

THE PROBLEMS WITH HAVING A KING / *1 Samuel 8:11-17*

Problems (warned by Samuel)	Reference	Fulfillment
Drafting young men into the army	8:11-12 . . .	14:52—"So whenever Saul saw a young man who was brave and strong, he drafted him into his army."
Having the young men "run before his chariots"	8:11	2 Samuel 15:1—"Absalom bought a chariot and horses, and he hired fifty footmen to run ahead of him."
Making slave laborers	8:12, 17 . . .	2 Chronicles 2:17-18—Solomon assigned laborers to build the Temple.
Taking the best fields and vineyards	8:14	1 Kings 21:5-16—Jezebel stole Naboth's vineyard.
Using property for his personal gain	8:14-16 . . .	1 Kings 9:10-14—Solomon gave away 20 cities to Hiram of Tyre.
Demanding a tenth of the harvest and flocks	8:15, 17 . . .	1 Kings 12:1-16—Rehoboam demanded heavier taxation than Solomon.