

GOD SPEAKS TO SAMUEL



GOD...

Samuel grew up in the presence of the Lord, working in the Tabernacle with Eli the priest. At this time, messages from God were very rare.

One night while Samuel was sleeping in the Tabernacle by the Ark of the Covenant, God called, "Samuel." Samuel thought Eli was calling him, but it wasn't Eli. Two more times, God called Samuel, and every time he thought it was Eli. Eli finally realized that God was calling Samuel, so he told Samuel if he heard his name called again he should say, "Speak, your servant is listening."

Samuel did just what Eli told him to do. The next time God called his name, Samuel answered and he listened.

SUPPLIES:

- Copy of Samuel and his bed
- Scissors
- Glue stick

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Cut out both pieces—Samuel and his bed. Be sure to cut out the little circle in Samuel's bed!
2. Glue the picture of Samuel to the bottom half of his bed—only glue the bottom strip where it says "Glue here." NOTE: you should be able to move Samuel up and down from his bed. You may need to add a "fold."
3. Retell the story of God speaking to Samuel, and every time Samuel wakes up, put your finger through the hole in back to make Samuel wake up.



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