

6. Then one day Ishbosheth and General Abner have a big quarrel.
  - i. Abner is accused by Ishbosheth of trying to take over the kingship because he slept with Saul's concubine.
  - ii. Abner says, "I am going to turn all the tribes over to David."
  - iii. And so he persuades the tribes that they should go under David's leadership and then he goes down to Hebron and makes an agreement with David that all the tribes will be under the sole kingship of David.
7. When ~~he~~ Abner leaves, General Joab finds out that he has been there and General Joab kills him.
8. When that happens, it could have thrown a monkey wrench into everything, but David mourned publicly for Abner and convinced all the people that he had nothing to do with it and they believed him.
9. After that, we are told that Ishbosheth was killed by two Benjamites.
10. And David killed them for it.
11. The the elders of all the tribes come down to Hebron and they meet David and make a covenant that David will be ~~there~~ <sup>their</sup> king and they anoint David as king.
  - i. Right here is where David becomes ~~king~~ <sup>king</sup> of all Israel.
  - ii. David had been king of Hebron and Judah for 7 years.
12. As soon as he becomes king, he decides to conquer Jerusalem.
  - i. Jerusalem is still held by the Jebusites.
  - ii. When David went up there, the Jebusites boasted, "The blind and the lame could defend this place. There's no way anybody can get in."
  - iii. But David got in and conquered it.
  - iv. He fortified ~~the~~ Jerusalem.
13. The king of Tyre heard that David was now king of all Israel and he built a palace for David right in Jerusalem.
14. After this, David decided that he wanted to bring the ark of the Lord to Jerusalem.
  - i. It had been at Kirjathjearim in the house of Abinidab for 20 years.
  - ii. That was actually in the will of the Lord.
  - iii. They have a big procession to bring the ark up.
  - iv. Then they come to the threshing floor of Nachon.
  - v. The oxen stumble and it looks like the ark might fall out of the cart.