

SOME HUMOR IN CHURCH

Hopefully, over the weekend you had the opportunity to be in church and participate in Sabbath school or Sunday school, coming away motivated and inspired about your life and God's plan for you.

Those events allow us to learn about God's everlasting love for us and to praise and worship Him.

But we may also find humor in those settings. Just check out what happened when a Sunday school teacher asked the children in her class to take some time on Sunday afternoon to write a letter to God. They were to bring their letters back the following Sunday. Just read on:

- One little boy wrote, "Dear God, we had a good time at church today. Wish You could have been there."
- Another little boy wrote: "Dear God, thank you for my baby brother, but I prayed for a puppy."
- A little girl wrote: "Dear God, if You watch me in church on Sunday, I'll show you my new shoes!"
- Another interesting letter came from a young girl. "Dear God," she wrote, "please send me a real live pony. I promise I never asked for anything before. You can look it up." (There's a child confident about her prayer life – and seeking some sympathy from the Lord.)



I also read about another Sunday school teacher who was teaching the Ten Commandments to her preschool class. After explaining the commandment, "Honor thy father and thy mother," she asked, "Is there a commandment that teaches us how to treat our brothers and sisters?"

Without missing a beat, one little girl answered, "Thou shalt not kill."

As we begin a busy week, perhaps this has enabled some reflection on your church experience over the weekend – and provided a little laughter to the start of your day.

A merry heart doeth good like a medicine (Proverbs 17:22 KJV).

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