

### WHO WAS ELIYAH?

EliYah was an obedient prophet of Yahweh. At the time, the wicked King Ahab and his evil queen, Jezebel, were ruing over Israel. They were worshipping Baal instead of Yahweh. They hated the prophets of Yahweh and had many of them killed.



EliYah lived in the desert and was fed by ravens. time, EliYah confronted King Ahab, "Let's see once and for all if Baal is the true mighty one." So the priests of Baal prepared an altar for their mighty one and begged him to consume it. They cried out for hours still nothina and

happened. Finally EliYah prepared an altar for Yahweh. He even flooded it with water to prove that Yahweh could consume it even if it was wet. Then EliYah prayed to Yahweh and fire came down from heaven and burned up the sacrifice, the wood, the stones, the soil, and the water in the trench. All the people then agreed, "Yahweh is the true Elohim!" Then EliYah had the prophets of Baal killed. This made Jezebel furious. She vowed to have EliYah killed for this. So EliYah ran for his life.

But Yahweh protected EliYah and Jezebel was killed. Many miracles were performed by Yahweh through EliYah. He truly was an obedient prophet. May we all be as faithful to Yahweh!

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"As they were walking along and talking together, suddenly a chariot of fire and horses of fire appeared and separated the two of them, and Elijah went up to heaven in a whirlwind," 2 Kings 2:11 NIV. PAGE 2 KIDS FOR YAH

## Personality Profile: Jezebel

Many people have wondered why EliYah ran for his life when Jeze-bel threatened to kill him. After all, he had seen Yahweh's miracles with his own eyes. We can glean a little more background information from the historian, Josephus. In his writings, Josephus recorded Jeze-bel's family history. Apparently, Jezebel's father was a high priest in a pagan temple in Tyre. His reign was characterized by murderous idolatries and a reckless contempt for human rights. Evidently, his daughter Jezebel followed in his footsteps. Her reputation was such that she even struck terror in the heart of Yahweh's own prophet!









1.EliYah was a prophet of Yahweh.	T F
2.EliYah was very disobedient to Yahweh.	ΤF
3.Ahab worshipped Yahweh.	ΤF
4. Jezebel was a righteous queen.	T F
5. Jezebel believed that Baal was the true mighty one.	ΤF
6.EliYah was fed by doves in the desert.	ΤF
7. Yahweh sent fire down to consume EliYah's offering.	ΤF
8. EliYah allowed the false priests of Baal to live.	ΤF
9.Jezebel liked EliYah and did not want to kill him.	ΤF
10.Yahweh performed many miracles through EliYah.	ΤF

# EliYah and the Drought

EliYah and the land of Israel suffered through a terrible drought. The drought lasted for three years. Even in our modern world, some parts of the earth still suffer from droughts. Do you know what a drought is?

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#### **HIDDEN WORDS**

Step 1: In the box below, cross off every letter that rhymes with "see."

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Step 2: Write the letters that are not crossed off on the line below:

Step 3: Unscramble the letters to form two words to complete the sentence in 1 Kings 17:1 where Yahweh says, "According to my word, there will be...."