

Questions for 1 Samuel 12:1-25

1. A) What do these verses tell us about the character of Samuel? B) Why does Samuel want there to be witnesses of his character against them? (Verses 1-5)

2. A) What are some of the common themes in Israel's history that Samuel highlights in his speech? (Verses 6-12)

3. A) Were things going to change very much as far as God's spiritual expectations for Israel under a monarchy? B) What might be some similarities and differences? (Verses 13-15)

4. A) What was the significance of the sign that the Lord gave? B) Why were they given a sign? (Verses 16-18)

5. A) Why were the people afraid of dying? B) What is the message of hope that Samuel gives to Israel? (Verses 19-25)