

Elijah and the Battle of the Gods  
1 Kings 18:16-39

1. \_\_\_\_\_ your God – vv. 16-21

2. \_\_\_\_\_ of the way – vv. 22-39

To Go

1. In life, there are defining moments when we must choose or declare what gods or God we will worship. **Identify** what god(s), if any, you are allowing to take of your time and energy?
2. When ready, **present** your god to God and get out of the way!
3. Think of at least three times when God has been victorious in your life. **Celebrate** and thank God for those times.

# At Home Study Guide

For the week of August 13

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*This summer we are considering stories from the Old Testament and their abiding relevance today. As you study the passage, look beyond your notes to glean more truth from this passage by using these questions, so that you can find a greater harvest of truth!*

**Context:** The conflict between God and the worship of other gods is in the forefront of these events. How does 1 Kings 18:21 set the context for the story?

**Observation:** Which details stand out to you as the most amazing as read about what the prophets of Baal did vs. what Elijah did to call down fire? In particular, focus on Elijah's prayer in vv. 36-37.

**Meaning:** Who shows himself to be God? How does Jesus show that he is God in the same way?

**Application:** What are the battles with idols in your own life? What do you need to sacrifice in faith, because you know that Jesus is your one true God?