



## Journeys of the Ark

### **This is what I know....from chapter 4**

The Philistines killed about \_\_\_\_\_ men of the army in the field (between Ebenezer and Aphek).

The \_\_\_\_\_ of Israel suggested bringing **the ark of the covenant of the LORD** from Shiloh that it might save them from the hand of their enemies.

So the people sent to \_\_\_\_\_ to bring from there **the ark of the covenant of the LORD of hosts, who dwells between the cherubim.**

The two sons of Eli, Hophni and Phinehas, were there (in Shiloh) with **the ark of the covenant of God.**

When **the ark of the covenant of the LORD** came into the camp, all Israel shouted so loudly that the \_\_\_\_\_ shook.

When the Philistines heard the \_\_\_\_\_ of the shout, they said, "What does this sound of this great shout in the camp of the Hebrews mean? Then they understood that **the ark of the LORD** had come into the camp. So the Philistines were \_\_\_\_\_ for they said, " \_\_\_\_\_ has come into the camp!"

....**the ark of God was captured;** and the \_\_\_\_\_ sons of Eli, Hophni and Phinehas died.

### **This is what I know from chapter 5**

The Philistines took **the ark of God** and brought it from Ebenezer to Ashdod. They brought it into the \_\_\_\_\_ of Dagon and set it by Dagon. (This didn't work out so good for Dagon.)

The \_\_\_\_\_ of the LORD was heavy on the people, and He ravaged them and struck them with tumors, both Ashdod and its territory. The men of Ashdod said **the ark of the God of Israel** must not remain with us, for His \_\_\_\_\_ is harsh toward us and Dagon our god.

They answered, "Let **the ark of the God of Israel** be carried away to \_\_\_\_\_."

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Therefore they sent **the ark of God** to Ekron.

The Ekronites cried out so they gathered together all the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Philistines.

They said "Send away **the ark of the God of Israel** and let it go back to its own place, so that it does not \_\_\_\_\_ us and our people."

### **This is what I know from chapter 6**

The **ark of the LORD** was in the country of the Philistines \_\_\_\_\_ months.

A \_\_\_\_\_ cart was made, two \_\_\_\_\_ cows which had never been yoked were hitched to the cart, their calves were taken away. **The ark of the LORD** was set on the cart. A \_\_\_\_\_ by its side had articles of gold returned as a trespass offering.

The cows headed straight for the \_\_\_\_\_ to Beth Shemesh. The lords of the Philistines went after them to the \_\_\_\_\_ of Beth Shemesh.

The people of Beth Shemesh were reaping their \_\_\_\_\_ harvest in the \_\_\_\_\_. They lifted their eyes and saw **the ark** and rejoiced to see it.

**The ark** came into the field of \_\_\_\_\_ of Beth Shemesh.

When the \_\_\_\_\_ lords of the Philistines had seen it, they returned to Ekron the same day.

He struck the men of Beth Shemesh, because they had looked into **the ark of the LORD**. He struck \_\_\_\_\_ men of the people.

The men of Beth Shemesh sent \_\_\_\_\_ to the inhabitants of Kirjath Jearim, saying, "The Philistines have brought back **the ark of the LORD**, come down and take it up with you."

#### **Summary**

Shiloh

Ebenezer

Ashdod

Gath

Ekron

Beth Shemesh

Kirjath Jearim