

FROM EMPTY TO OVERFLOWING

Part One of Series: OVERFLOW

July 4th & 5th, 2020 Pastors Kerry and Chris Shook

'Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life. ' 1 Timothy 6:17-19

"If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. Rivers of living water will brim and spill out of the depths of anyone who believes in Me this way...." John 7:38 (MSG)

"The wife of a man from the company of the prophets cried out to Elisha, 'Your servant my husband is dead, and you know that he revered the LORD. But now his creditor is coming to take my two boys as his slaves.' Elisha replied to her, 'How can I help you? Tell me, what do you have in your house?' 'Your servant has nothing there at all,' she said, 'except a small jar of olive oil.' Elisha said, 'Go around and ask all your neighbors for empty jars. Don't ask for just a few. Then go inside and shut the door behind you and your sons. Pour oil into all the jars, and as each is filled, put it to one side.' She left him and shut the door behind her and her sons. They brought the jars to her and she kept pouring. When all the jars were full, she said to her son, 'Bring me another one.' But he replied, 'There is not a jar left.' Then the oil stopped flowing. She went and told the man of God, and he said, 'Go, sell the oil and pay your debts. You and your sons can live on what is left.'" 2 Kings 4:1-7 (NIV)

WHERE DO YOU GO WHEN YOU'RE EMPTY?

1. GO TO GOD

"The wife of a man from the company of the prophets cried out to Elisha" 2 Kings 4:1 (NIV)

'May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. ' Romans 15:13 (NIV)

Daily Overflow at 8 am and 8 pm Monday – Friday

2. GO WITH WHAT YOU'VE GOT

"Elisha replied to her, 'How can I help you? Tell me what do you have in your house?'" 2 Kings 4:2a (NIV)

"Your servant has nothing there at all,' she said, 'except a small jar of olive oil.'" 2 Kings 4:2b (NIV)

3. GO OUT ON A LIMB

“Elisha said, ‘Go around and ask all your neighbors for empty jars. Don’t ask for just a few. Then go inside and shut the door behind you and your sons. Pour oil into all the jars and as each is filled, put it to one side.’” 2 Kings 4:3-4 (NIV)

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“Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you. See, darkness covers the earth and thick darkness is over the peoples, but the Lord rises upon you and his glory appears over you. ’ Isaiah 60:1-2 (NIV)