

Sermon Notes

Historical Books #12

Sermon Title: Hannah: A Godly Mother #2
Speaker: Pastor Dan Cleghorn

Passage: 1 Samuel 1:10-2:11
Date: September 3, 2017

I. The Book of Samuel (1 & 2 Samuel)

II. The Mother of Samuel

A. Hannah's Grief – 1 Samuel 1:1–10

B. Hannah's Prayer – 1 Samuel 1:10–19

will give (vs. 11) = to give...devote, consecrate, dedicate...entrust, deliver up (James Strong, *Enhanced Strong's Lexicon* (Woodside Bible Fellowship, 1995).

C. Hannah's Lending – 1 Samuel 1:20–28

lent (vs. 28) = returned him, whom I have obtained by petition, to the Lord; to dedicate

D. Hannah's Song – 1 Samuel 2:1–11

Treasures from 1 Samuel – Hannah has left her little boy at the Temple now and has gone her way without the pitter patter of little footsteps at her side. They are now a shadow of the past. Little fingers no longer find warmth in her hands as she journeys back to her home. She has kept her vow to God and given her son, her only son, to the Lord for service in God's work. Her dedication, devotion, and sacrifice moved the heart of God because this is exactly what God was going to do for you and me when He gave His only son Jesus to die for our sins. Think, how would you feel if you were Hannah at this point. You would reason this mother would probably be very sad, feeling sorry for herself, down, depressed, and distraught. Not Hannah!...She is bursting at the seams with joy, not sadness. (Rod Mattoon, *Mattoon's Treasures – Treasures from 1 Samuel*, (Springfield, IL: Lincoln Land Baptist Church, n.d.), WORDsearch CROSS e-book, 44.)