

Questions for 1 Kings 6:1-38

1. A) How does this particular verse help us with dating many of the events of the Bible? B) Why is it important to harmonize historical data with the Bible? (Verse 1)

2. A) How large was the temple compared to the tabernacle? B) What were the chambers used for? C) What is significant about there not being any hammer or chisel heard in the temple while it was being built? (Verses 2-10)

3. A) What was the Lord's message to Solomon concerning the building of the temple? B) What is significant about the fact that message doesn't really address the building of the temple at all? (Verses 11-13)

4. A) What are the different materials that Solomon used to build the temple? B) What is the significance of these materials? C) How did the inside of the temple compare to the tabernacle design? (Verses 14-30)

5. A) What did Solomon use to build the outside of the temple and how did it compare with the tabernacle? B) How long did it take for the temple to be completed? (Verses 31-38)