

# Hannah's Prayer

## 1 Samuel 1; 2-18-19

Fall Unit 1:  
I Will Obey God

Bible Verse:  
"Teach me Your way, oh Lord, and I will walk in Your Truth." Psalm 86:11

God's Word & Me (Bottom Line):  
I can do my best to help and obey because I love God.



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### Tell the Story

Open your Bible to 1 Samuel 1. Tell the story using the pictured motions (keywords in bold) or show Bible Story 10 pictures.

**Where is a special place you like to go? What do you do there? In today's story, we'll find out about a special place where Bible-times people went to show their love for God.**



Hannah and her husband, Elkanah (ehl-KAY-nuh), loved each other and God very much. But Hannah and Elkanah had **no children**. Hannah felt very sad.

Hannah and Elkanah went to a special place to worship God. The special place was called the Tabernacle. Hannah **prayed** to God. "Dear God, please give me a baby boy. When he is old enough, I will bring him to the Tabernacle to be Your helper."



Eli lived at the Tabernacle. He prayed to God and taught others about God. "I pray God gives you what you ask," Eli told Hannah. Hannah and Elkanah went home.

After many, many days, a **baby** boy was born to Hannah. Hannah named the baby Samuel. Every day Samuel grew taller and stronger. Hannah took good care of little Samuel. She cooked good food for him to eat. She made clothes for him to wear. And best of all, Hannah taught little Samuel about God.



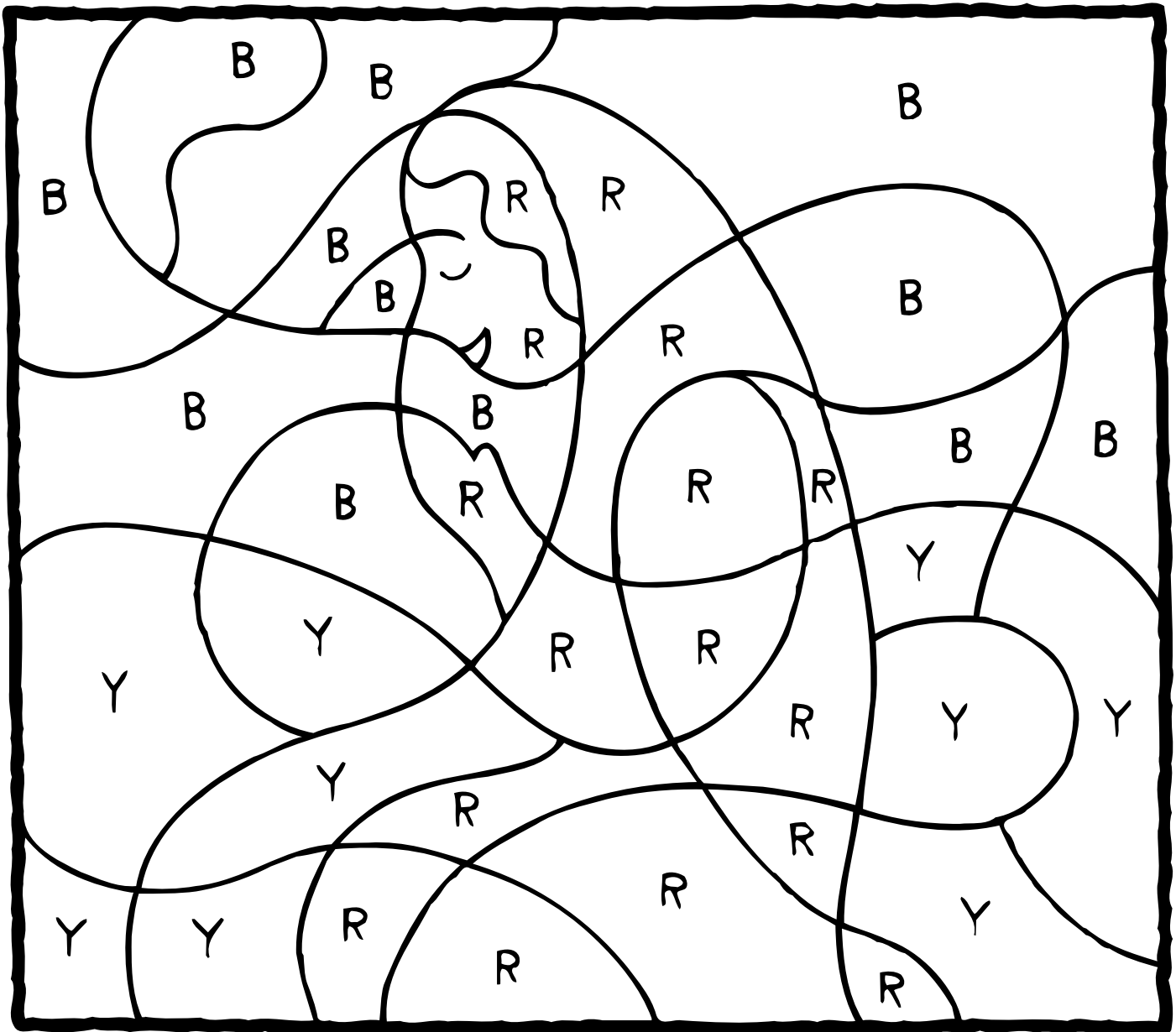
Finally, the day came when Samuel was big enough to go to the Tabernacle. Hannah, Elkanah and Samuel went to the Tabernacle. Samuel stayed there with Eli to learn to be God's helper, just as his mother Hannah had promised.



Every year Samuel's mother made a special new coat for him. And every year she had to make a bigger and bigger coat! Do you know why? Because Samuel **GREW**, just like you do. And as he grew a little taller and a little stronger, Samuel also grew to love God!



Color the spaces with **B's BLUE**.  
 Color the spaces with **R's RED**.  
 Color the spaces with **Y's YELLOW**.



Hannah asked God for a baby. God answered her prayer.  
 When we talk to God, we can ask for His help.  
 We can tell Him we love Him.  
 Our Bible says, "I love the Lord" (Psalm 116:1).



Draw a picture of yourself talking to God.  
 What are you telling Him?