LEADER TRAINING

FALL 2026
Unit 2, Session 3

OBEDIENCE AND OUR VIEW OF GOD

1 KINGS 18:20-39

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What are students discussing this week?

LEVELS OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

GOD

God (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit) is eternal, and although He is not bound by time, He chooses to operate in it to relate to us.

THE QUESTION

How does what we think about God affect the way we follow Him?

THE POINT

Our obedience to God reflects our beliefs and dependence on Him.

MEMORY VERSE

Then Elijah approached all the people and said, "How long will you waver between two opinions? If the LORD is God, follow him. But if Baal, follow him." But the people didn't answer him a word.

1 Kings 18:21, CSB

What should I consider when leading students in this discussion?

Elijah at Mount Camel reveals an important truth for students: Our obedience to God reflects our beliefs and dependence on Him. Elijah knew that nothing and no one was greater than God.

Many times, we tend to crumble under pressure. We say we believe in God, but our actions don't follow. Help students see that what we think about God will be reflected in our actions.

How can I pray for students this week?

PRAY

Pray that students will see that how they live affects their own spiritual walk and the people around them.