

# Bathsheba Bible Quiz

10 King James Version trivia questions • Difficulty: Medium

Ten KJV questions on Bathsheba — from the rooftop to the throne, from sorrow to Solomon's wisdom.

## Questions

**Q1.** Who was Bathsheba's husband before David?

- A. Joab
- B. Uriah the Hittite
- C. Nathan
- D. Abner

**Q2.** What was Bathsheba doing when David first saw her?

- A. Washing herself
- B. Praying at the temple
- C. Walking in the garden
- D. Offering sacrifice

**Q3.** What happened to the child born of David and Bathsheba's first union?

- A. He became a prophet
- B. He died after seven days
- C. He was sent away
- D. He became king

**Q4.** What was the name of the son Bathsheba bore after the first child's death?

- A. Absalom
- B. Solomon
- C. Nathan
- D. Shammua

**Q5.** Who comforted Bathsheba after her first child's death?

- A. Nathan the prophet
- B. David
- C. Her mother
- D. The women of Jerusalem

**Q6.** What did Nathan the prophet call Bathsheba when he confronted David?

- A. The lamb of the poor man
- B. The ewe lamb
- C. The lost sheep
- D. The precious vessel

**Q7.** In 1 Kings, what did Bathsheba remind David of concerning Solomon?

- A. That Solomon was his firstborn
- B. That he had sworn to make Solomon king
- C. That Solomon had built an altar
- D. That Adonijah feared Solomon

**Q8.** Who else went with Bathsheba to speak to King David about Solomon's succession?

- A. Zadok the priest
- B. Nathan the prophet
- C. Benaiah
- D. Abiathar

**Q9.** In Matthew's genealogy, Bathsheba is called the wife of whom?

- A. David
- B. Uriah
- C. Solomon
- D. Nathan

**Q10.** What did Adonijah ask Bathsheba to request from Solomon?

- A. The throne
- B. Abishag the Shunammite for a wife
- C. Wealth
- D. A position as priest

## Answer Key & Explanations

**Q1. Who was Bathsheba's husband before David?**

**Answer: B. Uriah the Hittite**

2 Samuel 11:3 (KJV) — The woman was 'Bathsheba, the daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite.' (2 Samuel 11:3, KJV)

**Q2. What was Bathsheba doing when David first saw her?**

**Answer: A. Washing herself**

2 Samuel 11:2 (KJV) — David 'saw a woman washing herself; and the woman was very beautiful to look upon.' (2 Samuel 11:2, KJV)

**Q3. What happened to the child born of David and Bathsheba's first union?**

**Answer: B. He died after seven days**

2 Samuel 12:18 (KJV) — The LORD struck the child, and 'it came to pass on the seventh day, that the child died.' (2 Samuel 12:18, KJV)

**Q4. What was the name of the son Bathsheba bore after the first child's death?**

**Answer: B. Solomon**

2 Samuel 12:24 (KJV) — 'She bare a son, and he called his name Solomon: and the LORD loved him.' (2 Samuel 12:24, KJV)

**Q5. Who comforted Bathsheba after her first child's death?**

**Answer: B. David**

2 Samuel 12:24 (KJV) — 'And David comforted Bathsheba his wife.' (2 Samuel 12:24, KJV)

**Q6. What did Nathan the prophet call Bathsheba when he confronted David?**

**Answer: B. The ewe lamb**

2 Samuel 12:3 (KJV) — Nathan's parable described the poor man's lamb as 'his own meat, and drank of his own cup, and lay in his bosom.' (2 Samuel 12:3, KJV)

**Q7. In 1 Kings, what did Bathsheba remind David of concerning Solomon?**

**Answer: B. That he had sworn to make Solomon king**

1 Kings 1:17 (KJV) — Bathsheba said, 'My lord, thou swarest by the LORD thy God unto thine handmaid, saying, Assuredly Solomon thy son shall reign after me.' (1 Kings 1:17, KJV)

**Q8. Who else went with Bathsheba to speak to King David about Solomon's succession?**

**Answer: B. Nathan the prophet**

1 Kings 1:11-14 (KJV) — Nathan instructed Bathsheba to speak, then he would enter and confirm her words. (1 Kings 1:14, KJV)

**Q9. In Matthew's genealogy, Bathsheba is called the wife of whom?**

**Answer: B. Uriah**

Matthew 1:6 (KJV) — 'And David the king begat Solomon of her that had been the wife of Urias.' (Matthew 1:6, KJV)

**Q10. What did Adonijah ask Bathsheba to request from Solomon?**

**Answer: B. Abishag the Shunammite for a wife**

1 Kings 2:17 (KJV) — Adonijah asked Bathsheba to 'speak for him unto king Solomon, that he give him Abishag the Shunammite to wife.' (1 Kings 2:17, KJV)

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