

## **SAMUEL 1 – CHAPTER 5 (NOTES)**

**Q1. Where did the Philistines take the Ark of the Covenant?**

**Ans:** The Philistines took the Ark to their city of Ashdod.

**Q2. In whose house did they place the Ark?**

**Ans:** They placed the Ark in the house of their God, Dagon.

**Q3. What happened to the statue of Dagon?**

**Ans:** On the first day, they found Dagon fallen on its face before the Ark. On the second day, it was found fallen again, and this time Dagon's head and both its hands were severed from its body and lying on the threshold.

**Q4. What happened to the people of Ashdod?**

**Ans:** The hand of the Lord was heavy upon them, and He afflicted them with tumors.

**Q5. Where was the Ark taken after Ashdod?**

**Ans:** The Philistines then moved the Ark to the city of Gath.

**Q6. What happened to the people of Gath?**

**Ans:** The people of Gath suffered a great panic, and the hand of the Lord afflicted them with tumors.

**Q7. Where was the Ark taken after Gath?**

**Ans:** The Ark was then moved to Ekron.

**Q8. What happened to the people of Ekron?**

**Ans:** The Ekronites cried out, "The ark of the God of Israel must not stay here with us, for His hand is too heavy on us and on our God Dagon