Elijah - Standing Alone in the Gap

“When God’s Patience Runs Out”

1 Kings 21:1-24

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Introduction:
A. We know from the Bible and from experience that God is ________.
B. We also know from the Bible that God is ________.
C. God is compassionate, patient and merciful, but His patience has a ______.
E. Three examples from Scripture where God’s patience runs out:
   1. What God did to the cities of __________ and ____________.
   2. What God did to king _______ _______ I.
   3. What God did to the nation of __________.

I. The Story
A. King Ahab wanted Naboth’s ____________.
B. Jezebel told Ahab that she would _____ ____ for him.
C. Jezebel _________ Naboth and had him executed.
D. After Naboth’s death, Ahab took _________ of Naboth’s _________.
E. God sent word through _________ that God was going to _________
   Ahab and his descendants and Jezebel.

II. The Application
A. There is an end to God’s _________ and no one ________ exactly
   where it is.

B. God keeps His _________ and no one can ________ it.

   destroy. II.A. patience, knows. II.B. Word, stop.