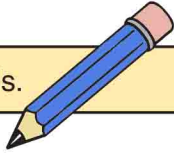


Samuel warned the Israelites, "You will cry out for relief from the king you have chosen, and the Lord will not answer you in that day." What happened next?

Find and circle the underlined words.



The people refused to listen to Samuel. "No!" they said. "We want a king over us. Then we will be like all the other nations, with a king to lead us and to go out before us and fight our battles."

When Samuel heard all that the people said, he repeated it before the Lord.

The Lord answered, "Listen to them and give them a king."

So all the people went to Gilgal and made Saul king in the presence of the Lord."

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Israel Asks for a King

The elders of Israel came to Samuel and said, "Appoint a king to lead us." This displeased Samuel, so he prayed to God. What did God tell him?

Find the hidden words in the picture, then write them in the correct blanks below by matching the shapes.



"It is not _____
 have _____, but _____
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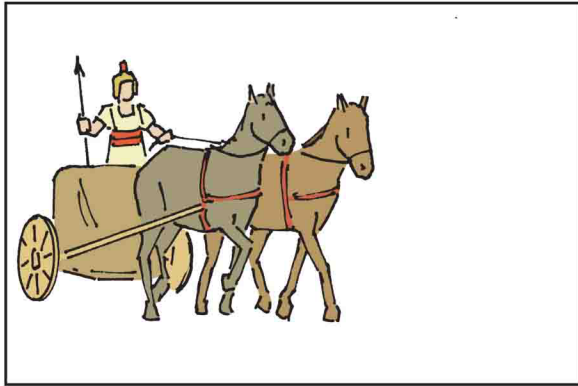
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God told Samuel, "Now listen to them; but warn them solemnly."

What were some of the warnings Samuel needed to give the Israelites about what their new king would do?

Complete the verses using the words from the list so that they describe the pictures. Some words may be used more than once.

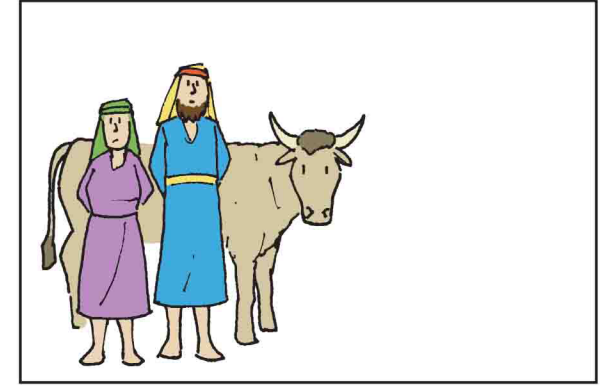
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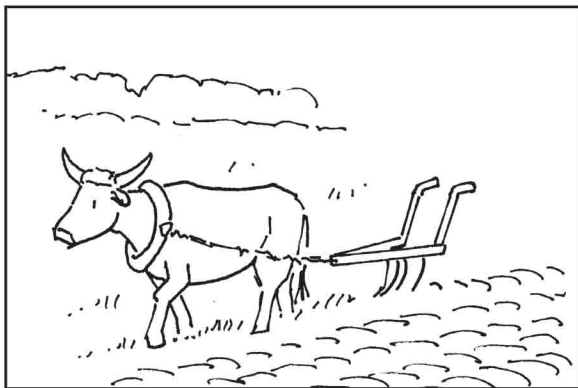
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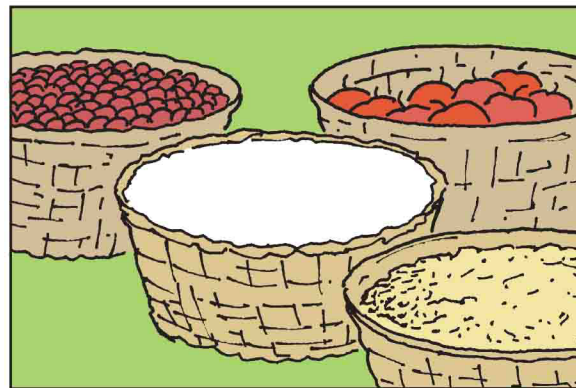
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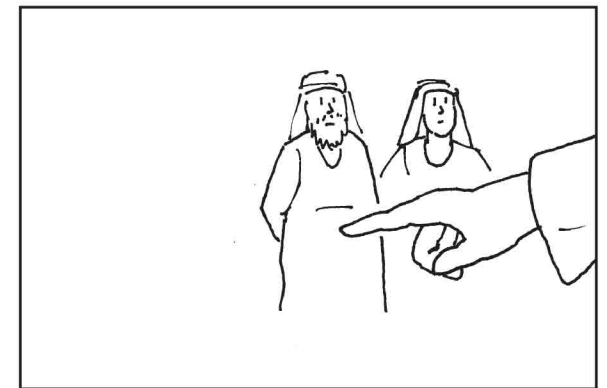
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"Some _____ will assign ... to _____ his ground and ea his ve."



"He will take the st of your el and _____ and _____ groves and iv them to his _____."



"You _____ will become his av."