

The Ark Was Captured

1 Samuel 4–6

Story Point: God showed the Philistines that He is the one true God.

Big Picture Question: Is anything or anyone greater than God? No, God is greater than everything and everyone.

Christ Connection: The ark of God reminded the Israelites that God was with them. Years later, God gave His people something greater than a sign that He was with them; God gave them His Son Jesus—God in the flesh. One of Jesus' names is *Immanuel*, which means “God with us.”

Key Passage: Jeremiah 10:6