

Read the following stories and consider how God would want us to act in these kinds of situations, as “**Creation Caretaker.**” Decisions in real life are not always easy.

### All-You-Can Eat

Andre was in line at an all-you-can-eat restaurant. There were breads, soups, salads, meat, pastas, desserts and as many refills on soft drinks as he could drink! He noticed many people in line and at their tables with so much food on their plates that they couldn’t possibly eat it all.

Andre suddenly felt uneasy. What was going on here? It was like everyone was greedy just because there was so much in front of them.



“Move along!” an impatient person behind him urged. Andre took the food he knew he could eat, and he enjoyed it. While he was eating, though, he noticed a lot of extra food left on some other people’s plates that was getting thrown away because they couldn’t eat it all. By the time he left, he decided not to come back to this restaurant again because it bothered him to feel the pressure to be greedy, and to notice how much was wasted.

Would you have made the same decision as Andre? Why or why not?

### Shoe Sale

Darrin needed a new pair of shoes. At the store there was a sale. If he bought one pair, he could get a second pair for 50% off. Darrin looked at the shoes. He only needed one new pair. But these were on sale! So he bought two pairs.

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Danielle needed a new pair of shoes. At the store there was a sale. She could get two pairs of shoes! It was a good sale, but she only needed one pair. She thought about it and decided to just get one pair.

Which would you do if you were in the same position as Darrin and Danielle? Why?



### Food Rules

- 1 Never take more than you can eat.
- 2 Don't throw food away.
- 3 Make sure everyone gets some.

