

Series

**ELIJAH:
AN ORDINARY MAN LEARNS HIS
EXTRAORDINARY GOD**

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1 Kings 17:1-4

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1 Kings 17:5-7

5. So he went and did according to the word of the LORD, for he went and stayed by the Brook Cherith, which flows into the Jordan. 6. The ravens brought him bread and meat in the morning, and bread and meat in the evening; and he drank from the brook.
7. And it happened after a while that the brook dried up, because there had been no rain in the land.

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Hidden life

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Provisions? ... on Me

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Swift obedience

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God's consistence faithfulness

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What up with dryness?

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And it happened after a while that the brook dried up, because there had been no rain in the land.

Lessons and challenges from being hidden at the brook

Recognize and accept when God is calling you to Himself for special 1-on-1 time by the brook.

Remember the brook was never your source; God was and is.

Dried brooks produce new opportunities to mature and for service to the Lord.

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