

No Compromise – No Fear – 2 Kings 6

Deuteronomy 31:6 “Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid.”

- Elijah – God is Yahweh; Elisha – God is _____

2 Kings 6:14-15 [The king of Aram] sent horses and chariots and a great army there, and they came by night and surrounded the city. **15** Now when the attendant of the man of God had risen early and gone out, behold, an army with horses and chariots was circling the city. And his servant said to him, “Alas, my master! What shall we do?”

1. Fear may be an indicator of _____.

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Psalm 20:7 Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the LORD our God.

- Daily Bread: “If God is good, but good isn’t God, how do we avoid making some of our worst mistakes with the best things in life?”
- <https://ourdailybread.org/article/misplaced-trust/>

Isaiah 41:10 Do not fear, for I am with you; do not anxiously look about you, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, surely I will help you, surely I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.’

Psalm 56:3 “When I am afraid, I put my trust in You.”

2. God is _____ whether you see Him or not.

2 Kings 6:16-17 So he answered, “Do not fear, for those who are with us are more than those who are with them. Then Elisha prayed and said, “O LORD, I pray, open his eyes that he may see.” And the LORD opened the servant’s eyes and he saw; and behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha.”

1 John 4:4 You are from God, little children, and have overcome them; because greater is He who is in you than he who is in the world.

Romans 8:31 What then shall we say to these things? If God *is* for us, who *is* against us?

- Two key questions:

- o 1 – Is God _____ ?
- o 2 – Do you _____ ?

- Job 13:15 “Though He slay me, I will hope in Him.”
- God’s goodness is not determined by our circumstances.

3. Serving God is the path of _____.

2 Kings 6:18 When they came down to him, Elisha prayed to the LORD and said, “Strike this people with blindness, I pray.” So He struck them with blindness according to the word of Elisha.

2 Kings 6:23 So he prepared a great feast for them; and when they had eaten and drunk, he sent them away, and they went to their master. And the marauding bands of Arameans did not come again into the land of Israel.

Isaiah 26:3 You will keep in perfect peace all who trust in you, all whose thoughts are fixed on you! (NLT)

Further Thought:

1. Think of a time when you were confronted by fear. What did you do? What will you do differently next time?
2. How can you turn fear into faith
3. Are you on a path of serving God? If not, what will you do to get on the path of greatest peace?