



### **I Will Be Prayerful!** **From Power Up Lesson 2**

#### **LEADERSHIP TRAIT - PRAYER**

Great leaders know that no problems are too big for God to solve, and all problems should be taken to God in prayer.

#### **LEADERSHIP LESSON**

The children will learn that when we encounter problems that we cannot handle on our own, we should pray and ask God for help.

#### **LEADERSHIP STORY**

Hannah prayed earnestly for God to give her a son. She was patient and waited on God to fulfill Eli's promise. (1 Samuel 1)

#### **WHAT DO I DO?**

Have your children read the Leadership Story. Next, have your children watch the Leadership Video and complete the Child Leadership Questions. If you want to do the Optional Family Activity, have the whole family watch the Leadership Video, then lead your family through the Optional Family Activity.

#### **OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: PRAY WITHOUT STOPPING**

This week, give each family member an index card and have each person write down two or three prayer requests on a card. Take a large piece of paper or a poster board and glue the index cards onto it. Have each family member share his or her prayer requests as you glue on the cards. After all the cards are on the paper, make a circle and take turns praying for each of the prayer requests. Put the poster up somewhere in your house to remind each person to continue to pray for the requests without stopping until an answer is given. As each prayer is answered, circle the request on the paper. Remind your children that God wants us to pray to Him about all things, and that we should pray until an answer is given.

#### **MEMORY VERSE:**

Help your child memorize this verse.

*"The LORD has heard my plea; the LORD will answer my prayer." Psalm 6:9 (NLT)*



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**Read the Leadership Story about Hannah in 1 Samuel 1. When you are finished, watch the Leadership Video. Then, read the items below and write your responses in the space provided.**

1. What do you do when you face challenges or obstacles in a video game that slow you down and keep you from reaching your goal?
2. Who can we go to for help when we have a problem that we can not solve on our own?
3. What was the problem that Hannah faced in our Leadership Story?
4. Where did Hannah go to pray?
5. Fill in the blank. Hannah knew \_\_\_\_\_ was the only one who could help her.
6. What did Hannah ask God for?
7. When Eli talked to Hannah, what did he tell her? Circle the correct answer.
  - A. She would never have a child.
  - B. To go get a job.
  - C. That God would grant her request and she would have a child.



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8. True or False. God made it so that Hannah could have a child.
9. What did Hannah name her son?
10. When Samuel was old enough, Hannah kept her promise to God by doing what?  
Circle the correct answer.
  - A. Took her son to live with Eli at the temple so that he could belong to the Lord his whole life.
  - B. Taught Samuel how to fish.
  - C. Built a house for Samuel.
  - D. Sold Samuel to the king.
11. Fill in the blank. Samuel became one of the greatest \_\_\_\_\_ in the whole Bible.
12. God answered Hannah's prayer and blessed her with more \_\_\_\_\_. Circle the correct answer.
  - A. Goats.
  - B. Bibles.
  - C. Children.
  - D. Food.
13. Hannah knew the importance of prayer. She could not solve her problem on her own, so she prayed. When we have a serious problem, what should we do? Circle the correct answer.
  - A. Get angry.
  - B. Sleep.
  - C. Try to solve the problem on our own.
  - D. Pray.



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14. What should you do if you have a hard test at school? Circle the correct answer.
- A. Cheat from a friend's paper.
  - B. Pray and ask God to help you study and remember what you studied.
  - C. Don't study, just hope you do well.
  - D. Don't take the test.
15. Fill in the blank. If your parents are arguing a great deal, you can \_\_\_\_\_ and ask God to help your family.
16. If you find yourself in a situation where you don't know the right thing to do, what should you do? Circle the correct answer.
- A. Don't make a decision.
  - B. Ask a friend.
  - C. Ask God to show you the way He wants you to go.

Remember, the important thing is that God will always be there for you. He hears every prayer you give to Him and no matter what kind of problem you face, you can go to Him for help. This week, tie some yarn around your wrist to remind you to pray about all things in your life, especially the things that are too big for you to handle on your own.

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1. Get angry. Ask for help from a friend or family member.  
Consult the manual.
2. God.
3. She had no children.
4. The tabernacle.
5. God.
6. A son.
7. C.
8. True.
9. Samuel.
10. A.
11. Prophets.
12. C.
13. D.
14. B.
15. Pray.
16. C.