

The Way Maker: Shut The Door Behind You

It's Not Always Easy To See God In The Middle Of Adversity

2 Kings 4:1-7 - One day the widow of a member of the group of prophets came to Elisha and cried out, "My husband who served you is dead, and you know how he feared the Lord. But now a creditor has come, threatening to take my two sons as slaves." ² "What can I do to help you?" Elisha asked. "Tell me, what do you have in the house?" "Nothing at all, except a flask of olive oil," she replied. ³ And Elisha said, "Borrow as many empty jars as you can from your friends and neighbors. ⁴ Then go into your house with your sons and shut the door behind you. Pour olive oil from your flask into the jars, setting each one aside when it is filled." ⁵ So she did as she was told. Her sons kept bringing jars to her, and she filled one after another. ⁶ Soon every container was full to the brim! "Bring me another jar," she said to one of her sons. "There aren't any more!" he told her. And then the olive oil stopped flowing. ⁷ When she told the man of God what had happened, he said to her, "Now sell the olive oil and pay your debts, and you and your sons can live on what is left over."

<u>Deuteronomy 10:18</u> - "He defends the cause of the fatherless and the widow, and loves the alien, giving him food and clothing."

- God Multiplies What We Surrender To Him
- Give Everything To God, And He'll Make A Little Go A Long Way
- Faith Moved Her To Obey
- Focus On The One Who Turns Lives Around And Heals Every Heart
- 1. Sell The Olive Oil.
- 2. Pay Your Debts.

Ephesians 3:20 - Now all glory to God, who is able, through his mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think.