

Hannah – A Woman Of Faith

1 Samuel 1 – 2:10

Women Of Faith Have Real Problems – 1 Samuel 1:1-8

- ▣ Could not have children. 1 Samuel 1:1-5; cf. Deuteronomy 7:13-14; Psalms 127:3-4
- ▣ Provoked by her rival. 1 Samuel 1:6-8

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- ▣ Lessons learned:
 - The righteous suffer. cf. Job (chapter 1)
 - The righteous are ridiculed. cf. Sarah despised. (Genesis 16:3-5)
 - The righteous trust the Lord. 1 Samuel 1:7
 - Hannah worshiped the Lord, year after year.
 - My loyalty to the Lord is not dependent upon someone else! (cf. Genesis 3:12-13)

Women Of Faith Pray 1 Samuel 1:9-18

- ▣ With bitterness of soul (miserable). 1 Samuel 1:10
- ▣ With weeping in anguish. 1 Samuel 1:10
- ▣ Offers of a solemn vow. 1 Samuel 1:11
- ▣ With persistence. 1 Samuel 1:12
- ▣ With her heart. 1 Samuel 1:13
- ▣ With all her soul. 1 Samuel 1:15-16
- ▣ With faith in God's promise. 1 Samuel 1:18

Women Of Faith Pray 1 Samuel 1:9-18

- ▣ Lessons learned:
 - Pray fervently. Colossians 4:2
 - Hannah poured out her soul before Jehovah. (1:15)
 - Pray persistently. Colossians 4:2
 - Hannah continued praying. (1:12)
 - Pray faithfully. 1 John 5:14-15
 - Hannah believed that God would answer her prayers. (1:17-18)
 - Power of prayer. cf. James 4:8; 1 Peter 3:12; Hebrews 4:14-16

Women Of Faith Blessed 1 Samuel 1:19-20

- ▣ The Lord remembered her. 1 Samuel 1:19
- ▣ The Lord gave her a son, named Samuel ("heard of God"). 1 Samuel 1:20, 27

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- ▣ Lessons learned:
 - God cares. 1 Peter 5:6-7
 - God answers prayer. 1 John 5:14-15
 - We must abide in His words. John 15:7
 - Selfish prayers will not be answered. James 4:3-4

Women Of Faith Keep Promises 1 Samuel 1:21-28

- ▣ Planned to keep her promise. 1 Samuel 1:22
- ▣ Carried out her promise. 1 Samuel 1:24-28

Women Of Faith Keep Promises 1 Samuel 1:21-28

- ▣ Lessons learned:
 - We should keep our vows. Ecclesiastes 5:4-5; Matthew 5:33-37; cf. James 5:12
 - We should worship the Lord! cf. Job 1:20

Women Of Faith Are Thankful 1 Samuel 1:1-10

- ▣ Praised the Lord for His help.

1 Samuel 2:1 "My heart rejoiceth in the Lord, mine horn is exalted in the Lord: my mouth is enlarged over mine enemies; because I rejoice in thy salvation." KJV

Women Of Faith Are Thankful 1 Samuel 1:1-10

- ▣ Lessons learned:
 - We should rejoice in what we have. *1 Thessalonians 5:16 "Rejoice always."* Philippians 4:4-7
 - We should offer praise for blessings received. Psalms 148; Hebrews 13:15; cf. Romans 1:21

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- ▣ Experiences problems.
- ▣ Prays.
- ▣ Blessed.
- ▣ Keeps promises.
- ▣ Is Thankful.