

# Coptic Orthodox Diocese of the Southern USA

#### HOLY BOOK OF FIRST SAMUEL

Advanced Level Name:

# **CHAPTER 1**

- 1. Why did Hannah give a double portion whenever the day came for Elkanah to sacrifice?
- 2. What was Hannah's vow to the LORD in the temple? What did Eli the priest think about Hannah at the beginning? And what did he tell her at the end?

#### **CHAPTER 2**

- 1. There is a great allusion of the praise of Hannah and that one of St. Mary in the Holy Book of Luke 1, show that allusion.
- 2. What did the Holy Bible say about the sons of Eli the priest? What were their sins?

## **CHAPTER 3**

- 1. What is the lamp of God mentioned in verse 3?
- 2. What was the message given to Samuel by God?

#### **CHAPTER 4**

- 1. What happened to the Ark of God after the Israelites were defeated? And what did this mean to them?
- 2. What happened to Eli the priest when he heard about the results of the war between the Israelites and the Philistines? And how old was he at that time?

# **CHAPTER 5**

- 1. How did God punish the people of Ashdod? And what did they do?
- 2. What did the people Ekron do when the Philistines decided to move the Ark of the LORD to their city?

#### **CHAPTER 6**

- 1. How can you conclude that the Philistines had a belief in the God of the Israelites?
- 2. What did God do to the people of Beth Shemesh? Why?

# **CHAPTER 7**

- 1. What is Ebenezer? And what did it mean?
- 2. What was the consequence when the Israelites returned to the LORD with all their hearts?