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## LESSONS LEARNED

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*So Eli told Samuel, "Go and lie down, and if he calls you, say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place. The Lord came and stood there, calling as at the other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" Then Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening."*

1 SAMUEL 3:9-10 (NIV)

**Lesson:** Sometimes I need to \_\_\_\_\_ up.

**Practice:** Find time \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ .

*"For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father's family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?"*

ESTHER 4:14 (NIV)

**Lesson:** Sometimes I need to \_\_\_\_\_ up.

**Practice:** Look for opportunities to \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ for others.

*From there Elisha went up to Bethel. As he was walking along the road, some boys came out of the town and jeered at him. "Get out of here, baldy!" they said. "Get out of here, baldy!" He turned around, looked at them and called down a curse on them in the name of the Lord. Then two bears came out of the woods and mauled forty-two of the boys. And he went on to Mount Carmel and from there returned to Samaria.*

**2 KINGS 2:23-25 (NIV)**

**Lesson:** Sometimes I need to \_\_\_\_\_ up.

**Practice:** \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_ , and  
\_\_\_\_\_ .

*Some time after this, Jesus crossed to the far shore of the Sea of Galilee (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), and a great crowd of people followed him because they saw the signs he had performed by healing the sick. Then Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down with his disciples. The Jewish Passover Festival was near. When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?" He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "It would take more than half a year's wages to buy enough bread for each one to have a bite!" Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?" Jesus said, "Have the people sit down." There was plenty of grass in that place, and they sat down (about five thousand men were there). Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish.*

**JOHN 6:1-11 (NIV)**

**Lesson:** Sometimes I need to \_\_\_\_\_ up.

**Practice:** Pay attention to what God's up to and ask,

"What do I \_\_\_\_\_ that can \_\_\_\_\_ ?"

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