



I Will Focus On The Inside Instead Of The Outside!

From Game Show
Lesson 7

LEADERSHIP TRAIT - GOOD JUDGMENT

Great leaders will emphasize godly attitudes and actions, rather than appearance.

LEADERSHIP GOAL

Your children will learn that who people are on the inside is more important than how they look on the outside. We should care more about attitude than appearance.

LEADERSHIP LESSON

Samuel anoints David - 1 Samuel 16

WHAT DO I DO?

Have your children watch the Leadership Video, *I Will Focus On The Inside Instead Of The Outside*.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR THIS LESSON:

- Have your children read the Leadership Lesson, found in 1 Samuel 16.
- Have your children complete the Leadership Questions.
- Watch the Leadership Video as a family.
- Do the Optional Family Activity.

OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: LOOK INSIDE

Look in magazines or on the Internet for pictures of things that are ugly on the outside but beautiful on the inside.

Some examples are below.

- **Geodes** - They look like big ugly rocks, but inside they have beautiful crystals.
- **Jewels** - Most jewels (*diamonds, sapphires, emeralds*) are not beautiful in their rough form. They must be polished and cut to show the beautiful colors.
- **Cocoons** - Cocoons look ugly, but inside is a beautiful butterfly.
- **Pineapples, Kiwi, Coconuts** - These fruit look ugly on the outside, but on the inside they are beautiful and delicious.

Note: If possible get some of the actual items. The fruit would be the easiest to obtain and after your discussion the family can enjoy eating them together.

Discuss with your family that the outside appearance of these things is less important than what is on the inside. This is true for these things and true for us as well. God is more concerned with the attitudes and actions in our heart than with our appearance. We all need to spend less time worried about what we look like, and more time developing godly attitudes and actions. When we do, our words and actions will show others what we are like on the inside.

MEMORY VERSE:

Help your child memorize this verse.

"The LORD doesn't see things the way you see them. People judge by outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart."

1 Samuel 16:7b (NLT)



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Main Point: I Will Focus On The Inside Instead Of The Outside!

Read the Leadership Lesson about Samuel anointing David in 1 Samuel 16. When you are finished, watch the Leadership Video. Then, read the items below and write your responses in the space provided.

1. True or false? God was unhappy with the king of Israel and decided he should no longer be king.
2. Fill in the blanks according to what Pastor Mike said in the video. Samuel was instructed to go to _____ and find a man named Jesse. Samuel was to look at Jesse's _____ and God would reveal which son was to be the new _____.
3. Saul was impressed by how tall and handsome Jesse's oldest son Eliab was. But what did God tell Saul? Circle the correct answer.
 - A. Eliab is a bad dresser and can't be king.
 - B. Don't judge by height or appearance, for I have rejected him.
 - C. If he can pass a test, he can become king.
4. True or false? People judge by outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.
5. Fill in the blanks according to what Pastor Mike said in the video. Seven _____ of Jesse walked past Samuel, but each time Samuel told Jesse that he was not the one _____ had chosen.
6. Which son was still out in the fields watching the sheep and goats?



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7. What did God say to Samuel when David arrived? Circle the correct answer.
 - A. He is too tiny.
 - B. Are there any other sons?
 - C. He can never be king.
 - D. This is the one, anoint him.

8. True or false? David became one of the greatest kings that Israel and the world had ever known.

9. What does it mean in the Bible when it says David was a man after God's own heart? Circle the correct answer.
 - A. David was obedient to God and did his best to live his life in a way that pleased God.
 - B. David was always chasing God.
 - C. David did not have his own heart.

10. True or false? We should take care of ourselves and try to look our best, but who we choose to be on the inside is far more important than what we look like on the outside.

Pray and ask God to help you live in such a way that God will be happy with what He sees.

Memory Verse: Ask your parents to help you memorize this verse.

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Answer Key

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1. True
2. Bethlehem, Sons, King
3. B
4. True
5. Sons, God
6. The youngest, David
7. D
8. True
9. A
10. True