APPENDIX

The King
Cooking over a fire
Cooking in Bible times
The shepherd took care of sheep. Jesus was called the Good Shepherd. The shepherd in Bible times needed a staff and a rod. These things helped him protect the sheep.
The harp and sling

The harp was a musical instrument that had strings that you played with your fingers.

The sling was made of leather and was used to throw stones.
Eating in Bible times
Royal clothes were made out of silk or velvet. They had beautiful borders and sometimes were adorned with jewels.
The Scriptures are the Bible. In Bible times the word of God was written on scrolls.

The sword was a weapon of war. The Bible says that the Bible is like a sword in our war against Satan.
In Bible times the priest indicated who the new king would be by anointing him with oil (over his head). Samuel anointed David many years before David came to the throne.

Today, sometimes pastors use oil to anoint people who are sick, but instead of pouring it over their head, they might put some on their finger and draw a cross on the sick person’s forehead with the oil. In some churches they anoint those who will serve as elders or pastors.

The ark of God
A box made of gold where Moses and the high priests believed the presence of God to be, while the Israelites traveled in the desert. The ark was kept in the Holy of Holies in the Tabernacle and also in the Temple that Solomon built. The high priest entered the Holy of Holies once a year to be in the presence of God and to make sacrifices on behalf of the people for their sins. When Jesus Christ died, He became the high priest, who entered the presence of God and opened a way for us to come to God. We can enter God’s presence, through prayer, any moment of the day or night.
Carrying the Ark

When the people of Israel traveled, the priests carried the ark of God on their shoulders. They covered it with a blue cloth and no one could touch it.
The cave

A hole in the mountain. There were many caves in Bible times where people lived or used to hide.
In Bible times the soldiers had to protect the people from their enemies. Sometimes there were wars and they fought against the soldiers of their enemies.
The camp

When the soldiers were at war, they had to live in camps and sleep in tents.
Other tools

This was a recipient they would use to put liquids in. It was made out of goat’s skin.

The bow and arrow was a weapon used to shoot arrows.