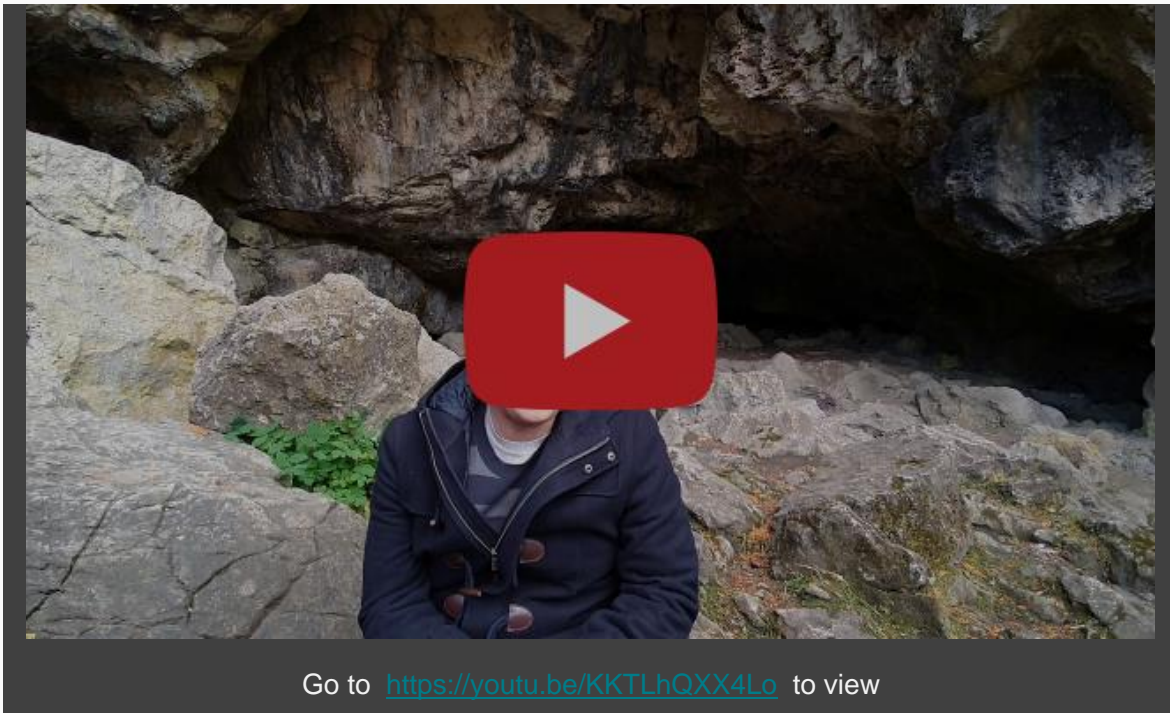


the MCBC

Real People: Stories of Faith and Failure



Small Group Discussion Questions

Elisha: Called by God

Scripture Reading: 1 Kings 19:19-21

1. What stood out to you from this week's message? Did God speak to you during any part of the sermon?
2. Read 1 Kings 19-21. Elisha's initial response to being called by God was quite dramatic. He burned his plowing equipment and slaughtered his oxen. Ask if some members of your group could share their initial response to receiving Jesus. What

feelings did you have? Was there anything that changed immediately? Was there anything you felt compelled to do?

3. Read 2 Kings 2:1-14. Can you remember a time when you were hungering after more of God? Share your experience with your group.

4. During the sermon, Pastor Jordan referenced several stories of Elisha's life. Do you have a favorite story and why? Which story stood out to you?

5. In what ways does passivity show up in our Christian life? What are some ways we can keep our desire for the things of God strong in our life? (Read 2 Kings 13:14-20)

Optional Question:

1. What step will you take this week to battle passivity in your walk with God? Tell your group about it and ask that they keep you accountable next time you meet.

Prayer:

1. Pray that God would rekindle a passion in our lives for Him and His kingdom work

Challenge:

Read 2 Kings Chapter 2 - Chapter 6
