



How to use Pod Talk:

Talking through the Bible during the week helps us practice what we are learning. Read the Sunday Bible passage, discuss what you notice, share what God is inviting you to apply to your life, and wrap up with prayer. (SOAP)

Sermon Main Idea:

Whatever crisis we may be facing, **remember** that the Lord is with us to encourage us, **listen** for what He wants to reveal to us, and **respond** to however the Lord recommissions us.

Introduction:

1. Describe a time when you faced a crisis of sorts; how did you respond?

SOAP:

Scripture | read 1 Kings 19:1-18 and relate last week's daily bible readings

Observation | what do we notice? what stands out?

1. What is the setting of 1 Kings 19? (1 Kings 18:20-39ff)
2. How does Elijah respond to Jezebel's threat to kill him? (vs. 1-5a)
3. What does the Lord do for Elijah in his crisis? (vs. 5b-9a)
4. What question does the Lord ask Elijah and how does he respond? (vs. 9b-10)
5. How does the Lord respond to Elijah's answer? (vs. 11-13a)
6. How does the Lord respond differently the second time to Elijah's same answer? (vs. 13b-17)
7. What assurance does the Lord give to Elijah? Why? (vs. 18)

Application | what can we apply to our life today?

1. What do you learn about the Lord in the way He responds to Elijah's crisis? (vs. 1-11ff)
2. How would you respond to God's question, "What are you doing here? How did you end up where you are today?"
3. How does the Lord reveal Himself to us without words? Why? (vs. 11-13)
4. Where can you make space in your life to listen for the "gentle wind" of God?
5. Is there anything you believe the Lord is recommissioning you for right now?
6. This week how can you **keep going further Up**, in your relationship with God? **In**, in your relationship with those in the church? Or, **Out**, in your relationship with those outside the church?

Prayer | ask God to help you live out your application

Last Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday, 10/28 — 1 Kings 16:29-33

Tuesday, 10/29 — 1 Kings 17:1-7

Wednesday, 10/30 — 1 Kings 17:8-16

Thursday, 10/31 — 1 Kings 17:17-24

Friday, 11/1 — 1 Kings 18:1-6

Saturday, 11/2 — 1 Kings 18:7-16

Sunday, 11/3 — 1 Kings 18:17-39