

Honor

“All you can take with you is that which you have given away.”

—from It’s A Wonderful Life

Theme: Responsibility

Film: *It’s A Wonderful Life*

(Not Rated) 5:29

The Great Depression was a very scary time for people throughout the country. Many people lost their jobs and had no money. Only a few managed to stay on top of everything during these grim years, while others panicked. In this scene from one of the most popular movies of all time, George Bailey, the owner of the local Building Savings and Loan, has just gotten married and is about to use the money he has saved for years to take his bride on a big honeymoon...until he sees a crowd gathered outside his office, a crowd that is scared and desperate.

Watch Video Clip – Channel 67 – 7:40 a.m.

Teaser Question: Do businesses and customers have responsibilities to each other? Why?

Going Deeper: In the movie, George always puts others before himself. Some people say it is important to take care of yourself first. Should he have used his own money that he had been saving for his honeymoon?