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## Woman to Woman Bible Study



### ARE YOU RUNNING INTO TROUBLE? 2 SAMUEL 2

## In Review

š David has been  
living in exile in  
Ziklag

š Philistines burn  
down the city

š Saul and  
Jonathon are  
dead

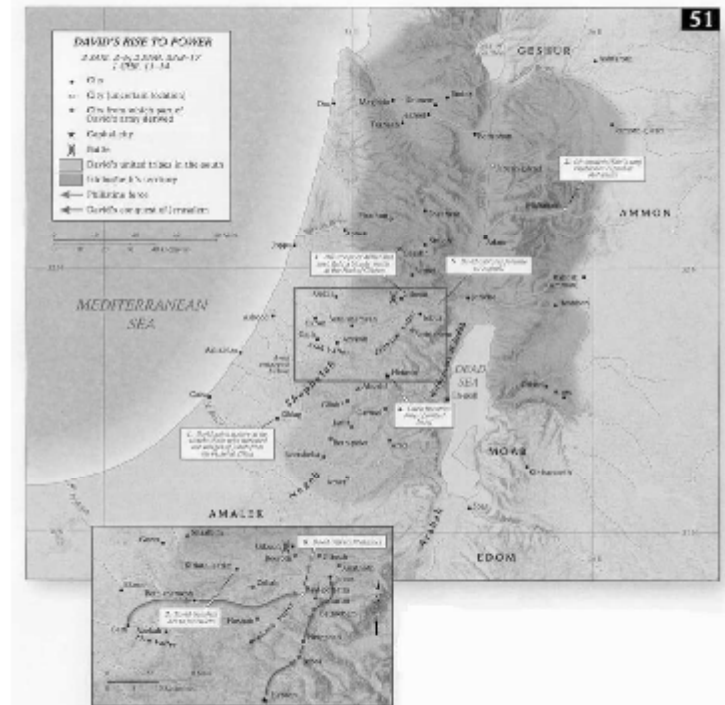




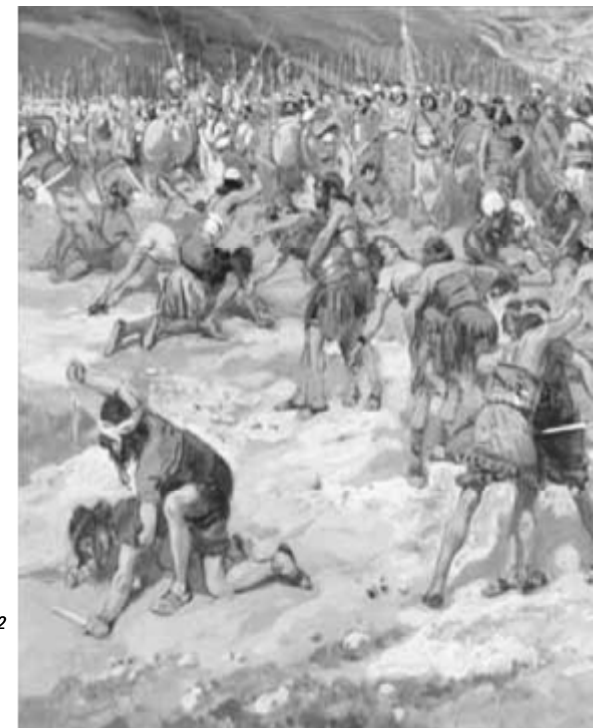
Diagram 6. The Pool of Gibeon—a great water-shaft sunk into the bedrock to reach the water table.



And Abner said to Joab, "Let the young men arise and compete before us." And Joab said, "Let them arise."

2 Samuel 2:14

painting by James J. Tissot, 1896-1902



Abner struck him  
in the stomach  
with the butt of his  
spear, so that the  
spear came out  
at his back.

2 Samuel 2:23

*painting by Johann Christoph Weigel,  
1695*



## Lessons

- § Am I seeking God's direction for my life?
  - § Scripture
  - § Godly counsel
  - § Guidance of the Holy Spirit/peace
- § Am I waiting for God to act?
  - § Don't get ahead of God
  - § Don't 'help' God along
  - § Don't try to hurry God's timing
- § Am I following Godly leaders?