

Helping Out In My Family

Life is very busy living in a log cabin. There is so much work to do, and everyone is usually busy from sun up until sun down. There are many things that you must do to help the family. Write one thing that would be your job to do in each of the following



1. Your family has just moved to Buxton and have purchased a lot. The neighbours are having a cabin raising bee to build your family's home.



2. It is harvest time. The crops are ripe and ready to be brought in.



3. It is spring time. The weather is warmer now and it is time to plough the fields, and plant the new crop. There are many stones in the field that have to be removed before it can be planted.



4. It is wash day. Mother has a several loads of wash to be done. The tubs have to be filled and heated. The clothes have to be washed and rinsed. Then they have to be hung on the line to dry, and taken down when they have dried. The tubs have to be emptied, and the clothing folded and put away.



5. Your neighbour Henry Colbert has not been well for many weeks. Your mother and father have been helping Mr. Colbert in any way they can. They say it is important to do whatever you can to help your neighbour too.



6. Your church is having a strawberry social. The members will be bringing strawberries, and they will be making ice cream at the church. They will also serve cake that the members bring. Some of the members will be singing and reciting poems to entertain their guests.



7. The family is going to Chatham today. You will sell your eggs and turnips at the market. Then you will buy supplies at the store and return home to Buxton. It will be dark by the time you get home.
