

# Gath in 1-2 Samuel

## 1 Samuel

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| 5.8      | So they sent and gathered together all the lords of the Philistines, and said, "What shall we do with the ark of the God of Israel?" The inhabitants of <b>Gath</b> replied, "Let the ark of God be moved on to us." So <u>they moved the ark of the God of Israel to <b>Gath</b>.</u>        |
| 6.17     | These are the <u>gold tumors</u> , which the Philistines returned as a guilt offering to YHWH: one for Ashdod, one for Gaza, one for Ashkelon, one for <b>Gath</b> , one for Ekron;                                                                                                           |
| 7.14     | The <u>towns that the Philistines had taken from Israel were restored to Israel</u> , from Ekron to <b>Gath</b> ; and Israel recovered their territory from the hand of the Philistines.                                                                                                      |
| 17.23    | <u>the champion, the Philistine of <b>Gath</b>, Goliath by name</u> , came up out of the ranks of the Philistines, and spoke the same words as before.                                                                                                                                        |
| 17.52    | The troops of Israel and Judah rose up with a shout <u>and pursued the Philistines as far as <b>Gath</b></u> and the gates of Ekron, so that the wounded Philistines fell on the way from Shaaraim as far as <b>Gath</b> and Ekron.                                                           |
| 21.11-12 | The servants of Achish said to him, "Is this not David the king of the land? Did they not sing to one another of him in dances, 'Saul has killed his thousands, and David his ten thousands'?" David took these words to heart and was very much <u>afraid of King Achish of <b>Gath</b>.</u> |
| 27.2, 4  | So <u>David set out and went over, he and the six hundred men who were with him</u> , to King Achish son of Maoch of <b>Gath</b> .... When Saul was told that David had fled to <b>Gath</b> , he no longer sought for him.                                                                    |

## 2 Samuel

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| 1.20     | <u>Tell it not in <b>Gath</b></u> , proclaim it not in the streets of Ashkelon; or the daughters of the Philistines will rejoice, the daughters of the uncircumcised will exult.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 15.18    | All his officials passed by him; and all the Cherethites, and all the Pelethites, and all the six hundred Gittites who had gone by foot with him from <b>Gath</b> , passed on before the king.                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 21.20-22 | There was again <u>war at <b>Gath</b></u> , where there was a man of great size, who had six fingers on each hand, and six toes on each foot, twenty-four in number; he too was descended from the giants. When he taunted Israel, Jonathan son of David's brother Shimei, killed him. These four were descended from <u>the giants in <b>Gath</b></u> ; they <u>fell by the hands of David and his servants</u> . |