

Sermon Outline: 6.21.26

Sermon Title: **A Boyish Man & A Manly Boy**
Sermon Text: Various in 1st Samuel 2-3

(Title graphic attached)



Eli, The Boyish Man

He knew right but didn't do right.

(1st Samuel 2:12, 2:22-24, 2:29)

He lost his connection with God.

(1st Samuel 2:12, 2:22-24, 2:29)

Samuel, The Manly Boy

He was ready to learn right and do right.

(1st Samuel 2:18, 2:21, 2:35) (Matthew 25:21)

He was available to hear from God.

(1st Samuel 3:1-9, 3:10)

He had the courage to obey God.

(1st Samuel 3:11-21) (1st Samuel 2:30)

**"The tragedy of Eli
is that he grew old without growing up.
The triumph of Samuel
is that he grew up before he grew old."**

(Possible background graphic attached)

