## How to JUMPSTART YOUR JOY !

Intro -- How You Doin' ? What brings you joy ? Who are the most "joy-filled" people you know?

1. EARLIER – main characters | Kings 16:33, | Kings 17:2, 13, 22, | Kings 18:24,25

I can have more joy because my God \_\_\_\_\_\_

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ENEMY – I Kings 19: 1-2
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Ephesians 6:10, James 4:7-8, Romans 8:37-39

- 3. EXPECTATIONS If I don't get what I want I get \_\_\_\_\_ ! If I am not sure I will get what I want I can get \_\_\_\_\_\_, If it seems impossible to get what I want- I can get \_\_\_\_\_\_ !
- 4. EAT I Kings 19:5-7

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I can have more joy because my God does NOT \_\_\_\_\_\_

5. ENLARGE your faith ! – I Kings 19:9-13 Psalm 121

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My God is the God who.....

6. ENGAGE – I Kings 19:15-16

I can have more joy because my God \_\_\_\_\_\_

7. ERASE - I Kings 19:18

I can have more joy because my God \_\_\_\_\_\_

8. ELECT – Luke 11:13, Romans 8:32

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Your job.... Cross out the "can" I HAVE MORE JOY !!!!

For deeper study

- 1. Where is Elijah from ? Does that matter to God ?
- 2. How far had "they" fallen from God ? How Corrupt was the government ?
- 3. Did the draught or famine hinder God's ability to provide ?
- 4. Who did the LORD command to provide for Elijah's needs? A wealthy heiress or \_\_\_\_\_ What do we learn from that ? Who do we look to for help? Who can we help?
- 5. How long did this last ? Does God work on your time table ?
- 6. \*\*\*Just because you win a battle- doesn't mean the WAR is over! What happened after Elijah's victory on Mount Carmel ? What happened after Jezebel was "removed"
- 7. What are your favorite promises ?
- 8. Do you ever "feel" or "Think" that the LORD doesn't know where you are or what you are going through?
- 9. Is your GOD big enough to handle what is going on in the world ?
- 10. What is the LORD doing now ? in your life? In the church? In the world ?

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