

# Elijah on Mount Carmel

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After the prophets of Baal failed to call down fire, Elijah prayed a brief but powerful prayer, and the fire of the LORD fell, consuming the sacrifice and convincing Israel that the LORD is God.

## Key Verses

### **1 Kings 18:36-39**

And it came to pass at the time of the offering of the evening sacrifice, that Elijah the prophet came near, and said, LORD God of Abraham, Isaac, and of Israel, let it be known this day that thou art God in Israel, and that I am thy servant, and that I have done all these things at thy word. Hear me, O LORD, hear me, that this people may know that thou art the LORD God, and that thou hast turned their heart back again. Then the fire of the LORD fell, and consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench.

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