

AMMON MEETS KING LAMONI'S FATHER

Chapter 24



King Lamoni wanted to take Ammon to meet his father. The Lord warned Ammon not to go because Lamoni's father would try to kill him. *Alma 20:1-2*



The Lord told Ammon to go instead to the land of Middoni, where his brother Aaron was in prison. King Lamoni went with Ammon. *Alma 20:2-4*



As they traveled they met King Lamoni's father, who was king over all the land. He asked Lamoni where he was going with a lying Nephite. *Alma 20:8, 10*



King Lamoni told his father about Ammon and his brother who was in prison. Angry, Lamoni's father ordered Lamoni to kill Ammon and not go to Middoni. *Alma 20:11-14*



Lamoni refused to kill Ammon and said he and Ammon were going to free Aaron. Lamoni's father became angrier and drew his sword to kill Lamoni. *Alma 20:15-16*



Ammon stepped forward to protect Lamoni. Lamoni's father then tried to kill Ammon, but he defended himself and wounded the arm of Lamoni's father. *Alma 20:17, 20*



When Lamoni's father saw that Ammon could kill him, he offered Ammon half of his kingdom if he would spare his life. *Alma 20:21, 23*



Ammon said he wanted Aaron and his companions freed from prison and wanted Lamoni to be able to keep his kingdom. *Alma 20:22, 24*



Lamoni's father realized that Ammon did not want to hurt him. He was amazed at how much Ammon loved his son. He invited Ammon to teach him the gospel. *Alma 20:26-27*



Ammon and King Lamoni went to Middoni. Lamoni spoke with the king there, and Aaron and his companions were released from prison. *Alma 20:28*



Ammon was sad to see how poorly they had been treated. They had suffered much but had been patient. *Alma 20:29*