



GOD MADE YOU TO BE YOU

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REMEMBER

We are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared ahead of time for us to do. —Ephesians 2:10

READ

Zephaniah 3:17. You are so delightful to God that He just has to sing about it! What makes you so delightful? You are His workmanship. That means you were created by Him. God not only created you, but He created you with a purpose—and it's a good purpose. But it's probably different from your mom's purpose, your dad's purpose, your best friend's purpose, and your neighbor's purpose. God made each of us wonderfully special (Psalm 139:14), and He gave each of us our own job to do! That's what Sammi discovered in this story.

THINK

1. When the story begins, Sammi is excited and happy, but then he becomes very sad. Why was Sammi sad?
2. Sammi's friends encouraged him and cheered him up by showing him all the things he could do. Has anyone ever encouraged you when you felt down? How can you encourage a friend who is feeling sad?
3. What did Sammi learn by the end of the story? How did he change?
4. Instead of thinking about the things we aren't so good at, we can be excited about our differences and celebrate the way God has made each of us special. How are you different from your friends? What is something special about you? How can you each use your differences—your specialness—to change the world and tell others about God (Matthew 5:16)? Remember, you were made with a purpose. God made you to be you!