

About This Resource

Do you know who the one true God is?

Who holds control in your life?

Who or what do you worship the most?

What does it look like to be gracious and just?

Who has never broken a promise?

This month we will be looking at 1 and 2 Kings and who God is. During this month we will get to know the one true God who is in control of all things, who deserves all worship and shows us how to be gracious, just and keep our promises. There is no one like our God and we pray we all come to know Him better as we walk through this curriculum.

Each session includes (60 – 75 minutes):

- ❖ **Share Time:** An opportunity for people to share where they saw God this week. (7 minutes)
- ❖ **Connection Time:** An activity to grow in relationship with each other. (8 minutes)
- ❖ **Worship:** Songs that speak the truth of the session. (10-15 minutes)
- ❖ **Teaching:** A video clip that dives into the chapter. (15-20 minutes)
- ❖ **Scripture Memory:** Tools to hide the word of God in your heart. (5-7 minutes)
- ❖ **Simple Spiritual Conversation Starters:** Questions that can easily transition to spiritual conversations (10-15 minutes)
- ❖ **Biblical Prayer:** Prompts to pray Scripture back to God (5 minutes)

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- Daily tools for personal growth and outreach
- Yearly conference information
- Free curriculum



Lesson #2: God Deserves To Be Worshipped

What you will need for this lesson:

Items to share with the class during the opening

The Bible verse printed out

Setup:

- Have the song videos and teaching videos pulled up on the computer.
- Prepare the tool for memorizing scripture.
- Put a list of past scriptures on the board to go over.
- Print a copy of the daily tools for each attendee.

Curriculum Note: As you walk through each daily tool, have your group write down who or when they could use that tool this week. This curriculum is a call and an expectation of action in this world. Let's equip, empower and encourage each other to live our lives 100% committed to Jesus every day.

Welcome: (Includes Share Time and Fun Friday)

Start the time together today by giving each person in the group something. Say the statement, "You Deserve It" as you hand the item to them. After you are done ask the question, "What Does God Deserve?" This will help your group start thinking about worshipping God.

At Full Send we love to celebrate what God is doing and that is why we want testimony time to be a part of every session. We believe that God has been moving throughout the week and want to celebrate with each other where we saw Him. **Before we start talking about the books of 1st and 2nd Kings let's share what God has been doing in our lives this week!** After a few people have shared praise God for His movement in your lives.

Worship: (Includes Tune In Thursday)

Listening and singing to God is a great way to connect with Him and hear Biblical truths. Encourage your group to either listen or sing along, whatever is best for them. As they engage with each song there will be a few questions to unpack what they heard and experienced.

Heart of Worship by Matt Redman -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gljs4N7ZoD4&list=RDgljs4N7ZoD4&start_radio=1

- **What is the heart of worship?**

Only a Holy God by CityAlight -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWsZov9KJ_U&list=RDOWsZov9KJ_U&start_radio=1

- **How should we respond to a Holy God?**

Word: (Includes Scripture Sunday, Memorize Monday and Watch It Wednesday)

Before we listen to the message from Karen let's read 2 Kings 17:34-41

Today we are going to hear from Karen Schumacher as she talks about how God deserves to be worshipped. <https://youtu.be/rzyiEww2lls>

Encourage people to take notes on the back of their sheet of daily tools as they listen to the teaching. **Ask them what stood out to them from the teaching or the scripture.**

Let's memorize 2 Kings 17:35-36 The Lord made a covenant with them and commanded them, "You shall not fear other gods or bow yourselves to them or serve them or sacrifice to them, but you shall fear the Lord, who brought you out of the land of Egypt with great power and with an outstretched arm. You shall bow yourselves to him, and to him you shall sacrifice.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ssyDZmLrBlg>

(Memory Verse put to song) – Listen to this before the activity

Today we are going to memorize this verse by putting it in order. Each group will be given 12 pieces of paper which contain sections of this passage. See if you can be the first team to put the phrases in the right order.

Witness: (Includes Table Talk Tuesday)

Now that we have read and studied about God deserving worship ask the group to answer the questions as they would. Then think about how others may answer the questions and how they can turn that into a spiritual conversation.

The questions of the day are: Do you ever have a hard time making choices? How do you end up making the choice? Who do you think deserves to be worshipped? Should God alone be worshipped why or why not?

As we process these questions, we hope that each person is prepared and equipped to use these questions in normal everyday conversations throughout the week.

Let's read 1 Kings 18:21

Truth: God is the only one worthy of Worship.

May this section be an encouragement to those who hear it, and may God fill them with the hope they can have in Jesus Christ.

Closing Prayer: (Includes Seek Him Saturday)

Each week we want to teach people how to pray scripture back to God. Sometimes it is as easy as speaking the text and other times it is using the concepts of the passage to say what is going on in our lives. **Let's finish our day by Praying 2 Kings 17:35-39 and repeat back to God His desire for you.**

Encourage the group to come back with stories of what God did this week and how He worked through these daily tools.

Scripture: 1 Kings 18 and 2 Kings 17

Topic: God Deserves Worship

Scripture Sunday:

Join me today in 1 Kings 18:20-21 and 2 Kings 17:34-41. What do you hear about worshipping God?

Memorize Monday:

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Table Talk Tuesday:

Talk: Do you ever have a hard time making choices? How do you end up making the choice? Who do you think deserves to be worshipped? Should God alone be worshipped why or why not?

Text: And Elijah came near to all the people and said, “How long will you go limping between two different opinions? If the Lord is God, follow him; but if Baal, then follow him.” And the people did not answer him a word. 1 Kings 18:21

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Watch it Wednesday:

Full Send 1st and 2nd Kings Whose Kingdom Come – God Deserves To Be Worshipped – Karen Schumacher <https://youtu.be/rzyiEww2lls>

Tune In Thursday:

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Only a Holy God by CityAlight -

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Fun Friday:

Our World today tells us that we deserve everything we want. Tonight bless someone around you who does not know Jesus with food, a fun activity, an item or all three. When you pay for those things say “You deserve it, for being so kind to me.” Throughout the night talk about what God deserves and what it looks like to give Him what He deserves.

Seek Him Saturday:

Pray 2 Kings 17:35-39 and repeat back to God His desire for you.