

# STORYBOARD

Discovering Your Story

Week 1



How has God worked  
in your life?



The Bible Person who was the subject of the Sermon:  
Samuel (1 Samuel 3:1-10)

The Bible Persons to Consider in this study (*pick one or more as time permits*):  
Moses, Joshua, Deborah, Job, Saul/Paul, Abram/Abraham, Sarah,  
Elizabeth mother of John the Baptist, Samson, David, Rebecca,  
Mary Magdalene, Martha and Mary the sisters

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## Samuel (1 Samuel)

We meet Samuel's parents before we meet Samuel. His mother could not have children, but God heard her prayers and she conceived Samuel. Samuel's name means "God has heard." He is from the tribe of Levi qualifying him to serve (work) in the temple. Samuel is the last of twelve judges. After Samuel, Israel is led by kings and Samuel anoints the first two, Saul and David.

Samuel is considered a prophet by Peter (Acts 3:24).

Samuel serves as a priest (1 Samuel 3:1; 7:9).

Samuel was a Nazarite, like Samson. When he was a child, he was dedicated to the Lord.

He never cut his hair (1 Samuel 1:11; Numbers 6:1-21).

Samuel is the only ghost we meet in the Bible. Saul meets with a medium and contacts the spirit of Samuel. Samuel is NOT happy about Saul's actions (1 Samuel 28).

Samuel is remembered in Psalm 99:6 for his prayers.

# Week 1 Questions

1. How did God work in the Bible Person's life?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Did the Bible Person realize God was working in his/her life?
  - a. When did the Bible Person first realize God was working in his/her life?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - b. What made the Bible Person realize it?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. Did other people in The Bible realize that God was working in the Bible Person's life?
  - a. If so, what made them realize it?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What evidence was there that God was working in the Bible Person's life?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. How has God worked in your life?

6. Let's get a little more granular ...

a. How did God work in your life yesterday (or last week or last month)?

b. How did God work in your life last year (or 3 years ago or 5 years ago or 10 years ago or X years ago)?

7. Ask another person (such as a family member, friend from church, Life Group friend, or other friend) how s/he has seen God work in your life.

8. How about another person's life (such as a family member, friend from church, Life Group friend, or other friend)—how do you see God having worked in the other person's life?

a. If you don't see God working in your life, but do in another person's life, why do you think that's the case?

b. Is it easier to see God working in someone else's life? Why?

c. What can you do to start seeing God working in your life?

9. Stay on “the lookout” for a display of God’s character and characteristics this week.

<b>Sunday, Oct 10</b>	
<b>Monday, Oct 11</b>	
<b>Tuesday, Oct 12</b>	
<b>Wednesday, Oct 13</b>	
<b>Thursday, Oct 14</b>	
<b>Friday, Oct 15</b>	
<b>Saturday, Oct 16</b>	

