

What Comes Next?

The woman in the Bible story showed love to God by obeying Him. God provided flour and oil for the woman, her son, and Elijah.

◆ Look at the patterns of flour and oil below. ◆ What should come next in each line?



Think About It . . .

- ◆ Name one way you can obey God this week.
- ◆ Talk with a grown-up or friend about it. ◆ Ask her to help you write it down so you can remember to do it!

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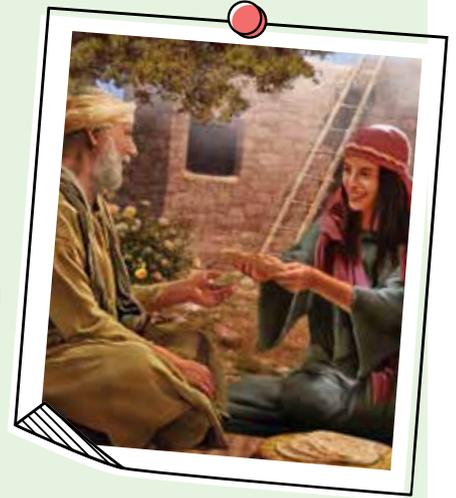
CONVERSATION

A Widow Helped Elijah

BASED ON 1 KINGS 17:1,8-16

WEEKLY VERSE: We show love to God by obeying Him. *1 John 5:3*

LIFE POINT: People show love to God by obeying Him.



Use the words in **bold** to tell the Bible story to younger preschoolers. Use all sentences for older preschoolers.

Elijah was one of God's helpers. **God told Elijah no rain would fall** for three years. Elijah told the king what God had said.

God took care of Elijah. **God told Elijah to go to a town. There a woman would give him food and water. When Elijah got to the town, a woman was gathering sticks to build a fire.**

"Would you bring me some water?" Elijah asked. **"And please bring me a piece of bread, too."**

The woman said, **"I only have a little bit of flour and oil. I was going to make bread for my son and myself."**

Elijah said, **"Go home and make bread for me. Then make bread for you and your son. You will have enough flour and oil until God sends rain."**

Each day the woman made bread for Elijah. Then she made bread for **herself and her son. The flour and oil were not used up,** just as Elijah had said. **God took care of Elijah, the woman, and her son.**

THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Today your child learned that people show love to God by obeying Him. When Elijah needed food, God sent him to a poor widow who had very little. She shared what she had in obedience to God.

LIVE IT OUT

Talk about how Elijah and the woman obeyed God. Give your child dry cereal and water. Say that you gave your child food and water. Tell that the woman gave Elijah bread and water, too. Mention that Elijah and the woman did what God wanted them to do.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

God helps me do what He says.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: Numbers 23:19

Monday: Isaiah 41:10

Tuesday: 2 Chronicles 7:14

Wednesday: James 1:5

Thursday: Psalm 27:1

Friday: Romans 10:9

Saturday: Isaiah 43:2

TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out **A Widow Helped Elijah** section of the Bible Studies for Life: Kids Family App.