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CONFLICT

*Once upon a time, in the days of the Old Testament, the Israelites and the Philistines met for a great battle. The Philistine champion was a giant named Goliath, who was over nine feet tall. He mocked the God of the Israelites, and all of the Israelites were afraid of him. He challenged them to send a champion out to fight him and offered to surrender his army if anyone could defeat him.*

*A young Israelite named David volunteered to fight Goliath, even though he was just a boy. When Goliath saw David, he laughed and mocked him. David said, “You come against me with sword and spear and javelin, but I come against you in the name of the God of the armies of Israel, and He will deliver you into my hands.”*

*Then David ran toward Goliath, pulling a smooth stone from the pouch at his waist. He put it into his slingshot and shot it at Goliath. The stone sank into the giant’s forehead, and he fell face down on the ground, dead. When the Philistine army saw that David had triumphed, they fled the battlefield and Israel was victorious.*

Describe the conflict in this story by filling in the blank in the sentence below:

**In this story, the protagonist tries to** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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