

GO DEEPER

MEMORY VERSE

"For God is working in you, giving you the desire and the power to do what pleases him." Philipians 2:13 (NLT)

BOTTOM LINE

**I Will Follow God
With My Actions**



TALK ABOUT IT

Read: 1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21

- How did Elijah let Elisha know that he was being chosen to be the prophet after Elijah?
- What did Elisha do to show his commitment to following God by following Elijah?
- Did Elisha leave everything and immediately get rewarded by being a great prophet? (hint: read the last part of verse 21)



Practice worshiping God in a new posture today. Find a posture that feels like you are giving yourself fully to God - that may be with your arms raised or hands open, or kneeling, possibly laying on the floor in reverence of the One True God. Listen to worship music or pray while in that posture. If you believe this is true, let God know that you are willing to follow Him even if it means giving up everything you have!



THINK ABOUT IT

Read: 2 Kings 2:1, 7-15

- How did Elijah get taken to Heaven?
- When Elijah said "what can I do for you before I am taken from you", what did Elisha ask for?
- How did Elisha know that he had been given what he asked for?



As a family, create lists of the things that are important to you - can be material things or things like family, friends, etc. After you have created your lists, go through each item and ask each other if you would be willing to give up that thing if God asked you to. God may never ask you to literally give up your family, but what if He asked you to move somewhere where you didn't know anyone and it was difficult to stay in touch with family or friends? What would you do? Pray and ask God to give you a heart that puts obedience to Him above all else.



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