

DAYS OF 50 QUARANTINE



# LORD, HELP US ALL.

# WEEK 6 Under the Circumstances 1KINGS 18, 19



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# 1 Kings 18:21

Elijah went before the people and said, "How long will you waver between two opinions? If the Lord is God, follow him; but if Baal is God, follow him."

But the people said nothing.







<sup>31</sup> Elijah took twelve stones, one for each of the tribes descended from Jacob, to whom the word of the Lord had come, saying, "Your name shall be Israel."





<sup>32</sup> With the stones he built an altar in the name of the Lord, and he dug a trench around it large enough to hold two seahs of seed.





<sup>33</sup> He arranged the wood, cut the bull into pieces and laid it on the wood. Then he said to them, "Fill four large jars with water and pour it on the offering and on the wood."





34 "Do it again," he said, and they did it again.

"Do it a third time," he ordered, and they did it the third time.

35 The water ran down around the altar and even filled the trench.





<sup>36</sup> At the time of sacrifice, the prophet Elijah stepped forward and prayed: "Lord, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel, let it be known today that you are God in Israel and that I am your servant and have done all these things at your command.

Answer me, Lord, answer me, so these people will know that you, Lord, are God, and that you are turning their hearts back again."





38 Then the fire of the Lord fell and burned up the sacrifice, the wood, the stones and the soil, and also licked up the water in the trench.





When all the people saw this, they fell prostrate and cried, "The LORD — he is God!"

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#### **Exodus 19:3**

<sup>3</sup> Elijah was afraid and ran for his life...



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#### **Exodus 19:4b**

4b ... "I have had enough, Lord," he said. "Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors."





#### **Exodus 19:7**

7 "Get up and eat, for the journey is too much for you."



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<sup>9</sup> And the word of the Lord came to him: "What are you doing here, Elijah?"





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<sup>11a</sup> The Lord said, "Go out and stand on the mountain in the presence of the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by."





11b Then a great and powerful wind tore the mountains apart and shattered the rocks before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake.

After the earthquake came a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire came a gentle whisper.
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15 The Lord said to him, "Go back the way you came, and go to the Desert of Damascus. When you get there, anoint Hazael king over Aram.





Also, anoint Jehu son of Nimshi king over Israel, and anoint Elisha son of Shaphat from Abel Meholah to succeed you as prophet.





17 Jehu will put to death any who escape the sword of Hazael, and Elisha will put to death any who escape the sword of Jehu.





# 1 Kings 19:18

18 "Yet I reserve seven thousand in Israel — all whose knees have not bowed down to Baal and whose mouths have not kissed him."









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