

God Works through Elisha – 2 Kings 4

I. Elisha and the Widow's Oil (v. 1-7)

1. Elisha meets a widow who is in debt and her sons are about to be taken as _____. (v. 1)
2. What did the widow have in her house? (v. 2) _____
3. Elisha instructed her to go and borrow as many _____ as she could. (v. 3)
4. How many vessels were filled from the jar of oil? (v.5-6) _____
5. What was the widow to do with all of the oil? (v. 7) _____
6. In following Elisha's instruction, the widow demonstrated _____. (Matthew 21:21)

II. Elisha and the Shunammite Woman's Son (v. 8-37)

7. What godly trait is demonstrated by the woman during Elisha's visits? (v. 8-10) _____
8. What was lacking in the woman's life? (v. 14) She did not have a _____.
 - a. Elisha prophesied that in a year she would _____ a son. (v. 16)
 - b. How did she respond? _____
9. The woman conceived, bore a son and he grew. One day he went to his father and complained that his _____ was hurting. (v. 18-19)
10. The child died and his mother went to Elisha. What strange thing did Elisha instruct his servant to do? (v. 29) Lay his _____ on the face of the child.
11. Elisha goes to the child, the boy _____ seven times and was revived. (v. 35)
12. Thought Question: Does God always use conventional means to accomplish His will?

III. Elisha Purifies a Pot of Stew (v. 38-41)

13. During a famine, Elisha instructed the sons of the prophets to make _____. (v. 38)
14. One man gathered _____ and put them in the stew. (v. 39)
15. The strange ingredients were poison, what was added to cure the stew? (v. 41) _____

IV. Elisha Feeds 100 Men (v. 42-44)

16. A man brings a portion of food to Elisha, was it enough to feed 100 men? (v. 42-43) _____
17. What was the result after distributing the food? (v. 44) _____
 - a. Compare to Matthew 14:13-21; 15:32-38