

LESSON 6

SAMUEL SERVES THE LORD WITH TRUST

Worksheets

- Bible Discovery Worksheet: Serving the Lord with Trust
- Life Application Worksheet: Trust in God's Plan
- Homework

SERVING THE LORD WITH TRUST**Samuel: Dedicated for God's Use**

1. Samuel's mother, _____, was unable to bear children. So, she _____ to God for a child that she promised to offer for His service.
2. God granted her a child, whom she named Samuel, and in return, she dedicated him to serve in the _____ of the Lord.

Samuel Mourns for Saul

3. How did Samuel feel after God rejected Saul? _____

Samuel Trusted God to Choose a New King

4. What did Samuel say after he saw Eliab?
"Surely the LORD's _____ is before Him!" (1 Sam 16:6b).
5. What did God say to Samuel?
"Do not look at his _____ or at his _____, because I have _____ him. For the LORD does not _____ as man _____; for man looks at the _____, but the LORD _____ at the _____" (1 Sam 16:7).
6. How many of Jesse's sons presented themselves to Samuel?
7. How many sons did God reject?
8. What did God say when David presented himself to Samuel?
"Arise, _____ him; for this is the one!" (1 Sam 16:12b).
9. What did Samuel do?
He "took the _____ and _____ him in the midst of his brothers; and the _____ of the LORD came upon _____ from that day _____" (1 Sam 16:13).

TRUST IN GOD'S PLAN

What is a

Faithful Servant?

A faithful servant is one who trusts God. He trusts God to guide his life and to navigate through difficulties. But we, being human beings, have our own desires and plans. We have mapped out our lives based on our goals and desires. We picture ourselves successful in our desired profession, with our desired families.

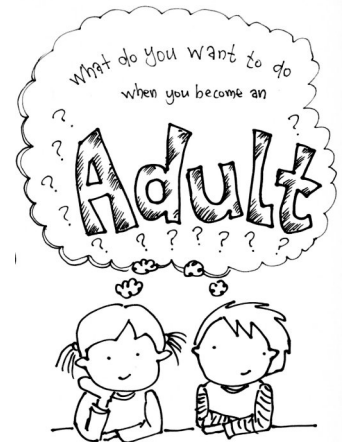
1. What kind of job would you like to have when you grow up?
2. How do you plan to do that? Organize your thoughts into practical steps and various categories.
3. Do you have any aspirations for serving God?
4. How can you prepare yourself to be a good worker of God in the future?

It is natural for us to have our own desires and plans. We form them based on our environment or current situation. In mapping our futures, we often forget God's plans for us, or we elevate our plans to a primary status and demote God's plans to a secondary status. While we have our own plans, we must be aware that God has His own plans, too. His ideas and plans are higher than ours (Isa 55:8-9). In addition, He plans to bring us to peace (Jer 29:11). Therefore, we must trust in God's plan and fulfill it.

5. What do you believe is God's plan for you? Why?
6. If your plans conflict with God's plan, what will you do? Why?

As servants of God, we must trust Him. Our responsibility, as servants, is to execute His will in the manner He desires. Thus, we must trust that His methods are correct. We trust that His methods are correct because He is much greater than us, He is wiser and more knowledgeable, and His thoughts are greater than ours.

7. Do you trust God? Why? Give an example.



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Homework Assignment

Name: _____ Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

Weekly Bible Reading: _____

Bible Reading: Check each box when you complete that day's reading.

Prayer: Check each box after you pray to God that day.

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Read							
Pray							

What I Learned from the Bible This Week

1. _____

2. _____

Memory Verse

Please write down this week's memory verse. (**Proverbs 3:5-6**)

Fill In the Blank

1. "But the LORD said to Samuel, 'Do not look at his _____ or at his _____ stature, because I have refused him. For the LORD does not _____ as man sees; for man looks at the _____ appearance but the LORD looks at the _____.'" (1 Sam 16:7)

2. "For My _____ are not your _____, nor are your _____ My _____," says the LORD. "For as the heavens are _____ than the earth, so are My _____ higher than your _____, and My _____ than your _____." (Isa 55:8-9)

3. "For I know the _____ that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of _____ and not of _____, to give you a _____ and a _____." (Jer 29:11)