



HAT DOES IT MEAN TO ME?

(Circle all correct answers in each question.)

With whom do you relate most in this story?

- ☐ A) David - I trust in God.
- ☐ B) Jonathan - I am a good friend.
- ☐ C) Saul - I am often jealous of others.
- ☐ D) The Israelites - I have forgotten God.

How would you describe Saul as a king and a father?

- ☐ A) Unpredictable.
- ☐ B) Selfish.
- ☐ C) Dependable.
- ☐ D) Kind.

What does this tell you about Saul's relationship with God?

- ☐ A) His faith was strong.
- ☐ B) He needed God's guidance.
- ☐ C) He relied on himself.
- ☐ D) He was far from God.

What danger was Jonathan in as a result of his friendship with David?

- ☐ A) He was endangering his life.
- ☐ B) He was endangering his future.
- ☐ C) He was endangering his relationship with his father.
- ☐ D) Other _____.

What do you look for in a friend?

- ☐ A) Similar interests.
- ☐ B) A good sense of humor.
- ☐ C) Good character.
- ☐ D) Unique abilities.

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- ☐ B) David's faith.
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- ☐ D) David's ancestry.

Why do you think Jonathan was willing to go against his father to help David?

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