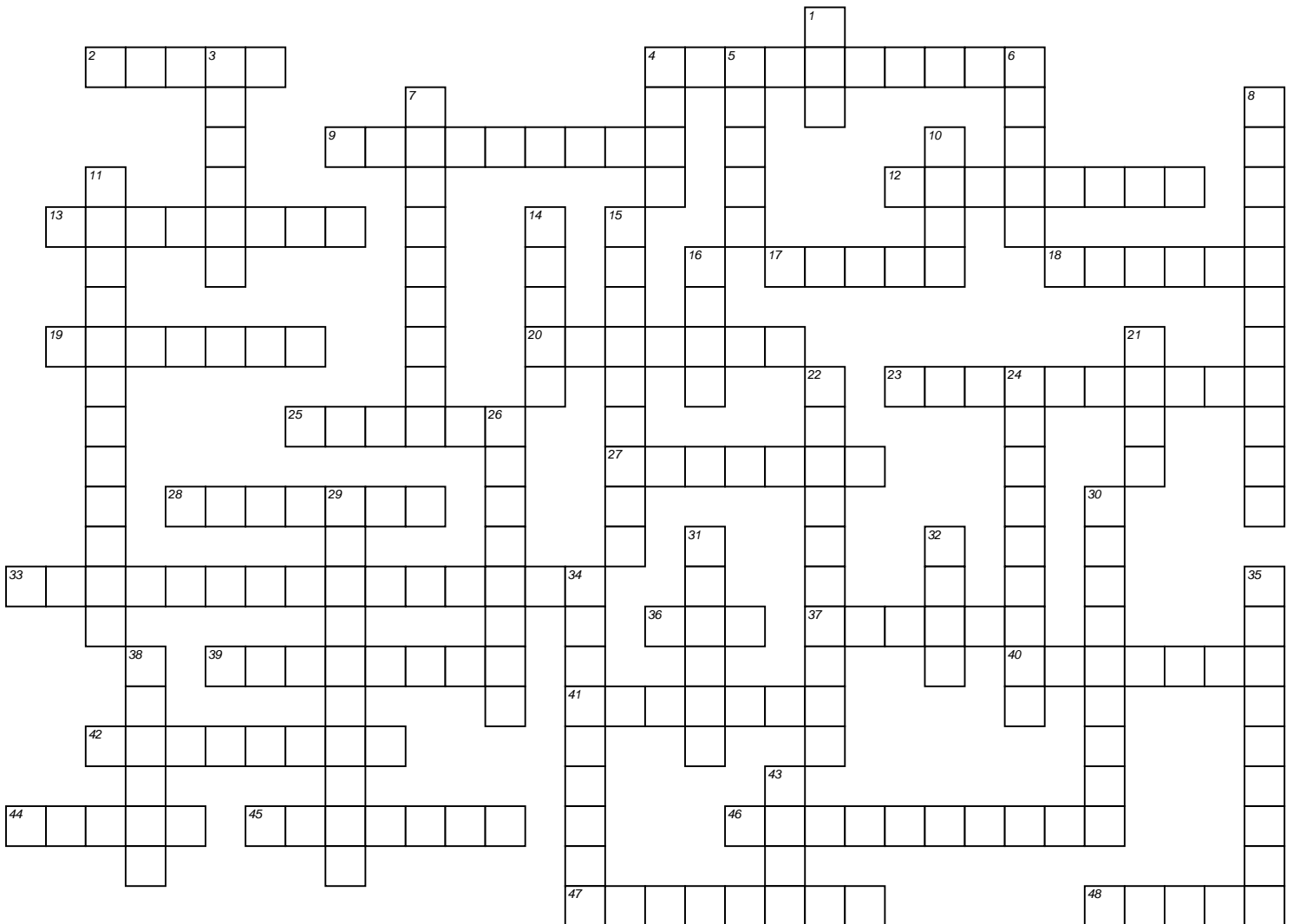# 1 Samuel 22

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ANSWER: seektheoldpaths.com/puzzles/1Sam22.pdf   (2w = 2 words, etc.) *

ACROSS

2 Ahimelech had given David __

4 Saul heard that David was __ (had been found)

9 Doeg slew (killed) __ and five priests

12 David was Saul's __ (3w)

13 Ahimelech the priest gave David __

17 Nob, the city of priests, was smitten by Doeg with the edge of a __

18 David went from Adullam to __ of Moab

19 The king said to the __ (guard), "Turn and slay the priests of the Lord"

20 David departed from Achish, the king of Gath, and escaped to this cave

23 David told Abiathar that he (David) had __ (innocently) the death of all the house of Ahimelech

25 David departed Mizpeh and came into the forest of __

27 Ahimelech said he knew __ about the matter between Saul and David

28 David's brethren and all his father's house went down __ to Adullam

33 Saul said to his servants, "Will the son of Jesse give every one of you __ and __" (2w)

36 The prophet __ told David, "Abide not in the hold" (stronghold)

37 Ahimelech the priest said, "let not the king __ anything unto his servant"

39 Ahimelech had __ of God for David

40 David became a __ over them that came to him in Adullam

41 Ahimelech told Saul, "Did I then begin to __ of God" for David

42 __, the son of Ahimelech, escaped being killed by Doeg

44 Saul, under a tree in Ramah, had his __ in his hand

45 Ahimelech the priest gave David the sword of __

46 85 priests were killed that wore a __ (2w)

47 Every one that was in __ gathered unto David

48 Abiathar escaped being killed (by the order of Saul) and ran to __

DOWN

1 The priests that were in __ came to king Saul

3 Ahimelech the priest was the son of __

4 The Edomite which was set over the servants of Saul

5 Saul said "none of you...is __ for me"

6 Ahimelech asked Saul, "Who is so faithful among all thy servants as __"

7 Saul said to Ahimelech, "Thou shalt __ " (2w)

8 There were with David __ men at Adullam (2w)

10 Ahimelech the priest answered Saul, "Here I am my __"

11 Every one that was in debt and everyone that was __, gathered unto David

14 Gad the prophet told David to go into the land of __

15 Saul said to his servants, "Will the son of Jesse... make you all captains of __"

16 "Doeg the Edomite turned and __ (killed) upon the priests"

21 David brought his father and mother to the king of __

22 Saul said unto his servants, "Hear now ye __"

24 Doeg said he saw David coming to Nob to __

26 Saul said to his servants, "Will the son of Jesse... make you all captains of __"

29 Ahimelech reminded Saul that David was __ "in thine house"

30 Saul said his servants had __ against him

31 Saul said that none had shown him that his son had made a __ with the son of Jesse

32 Abiathar showed David that __ had killed the Lord's priests in Nob

34 David told Abiathar, "with me thou shalt be in __"

35 Saul asked Ahimelech, "Why have you __ against me

38 Saul abode in __ under a tree in Ramah

43 David told Abiathar, "abide thou with me, fear not; for he that seeketh my __, seeketh thy life"

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Solution:

A crossword puzzle grid containing the following filled-in answers:

- BREAD
- DISCOVERED
- FOURSCORE
- SONINLAW
- VICTUALS
- SWORD
- MIZPEH
- FOOTMEN
- ADULLAM
- OCCASIONED
- HARETH
- NOTHING
- THITHER
- FIELDSVINEYARDS
- GAD
- IMPUTE
- ENQUIRED
- CAPTAIN
- ENQUIRE
- ABIATHAR
- SPEAR
- GOLIATH
- LINENEPHOD
- DISTRESS
- DAVID

Down answers visible in the grid include: NOB, SORRY, DOORKEEPER, DAVID, FOUR, HUNDRED, CONSPIRE, SHITTITUB, DISCONTENTED, RELYLY, JUDADIUND, THOUSANDS, FELLED, BENEJAMIM, LORD, AHIMELECH, MOAB, CONS, SAUL, GIBEAH, GROREAB, DISTRESS, SHEPHELD, GUARDFLF, LEAGUE