

Jonathan in the books of Samuel

1 SAMUEL

- 13.2-3: Jonathan leads a thousand men successfully against the Philistines
- 14.1-15: Jonathan and his “young man” successfully battle the Philistines at Michmash Pass
- 14.24-46: Saul almost has Jonathan killed over the “honey incident”; the people side with Jonathan
- 18.1-4: Jonathan makes a covenant with David, giving him his official regalia, loving him as his own life
- 19.1-7: Jonathan warns David that Saul is trying to kill him
- 20.1-42: Jonathan again protects David from Saul’s murderous intention, swears his “love” for David and makes a second covenant with him; Saul turns against Jonathan, accusing him of betrayal
- 23.16-18: Jonathan tells David not to fear Saul, and they make a third covenant (but only here do they do it “together”)
- 31.2: Jonathan is killed in battle by the Philistines

2 SAMUEL

- 1.4-27: David learns of Jonathan’s death and sings a song of lament for him and for Saul.