Sunday, Jan 28, 2024



Overcoming Intimidation 1 Kings 17-19

Lessons to help us overcome intimidation:

1. I must be <u>firm</u> in my <u>convictions</u>.

Now Elijah the Tishbite, from Tishbe in Gilead, said to Ahab, "As the Lord, the God of Israel, lives, whom I serve, there will be neither dew nor rain in the next few years except at my word." (1 Kings 17:1, NIV)

2. I must be filled with compassion.

For this is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says: "The jar of flour will not be used up and the jug of oil will not run dry until the day the Lord gives rain on the land."

(1 Kings 17:14, NIV)

3. I must be fervent in prayer.

Then he stretched himself out on the boy three times and cried to the Lord, "O Lord my God, let this boy's life return to him!" The Lord heard Elijah's cry, and the boy's life returned to him, and he lived. (1 Kings 17:21-22, NIV)

4. I must be fearless before evil.

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. (1 Kings 18:21, NIV)

5. I must be <u>fueled</u> by <u>faith</u>.