

Time with God (1Kings 17:2-7)

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Introductory Considerations:

1. What effective leadership quality do these men have in common: Moses, Joshua, Paul, Joseph, and Christ? How would this look in a present day job description of a leader?
2. What obstacles are we going to have to overcome to spend adequate time with God?
3. 1 Kings 17:2-7

The Order God Delivers:

1. "Go hide yourself" (vs. 2, 3).
2. Mark 6:31-32

The Oath God Demonstrates:

1. "To provide for you" (vs. 4, 6).
2. Ps. 34:9; 121:5-8; Matt. 6:33.

The Obedience God Desires:

1. "He. . . did according to the Word of the Lord" (vs. 5).
2. Ex. 20:3; Matt. 22:37.

The Ordeal God Develops:

1. "The brook dried up" (vs. 7).
2. The "pressure cooker effect," not a vacation.

Concluding Application:

1. Withdraw weekly
2. Divert daily
3. Abandon Annually