

Passing the Mantle 2 Kings 2:1-15

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One of the most monumental moments in the Old Testament is Elijah's ascension to heaven. For it was surrounded with a whirlwind and chariots of fire. Elijah joined Enoch as the only two men taken to heaven without tasting death. It cemented his already significant prophetic influence in Israel.

His life was spent doing more than miracles. He invested in Elisha and set him up as his successor. His last act serves a compelling guide as we follow the same Lord who worked so mightily through his ministry.

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•	As a follower of Jesus, my main mission is to how to follow Him.
	he prophetic succession from Elijah to Elisha, we see several nciples to follow.
	Faithfully – Perseverance when the road is hard (2:1–8).
	1 Kings 19:19-21, John 14:1-3
	your life into others – Invest in people (2:9–11).
	Is God calling you to invest in others through the Mission Kingdom Advance Initiative?
	Can you think of a spiritual mentor who invested in your life?
	God's Mission – Action: don't just watch, take up the mantle (2:12–15).
	What lies are stopping you from fulfilling God's Call?
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	Are you ready to the mantle and your life?

