

A Selfish Bird

E-votional
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What does God Say?

Don't forget
to do good
and to share
what you
have with
those in need,
for such sac-
rifices are
very pleasing
to God.
Hebrews
13:16



Have you ever seen a cuckoo clock? Did you know that there really is a cuckoo bird? They are very selfish. When a mother cuckoo wants to lay her egg she does not build a nest, instead she looks for a bird that has already built a nest and places her egg inside of it. She lays her egg and flies away. When the baby cuckoo hatches, it usually shoves all of the others eggs out of the nest. It wants all of the food for itself.

How about you? Have you ever been selfish? Some children act just like this bird. They take things that are not theirs, and they want all of the attention that they can get. When they act this way, others don't want to be their friends. How about you? Have you ever had a selfish day? Remember we want to share and not be like the cuckoo bird!