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Mimi ni kusikiliza Bwana

1 Samweli 3:1-20

Kifungu hiki kinatupa fursa muhimu ya kuendeleza uwezo wetu wa kutambua na kujibu kwa hiari kwa kuongoza kwa Bwana-hata wakati ni vigumu.

Sauti inayoita Samweli haikuwa ndani yake. Mungu alivunja ulimwengu wa Samweli. Eli alimsaidia kutambua kwamba alikuwa Bwana akisema. Kwa bidii kama ujumbe wa Mungu ulikuwa, ilikuwa sawa na ukweli, na Eli alikubali. Kama sura inaendelea, Samweli alikuwa anajulikana kwa kusema kwa uaminifu kwa ajili ya Mungu, na si kwa sababu ya ubinafsi.

Je! Jumuiya ya imani inathibitisha kile unachoamini Mungu anachokuambia?

Ni mtu aliyekusaidia kutambua sauti ya Mungu?

Je! Unahusishwa na waumini kukusaidia kuimarisha uhusiano wako na Kristo, na kuifanya sauti yake?

Je! Unapatikana kufanya kazi ya Bwana, Njia Yake?

Je! Kuna nafasi katika maisha yako ambapo unapuza mwongozo wa Bwana, umeonekana umeondolewa na hayo, na hauoni tena kuwa ni sawa? Ikiwa haijulikani, kumwomba Bwana akuwe wazi kwa wewe.

Ikiwa ndio, Tubuni, ukiri dhambi yako, usamehe msamaha wa Mungu, na ubadili tabia yako.

Inaweza kupuuza sauti ya Mungu kufanya Neno Lake liwe nadra leo?

Je! Unapatikana ili kushauri na kushiriki imani yako kwa Mungu, na ujuzi na sauti Yake-na mtu mwingine?

Wiki ijayo: *Yona 3:1-5, 10*

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1 Samuel 3:1-20

This passage gives us the invaluable opportunity to develop our ability to recognize and respond willingly to the Lord's leading—even when it is difficult.

The voice calling Samuel was not within him. God broke into Samuel's world. Eli helped him realize it was the Lord speaking. As hard as God's message was, it was in harmony with truth, and Eli accepted it. As the chapter unfolds, Samuel was known to speak faithfully for God, and not out of selfish motivation.

Does the community of faith affirm what you believe God is saying to you?

Is someone helping you discern the voice of God?

Are you engaged with believers helping you nurture your relationship with Christ, and entertain His voice?

Are you available to do the Lord's work, His way?

Is there a place in your life where you ignore the Lord's guidance, have seemingly gotten away with it, and no longer see it as wrong? If unsure, ask the Lord to make it plain to you. If yes, Repent, confess your sin, accept the forgiveness of God, and change your behavior.

Could ignoring God's voice make His Word rare today?

Are you available to mentor and share your faith in God, and familiarity with His voice—with someone else?

Next week: *Jonah 3:1-5, 10*

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MASOMO YA MAANDIKO YA WIKI HII:

Leo: *Zaburi 63:1-8 (Mungu anakuambia nini?)*

Jumatatu: *Yohana 1: 35-51*

Jumanne: *Mathayo 4: 17-22*

Jumatano: *Luka 9:23-27, 57-62*

Alhamisi: *Mathayo 10:34-42*

Ijumaa: *Mathayo 11:25-30*

Jumamosi: *Mathayo 19:16-30*

Mungu Mwenye Nguvu, Wewe ambaye huwaita watu wako daima kwa wewe mwenyewe, tututekeleze kwa uwezo wa Roho Mtakatifu wako katika uhusiano wa joto na wajibu ambao tunaweza kukufuata kwa uaminifu siku zote za maisha yetu. Tunasali kwa jina la Yesu Kristo, Amen.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THIS WEEK:

Today: *Psalm 63:1-8 (What is God saying to you?)*

Monday: *John 1:35-51*

Tuesday: *Matthew 4:17-22*

Wednesday: *Luke 9:23-27, 57-62*

Thursday: *Matthew 10:34-42*

Friday: *Matthew 11:25-30*

Saturday: *Matthew 19:16-30*

Almighty God, You Who continually call Your people to Yourself, draw us by the power of Your Holy Spirit into such a warm and binding relationship that we may faithfully follow You all the days of our lives.
We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.