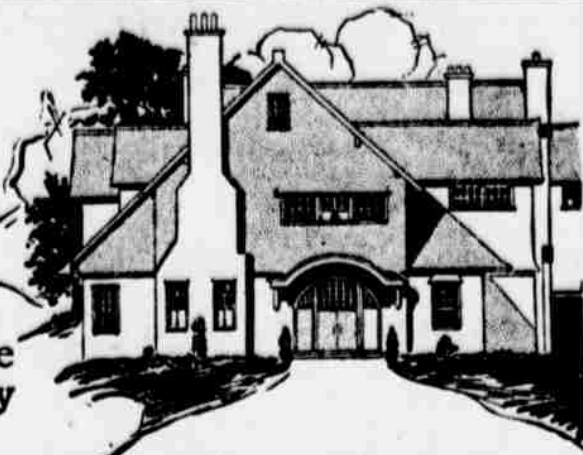


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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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### LESSON FOR MAY 2

**THE BOY SAMUEL.**  
LESSON TEXT—1 Sam. 1:4-28, 3:1-21.  
GOLDEN TEXT—My son, give me thine heart, and let thine eyes observe my ways.—Prov. 23:26  
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—1 Sam. 1:1-23, 2:1-10.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—The Child Samuel in God's House.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Boy Who Listened and Obeyed.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Training for Religious Leadership.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Religious Capacities in the Training of Children.

#### I. Samuel Given to the Lord (1:24-28).

Samuel was given to Hannah in answer to prayer. His name means "asked of God." For a time he was cared for by his mother in the home. In asking God for a son she vowed to dedicate him to the Lord. Accordingly at an early age she took him to the sanctuary and gave him over to the charge of Eli. Thus in his tender years he ministered to the Lord.

#### II. Features of Israel's History in This Period.

1. A demoralized priesthood. (1) The priests were actuated by greed (2:12-17). It was God's will that those who ministered at the altar should live of the things of the altar, but they broke through the divine regulations touching this matter and were securing their selfish ends by force. (2) The priests polluted the courts of God's house with the gross immorality (2:22).

2. An alienated people. The only thing which separates people from God is sin.

3. A cessation of divine revelation (3:1). God was silent—"The word of God was precious in those days; there was no open vision." The message from the Lord was more a matter of memory than an active experience. The same thing in principle is true of the individual life today; some who once enjoyed fellowship with God no longer hear his voice speaking to them.

#### III. God Calls Samuel (3:2-10).

In striking contrast with the degeneracy of the nation we have brought before us the beautiful life of Samuel. We see God getting ready for the regeneration of the nation. Dwelling within the sacred courts and ministering before the Lord with Eli, is the innocent Samuel, who is to be the savior of his people. In Samuel we have a striking pattern of child religion. The Lord gave him in answer to Hannah's prayer. From his birth he was dedicated to the Lord. While quite young his mother took him to the sanctuary of the Lord where he served and slept. It is a good thing to have much sin forgiven, but it is better far to grow up without sin. Two traits in Samuel's character stand out in this call; namely, his cheerful obedience to the Lord's call and his surrendered will. It was no easy thing to respond cheerfully to the thrice repeated call. It may have seemed to him to be unreasonable, but each time he obeyed in simplicity.

#### IV. Samuel's First Prophetic Message (3:11-18).

Up to this time Samuel obeyed the one who was over him, but the time had now come when he must directly hear and obey the Lord. The first message entrusted to him is a most terrible one. To deliver it is a most trying task. He hesitated to tell it to Eli, but when pressed by him he manifested the true courage which was lying back of his fear. It must have been a bitter sting to Eli to see Samuel recognized and himself passed by, but he was submissive. He knew that the slight was just; he could not fail to interpret it thus in view of the appearance of the man of God to him (2:27-36). This fearful visitation upon Eli's house was due to the sins of his sons. He was held accountable for not restraining them. Parental laxity is most cruel. There is an age in which children may be restrained, but when passed over the power to restrain goes with it.

#### V. Samuel Established in the Prophetic Office (3:19-21).

"And Samuel grew, and the Lord was with him, and did let none of his words fall to the ground. And all Israel, from Dan even to Beersheba knew that Samuel was established to be a prophet of the Lord." This is a verification of the saying "Him that honors me I will honor." Little did Hannah realize that the boy who had been given in answer to her prayer would one day become the head of the nation. This new position brought great danger to the boy, but the God who raised him up was able to sustain him.

#### Faith and Waiting.

The most difficult business in the world is waiting. No one can do it without some kind of faith. It is a venture of triumphant faith. The great believers have been the unwearied waiters; faith meant to them, not controversial opinion, but sustaining power.—Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick.

#### Like Our Shadows.

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1 teaspoon salt  
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- Afternoon Tea Doughnuts**  
2 eggs  
6 tablespoons sugar  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon grated nutmeg

**Crullers**  
4 tablespoons shortening  
1 cup sugar  
2 eggs  
3 cups flour  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

Cream shortening; add sugar gradually and beaten eggs; sift together flour, cinnamon, salt and baking powder; add one-half and mix well; add milk and remainder of dry ingredients to make soft dough. Roll out on floured board to about 1/4 inch thick and cut into strips about 4 inches long and 1/4 inch wide; roll in hands and twist each strip and bring ends together. Fry in deep hot fat. Drain and roll in powdered sugar.

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**Hit Hard.**  
A village minister in New England was called upon to go several miles into the country to officiate at the funeral of a farmer's wife. Arrived at the house of grief, the minister spoke the usual words of sympathy and condolence to the bereft husband:

"You have met with a great loss, brother."

"Yess," was the reply, "an' it makes good the old sayin' that misfortunes never come singly. I lost my best horse four days ago, an' now she's gone. I tell ye I'm gettin' hit hard."—Harper's Weekly.

**Embraced Opportunity.**  
They skated together, but little they said, for they'd just been made known to each other. But he wished as across the bright surface they sped that through life they might thus go together.

A crash! They were through!

"Oh, how awkward!" cried she, "Tisn't deep, but has any one seen us?"

"Never mind. Let me tell you I love you," said he, "since the ice is now broken between us."—Houston Post.

**Incredible Feat.**  
"I see where somebody has invented a safety pocket for men."

"Aw, don't be telling fairy tales to a married man."

**Bright.**  
Smartee—I've invented a machine to tell fresh eggs.

Smarter—Tell them what?

### LONG SINCE HE HEARD WORD

Tramp Probably Would Have Needed Dictionary to Get Proper Definition of Morals.

The tramp was a long, skinny individual with a particularly villainous cast of countenance, and he wore a pair of trousers that had been designed for a man of at least three times his diameter. His rap on the farmhouse door brought out a sour, hard-faced puritanical woman who froze him with one glance and then proceeded to eye him up and down—especially down.

"You needn't ask me for anything," she said, harshly. "I can see that your morals are of the loosest kind and that you deserve nothing."

"Well, mum," replied the tramp, glancing down at his nether garments, "mebbe so, though I ain't never heard 'em called that name before. Probly me taller ain't jes' up to date, but if you won't give me somethin' to help fill 'em out mebbe you'd spare me a bit of rope to hold 'em up with."—Exchange.

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The chaplain came plodding along the road coming back from the front lines several hours after the infantry had gone over the top.

"How are things going up there?" inquired an artillery lieutenant.

"Fine, fine!" said the chaplain. "We're knocking them for a goal."

"Haven't seen many prisoners," said the lieutenant, skeptically.

"No, and I guess you won't," replied the chaplain: "our machine guns haven't jammed all morning."—Home Sector.

It's just as desirable to know when to forego an advantage as it is to know when to grasp an opportunity.

### Explained.

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