



Happy to Do That!

Caleb and Katie were on a spiritual high as they entered their home after church. All the way home they had talked about the nourishing Sunday School lesson and the wonderful worship service. They had enjoyed talking about the Lord. Now, as they came in, they heard the phone ringing. Katie picked it up. “Yes. . . . Uh huh. . . . I’m so sorry. Caleb and I will be right over.”

Caleb questioned Katie with his eyes: We’ll be right over?

“That was Mrs. Carson next door,” explained Katie. “Her kitchen sink has a leak and it’s flooded the room. She’s been trying to reach us all morning.”

A lot of thoughts raced through Caleb’s mind, like, Why didn’t she call a plumber? Doesn’t she have anyone else to call? And then, What a wonderful way for us to serve the Lord by serving Mrs. Carson. “Thank you, Lord, for this opportunity,” he prayed as he headed for the bedroom, where Katie was already changing clothes.

1. Evaluate the relationship between Caleb and Katie’s church experience and their opportunity to do good to someone.
2. Read Titus 2:13 and 14. How did Caleb and Katie’s actions reflect the attitudes and actions of Jesus Christ in providing salvation for us?
3. How could contemplating Christ’s death on the cross energize Caleb and Katie to help Mrs. Carson?
4. According to Titus 2:13 and 14, what four things did Christ do for you? What two descriptions should characterize you as a result?
5. Choose a verse that fills you with joy and energizes you to do good works. Think about its truths throughout the week.