

WEEK 8      **What do we do Now ?**

Until God comes to us in Revival, we must continue to humble ourselves, pray, seek His Face and turn from our wicked ways.

There is no quitting or giving up !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

There is no demanding of God to act in our time or for our reasons.

- 1a.    Read the parable in Luke 12:41-48  
      What caused the servant to quit doing his Master's will ?  
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- 1b.    Why was this servant so severely punished ?  
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God holds us accountable for what we know. Now that we have studied the truth of "revival" much more is required of us than those who have not studied it.

If God has begun to speak to us about the coming rain of His Holy Spirit then it is imperative for us to follow the example of Elijah....

- 2a.    Read 1 Kings 18:1-45  
      Why was Elijah able to declare,  
      "*There is a sound of abundance of rain*" ? 1 Kings 18:1  
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We too will be able to declare that there is a sound of a mighty outpouring of God's Holy Spirit as we have heard from God ourselves.

- 3.    As a result of working through this series, write down anything that God has personally spoken to you regarding revival.  
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- 4.    Referring again to 1 Kings 18:41-42 Ahab heard Elijah that the rain was coming. How did he respond ?  
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We can be just like this. We can hear of God's coming in revival and even believe it but make no personal changes or adjustments to our chosen lifestyles and just carry on as usual.

5. Compare Elijah's response to Ahab's. What did Elijah do ?  
1 Kings 18:41-42

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Even though Elijah knew what God had promised to do he didn't sit back and just wait for it to happen. Instead he prayed. James 5:18 confirms this and also his posture in 1 Kings 18:42 was the typical birthing position of the day.

- 6a. Why could Elijah have been tempted to stop praying ?

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- 6b. What could tempt us to stop praying before we see an answer ?

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- 6c. Why do you think Elijah kept praying until the answer and break through came ?

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Read the following Scriptures together with those of the chart in week 2.  
Hebrews 6:12      Galatians 5:5-8 , 6-9      1 Corinthians 9:24-27

- 6d. What will motivate us to continue to pray until God breaks through in revival ?

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Compare you answer with the motivation expressed in these quotes.

*"Desire for revival in one thing: confident anticipation that our desire will be fulfilled is another."*      Duncan Campbell

