

Small Group Study Questions

Week 2

1 Kings 17:1-7 (NASB 1995)

17 Now Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the settlers of Gilead, said to Ahab, "As the Lord, the God of Israel lives, before whom I stand, surely there shall be neither dew nor rain these years, except by my word." 2 The word of the Lord came to him, saying, 3 "Go away from here and turn eastward, and hide yourself by the brook Cherith, which is east of the Jordan. 4 It shall be that you will drink of the brook, and I have commanded the ravens to provide for you there." 5 So he went and did according to the word of the Lord, for he went and lived by the brook Cherith, which is east of the Jordan. 6 The ravens brought him bread and meat in the morning and bread and meat in the evening, and he would drink from the brook. 7 It happened after a while that the brook dried up, because there was no rain in the land.

QUICK REVIEW

What was one thing that Pastor Fred said in his sermon this past week that stands out to you?

DIGGING DEEPER When did you first realize that you were not dependent on your parents? What is the moment that a child no longer is dependent? Read 1 Kings 17:1 Has your life ever been impacted by a drought/famine? Was it (Or could it) be positive or negative? Did God really give Elijah this power, or is the power still God's? Read 1 Kings 17:2-4 According to these verses, who is Elijah going to be dependent on?

How comfortable would you be do what God is asking Elijah to do?

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Read 1 K	ings 17:5-0	6
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What is Elijah's response to God's command? Does this surprise you?

Read 1 Kings 17:7

What would your response be if this happened to you?

Can you truly say you depend on God? How can you grow in this part of your relationship with God?

TAKING IT HOME

Which point from this weekend's message or small group study is most important for you to remember?

PRAYER REQUEST



