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The Devotional

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1 Kings 17:8-10

“And the Word of the Lord came to Elijah saying... I have commanded a widow there to sustain you.” 1 King 17:8-10

The Widow's Distress

Distress so easily clouds our faith which is our life line into the realms of God's abundance. In her distress all this widow could see in her future was insufficiency and certain death.

The Prophet's Faith

It is in these moments of distress that we need someone who has the word of the Lord and is full of faith! Often times however, that “someone” must be ourselves! “But David encouraged himself in the Lord his God.” 1 Samuel 30:6

The Lord's Unfailing Supply

Overriding all of our distress, discouragement, and doubt is the faithfulness of the LORD and His unfailing supply! “My loving kindness I will not utterly take from him. Nor allow My faithfulness to fail.” (Psalm 89:33)

In her distress it was in God's plan that the widow be the source of the prophet's supply! And it was also in God's plan that the prophet's faith would unleash this storehouse that the widow knew nothing about!

Are you in a hard place? Does there seem to be no way out of your present circumstances? It matters not how you may feel, the faithfulness of the Lord has already stored up what you have need of to release you from the current pressure you are experiencing! “Only believe!” (Mark 5:36; 11:22-24) It is in God's plan, that not only will your needs be met, but that you become the source through which the Lord may bless His prophets!

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