

# 1 Samuel 13

Interlinear Bible — King James Version

Hebrew text with English translation and Strong's numbers

1 Saul reigned one year; and when he had reigned two years over Israel,

שָׁנָה	יָמִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים
one year	years	Saul	and when he had reigned	two	years
H1121	H8141	H7586	H4427	H8147	H8141

  

וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים
and when he had reigned	over Israel				
H4427	H3478				

2 Saul chose him three thousand men of Israel; whereof two thousand were with Saul in Michmash and in mount Beth-el, and a thousand were with Jonathan in Gibeah of Benjamin: and the rest of the people he sent every man to his tent.

וַיִּבְחַר	לְ	שָׁלוֹשׁ	אֲלָפִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים	וְשָׁנָה	יָמִים
chose		Saul	him three	and a thousand	men of Israel				
H977	H0	H7586	H7969	H505	H3478				H1961

  

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Saul	and a thousand	in Michmash	and in mount						
H7586	H505	H4363	H2022						

  

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and a thousand	were with Jonathan	in Gibeah	of Benjamin						
H505	H3129	H1390	H1144						

  

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and the rest	of the people	he sent	every man	to his tent					
H3499	H5971	H7971	H376	H168					

**3** And Jonathan smote the garrison of the Philistines that was in Geba, and the Philistines heard of it. And Saul blew the trumpet throughout all the land, saying, Let the Hebrews hear.

אָשׁ ר פִּלִּשְׁתִּים נָצַיב יָת יוֹנָתָן וַיִּכּוּ  
smote H5221 And Jonathan H3129 H853 the garrison H5333 and the Philistines H6430 H834  
 בְּשׁוֹפָר ר תָּקַע וְשָׁאוּל פִּלִּשְׁתִּים וְשָׁמְעוּ בְּגֵבָה  
that was in Geba H1387 hear H8085 and the Philistines H6430 of it And Saul H7586 blew H8628 the trumpet H7782  
 הָעִבְרִים: וְשָׁמְעוּ יֵאמֹר ר הָאָרֶץ כָּל  
H3605 throughout all the land H776 saying H559 hear H8085 Let the Hebrews H5680

**4** And all Israel heard say that Saul had smitten a garrison of the Philistines, and that Israel also was had in abomination with the Philistines. And the people were called together after Saul to Gilgal.

אֶת שָׂא וְל הִכָּה יֵאמֹר ר שָׁמְעוּ וְיִשְׂרָאֵל ל וְכָל  
H3605 And all Israel H3478 heard H8085 say H559 had smitten H5221 Saul H7586 H853  
 יִשְׂרָאֵל ל נִבְאָשׁ וְגַם בַּפִּלִּשְׁתִּים יִנָּצִיב  
a garrison H5333 of the Philistines H6430 H1571 also was had in abomination H887 And all Israel H3478  
 שָׂא וְל אַחֲרָי הָעָם וְצֻעְקוּ בַּפִּלִּשְׁתִּים  
of the Philistines H6430 were called together H6817 And the people H5971 after H310 Saul H7586  
 הַגִּלְגָּל:  
to Gilgal H1537

**5** And the Philistines gathered themselves together to fight with Israel, thirty thousand chariots, and six thousand horsemen, and people as the sand which is on the sea shore in multitude: and they came up, and pitched in Michmash, eastward from Beth-aven.

וּפְלִשְׁתֵּי יָם      נִאָּסְפוּ וְ      לְהִלָּחֵם      עִם      יִשְׂרָאֵל  
 And the Philistines      gathered themselves together      to fight      H5973      with Israel  
 H6430      H622      H3898      H3478  
 פָּרָשֵׁי יָם      אֲלָפִים      וְשֵׁשׁ שָׁתָר      כָּב      וְשֵׁשׁ שָׁתָר      אֲלָפִים      וְשֵׁשׁ שָׁתָר  
 thirty      thousand      chariots      and six      thousand      horsemen  
 H7970      H505      H7393      H8337      H505      H6571  
 לָרַב      הָיָה      שָׁפֹת      עַל      אֲשֶׁר      כַּחַם      וְעַם  
 and people      as the sand      H834      H5921      shore      which is on the sea      in multitude  
 H5971      H2344      H8193      H3220      H7230  
 אָּוֶן:      בְּ יֵת      קִדְמָה      תּ      בְּמִכְמָשׁ      וְנָחַן      וְעָלוּ  
 and they came up      and pitched      in Michmash      eastward      H0      from Bethaven  
 H5927      H2583      H4363      H6926      H1007

**6** When the men of Israel saw that they were in a strait, (for the people were distressed,) then the people did hide themselves in caves, and in thickets, and in rocks, and in high places, and in pits.

כִּי לֹא      צָר      כִּי יִרְאוּ      וּשְׂרָאֵל      וְאֵת יִשְׂרָאֵל  
 When the men      of Israel      saw      H3588      that they were in a strait      H0      H3588  
 H376      H3478      H7200      H6887  
 בְּמַעַר      וְתַחְבֵּא      וְהָעָם      נִגַּשׁ      וְהָעָם      וְהָעָם  
 were distressed      for the people      did hide      for the people      themselves in caves  
 H5065      H5971      H2244      H5971      H4631  
 וּבְבִקְרוֹת:      וּבְצִרְחָיִם      וּבְסֻלְעֵי יָם      וּבְתִּחְוִיִּים  
 H2336      and in rocks      and in high places      and in pits  
 H5553      H6877      H953

7 And some of the Hebrews went over Jordan to the land of Gad and Gilead. As for Saul, he was yet in Gilgal, and all the people followed him trembling.

וְגִלְעָד וְגַד אֶל־רֵץ הַיַּרְדֵּי | אֶת־עָבְרוֹ וְעֵבֶר יִם  
 And some of the Hebrews went over Jordan to the land of Gad and Gilead

חֲרָד וְהָעָם וְכָל בְּגִלְגָל לְ עוֹדְנוֹ וְשָׁאוּל  
 As for Saul he was yet in Gilgal and all the people him trembling

אֶחָדָיו:  
 followed

8 And he tarried seven days, according to the set time that Samuel had appointed: but Samuel came not to Gilgal; and the people were scattered from him.

אֲשֶׁר לְמוֹעֵד יָמֵי שִׁבְעַת וַיִּיחָל וְשָׁמוֹעַ לְ  
 And he tarried seven days according to the set time

הַגִּלְגָל לְ שָׁמוֹעַ לְ בָּא וְלֹא שָׁמוֹעַ לְ  
 had appointed but Samuel came had appointed but Samuel not to Gilgal

מִעֲלָיו: הָעָם וַיִּפְּץ  
 and the people were scattered

9 And Saul said, Bring hither a burnt offering to me, and peace offerings. And he offered the burnt offering.

וְהַשְׁלָמִים יָם הָעֹלָה: אֵלַי הֵגִשׁוּ שָׂא וְאָמַר  
 said And Saul Bring hither a burnt offering to me and peace offerings

וַיַּעַל הָעֹלָה:  
 And he offered a burnt offering

**10** And it came to pass, that as soon as he had made an end of offering the burnt offering, behold, Samuel came; and Saul went out to meet him, that he might salute him.

וַיְהִי י כָּל־לֵתוֹ לְהַעֲלֹת וֹת  
H1961 And it came to pass that as soon as he had made an end of offering  
H3615 H5927

שָׂא וּלְ וַיֵּצֵא אֶבְרָהָם שְׁמוֹעַ לִי וְהִנֵּה הָהָא הָעֹלָה הַבְּרִיטָה  
the burnt offering  
H5930 H2009 H8050 H935 H3318 H7586

לְבָרְכֻהוּ: לִקְרֹאת ו  
to meet  
H7125 H1288

**11** And Samuel said, What hast thou done? And Saul said, Because I saw that the people were scattered from me, and that thou camest not within the days appointed, and that the Philistines gathered themselves together at Michmash;

כִּי שָׂא וּלְ וַיֵּצֵא אֶבְרָהָם עָשָׂה יְתֵי מָה הָשְׁמוֹעַ לִי וַיֹּאמֶר  
said  
H559 H8050 H4100 H6213 H559 H7586 H3588

לֹא וְאַתָּה מְעַלִּי הָעָם הַנֶּפֶץ כִּי רָאִיתִי  
Because I saw  
H7200 H3588 H5310 H5971 H5921 H859 H3808

וּפְלִשְׁתֵּי יָם הֵמָּנָה יָמִים לְמוֹעֵד בְּ אֶת  
from me and that thou camest  
H935 H4150 H3117 H6430

מִכְמָשׁ: נֶאֱסַף יָם  
gathered themselves together  
H622 H4363

**12** Therefore said I, The Philistines will come down now upon me to Gilgal, and I have not made supplication unto the LORD: I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering.

הַגִּלְגָּל ל אֵלַי פְּלִשְׁתִּים יֵרֵד וְ עַתָּה וְאָמַר  
 Therefore said H559 H6258 will come down H3381 I The Philistines H6430 H413 now upon me to Gilgal H1537  
 וְאֶתְאַפֵּק חֵל יִתִּי ל אֵל יְהוָה וּפָנִי י  
 unto H6440 the LORD H3068 H3808 and I have not made supplication H2470 I forced H662  
 וְאֶעֱלֶה וְאָעַל הַ  
 myself therefore and offered H5927 a burnt offering H5930

**13** And Samuel said to Saul, Thou hast done foolishly: thou hast not kept the commandment of the LORD thy God, which he commanded thee: for now would the LORD have established thy kingdom upon Israel for ever.

ל א נִסַּכְתָּ לְפָנַי וְשָׂא וְל אֶל שְׁמוּאֵל ל וַיֹּאמֶר  
 said H559 And Samuel H8050 H413 to Saul H7586 Thou hast done foolishly H5528 H3808  
 אֲשֶׁר אֱלֹהֶיךָ יְהוָה הַמִּצְוֹת אֶת שְׁמִי רָחַק  
 thou hast not kept H8104 H853 the commandment H4687 of the LORD H3068 thy God H430 H834  
 אֶת יְהוָה הַיֵּחָזֵק עַתָּה כִּי צִוָּךְ  
 which he commanded H6680 H3588 H6258 have established H3559 of the LORD H3068 H853  
 עוֹלָם: עַד יִשְׂרָאֵל ל אֶל מִמְלַכְתְּךָ  
 thy kingdom H4467 H413 upon Israel H3478 for H5704 ever H5769

**14** But now thy kingdom shall not continue: the LORD hath sought him a man after his own heart, and the LORD hath commanded him to be captain over his people, because thou hast not kept that which the LORD commanded thee.

יְהוָה: בָּקַשׁ תֵּק וּמִלְכֻתְךָ לֹא יִשְׁמָוָה  
H6258 But now thy kingdom H3808 shall not continue H6965 hath sought H1245 and the LORD H3068  
 עַל לְנָגִיד יְהוָה: אָצַק אֶת יֵשׁ לְאִישׁ אַחֲרֵי לִבּוֹ  
H0 him a man H376 after his own heart H3824 commanded H6680 and the LORD H3068 him to be captain H5057 H5921  
 אָצַק אֶת שְׂמִי לֹא כִי עַמִּי  
H6680 commanded H853 H834 because thou hast not kept H8104 H3588 H3808 over his people H5971  
 יְהוָה:  
and the LORD H3068

**15** And Samuel arose, and gat him up from Gilgal unto Gibeah of Benjamin. And Saul numbered the people that were present with him, about six hundred men.

בְּנֵימִן גִּבְעָת הַגִּלְגָּל מִן וַיַּעַל וַיִּשְׁמָוָה לְוִיקָם  
arose H6965 And Samuel H8050 and gat him up H5927 H4480 from Gilgal H1537 unto Gibeah H1390 of Benjamin H1144  
 עַמִּי הַנִּמְצָא יְהוָה: אֶת שְׂאֵל וַיִּפְקֵד  
H5973 that were present H4672 H5971 the people H5971 And Saul H7586 numbered H6485  
 אִישׁ: יָמָא וְשֵׁשׁ  
men H376 hundred H3967 with him about six H8337

**16** And Saul, and Jonathan his son, and the people that were present with them, abode in Gibeah of Benjamin: but the Philistines encamped in Michmash.

עַם הַנִּמְצָא וְהָעָם בֶּן וְיֹנָתָן וְשָׁאֻל  
 And Saul and Jonathan his son and the people that were present with them  
 H7586 H3129 H1121 H5971 H4672 H5973  
 בְּמִכְמָשׁ: חָנּוּ וּפְלִשְׁתֵּי יָם בְּנֵימָן בֶּגֶב בְּעִי, יָשְׁבוּ יָם  
 in Michmash encamped but the Philistines of Benjamin in Gibeah with them abode  
 H4363 H2583 H6430 H1144 H1387 H3427

**17** And the spoilers came out of the camp of the Philistines in three companies: one company turned unto the way that leadeth to Ophrah, unto the land of Shual:

קָרְאוּ אִישׁ שְׁלֹשׁ הַפְּלִשְׁתִּים מִמַּחֲנֵה הַמִּשְׁחָה יָצָא  
 came out And the spoilers of the camp of the Philistines in three companies  
 H3318 H7843 H4264 H6430 H7969 H7218  
 אֶל עֶפְרָה הַדֶּרֶךְ אֶל יָפְנֵי הָאֶמְדָּה קָרְאוּ אִישׁ  
 companies one turned unto the way that leadeth to Ophrah  
 H7218 H259 H6437 H413 H1870 H6084 H413  
 שׁוּעַל: אֶרֶץ  
 unto the land of Shual  
 H776 H777

**18** And another company turned the way to Beth-horon: and another company turned to the way of the border that looketh to the valley of Zeboim toward the wilderness.

וְקָרְאוּ אִישׁ חֶרֶם וְיָתִיד דֶּרֶךְ יָפְנֵה וְאֶמְדָּה ד וְקָרְאוּ אִישׁ  
 company And another turned the way to Bethhoron company  
 H7218 H259 H6437 H1870 H0 H1032 H7218  
 גַּי עַל הַנִּשְׁקָף הַגֶּב וְלִדֶּרֶךְ יָפְנֵה וְאֶמְדָּה  
 And another turned the way of the border that looketh to the valley  
 H259 H6437 H1870 H1366 H8259 H5921 H1516  
 הַמִּדְבָּרָה: הַצִּבְעִי יָם  
 of Zeboim toward the wilderness  
 H6650 H4057



**19** Now there was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears:

אֶרֶץ כָּל יִמְצָא לֹא וְחָרֹשׁ  
 Now there was no smith H2796 H3808 found H4672 H3605 throughout all the land H776  
 הָעִבְרִים יַעֲשׂוּ פֶּן יַפְלִשׁוּ יָם אָמַר כִּי וְיִשְׂרָאֵל ל  
 of Israel H3478 H3588 said H559 for the Philistines H6430 H6435 make H6213 Lest the Hebrews H5680  
 חֲנִיתִּי: אֹרֶךְ רַב  
 them swords H2719 H176 or spears H2595

**20** But all the Israelites went down to the Philistines, to sharpen every man his share, and his coulter, and his axe, and his mattock.

אִישׁ לְלָטֹשׁ הַפְּלִשְׁתִּים וְיִשְׂרָאֵל לְכָל יוֹדָד ו  
 went down H3381 H3605 But all the Israelites H3478 to the Philistines H6430 to sharpen H3913 every man H376  
 וְיָאֵת קֶרְדֶּמ וְאֵת אֹתוֹ וְאֵת מַחְבֶּשֶׁת וְאֵת  
 H853 H853 H853 H853 H853 H853  
 his share H4282 and his coulter H855 and his axe H7134  
 מַחְבֶּשֶׁתוֹ:  
 and his mattock H4281

**21** Yet they had a file for the mattocks, and for the coulters, and for the forks, and for the axes, and to sharpen the goads.

וְלֵאֵת יָם לְמַחֲרֹשֶׁת פֶּן יָם הַפֶּצַּץ יָכָה וְהִיָּתָה  
 H1961 Yet they had a file H6477 H6310 for the mattocks H4281 and for the coulters H855  
 הַדֶּרֶבֶן: וְלִהְצִיב וְלִהְקַדֵּם יָם קִלְשׁ וְלִשְׁלֹשׁ  
 and for the forks H7969 H7053 and for the axes H7134 and to sharpen H5324 the goads H1861

**22** So it came to pass in the day of battle, that there was neither sword nor spear found in the hand of any of the people that were with Saul and Jonathan: but with Saul and with Jonathan his son was there found.

וַתִּמָּצֵא אֵל אֶמְלֶךְ מָת **found** H4672  
 בְּיוֹם הַיּוֹם **So it came to pass in the day** H3117  
 וְהָיָה **of battle** H4421  
 אֶשׁ רַחֲמָם **of any of the people** H5971  
 כָּל בְּיַד **in the hand** H3027  
 וְהָיָה **nor spear** H2595  
 חָבֶרֶב **that there was neither sword** H2719  
 וְלִיֹּנָתָהּ **and Jonathan** H3129  
 וְלִיֹּנָתָהּ **found** H4672  
 וְלִיֹּנָתָהּ **but with Saul** H7586  
 וְלִיֹּנָתָהּ **but with Saul** H7586  
 וְלִיֹּנָתָהּ **and Jonathan** H3129  
 וְלִיֹּנָתָהּ **his son** H1121

**23** And the garrison of the Philistines went out to the passage of Michmash.

מִכְמָשׁ: **of Michmash** H4363  
 מַעְבַּר **to the passage** H4569  
 אֶל **of the Philistines** H6430  
 פְּלִשְׁתִּים **And the garrison** H4673  
 מִצָּב **went out** H3318  
 וַיֵּצֵא