsheba?
22. Was Rehoboam or Jereboam the son of Solomon?
23. Of which of Israel's 12 sons did the chief ruler come?
24. Which chapter of 1 Chronicles tells of Saul's death?
25. In 1 Chronicles 12, how many thousand men did David have with him?
26. In whose house was the ark left for three months.
27. Was Instrumental music used in the days of David?
28. Which of David's wives despised him in her heart?
29. Does 1 Chronicles cover old material or new?
30. Numerically, which king was David?

MATCH:

- | | |
|--|------------------|
| 31. _____ 16 sons and 6 daughters | A. Law |
| 32. _____ Another name for Jerusalem | B. Gadites |
| 33. _____ Men who had faces of lions | C. Chenaniah |
| 34. _____ Killed when he touch the ark | D. History |
| 35. _____ King of Tyre | E. Shimei |
| 36. _____ Instructor in song | F. Jebus |
| 37. _____ Deuteronomy | G. Major prophet |
| 38. _____ Joshua | H. Uzza |
| 39. _____ Hosea | I. Hiram |
| 40. _____ Isaiah | J. Minor prophet |

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #26

by Aude McKee

1 Chronicles 16 - 29

QUESTIONS:

1. What did David give to each man and woman of Israel?
2. Who provoked David to number the people?
3. After the plague, where did David go to offer sacrifices?
4. What did Solomon's name mean?
5. How old was a Levite before he was numbered?
6. Compare 1 Chronicles 23:5, 2 Chronicles 7:6 and Amos 6:1-5. Explain their significance.
7. Does the kingdom of David and Solomon still stand?
8. Notice especially 28:9. Would that be good advice for our children today?
9. Has the God of heaven given a pattern for things other than the temple?
10. What item in the temple had wings?

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

11. Israel praised God with (psalms, hymns).
12. David said, "*Worship the Lord in the beauty of (purity, holiness).*"
13. (60,000, 50,000, 70,000) died in the plague.
14. David could not build the temple because he had shed much (tears, blood).
15. David was of the tribe of (Joseph, Judah, Dan).
16. When the temple was begun, Solomon was a (young, old) man.
17. Jesus Christ was of the tribe of (Joseph, Judah, Dan).
18. God's blessings depended upon (armed might, obedience).
19. (David, Aaron, Moses) constructed the tabernacle.
20. There are (66, 27, 39) books in the Bible.

YES / NO:

21. _____ Was David a sheep-tender before he became king?
22. _____ David was to build the Lord a house.
23. _____ The giant of Gath had 12 fingers and 12 toes.
24. _____ Did David agree to offer to the Lord the things that Ornan wanted to give him?
25. _____ Did David prepare any of the material for the temple?
26. _____ Israel was well organized in the days of David.
27. _____ There was a pattern given Solomon by which to build.
28. _____ The kingdom divided when Solomon became king.
29. _____ David was boastful and proud near the close of his life.
30. _____ Samuel is spoken of as having a book. Israel's history.

MATCH:

- | | |
|---|--------------|
| 31. _____ Construction of David's house | A. Nathan |
| 32. _____ Prophet | B. 8 |
| 33. _____ Shaved David's servants | C. Biography |
| 34. _____ Length of David's reign | D. Zadok |
| 35. _____ Priest when Solomon became king | E. Epistle |
| 36. _____ Matthew | F. Cedar |
| 37. _____ Acts | G. Prophecy |
| 38. _____ 1 Timothy | H. Hanun |
| 39. _____ Revelation | I. 40 |
| 40. _____ Writers of the New Testament | J. History |

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #27

by Aude McKee

2 Chronicles 1 - 9

QUESTIONS:

1. Who was ruling over God's people at the beginning of this lesson?
2. What type of accommodations had David provided for the ark in Jerusalem?
3. How many burnt offerings did Solomon offer?
4. To build the temple Solomon chose how many burden bearers? Hewers? Overseers?
5. Who were these burden bearers, hewers and overseers?
6. What did Solomon say about containing God?
7. What did Hiram (Hiram) say God had made?
8. At what sea port were the trees to be brought in on their way to Jerusalem?
9. In what connection have you heard of Joppa before?
10. Where was the construction begun?
11. When was the construction begun?
12. What did Solomon make that stood upon twelve oxen? What was its purpose?
13. When the ark was brought to the temple, how many sheep and oxen were offered?
14. When the people began to praise God, what filled the temple?
15. Who chose David to be king and Jerusalem to be the capitol city?
16. Where is Solomon's prayer at the dedication of the temple located in this lesson?
17. What happened when Solomon finished praying?
18. Is there divine authority for dedicating a church building?
19. Who had made the musical instruments with which to praise God?
20. Is there divine authority for praising God with musical instruments in the church?
21. How many days were spent in dedicating the temple?
22. What did the Lord tell Solomon he would do for him if he would walk as David did?
23. What would be Israel's fate if Solomon and Israel departed from the Lord?
24. When did Solomon offer burnt offering to the Lord? (One verse states different times).
25. Who said, "*Behold, the one half of the greatness of thy wisdom was not told me*"?
26. Out of what material was the throne made?
27. In what two things did Solomon pass all the kings of the earth?
28. How many years did Solomon reign?
29. Who succeeded him on the throne?
30. Where was Solomon buried?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #28

by Aude McKee

2 Chronicles 10 - 18

QUESTIONS:

1. When Solomon died, where did Jereboam return from?
2. Whose counsel did Rehoboam follow?
3. Rehoboam acting as he did caused what prophecy to be fulfilled?
4. What happened to Hadoram?
5. How many men did Rehoboam get together to fight?
6. Over what tribes did Rehoboam reign after the division?
7. Who built the cities of Bethlehem and Hebron?
8. What did the Levites do after the division?
9. To whom does verse 15 of chapter 11 refer?
10. Why did the Lord allow Shishak to besiege Jerusalem?
11. One verse in chapter 12 tells why Rehoboam did evil. What was the reason?
12. When Abijah and Jereboam met on the battlefield, who had the larger force?
13. Who won the battle? Why?
14. What did Asa cry to the Lord when he met Zerah, the Ethiopian?
15. Who was Azariah?
16. What did the people of Ephriam, Manasseh, and Simeon do when they saw that God was with Asa?
17. What did Asa do to his mother?
18. Who was Baasha?
19. Who was Benhadad?
20. Note 16:7-10. Why was Asa angry with Hanani?
21. How long did Asa reign?
22. What disease did Asa have?
23. Name the first four kings of Judah?
24. When the princes and the Levites taught in Judah, what did they take with them?
25. With what king did Jehoshaphat join up?
26. What prophet made him horns of iron?
27. What kind of a prophet was Micaiah?
28. What did Zedekiah do to Micaiah?
29. What did Ahab do to Micaiah?
30. Describe Ahab's death?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #29

by Aude McKee

2 Chronicles 19 - 27

QUESTIONS:

1. What did Jehu say to Jehoshaphat when he returned to Jerusalem?
2. What groups came up to fight against Israel in chapter 20?
3. How many of the enemy did Israel kill?
4. How long did Jehoshaphat reign?
5. What happened to the ships that were made to go to Tarshish?
6. Was Jehoram a good or bad king? Who did he marry?
7. Who was Jehoram's father?
8. What prophet warned Jehoram? What did he say would happen to him?
9. Where was Jehoram buried?
10. Who succeeded Jehoram?
11. Who was Ahaziah's counsellor?
12. How did Ahaziah meet his death?
13. After Ahaziah's death, what did Athaliah do? Why?
14. Who was Jehoiada?
15. What happened to Athaliah?
16. After her death what did Jehoiada do?
17. What did Joash determine to do as one of his first official acts?
18. Where was Jehoiada buried?
19. Did Joash turn out to be a good or bad king?
20. Who was king after Joash?
21. How did Amaziah increase the size of his army?
22. Is the Joash of 25:17 king of Judah or Israel?
23. When Joash and Amaziah met in battle, who won?
24. Who followed Amaziah on the throne of Judah?
25. What happened to Uzziah when he got strong?
26. How did God punish him?
27. Who was next on Judah's throne?
28. Was he good or bad?
29. Who succeeded Jotham as king?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #30

by Aude McKee

2 Chronicles 28 - 36

QUESTIONS:

1. Make a list of the sins of Ahaz:
2. Into the hands of what two groups did the Lord deliver Judah?
3. What did the prophet Obed say to Israel?
4. Who was the king of Assyria?
5. Who was the son of Ahaz?
6. How did he differ from his father?
7. Why did the Passover have to be delayed a short time?
8. When messengers were sent to Ephraim and Manasseh, how were they received?
9. How long was the feast of unleavened bread kept?
10. What happened to Hezekiah and Judah when they served the Lord with all their heart?
11. Hezekiah compared Assyria and Judah how in 32:7-8?
12. What was Sennacherib's argument to Judah?
13. What finally happened to him?
14. Who succeeded Hezekiah on the throne?
15. Make a list of the sins of Manasseh:
16. How did God bring Manasseh to his senses?
17. How old was Amon when he began to reign? How long did he reign?
18. Was Josiah a reformer or a sinner?
19. What did Hilkiyah the priest find?
20. What message from the Lord did Huldah, the prophetess, deliver to Josiah?
21. Read 34:29-33. Explain briefly what Josiah did:
22. When did Josiah keep the Passover?
23. What caused Josiah's death?
24. What man especially lamented Josiah's passing?
25. Name the remainder of the kings of Judah that are named in chapter 36?
26. What happened to Jehoiakim?
27. What happened to Jehoiachin?
28. With what event does the book (up to verse 22) end?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #3 1

by Aude McKee

Ezra 1 - 5

QUESTIONS:

1. As this lesson begins, where are the people of Judah?
2. What happened to Israel?
3. What has happened to Babylonia prior to this lesson?
4. What was Jeremiah's prophecy referred to in 1:1?
5. What did the Lord do to Cyrus?
6. What had happened to the temple and to Jerusalem?
7. What were the Jews remaining in Babylon to do for those who returned to Jerusalem?
8. What did Cyrus do about the temple vessels Nebuchadnezzar carried to Babylon?
9. What was unusual about those who returned from Telmelah?
10. What was done to some of the children of the priests?
11. How many returned to Jerusalem at this time?
12. How was Moses referred to in this lesson?
13. What was one of the first things the Jews did when they arrived back in Jerusalem?
14. When the foundation of the temple was laid, were the emotions of the people all the same? Explain.
15. Did God's people have any adversaries? What was their enemies' first proposal?
16. What did the opponents of the work do in the beginning of the reign of Ahasuerus?
17. In the letter to Artaxerxes, what accusations were made against God's people?
18. Was this effort successful?
19. What prophets are mentioned in this lesson?
20. With the name of what man is this rebuilding of the temple usually associated?
21. When Tatnai asked the question, "*Who hath commanded you to build this house,*" what did they answer?
22. Who was Sheshbazzar?
23. At the end of chapter five, was the construction of the temple completed?
24. Why do you suppose the people of the land tried to keep the Jews from rebuilding?
25. So often in the history of God's people, they digressed and reformation and restoration became necessary. Are there any indications that such is true today?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #32

by Aude McKee

Ezra 6 - 10

QUESTIONS:

1. Why did Darius make a search in the house of the rolls?
2. What decree did Darius make?
3. Did Tatnai and the others comply with the decree?
4. Who were the prophets at this time?
5. When was the work on the temple completed?
6. What feast was observed first?
7. What was Ezra's profession?
8. How long did it take Ezra to go from Babylon to Jerusalem?
9. What had Ezra prepared his heart to do?
10. What did Artaxerxes give Ezra to take with him?
11. Did Artaxerxes put any limit on what the treasurers beyond the river were to give to Ezra?
12. Artaxerxes said that taxes were not to be imposed on who?
13. What was to be done to those who did not know the law of the Lord?
14. What was to be done to those who would not do the law of the Lord?
15. What was done by the Lord's people at the Ahava River?
16. Why were they ashamed to ask the king for protection?
17. Why did Ezra rend his garment, pluck his hair, and sit down astonished?
18. To whom does "*holy seed*" refer in 9:2?
19. Did Ezra say that God had punished them more or less than their iniquities deserved?
20. How did the people react to Ezra's confession?
21. What was to be the punishment for those who did not gather at Jerusalem within three days?
22. How was the weather when they gathered at Jerusalem?
23. To be rid of their sin, what did the people have to do?
24. How long did it take to get the matter straightened out?
25. The ones who had children by strange wives were (included or excluded) in the decree?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #33

by Aude McKee

Nehemiah 1 - 6

QUESTIONS:

1. Where was Nehemiah when he inquired about the Jews that had escaped and were in Jerusalem?
2. What answer did he receive?
3. What was Nehemiah's reaction?
4. What had God told Moses?
5. What did Nehemiah do for the king as part of his work?
6. In what year of the reign of Artaxerxes does this lesson begin?
7. What did Nehemiah do before he made his request to the king?
8. What was Nehemiah's request?
9. Who was unhappy that Nehemiah had arrived in Jerusalem?
10. What did Nehemiah do one night?
11. Who did not put their necks to the work of the Lord?
12. What was the first things Sanballat, Tobiah, and Geshem to hinder the work?
13. Was there any order in the way the work on the wall was carried out?
14. In chapter 3, what is said to *"go down from the city of David"*?
15. How did Tobiah make fun of the strength of the wall?
16. The all was built and joined together because the people had a mind to do what?
17. When Sanballat and the others saw that the work was successful, what did they determine to do?
18. When the people worked with one hand--what did they do with the other?
19. Where did the people go at night? What did they do about their cloths?
20. What problem arose in chapter 5?
21. How many ate at Nehemiah's table?
22. What did Nehemiah mean by saying he had not eaten the bread of the governor?
23. What suggestion did Sanballat and Geshem make regarding the plains of Ono?
24. After this what strategy did Sanballat use?
25. Would Nehemiah go into the temple to save his life?
26. How long did it take to finish the wall?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #34

by Aude McKee

Nehemiah 7 - 13

QUESTIONS:

1. What job was Hanani and Hananiah given?
2. What kind of information did the register contain that Nehemiah found?
3. What was the total number of Nethinims and the children of Solomon's servants?
4. What problem did the ones who went up from Telmelah, Telharesha, Cherub, Addon and Immer have?
5. Why were some put from the priesthood?
6. How many had returned from Jerusalem?
7. In what month did the people get settled in their cities?
8. List the ways in which the Old Testament law is referred to in chapter eight.
9. Who read the law to the people? On what did he stand?
10. When he opened the book, what did the people do?
11. What word describes *how* the law was read?
12. In what were the people to dwell during the feast of the seventh month?
13. How long had it been since this feast had been kept?
14. What occurred on the 8th day of the feast?
15. Who gave Abraham his name?
16. When was the holy sabbath made known to Israel?
17. What was given from Sinai as God spoke from heaven?
18. How long did God sustain Israel in the wilderness?
19. What happened to their clothes and feet in the wilderness?
20. What did Israel do to the prophets God sent to them?
21. What different things did God's people promise to do when the covenant was made and sealed?
22. What percentage of the people had to live in Jerusalem?
23. How many Levites lived in Jerusalem?
24. How is David described in chapter 12?
25. Was joy or sorrow expressed by the people when the walls were dedicated?
26. Who prepared a chamber for Tobiah? When?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #35

by Aude McKee

The Book of Esther

QUESTIONS:

1. Where was the seat of government for the kingdom of Ahasuerus?
2. Ahasuerus was another name for Xerxes, the father of Artaxerxes. So the events of this book would come before or after Nehemiah?
3. How long did the king's feast last?
4. Who was the wife of Ahasuerus? How did she displease him?
5. What effect did Memucan say her conduct would have on others?
6. How was a new queen selected for the king?
7. How had Mordecai gotten to Persia?
8. What relation were Esther and Mordecai?
9. What secret did Esther keep?
10. How do Bigthan and Teresh enter into the story?
11. How did the king learn of the plot?
12. Why did Haman and Mordecai not get along?
13. To get even with Mordecai, what did Haman determine to do?
14. What was Pur?
15. When was Haman's scheme to be carried out?
16. When did Mordecai and the Jews do when they heard of the decree?
17. What did Mordecai ask Esther to do to save the people?
18. Finish the statement: *"Who knoweth whether thou art...."*
19. What request did Esther make of the king the first time she went in?
20. Haman had a gallows built on which to hang what man?
21. What information did Ahasuerus learn due to his insomnia?
22. How was Mordecai honored?
23. Who attended the second banquet Esther prepared?
24. What information did Esther give Ahasuerus at this banquet?
25. What was done to Haman?
26. How was the former decree of Ahasuerus against the Jews voided?
27. What happened to Haman's ten sons?
28. What feast was instituted to honor the salvation of the Jews?

Lessons on the O.T. Books of History #36

by Aude McKee

Review

QUESTIONS:

1. What year did the kingdom (following Solomon's death) divide?
2. In what year did the kingdom of Israel come to an end?
3. In what year did Babylonia besiege Jerusalem?
4. How many years did God's people remain in Babylonian captivity?
5. What empire overthrew the Babylonians?
6. What man returned to Jerusalem to rebuild the temple?
7. Who was king when this occurred?
8. How many people returned with Zerubbabel?
9. Did the events of the book of Esther occur before or after Ezra's return to Jerusalem?
10. Under what Persian King did Ezra return?
11. What particular sin did Ezra correct?
12. What was Nehemiah's main purpose in returning to Jerusalem?
13. What did Nehemiah do one night after being in Jerusalem three days?
14. How long did it take to rebuild the walls?
15. List at least two reasons why the job was accomplished so quickly?
16. Was Sanballat friend or foe?
17. List the things their enemies did to try and stop the work?
18. The city of Jerusalem was large in area but what did it lack?
19. How was this remedied?
20. When did God make the sabbath known to Israel?
21. Is there any difference between "*the law*". "*the law of Moses*", "*the law of the Lord*", or "*the book of the law*"?
22. What is meant by the phrase, "*the language of Ashdod*"?
23. Identify: Ahasureus
 - Vashti
 - Esther
 - Haman
 - Mordecai
 - Bigthan and Teresh
 - Purim
24. For what might Vashti be commended?
25. What statement of Mordecai do you remember?