



The Israelites Wanted a King

1 Samuel 8–10

Bible Story Summary:

Samuel made his two sons judges over God's people. Even though God promised to lead the Israelites, the leaders of Israel still wanted a king like the other nations. God chose a tall and impressive man named Saul to be the king of Israel.

Review Questions:

- Why did the Israelites want a king?
- Why were the people excited about Saul as king?