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### God Talked to People Long Ago

God talks to His people. When God created Adam and Eve, He talked to them. He called Abraham to follow Him. He talked to Moses on the mountain. And He talked to a little boy named Samuel.

Samuel was lying in bed when he heard a voice calling him. He thought it was Eli calling him, so he went in and answered him. But Eli told him to go back to bed, so he did.

Two more times he heard the voice and went to Eli. Finally, Eli said, ask the voice what it wants. So Samuel answered the voice, "Speak, Lord, for you servant hears."

And God answered Samuel. He told him about things that were going to happen. He told Samuel what He wanted him to do.

God spoke to man people in this way. God told them what they needed to know so that they could do God's work.

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### Discussion Questions

1. Can you name two men that God talked to?
2. At what time of day did God call Samuel?
3. Did Samuel see God?
4. What did Samuel say to God?

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### Memory Verse

*Speak, Lord, for you servant hears. Then the Lord said to Samuel, Behold I am about to do a thing in Israel.*

**1 Samuel 3.10-11**

