Discussion Questions Course 306–1

Large Group

- 1. When Chris has a dream about the boy who broke into his home, Joy thinks it's a sign that Chris should help him. But Chris has doubts—isn't he too young to make a difference?
- 2. Have you ever thought that you were too little or too young to serve God? Why or why not?
- 3. What did Joy think that Chris' dream meant?
- 4. Did Chris agree that his dream had a deeper meaning?
- 5. Did Gizmo's interpretation of the dream help Chris?
- 6. As soon as you become teenagers, you can be an example to others, right?

Small Group

Game

1. In the video, Joy asked Chris if Samuel was the one Superbook wanted them to meet. What did Chris answer?

Teaching

- 1. Point to the blocks on the table. Why do you think that there is only one block to represent Samuel instead of a tall stack?
- 2. Luke 16:10. Do you know who said this?
- 3. Which part of the verse describes Samuel's dedication to serving the Lord?
- 4. Which part of the verse describes Eli's sons, Hophni and Phinehas?
- 5. 1 Samuel 2:12–13a. The two men did not respect God or place any value on serving Him as priests. Was God pleased with Hophni and Phinehas?
- 6. Were the people pleased with them? Why not?
- 7. 1 Samuel 2:18. What happened when the people told Eli about the evil things his sons were doing?

Discipleship Challenge

1. A good way to start your prayer is to say what Samuel said. What did he say?

Additional Activities

Example Game

- 1. Who are some people that you think are good role models—people you look up to and admire, and who are good examples to follow? Why?
- 2. How is Samuel a good example to follow?
- 3. Who is the best example we can ever follow?
- 4. Why is Jesus the best example?
- 5. How can our words and action reflect our faith?

Serving Game

- 1. Samuel served God by serving Eli in the Tabernacle. In the video, do you remember what Samuel was doing outside the entrance to the Tabernacle?
- 2. Is that serving?

Rhythm Game

- 1. What are some ways that we saw young Samuel serve in the video?
- 2. What are some ways we can serve God by serving people at home, school, church, or in the neighborhood?

Bible Study

2 Kings 22:1-2

- 1. How old was Josiah when he became king?
- 2. What is today's Super Verse reference?
- 3. How can the SuperVerse be applied to Josiah?
- 4. What do you think some people may have thought at the time?
- 5. Looking at verse 2, do you think Josiah was a good example to follow; why?
- 6. Was Josiah a good example to follow for only a few years?

2 Kings 23:25

- 1. What does this verse tell us about King Josiah?
- 2. Does loving God with your heart, soul, and strength sound familiar? Who said that this was the greatest commandment?

John 6:8-13

- 1. In verses 8–9, what are some things that Andrew may have been thinking?
- 2. Did Jesus send the boy away and tell him to come back when he was older?
- 3. How did the young boy serve Jesus that day?
- 4. What was Jesus able to do with the boy's unselfish offering?
- 5. Was there barely enough to go around for the people?
- 6. How can this inspire you to serve God today and not wait until you are older?
- 7. What do you think Jesus can do with what you have?