



God Will Help You

Samuel and Saul
1 Samuel 10:1, 6-8, 20-26

Granny B stood by the garden gate waiting patiently for Delbert and Lello to join her. Before long, she heard their footsteps coming her way. She waved when she saw them come around the corner.

"Hello, little ones!" Granny B called joyfully.

"Hi, Granny B!" they both called with big smiles on their faces.

"Lello, guess what?" Granny B said.

"What?" Lello asked.

"I have chosen you to do something very special today," Granny B replied excitedly.

Lello's eyes grew huge as she answered meekly, "You have? Oh no!" With that, Lello quickly ducked behind the fence.

Delbert whispered to Granny B, "Maybe she's afraid of what you want her to do."

Granny B replied loud enough for Lello to hear, "Oh Delbert, I wouldn't have chosen her if I thought she couldn't do it."

"Haw! I know that, Granny B! I'm sure Lello can do what you have planned for her!" Delbert agreed loudly, hoping Lello had heard him.

Lello cautiously looked over the fence. "Really? You think I can do it?"

"Of course, but before I tell you what I have in mind, I have a story for you. Would you like to hear it?" Granny B asked.

Delbert and Lello both nodded yes.

"This is the story of Samuel and Saul from the Bible. Samuel told Saul that God had chosen him," Granny B began.

"Haw, what was Saul chosen to do?" Delbert asked curiously.

"God had chosen Saul to be king," Granny B answered.

"Baa, was he nervous?" Lello asked quietly.

"I'm sure he was a little nervous but Samuel told Saul that God would be with him. At first, Saul hid behind some bags. But the people brought him out and cheered, 'Long live the king!'" Granny B finished.

"Haw! Lello, this is just like you today. When God chooses us to do something special, He will help us do it!" Delbert told his friend.

Lello smiled broadly. "You're right, Delbert. Granny B, what did you choose for me to do today?"

Granny B smiled sweetly at Lello and rubbed behind her ears. "Lello, I have chosen you to pick which new plants to put in the garden. The seasons are changing, and it's time to add new vegetables and flowers."

Lello's face showed her pride in being the one chosen for such an important job. "Oh, Granny B! I'd love to do that!" she sang out as she danced around the garden.

"Haw! I just remembered that my dad said he had chosen something special for me to do. I've got to go find him and see what it is. I'll see you guys later!" Delbert called out and ran toward the barn.

Lello and Granny B waved goodbye and walked around the garden while they talked about which new plants to add.