

Review Questions

1. **Who was Gad's mother?** (Zilpah, Leah's maid. Page 317)
2. **What were the prophetic words of Gad's dying father?** (*"Gad, a troop shall overcome him: but he shall overcome at the last."* Page 317)
3. **What is Gad a type of as revealed by Jacob and why?** (He is a type of a backslider who is overcome by a troop of temptations but awakens to his danger; and in the strength given him from God, overcomes at last, and enters the pearly gates of the New Jerusalem. Page 317)
4. **What was the secret of the Gadites' being victorious over their enemies?** (*"They cried to God in the battle, and he was entreated of them, because they put their trust in him."* Page 318)
5. **What wonderful relationship does God use to refer to his children who have backslidden?** (He says He is married to them. Page 318)
6. **Does God disown or divorce us?** (No. He answers the question Himself: *"Behold, for your iniquities have ye sold yourself."* Page 318)
7. **What one thing does the Lord require of the backslider?** (*"Only acknowledge thine iniquity."* Page 318)
8. **What experience will the 12,000 that are marshaled under the banner of Gad have?** (They will arise from backsliding and defeat, acknowledge their transgressions, claim the promises of God, wash their robes in the blood of the Lamb, and enter as victors the city of God. Pages 319-320)
9. **Why did the Gadites request their inheritance from the land on the east side of the Jordan?** (They were shepherds. Page 320)
10. **What two tribes bordered Gad on the north and the south?**

(Reuben on the south and the half tribe of Manasseh on the north. Page 320)

11. **What territory did Gad embrace?** (Gilead. Page 320)
12. **What was the character of this tribe?** (Fierce and warlike. Page 320)
13. **How does I Chronicles 12:8, 12-13 describe the men of Gad?** (The least of them was more than equal to a hundred, and the greatest, to a thousand. Undaunted by the swollen floods of Jordan, they joined the forces of David at the time of his greatest discredit and embarrassment. Page 320)
14. **When the tribes divided into the northern and southern kingdoms, which part was Gad associated with?** (The northern kingdom. Page 321)
15. **Who inhabited Gad's cities in the days of Jeremiah?** (The Ammonites. Page 321)
16. **What did Reuben and Gad have in common that the other tribes did not when they returned from Egypt to the land of their forefathers?** (They retained the occupation that their forefathers had as shepherds. Page 321)
17. **Name three mighty men of God that were from Gad.** (Barzillai, the friend of David; Jephthah, a mighty man of valor; and Elijah the Tishbite. Page 321)
18. **Where did Elijah go when his translation drew near?** (He crossed to the east side of the Jordan into the land of his childhood. Page 322)

More Study

Brothers of the King, by Arthur W. Spalding, pages 49-50, 61-64 or
The Conquerors, by Leslie Hardinge.

Mark Your Bible

Write a summary of your study and then mark your Bible.

Share

Share at least once a week what you have learned.

Activity

On your chart of the tribes of the 144,000, write the character qualities of those under the banner of Gad.

“Behold, the Lord God will come
with strong hand,
and his arm shall rule for him:
behold, his reward is with him,
and his work before him.
He shall feed his flock like a shepherd:
he shall gather the lambs with his arm,
and carry them in his bosom,
and shall gently lead those
that are with young.”

Isaiah 40:10-11