

# A Devotional About Making Wise Choices

Read: 1 Samuel 16:7 NlrV

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## God Looks at Your Heart

We often think being big, strong, or fast makes you the best. But God sees differently! In our Bible story, Samuel looked for a king. He saw strong, tall brothers, but God said He looks at your heart. God cares if you're kind, love Him, and try to do right. David was just a shepherd, but God saw his heart!

Draw a heart below:

Remember, God LOOKS at your heart!

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## Listen to God's Wisdom

Sometimes, it's hard to know what to do. Samuel had a hard choice to make, picking a king! But he listened to God, and God helped him make the wise choice to pick David. When you listen to God, He helps you make wise choices, too.

**Think about a time you had to make a choice. Did you listen to God with that choice?**

**God can help you make the wise choice.**

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## Brave and Wise

David was chosen by God, but he was still just a shepherd boy. Then, a BIG problem came along—a giant named Goliath! Everyone else was scared, but David was brave because he knew God would help him. He didn't need big, heavy armor; he used what he had, a sling and a stone, and David trusted God. That was a wise choice! David defeated the giant because he trusted God!

**ASK a grown-up to tell you about a time they had to be brave and make a wise choice.**

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## God Gives Wisdom

God wants to help you make wise choices every single day! The Bible says wisdom is better than gold. The best way to get it is to ask God. You can also find wisdom by reading your Bible and listening to others who follow Jesus.

Pray today, thanking God for His wisdom! "Dear God, thank You for being so wise. Help me make wise choices today and every day. Help me listen to You as I read Your Word, the Bible. I love You, Amen."

**THANK God for giving you wisdom!**

