

# Samuel – A Faithful Servant of the Lord

I Samuel chapters 1-3

## **1 Samuel 2:18 (NLT2)**

<sup>18</sup> But Samuel, though he was only a boy, served the LORD. He wore a linen garment like that of a priest.

## **1 Samuel 2:26 (NLT2)**

<sup>26</sup> Meanwhile, the boy Samuel grew taller and grew in favor with the LORD and with the people.

## **1 Samuel 3:1 (NLT2)**

<sup>1</sup> Meanwhile, the boy Samuel served the LORD by assisting Eli. Now in those days messages from the LORD were very rare, and visions were quite uncommon.

## Two Lessons from Samuel about Serving

1. You can never be too young or too old to serve the Lord.
2. Serving the Lord with the right heart attitude brings blessings – the Lord's favor rests upon them.

3. How does one serve the Lord? What can I do?

**Matthew 25:40 (NLT2)**

<sup>40</sup> “And the King will say, ‘I tell you the truth, when you did it to one of the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were doing it to me!’

## **Luke 16:10 (NIV)**

<sup>10</sup> "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much.

## **Galatians 6:9 (NLT2)**

<sup>9</sup> So let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don't give up.