

Takehome

Take-Home Assignment: Exploring 2 Samuel 20

Dear Students,

Today, we will be reflecting on a story from the Bible, 2 Samuel 20. This story is about leadership, unity, and the consequences of rebellion.

Overview:

In this chapter, a man named Sheba, revolts against King David. He tries to convince the people of Israel to follow him instead. David sends his commander, Joab, to stop Sheba and restore peace. Through wise leadership and teamwork, Joab manages to deal with the situation effectively.

Activities and Questions:

1. Read Together:

With your family, read 2 Samuel 20 from a children's Bible if you have one. Alternatively, read a summary together.

2. Discuss:

- What did Sheba do, and why was it a problem?
- How did King David and Joab handle the situation?
- Why is it important for leaders to listen to advice and work with others?

3. Reflect:

On a piece of paper, draw a picture showing your favorite part of the story. Underneath, write one sentence explaining why you chose this scene.

4. Family Chat:

Talk with your family about a time when you worked together to solve a problem. How did teamwork help? How did you feel when the problem was solved?

5. Character Values:

- Discuss with your family why loyalty and teamwork are important.
- Write down three ways you can show loyalty to your family and friends.

6. Connect:

Think about how this story relates to your life. Is there a situation where you had to be a good team player or a leader in a group? Write a short paragraph about your experience.

7. Creative Writing:

Imagine you are Joab, and write a letter to King David explaining how you solved the problem with Sheba. What decisions did you make? Why were they important?

Have Fun and Learn:

Take turns sharing your thoughts, drawings, and writings with your family. Remember, stories from the Bible teach us important lessons about life and how we should treat others.

Thank you for participating, and enjoy your family discussions!

Sincerely,
[Your Teacher's Name]