



Worship Illustration: Script
The Adventures of Delbert and Lello
Prophets & Promises Part 2: Elijah through Malachi
Unit 7, Lesson 36

Elisha and His Little Room

2 Kings 4:8-11

Suggested setting: The Prophets & Promises puppet scripts adapt to any setting such as a garden, forest, farm, or stable. Once or twice a year, a set change or addition to the set is recommended for added interest. Decorate with colorful flowers, butterflies, birds, and ladybugs. Puppets can pop out from behind a window, hedge, tree hollow, stonewall, etc. For a simple, portable puppet stage, puppets can pop up from behind a colorful blanket hung on a rod or from behind a card table turned on its side. Adjust setting and puppet names according to available puppeteers and resources.

Characters: Delbert the Donkey and Lello the Lamb are good friends who are always excited to learn more about Jesus and the Bible. The leader is the children's teacher or worship leader dressed in regular clothing or in costume consistent with the set (a gardener, a farmer, etc.) The leader helps children focus on the puppets and leads group interaction.

Leader (stands at puppet stage)
It's time to call for Delbert and Lello.
Repeat after me, "Dehhhhhl-bert
Dehhhhhl-bert!" (Children repeat and Delbert the Donkey pops his head out of the window.) **Hellohhhhhhhhhhhh Lello!"**
(Children repeat and Lello the Lamb pops her head out of the window.)

Delbert
Hee Haw! Hello everybody!

Lello (bleats)
Yeah. Hello every-bahhh-dy. Are we going to hear more about Elijah? I love hearing about God's power.

Delbert
Haw! Me, too.

Leader
Someone else loved those stories and wanted to be just like Elijah when he grew up.

Delbert
Who is it?

Leader
Elisha.

Lello
No, I think Delbert meant, "Who wanted to be like Elijah?"

Leader
Elisha.

Delbert
Haw! I'm confused. How could Elijah want to be like himself?

Leader
Delbert, I'm saying Eli-shhha, not Elijah.

Lello

Oooh. Tell us about Eli-shhha!

Leader

Well, after Elijah, Elisha started pointing others to God, just as Elijah had done. He went to many places to tell everyone about God's power.

Delbert

Haw! That's sound like fun!

Leader

There was a family Elisha visited when he traveled nearby. They knew he was one of God's special helpers, so they built him a special room.

Lello

Oooh. How nice. Elisha had his own special room in their home.

Delbert

I wish I could have built a special little room for Elijah.

Lello

(whispers) Psst. Not Elijah, it was Eli-shhha.

Delbert

Oops. Eli-shha! They made a special room for Eli-shaa!

Leader

We can each do something for God's special helpers when they come for a visit.

Delbert

Like make their room special?

Leader

Or, make them a special gift?

Lello

Yeah. Like a special guest blanket. That way our guest knows we love them. Delbert, let's go make blankets together!

Delbert

Haw! Then, we can take care of God's helpers, too!

Leader

That's right!

Delbert

Lello, let's go. I'm so excited! See you guys later.

Lello

Yeah. Bah-bye every-bahhh-dy!

Leader

We'll see you soon.

(All exit.)