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[09_1SA_17_01 now the Philistines gathered together their armies to battle , And were gathered together at Shochoh , which \[belonged \] to Judah , And pitched between Shochoh And Azekah , in Ephesdammin .](#)

[09_1SA_17_02 And Saul And the men of Israel were gathered together , And pitched by the valley of Elah , And set the battle in array against the Philistines .](#)

[09_1SA_17_03 And the Philistines stood on A mountain on the one side , And Israel stood on A mountain on the other side : And \[there was \] A valley between them .](#)

[09_1SA_17_04 And there went out A champion out of the camp of the Philistines , named Goliath , of Gath , whose height \[was \] six cubits And A span .](#)

[09_1SA_17_05 And \[he had \] an helmet of brass upon his head , And he \[was \] armed with A coat of mail ; And the weight of the coat \[was \] five thousand shekels of brass .](#)

[09_1SA_17_06 And \[he had \] greaves of brass upon his legs , And A target of brass between his shoulders .](#)

[09_1SA_17_07 And the staff of his spear \[was \] like A weaver's beam ; And his spear's head \[weighed \] six hundred shekels of iron : And one bearing A shield went before him .](#)

[09_1SA_17_08 And he stood And cried unto the armies of Israel , And said unto them , why are ye come out to set \[your \] battle in array ? \[am \] not I A Philistine , And ye servants to Saul ? Choose you A man for you , And let him come down to me .](#)

[09_1SA_17_09 if he be able to fight with me , And to kill me , Then will we be your servants : but if I prevail against him , And kill him , Then shall ye be our servants , And serve us .](#)

[09_1SA_17_10 And the Philistine said , I defy the armies of Israel this day ; give me A man , that we may fight together .](#)

[09_1SA_17_11 when Saul And all Israel heard those words of the Philistine , they were dismayed , And greatly afraid .](#)

[09_1SA_17_12 now David \[was \] the son of that Ephrathite of Bethlehemjudah , whose name \[was \] Jesse ; And he had eight sons : And the man went among men \[for \] an old man in the days of Saul .](#)

[09_1SA_17_13 And the three eldest sons of Jesse went \[And \] followed Saul to the battle : And the names of his three sons that went to the battle \[were \] Eliab the firstborn , And next unto him Abinadab , And the third Shammah .](#)

[09_1SA_17_14 And David \[was \] the youngest : And the three eldest followed Saul .](#)

[09_1SA_17_15 but David went And returned from Saul to feed his father's sheep at Bethlehem .](#)

[09_1SA_17_16 And the Philistine drew near morning And evening , And presented himself forty days .](#)

[09_1SA_17_17 And Jesse said unto David his son , take now for thy brethren an Ephah of this parched \[corn \] , And These ten loaves , And run to the camp to thy brethren ;](#)

09_1SA_17_18 And carry These ten cheeses unto the captain of [their] thousand , And Look how thy brethren fare , And take their pledge .

09_1SA_17_19 now Saul , And they , And all the men of Israel , [were] in the valley of Elah , fighting with the Philistines .

09_1SA_17_20 And David rose up early in the morning , And left the sheep with A keeper , And took , And went , as Jesse had commanded him ; And he came to the trench , as the host was going forth to the fight , And shouted for the battle .

09_1SA_17_21 for Israel And the Philistines had put the battle in array , army against army .

09_1SA_17_22 And David left his carriage in the hand of the keeper of the carriage , And ran into the army , And came And saluted his brethren .

09_1SA_17_23 And as he talked with them , behold , there came up the champion , the Philistine of Gath , Goliath by name , out of the armies of the Philistines , And spake according to the same words : And David heard [them] .

09_1SA_17_24 And all the men of Israel , when they saw the man , fled from him , And were sore afraid .

09_1SA_17_25 And the men of Israel said , have ye seen this man that Is come up ? surely to defy Israel Is he come up : And it shall be , [that] the man who killeth him , the king will enrich him with great riches , And will give him his daughter , And make his father's house free in Israel .

09_1SA_17_26 And David spake to the men that stood by him , saying , what shall be done to the man that killeth this Philistine , And taketh away the reproach from Israel ? for who [Is] this uncircumcised Philistine , that he should defy the armies of the living God ?

09_1SA_17_27 And the people answered him after this manner , saying , So shall it be done to the man that killeth him .

09_1SA_17_28 And Eliab his eldest brother heard when he spake unto the men ; And Eliab's anger was kindled against David , And he said , why camest thou down hither ? And with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness ? I know thy pride , And the naughtiness of thine heart ; for thou art come down that thou mightest see the battle .

09_1SA_17_29 And David said , what have I now done ? [Is there] not A cause ?

09_1SA_17_30 And he turned from him toward another , And spake after the same manner : And the people answered him again after the former manner .

09_1SA_17_31 And when the words were heard which David spake , they rehearsed [them] before Saul : And he sent for him .

09_1SA_17_32 And David said to Saul , let no man's heart fail because of him ; thy servant will go And fight with this Philistine .

09_1SA_17_33 And Saul said to David , thou art not able to go against this Philistine to fight with him : for thou [art but] A youth , And he A man of war from his youth .

09_1SA_17_34 And David said unto Saul , thy servant kept his father's sheep , And there came A lion , And A bear , And took A lamb out of the flock :

09_1SA_17_35 And I went out after him , And smote him , And delivered [it] out of his mouth : And when

he arose against me , I caught [him] by his beard , And smote him , And slew him .

09_1SA_17_36 thy servant slew Both the lion And the bear : And this uncircumcised Philistine shall be as one of them , seeing he hath defied the armies of the living God .

09_1SA_17_37 David said moreover , the LORD that delivered me out of the paw of the lion , And out of the paw of the bear , he will deliver me out of the hand of this Philistine . And Saul said unto David , go , And the LORD be with thee .

09_1SA_17_38 And Saul armed David with his armour , And he put an helmet of brass upon his head ; also he armed him with A coat of mail .

09_1SA_17_39 And David girded his sword upon his armour , And he assayed to go ; for he had not proved [it] . And David said unto Saul , I cannot go with These ; for I have not proved [them] . And David put them off him .

09_1SA_17_40 And he took his staff in his hand , And chose him five smooth stones out of the brook , And put them in A shepherd's bag which he had , even in A scrip ; And his sling [was] in his hand : And he drew near to the Philistine .

09_1SA_17_41 And the Philistine came on And drew near unto David ; And the man that bare the shield [went] before him .

09_1SA_17_42 And when the Philistine looked about , And saw David , he disdained him : for he was [but] A youth , And ruddy , And of A fair countenance .

09_1SA_17_43 And the Philistine said unto David , [am] I A dog , that thou comest to me with staves ? And the Philistine Cursed David by his gods .

09_1SA_17_44 And the Philistine said to David , come to me , And I will give thy flesh unto the fowls of the air , And to the beasts of the field .

09_1SA_17_45 Then said David to the Philistine , thou comest to me with A sword , And with A spear , And with A shield : but I come to thee in the name of the LORD of hosts , the God of the armies of Israel , whom thou hast defied .

09_1SA_17_46 this day will the LORD deliver thee into mine hand ; And I will smite thee , And take thine head from thee ; And I will give the carcasses of the host of the Philistines this day unto the fowls of the air , And to the wild beasts of the earth ; that all the earth may know that there Is A God in Israel .

09_1SA_17_47 And all this assembly shall know that the LORD saveth not with sword And spear : for the battle [Is] the LORD's , And he will give you into our hands .

09_1SA_17_48 And it came to pass , when the Philistine arose , And came And drew nigh to meet David , that David hasted , And ran toward the army to meet the Philistine .

09_1SA_17_49 And David put his hand in his bag , And took thence A stone , And slang [it] , And smote the Philistine in his forehead , that the stone sunk into his forehead ; And he fell upon his face to the earth .

09_1SA_17_50 So David prevailed over the Philistine with A sling And with A stone , And smote the Philistine , And slew him ; but [there was] no sword in the hand of David .

09_1SA_17_51 therefore David ran , And stood upon the Philistine , And took his sword , And drew it out of the sheath thereof , And slew him , And cut off his head therewith . And when the Philistines saw their champion was dead , they fled .

09_1SA_17_52 And the men of Israel And of Judah arose , And shouted , And pursued the Philistines , until thou come to the valley , And to the gates of Ekron . And the wounded of the Philistines fell down by the way to Shaaraim , even unto Gath , And unto Ekron .

09_1SA_17_53 And the children of Israel returned from chasing after the Philistines , And they spoiled their tents .

09_1SA_17_54 And David took the head of the Philistine , And brought it to Jerusalem ; but he put his armour in his tent .

09_1SA_17_55 And when Saul saw David go forth against the Philistine , he said unto Abner , the captain of the host , Abner , whose son [Is] this youth ? And Abner said , [as] thy soul liveth , O king , I cannot tell .

09_1SA_17_56 And the king said , Inquire thou whose son the stripling [Is] .

09_1SA_17_57 And as David returned from the slaughter of the Philistine , Abner took him , And brought him before Saul with the head of the Philistine in his hand .

09_1SA_17_58 And Saul said to him , whose son [art] thou , [thou] young man ? And David answered , I [am] the son of thy servant Jesse the Bethlehemite .