The Spirit of the LORD spake by me, and his word was in my tongue.

The God of Israel said, the Rock of Israel spake to me, He that ruleth over men [must be] just, ruling in the fear of God.

And he shall be as the light of the morning when the sun riseth, [even] a morning without clouds; [as] the tender grass [springing] out of the earth by clear shining after rain.

Although my house [be] not so with God; yet he hath made [me] an everlasting covenant, ordered in all things, and sure: for [this is] all my salvation, and all [my] desire, although he make [it] not to grow.

But [the sons] of Belial [shall] be all of them as thorns thrust away, because they cannot be taken with hands:

But the man [that] shall touch them must be fenced with iron and the staff of a spear; and they shall be utterly burned with fire in the [same] place.

These [be] the names of the mighty men whom David had: The Tachmonite that sat in the seat, chief among the captains; the same [was] Adino the Eznite: [he lift up his spear] against eight hundred, whom he slew at one time.
they were gathered there for a battle and they were going up man of Israel.

And after him [was] Shammah the son of Agee the Hararite. And the Philistines were gathered together into a troop, where there was a piece of ground full of lentils: and the people fled from the Philistines.

but he stood in the midst of the ground, and defended it, and slew the Philistines: and the LORD wrought a great victory.

And David [was] then in an hold, and the garrison of the Philistines [was] then in [Bethlehem].

And David longed, and said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Bethlehem, which [is] by the gate!

And the three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Bethlehem. and the blood of the man that went in jeopardy of their lives, therefore he would not drink it. These things

and the men of Israel were gone away:

10 He arose, and smote the Philistines until his hand was weary, and his hand clave unto the sword: and the LORD wrought a great victory that day; and the people returned after him only to spoil.

11 And after him [was] Shammah the son of Agee the Hararite. And the Philistines were gathered together into a troop, where there was a piece of ground full of lentils: and the people fled from the Philistines.

12 But he stood in the midst of the ground, and defended it, and slew the Philistines: and the LORD wrought a great victory.

13 And three of the thirty chief went down, and came to David in the harvest time unto the cave of Adullam: and the troop of the Philistines pitched in the valley of Rephaim.

14 And David [was] then in an hold, and the garrison of the Philistines [was] then in [Bethlehem].

15 And David longed, and said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Bethlehem, which [is] by the gate!

16 And the three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Bethlehem. and the blood of the man that went in jeopardy of their lives, therefore he would not drink it. These things
did these three mighty men.

18 And Abishai, the brother of Joab, the son of Zeruiah, was chief among three. And he lifted up his spear against three hundred, [and] slew them, and had the name among three.

19 Was he not most honourable of three? therefore he was their captain: howbeit he attained not unto the [first] three.

20 And Benaiyah the son of Jehoiada, the son of a valiant man, of Kabzeel, who had done many acts, he slew two lionlike men of Moab: he went down also and slew a lion in the midst of a pit in time of snow:

21 And he slew an Egyptian, a goodly man: and the Egyptian had a spear in his hand: but he went down to him with a staff, and plucked the spear out of the Egyptian's hand, and slew him with his own spear.

22 Those [things] did Benaiyah the son of Jehoiada, and had the name among three mighty men.

23 He was more honourable than the thirty, but he attained not to the [first] three. And David set him over his guard.

24 Asahel the brother of Joab [was] one of the thirty; Elhanan the son of Dodo of Bethlehem,

Shammah the Harodite, Elika the Harodite,

Helez the Paltite, Ira the son of Ikkesh the Tekoite,

26 Abiezir the Anathothite, Mebunnai the Hushathite,

27 Zalmon the Ahohite, Maharai the Netophathite,
29. Heleb the son of Baanah, a Netophathite, Ittai the son of Ribai out of Gibeon of the children of Benjamin,

30. Benaiah the Pirathonite, Hiddai of the brooks of Gaash,

31. Abialbon the Arbathite, Azmaveth the Barhumite,

32. Eliahba the Shaalbonite, Hiddai of the brooks of Gaash,

33. Abialbon the Arbathite, Azmaveth the Barhumite,

34. Eliahba the Shaalbonite, Jonathan, the son of Jashen,

35. Eliphelet the son of Ahasbai, the son of the Maachathite, Eliam the son of Ahithophel the Gilonite,

36. Hezrai the Carmelite, Paarai the Arbite,

37. Igal the son of Nathan of Zobah, Bani the Gadite,

38. Ira an Ithrite, Gareb an Ithrite,

39. Uriah the Hittite: thirty and seven in all.