

# KIDS FOR YAH

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## *A man after Yahweh's own heart*

The latter half of Acts 13:22 says, "...I have found David son of Jesse a man after My own heart; he will do everything I want him to do." It is quite a compliment when Yahweh calls a person a "man after His own heart"! Have you ever wondered what prompted Yahweh to recognize David this way? While there were obviously many reasons, we can take a look at some of David's most noteworthy attributes.

One of the most noted was that David really loved Yahweh! No one ever questioned His deep devotion to his Heavenly Father. How about you? Is Yahweh at the top of your priorities? We should really follow David's example, as this is what is expected of everyone who claims to follow Yahweh.

David was also brave and strong. When he was just a very young man, he killed the giant Goliath, who had been a major obstacle to Saul's army. You too can slay giants in your life! Is there anything you are struggling with? Do you put off doing your homework to the last minute? Or is it talking back to your parents that you find to be the case? Whatever "giants" you are wrestling with, you can find victory if you put Yahweh first in your life, just as David did.

Another thing we find is that David was both obedient to Yahweh and repentant when he did something wrong. These are both very good attributes to have. So let us strive to become a people after Yahweh's own heart!

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*If you keep My commands, you will remain in My love, just as I have kept My Father's commands and remain in His love.*

*John 15:10 NIV*



## DO YOU KNOW?

1. What was noteworthy about David as a young man?

- A. He was obnoxious to his brothers.
- B. He killed the giant, Goliath.
- C. He was always poking fun at his siblings
- D. He was disobedient to his parents.

2. What attributes are correct about David?

- A. He was known for his strength and bravery.
- B. He was known for his sarcasm in the face of danger
- C. He was spoiled as a child.
- D. He enjoyed fighting.

3. What else was he known for?

- A. He was selfish.
- B. He was obedient and repentant.
- C. He felt that he was better than others.
- D. He was mean and petty.

4. Of all his attributes, what was the most important?

- A. He only thought of himself.
- B. He was jealous.
- C. He loved Yahweh most of all
- D. His own safety was his top priority.

5. How can we "slay giants" in our own lives?

- A. Seek Yahweh's help.
- B. Follow David's example.
- C. Make Yahweh our top priority.
- D. All of the above.



Answers: B, A, B, C, D

*King David, a man after Yahweh's own heart*

Find the words associated with King David in the box below.

**DEVOTED**    LOVING    **RESPECTFUL**    **TRUSTING**

**FAITHFUL**    OBEDIENT    **REVERENT**    **HUMBLE**

REPENTANT    **STRONG**

Y C M P F S T L R H D R T E G

H Q G N T S U E M W O E N A N

K P Y R L F P S G M P S E F I

X G O G H E P B C Y Y P I D V

C N F T N G K Y A Y J E D E O

G E I T N E R E V E R C E V L

H A A T R U S T I N G T B O S

F N E L B M U H P Z O F O T Y

T V V W U K B L L M W U A E V

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## What did they see?

Fill in the blanks with the names of persons who saw something special.



1. \_\_\_\_\_ saw Nathaniel under a fig tree (John 1:50).
2. \_\_\_\_\_ saw Yahshua standing at the right hand of Yahweh (Acts 7:55-60).
3. \_\_\_\_\_ saw Yahweh sitting upon a throne "high and lifted up" (Isaiah 6:1).
4. These three people saw something incredible in Mark 9:2: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ climbed a tree so that he could see Yahshua (Luke 19:1-5).
6. \_\_\_\_\_ saw the tree of knowledge was good to eat (Genesis 3:6).
7. \_\_\_\_\_ saw the Spirit of Yahweh descending like a dove (John 1:32).
8. \_\_\_\_\_ saw heaven opened and a vessel descending like a great sheet (Acts 10:9-11).
9. \_\_\_\_\_ saw the wounds in Yahshua's hands and side (John 20:29).
10. \_\_\_\_\_ said the multitudes want to see Yahshua because He fed them and they saw the miracles He performed (John 6:26).
11. \_\_\_\_\_ said, "I saw a man casting out demons and stopped him because he did not follow us" (Luke 9:49).