

I. INTRODUCTION

Today we're going to measure a few things and see how tall they are.

II. PROGRESSION OF EVENTS



A. Slide 1 (1 Samuel 16:13-23; 17:1-3)

1. God chose David because David was a man after God's heart.
2. David played the harp at the palace when Saul felt sad.



B. Slide 2 (Bible Map)

1. The Philistines wanted to start a war with Israel.
2. Armies gathered on opposite mountains, and each would send one soldier to fight for them.



C. Slide 3 (1 Samuel 17:4-11)

1. The Philistine champion was a giant named Goliath.
2. Goliath came into the valley and shouted at the Israelites twice a day.
3. King Saul and the Israelite army were terrified by the threats of Goliath.

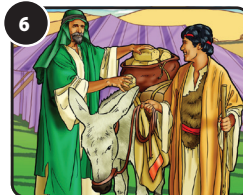


D. Slide 4 (Word Up!)

 To be bold is to stand up for what you know God says is right and true but to do it in a right way. When you are bold for God, He gets glory! [1 John 4:4b]



E. Slide 5



F. Slide 6 (1 Samuel 17:12-22)

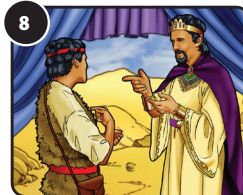
1. David's father sent him to take food and check on his brothers in the army camp.
2. David delivered the food and joined his brothers.



G. Slide 7 (1 Samuel 17:23-31)

1. Goliath challenged the Israelites.
2. David asked about Goliath.
3. David was angry as he heard his country and his God being threatened.

4. Eliab got angry at David.
5. King Saul heard of David and sent for him.



H. Slide 8 (1 Samuel 17:32-39)

1. David said he would fight Goliath.
2. David said God would deliver him from the Philistine.



I. **Slide 9** (Word Up!)

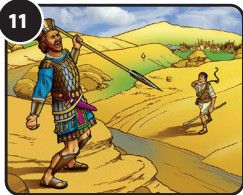


You can be bold for God
because of God's power.
[Ephesians 6:10]



J. **Slide 10**

David was bold because he
trusted in God.



K. **Slide 11** (1 Samuel 17:40-49)

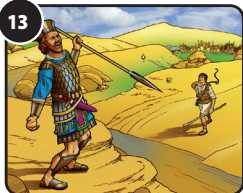
1. David and Goliath met each
other to fight.
2. David wanted all the Earth to
know the God of Israel.



L. **Slide 12** (Word Up!)



God's plan is that the whole
world would know that
He is the one true God.
[Colossians 1:13-14]



M. **Slide 13** (1 Samuel 17:40-49)

1. David took a stone and placed
it in his sling.
2. It sank deep into
Goliath's forehead.

III. **CLIMAX** (1 Samuel 17:50)

God won the victory through David
as the mighty Goliath crashed
to the ground.



B. **Slide 14** (Word Up!)



This week will you ask
God the Holy Spirit to help
you be bold for His glory?
[Ephesians 6:10]



Will you believe in Jesus as
your Savior today? [John 3:15]

IV. **CONCLUSION**

- A. The Philistines ran for their lives.