

## 更美的生命 15 – 聆聽上帝

### Higher Life 15 – Listen To God

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撒 3 : 10

1Sam 3 : 10

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上帝在說話，你在聆聽嗎？

God speaks. Are you ready to listen?

#### **A) 要聆聽上帝 LISTEN TO GOD**

勃逆之子 Sons of disobedience

Eli's two sons 以利的兩兒子

1 Samuel 2:12-17 撒 2 : 12-17

*“Now the sons of Eli were corrupt; they did not know the LORD. And the priests' custom with the people was that when any man offered a sacrifice, the priest's servant would come with a three-pronged fleshhook in his hand while the meat was boiling. Then he would thrust it into the pan, or kettle, or caldron, or pot; and the priest would take for himself all that the fleshhook brought up. So they did in Shiloh to all the Israelites who came there. Also, before they burned the fat, the priest's servant would come and say to the man who sacrificed, "Give meat for roasting to the priest, for he will not take*

*boiled meat from you, but raw." And if the man said to him, "They should really burn the fat first; then you may take as much as your heart desires," he would then answer him, "No, but you must give it now; and if not, I will take it by force." Therefore the sin of the young men was very great before the LORD, for men abhorred the offering of the LORD." (1Sam 2:12-17 NKJV)*

「以利的兩個兒子是惡人，不認識耶和華。這二祭司待百姓是這樣的規矩：凡有人獻祭，正煮肉的時候，祭司的僕人就來，手拿三齒的叉子，將叉子往罐裡，或鼎裡，或釜裡，或鍋裡一插，插上來的肉，祭司都取了去。凡上到示羅的以色列人，他們都是這樣看待。又在未燒脂油以前，祭司的僕人就來對獻祭的人說：「將肉給祭司，叫他烤吧。他不要煮過的，要生的。」獻祭的人若說：「必須先燒脂油，然後你可以隨意取肉。」僕人就說：「你立時給我，不然我便搶去。」如此，這二少年人的罪在耶和華面前甚重了，因為他們藐視耶和華的祭物（或作：他們使人厭棄給耶和華獻祭）。」（撒下 2：12-17）

以利縱容自己兩兒子，過於尊重神

Eli knew the wickedness of his sons, but he DOES NOT discipline them. He did not remove them from their office as he should have.

*"Now Eli was very old; and he heard everything his sons did to all Israel, and how they lay with the women who assembled at the door of the tabernacle of meeting. So he said to them, "Why do you do such things? For I hear of your evil dealings from all the people. No, my sons! For it is not a good report that I hear. You make the LORD's people transgress. If one man sins against another, God will judge him. But if a man sins against the LORD, who will intercede for him?" (1Sam 2:22-25 NKJV)*

「以利年甚老邁，聽見他兩個兒子待以色列眾人的事，又聽見他們與會幕門前伺候的婦人苟合，他就對他們說：「你們為何行這樣的事呢？我從這眾百

姓聽見你們的惡行。我兒啊，不可這樣！我聽見你們的風聲不好，你們使耶和華的百姓犯了罪。人若得罪人，有士師審判他；人若得罪耶和華，誰能為他祈求呢？」然而他們還是不聽父親的話，因為耶和華想要殺他們。」（撒  
上 2：22-25）

上帝放棄以利，另興起合祂心意，聽祂說話的僕人

In 1Samuel 2:35 God told Eli:

*“Then I will raise up for Myself a faithful priest who shall do according to what is in My heart and in My mind. I will build him a sure house, and he shall walk before My anointed forever.” (1Sam 2:35 NKJV)*

「我要為自己立一個忠心的祭司；他必照我的心意而行。我要為他建立堅固的家；他必永遠行在我的受膏者面前。」（撒上 2：35）

當時上帝不多有啟示 In those days, there was no much revelation

「當那些日子，耶和華的言語稀少，不常有默示。」（撒上 3：1 下）

*“And the word of the LORD was rare in those days; there was no widespread revelation.” (1Sam 3:1b)*

撒母耳—聽命的僕人

**Samuel – a priest who LISTEN to God**

撒母耳聆聽上帝的話由撒上 3：1-10 開始

And that LISTENING began right here in I Samuel 3:1-10

*“Now the boy Samuel ministered to the LORD before Eli. And the word of the LORD was rare in those days; there was no widespread revelation. And it came to pass at that time, while Eli was lying down in his place, and when his eyes had begun to grow so dim that he could not see, and before the lamp*

*of God went out in the tabernacle of the LORD where the ark of God was, and while Samuel was lying down, that the LORD called Samuel. And he answered, "Here I am!" So he ran to Eli and said, "Here I am, for you called me." And he said, "I did not call; lie down again." And he went and lay down. Then the LORD called yet again, "Samuel!" So Samuel arose and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." He answered, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." (Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, nor was the word of the LORD yet revealed to him.) And the LORD called Samuel again the third time. So he arose and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you did call me." Then Eli perceived that the LORD had called the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and it shall be, if He calls you, that you must say, 'Speak, LORD, for Your servant hears.' " So Samuel went and lay down in his place. Now the LORD came and stood and called as at other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel answered, "Speak, for Your servant hears."(1Sam 3:1-10 NKJV)*

「童子撒母耳在以利面前事奉耶和華。當那些日子，耶和華的言語稀少，不常有默示。一日，以利睡臥在自己的地方；他眼目昏花，看不分明。神的燈在神耶和華殿內約櫃那裡，還沒有熄滅，撒母耳已經睡了。耶和華呼喚撒母耳。撒母耳說：「我在這裡！」就跑到以利那裡，說：「你呼喚我？我在這裡。」以利回答說：「我沒有呼喚你，你去睡吧。」他就去睡了。耶和華又呼喚撒母耳。撒母耳起來，到以利那裡，說：「你呼喚我？我在這裡。」以利回答說：「我的兒，我沒有呼喚你，你去睡吧。」那時撒母耳還未認識耶和華，也未得耶和華的默示。耶和華第三次呼喚撒母耳。撒母耳起來，到以利那裡，說：「你又呼喚我？我在這裡。」以利才明白是耶和華呼喚童子。因此以利對撒母耳說：「你仍去睡吧；若再呼喚你，你就說：『耶和華啊，請說，僕人敬聽！』」撒母耳就去，仍睡在原處。耶和華又來站著，像前三次呼喚說：「撒母耳啊！撒母耳啊！」撒母耳回答說：「請說，僕人敬聽！」（撒下 3：1-10）

ILL: Mary and Martha (Luke 10:39-42)

馬大與馬利亞 (路 10：39-42)

馬利亞 – 聽主的話

馬大 – 想主耶穌聽她的話

Repeatedly throughout the Bible God says “LISTEN TO ME!”

整本聖經中，上帝藉祂僕人一再吩咐我們要聽祂。

*“Therefore hear, O Israel, and be careful to observe it, that it may be well with you, and that you may multiply greatly as the LORD God of your fathers has promised you—'a land flowing with milk and honey.'” (Deut 6:3)*

「以色列啊，你要聽，要謹守遵行，使你可以在那流奶與蜜之地得以享福，人數極其增多，正如耶和華你列祖的神所應許你的。」（申6：3）

*“Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one!” (Deut 6:4)*

「以色列啊，你要聽！耶和華我們神是獨一的主。」（申6：4）

*“Give ear, O heavens, and I will speak; And hear, O earth, the words of my mouth.”(Deut 32:1)*

「諸天哪，側耳，我要說話；願地也聽我口中的言語。」（申32：1）

Jesus declared 主耶穌宣告

*“My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me.” (John 10:27)*

「我的羊聽我的聲音，我也認識他們，他們也跟著我。」（約10：27）

## **B) 如何可以聽到神的話 HOW CAN WE LISTEN TO GOD’S WORD**

**#1: 禱告的習慣 #1 – Praying habit**

*“Moreover, as for me, far be it from me that I should sin against the LORD in ceasing to pray for you; but I will teach you the good and the right way.”  
(1Sam 12:23)*

「至於我，斷不停止為你們禱告，以致得罪耶和華。我必以善道正路指教你們。」（撒下 12：23）

## **#2 – 開放的耳朵 #2 - Open ears**

*“Now the LORD came and stood and called as at other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel answered, "Speak, for Your servant hears.” “ (1Sam 3:10*

「耶和華又來站著，像前三次呼喚說：「撒母耳啊！撒母耳啊！」撒母耳回答說：「請說，僕人敬聽！」（撒下 3：10）

當你代禱／禱告／讀經時，開放你的心耳，聆聽主的話

During your prayer/intercession/read the Bible, open your ear/heart, listen to His words

## **#3 – 聽從的心靈 #3 - Obedient heart**

*“Then I will raise up for Myself a faithful priest who shall do according to what is in My heart and in My mind. I will build him a sure house, and he shall walk before My anointed forever.” (1Sam 2:35)*

「我要為自己立一個忠心的祭司；他必照我的心意而行。我要為他建立堅固的家；他必永遠行在我的受膏者面前。」（撒下 2：35）

God speaks to obedient sons 上帝向順命之子說話

## 結語 CONCLUSION

*“ So Samuel said: "Has the LORD as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, As in obeying the voice of the LORD? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, And to heed than the fat of rams.” (1Sam 15:22 )*

「撒母耳說：耶和華喜悅燔祭和平安祭，豈如喜悅人聽從他的話呢？聽命勝於獻祭；順從勝於公羊的脂油。」（撒 15：22）

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Responding Song 回應歌：“復與更新改變” “Making a difference”

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背經：

撒 12:23 “至於我，斷不停止為你們禱告，以致得罪耶和華。”

### 問題討論：

經文：

「耶和華又來站著，像前三次呼喚說：「撒母耳啊！撒母耳啊！」撒母耳回答說：「請說，僕人敬聽！」」（撒 3：10）

主題：聆聽上帝

1. 如何得知上帝想我們聽祂的話？
2. 當你禱告或讀經時，有沒有嘗試等候聆聽神的聲音？抑或只單向地向神禱告。
3. 神喜歡向怎樣的人多講說話？你可怎樣預備自己，隨時聆聽神的說話？
4. 怎樣分辨是神的心意，抑或只是自己的心意？

