



#### Introduction

David has finally emerged as king.

## Questions

- 1. How does David suggest that they can overcome the Jebusites in Jerusalem?
- 2. Why does David become a great king?
- 3. What signal does God give David, to show him when he should attack the Philistines the second time?



## Summary Points

- v 1 to 3 David is anointed king over all Israel at Hebron (see map)
- v 4 to 8 David takes the stronghold of Zion (part of Jerusalem see map) from the Jebusites who think their city is impregnable
- v 9 to 16 David establishes himself in Jerusalem and the LORD is with him. He takes more wives and has more sons
- v 17 to 25 David defeats the Philistines twice after asking God's advice (see theme)

Timeline 1050 BC (see below)



### **Theme / Information**

#### God is with his people

A selection of verses showing that God promises always to be with his people.

God promises to be with Abraham's son [Isaac] and his grandson [Jacob]:

Genesis 26 verse 3, 28 verse 15

God says he will be with Joshua as he was with Moses:

Joshua 1 verse 5

God says he was with David wherever he went. He has destroyed his enemies and made him great:

2 Samuel 7 verses 8 and 9

David asks that God will be with his son Solomon in building the temple:

1 Chronicles 22 verse 11

Jesus Christ promises that he and God will be with those who love him:

John 14 verse 23

Paul ends his letter to the Romans by asking that God may be with the early believers:

Romans 15 verse 33



#### Israel in the time of the kings

Map showing some places mentioned in the time of the kings of Israel including Hebron and Jerusalem. A question mark after a place name indicates that the exact location is not certain:



# Answers to questions

Verses which answer the questions:

Q 1: v 8, Q 2: v 10, Q 3: v 24



### **Bible timeline**

