Faith & Favor: Lessons from the Shunammite Woman's Story



Explore the Shunammite woman's faith, generous spirit, and God's resurrection power across 21 days of deep reflection and vibrant hope.





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Introduction

The story of the Shunammite woman, found in **2 Kings 4:8–37**, offers a profound glimpse into the intersection of faith, generosity, and the miraculous power of God. Her narrative is not just a tale of a miraculous birth and resurrection of her son, but also a testament to the blessing that follows a generous heart and unwavering trust in God's power.

This remarkable woman opened her home and heart to the prophet Elisha, providing hospitality that went beyond mere kindness—it was a bold act of generosity, trusting in God's providence. As the story unfolds, we witness how God honors her faith by blessing her with a son, and later, by raising her child from death, revealing His resurrection power long before the New Testament fulfillment.

Throughout this 21-day Bible study, we will explore the themes of **faith**, **generosity**, **God's provision**, and **resurrection hope**. We will reflect on how the Shunammite woman's life can inspire us to live with a generous spirit, to trust boldly in God's promises, and to celebrate the life-giving power of God that transcends even death.

As we journey through scripture and devotional insights, prepare to deepen your understanding of God's miraculous workings and to be encouraged to embrace your own calling to faith-filled generosity. May this study empower you to see God's hand moving in ordinary moments and extraordinary miracles alike!

















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:8 - One day Elisha went to Shunem, where a prominent woman lived.

Supporting Scriptures

- Hebrews 13:2 Do not forget to show hospitality to strangers.
- Romans 12:13 Share with the Lord's people who are in need.







Devotional: Hospitality Invites God's Presence

Hospitality opens doors—both physically and spiritually. The Shunammite woman demonstrated hospitality by warmly welcoming the prophet Elisha into her home. Her generosity sparked a divine encounter, reminding us that simple acts of kindness often set the stage for God's blessings.

Her willingness to offer a resting place, food, and friendship to a man of God shows how generosity is more than giving; it is about creating space for God's presence in our lives and the lives of others. Today, ask yourself: How can I be more intentional about hospitality? What opportunities am I missing to serve with joy and trust that God's favor will follow?







Reflect and Apply

	In what ways have you experienced God's blessings through simple acts of generosity?
2.	How comfortable are you in opening your home or life to others?
3.	What can you learn from the Shunammite woman's proactive kindness?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a time when hospitality led to unexpected blessings.
2.	List three ways you can practice hospitality this week.
3.	Reflect on what generosity means in your current season of life.







Prayer for Today

Heavenly Father, thank You for teaching us through the Shunammite woman's example that *open hearts and open homes* can usher in divine encounters. Help me to cultivate a spirit of hospitality, that my generosity might become a vessel for Your blessings and presence. Strengthen me to give joyfully and expectantly, trusting Your goodness in all things. *Guide my steps this day as I seek to serve others in love.* Amen.

















Day 2: B God's Providential Blessing

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:13 - She said, "I have a home among my own people."

Supporting Scriptures

- Philippians 4:19 God will meet all your needs.
- Psalm 23:1 The Lord is my shepherd; I lack nothing.







Day 2: BGod's Providential Blessing

Devotional: Trust God's Timing and Provision

The Shunammite woman's relationship with Elisha deepened because of her generous heart, and God provided for her in a remarkable way: He blessed her with a son. This blessing was not just a gift but a testament to God's providential care.

In our lives, God's timing and provision aren't always immediate or obvious. Yet, like the Shunammite woman, we can trust that God sees our faithfulness and will provide according to His perfect wisdom. The woman's reassurance that she had a home exemplifies security grounded in God's faithfulness.

Trust in God's providence encourages us to be patient and remain faithful, knowing blessings come in His perfect time. Take comfort in God's promise to care for you in every season.







Day 2: 🥬 God's Providential Blessing

Reflect and Apply

1.	How do you respond when God's blessings are delayed?
2.	What does trusting God's providence look like in your daily life?
3.	Can you identify ways God has provided for you unexpectedly?







Day 2: 🥬 God's Providential Blessing

Journaling Prompts

1.	Describe a season when you experienced God's providential care.
2.	Write down scriptural promises that remind you of God's faithfulness.
3.	List the blessings in your life you sometimes take for granted.







Day 2: B God's Providential Blessing

Prayer for Today

Lord God, thank You for Your unwavering provision and perfect timing. Teach me to trust Your plan, even when answers seem delayed or mysterious. Help me to rest in the assurance that You see every need and will supply it according to Your riches. Strengthen my faith as I wait and walk by Your hand. *May I live in gratitude, reflecting Your goodness.* Amen.















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:9 - She said to her husband, "Let's make a small room on the roof..."

Supporting Scriptures

- Proverbs 3:9 Honor the Lord with your wealth.
- Matthew 6:19 Store treasures in heaven.







Devotional: Create Space for God's Work

By constructing a special room for Elisha, the Shunammite woman demonstrated foresight and a spirit of honor. This act of intentional service reflected her deep respect for God's prophet and symbolized a **legacy of faithfulness**, hospitality, and blessing.

Often, our acts of generosity build spiritual legacies that impact not only ourselves but future generations. The little room on the roof became a sacred space—a reminder that our investment in God's work yields lasting blessings.

Consider how your efforts—small or great—can serve as a testimony and blessing for others. What spaces (literal or figurative) can you create to welcome God's work in your life and those around you?







Reflect and Apply

1.	What legacy do you hope to leave through your generosity?
2.	How can you intentionally prepare spaces for God's work in your life?
3.	How does honoring God's servants reflect your heart toward Him?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Reflect on a way you can contribute to God's work today.
2.	Describe a physical or spiritual space you can dedicate to God.
3.	Write about the blessings you hope to pass on to the next generation.







Prayer for Today

Gracious Lord, inspire me to build a legacy of blessing by honoring You and Your servants with my time, resources, and heart. Help me to create spaces—both in my home and in my life—where Your presence dwells richly. May my actions reflect a commitment to Your kingdom and bless those who come after me. *Guide me to serve faithfully and with joy.* Amen.

















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:16 – Elisha said, "About this time next year, you will hold a son in your arms."

Supporting Scriptures

- Psalm 127:3 Children are a heritage from the Lord.
- Isaiah 40:31 Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength.







Devotional: God Brings New Beginnings

The promise of a son to the Shunammite woman was a manifestation of God's miracle-working power. It showed that God's blessings can bring new life in physical, spiritual, and emotional ways.

Each new life or new beginning granted by God calls us to remember His sovereignty and kindness. It is a reason for hope and renewal, especially when circumstances seem impossible.

Reflect on the areas of your life where God might be preparing to bring forth new beginnings. How can you nurture hope and expect His miracle-working power to act?







Reflect and Apply

1.	Where do you need to believe in God's promise of new life?
2.	How can hope in God renew your strength during difficult times?
	What miracles have you witnessed or experienced that strengthened your faith?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a new beginning God has brought to your life.
2.	Describe how hope in God impacts your daily walk.
3.	List ways you can cultivate faith for upcoming challenges.







Prayer for Today

Heavenly Father, thank You for the gift of new life and Your power to transform impossible situations. Help me to hold onto hope and trust that Your promises are sure. Renew my strength and prepare my heart to receive Your blessings, even when they seem delayed. May I embrace every new beginning with joy and faith. *In Jesus' name, Amen.*

















Day 5: TGenerosity That Opens Doors

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:10 - Elisha said, "Look, there is a room upstairs, let's prepare it for you."

Supporting Scriptures

- Luke 6:38 Give, and it will be given to you.
- 2 Corinthians 9:6 Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly.







Devotional: Generosity Unlocks Divine Favor

The Shunammite woman's generosity not only blessed Elisha but opened doors for her own blessing. The prophet's offering of a room exemplifies how generosity creates opportunities for mutual blessing.

God often works through our giving to bring unexpected provisions and favor. Generosity is a two-way street—a lifestyle that leads both to blessing others and being blessed ourselves.

Consider how opening your hands more fully in generosity could create new opportunities. Reflect on the abundance mindset that trusts God over scarcity.







Reflect and Apply

1.	How has generosity opened doors in your life?
2.	What prevents you from being more generous?
3.	How does God's promise encourage a mindset of abundance?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Recall a time when giving led to unexpected blessings.
2.	List areas where you can increase your generosity.
3.	Write about your feelings or barriers around giving.







Prayer for Today

Lord Jesus, thank You for showing us that generosity releases blessing. Teach me to give freely, trusting Your provision and favor. Remove fear and selfishness from my heart and replace them with a spirit of abundance. Use me as a channel of Your blessings to others. *Thank You for Your goodness.* Amen. \heartsuit \bigwedge \swarrow









Day 6: A Trusting God in Trials









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Your Verse

2 Kings 4:18 - The boy grew, but one day he suddenly became ill.

Supporting Scriptures

- James 1:2-3 Consider it pure joy when facing trials.
- Romans 8:28 God works all things for good.







Day 6: 🙏 Trusting God in Trials

Devotional: Faith Amid Hardship and Uncertainty

Even after receiving God's miraculous blessing, the Shunammite woman faced the terror of her son's sudden illness. This part of her story reminds us that faith is not the absence of trials but trust amid them.

God's power is shown not only in blessings but in how we respond to adversity. The woman's response wasn't panic but faith—she sought the prophet and trusted God's intervention.

When you face trials, remember that God can bring purpose and good through pain. Choose to walk in faith and seek His presence actively.







Day 6: 🙏 Trusting God in Trials

Reflect and Apply

1.	How do you usually respond to unexpected trials?
2.	What does trusting God in difficulty look like for you?
3.	How can adversity deepen your faith rather than weaken it?







Day 6: 🙏 Trusting God in Trials

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a recent challenge and how God met you.
2.	Reflect on scriptures that encourage you in tough times.
3.	Describe ways you can prepare your heart for future trials.







Day 6: A Trusting God in Trials

Prayer for Today

Faithful God, help me to trust You fully, especially when trials come unexpectedly. Teach me to rely on Your strength when I feel weak and to seek Your presence in every storm. May my faith grow deeper through adversity, and may I be a testimony of Your steadfast love. *Hold me close today. Amen.*











Day 7: **A** Walking in Faith









Your Verse

2 Kings 4:23 - The woman asked her husband to go quickly to Elisha.

Supporting Scriptures

- Hebrews 11:1 Faith is confidence in what we hope for.
- 2 Corinthians 5:7 We live by faith, not by sight.







Devotional: Proactive Faith Moves Mountains

The urgency with which the Shunammite woman sent her husband to summon Elisha reveals a faith that moves forward despite fear. She did not wait passively but acted in faith, demonstrating trust in God's power through His prophet.

Walking in faith means taking steps even when we do not see the full picture —believing that God is working behind the scenes.

Today, reflect on how you can be more proactive in your faith walk. What step do you need to take, even if it seems uncertain or risky, trusting God's guidance?







Reflect and Apply

Are you waiting or acting in faith in your current situation?
What fears hold you back from trusting God fully?
How does taking faith-steps deepen your relationship with God?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Describe a time you took a bold step of faith.
2.	Identify one faith step you need to take now.
3.	Pray through your fears and write down God's encouragement.







Prayer for Today

Lord of Faith, empower me to take courageous steps, trusting You even when the road ahead seems uncertain. Help me to rely on Your promises and walk boldly in Your direction. May my faith be active and my heart willing to obey, knowing You lead the way. Amen. 🙌 🔀 🙏

















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:33 - Elisha prayed, "Open his eyes, Lord, so that he may see."

Supporting Scriptures

- Mark 11:24 Whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it.
- Ephesians 3:20 God is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask.







Devotional: The Power of Faithful Prayer

Elisha's prayer for the boy's eyes to be opened highlights the power of intercession and God's miraculous intervention. Prayer is our lifeline to God's transformative power, a way to access His supernatural ways.

The Shunammite woman's story encourages us to persist in prayer and trust that God hears and acts. Miracles may not always happen on our timeline, but God's power remains unlimited and active.

Consider your prayer life. Are you praying with faith and persistence? How do you experience God's miraculous touch personally?







Reflect and Apply

1.	How consistent is your prayer life when facing difficult seasons?
2.	What miracles have you witnessed as answers to prayer?
3.	How does persistence in prayer reflect faith in God's power?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a prayer that was answered unexpectedly.
2.	List prayers you want to commit to faithful persistence.
3.	Reflect on how prayer changes your heart and perspective.







Prayer for Today

Mighty God, thank You for hearing and responding to our prayers. Teach me to pray with faith, persistence, and expectation of Your miraculous power. Help me to trust Your perfect timing and purposes as I seek You with an open heart. *Let Your power be evident in my life today. Amen.* \triangle

















Day 9: W Grief and God's Compassion

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:28 - The woman bowed at Elisha's feet and wept.

Supporting Scriptures

- Psalm 34:18 The Lord is close to the brokenhearted.
- Matthew 5:4 Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.







Day 9: V Grief and God's Compassion

Devotional: Finding Comfort in God's Presence

When the Shunammite woman faced the agony of her son's death, her grief was deep and palpable. Yet, in the midst of sorrow, she sought God's prophet, showing vulnerability and faith simultaneously.

God is not distant from our pain but draws near to comfort the brokenhearted. The story assures us that grief is natural and healing is possible through God's compassion.

Allow yourself to bring your deepest sorrows before God, trusting that He will meet you with unfailing love and comfort.







Day 9: 💔 Grief and God's Compassion

Reflect and Apply

1.	How do you cope with grief and loss spiritually?
2.	What does it mean for God to be near in your pain?
3.	How might bringing sorrow to God transform your healing process?







Day 9: 💔 Grief and God's Compassion

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a time when you experienced God's comfort in loss.
2.	Reflect on any unresolved grief and bring it before God in writing.
3.	Consider ways you can encourage others who are grieving.







Day 9: V Grief and God's Compassion

Prayer for Today















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:35 – Elisha stretched himself out on the boy, who sneezed seven times and opened his eyes.

Supporting Scriptures

- John 11:25 Jesus said, 'I am the resurrection and the life.'
- Romans 8:11 The Spirit gives life to your mortal bodies.







Devotional: Hope Through God's Resurrection Power

The moment the boy was revived symbolizes more than a physical resurrection—it points forward to the greatest resurrection promised through Jesus Christ.

God's power over death demonstrates hope beyond the grave and assures believers that life triumphs over death. The boy's revival encourages us to trust in God's ability to bring restoration, renewal, and life where there was once hopelessness.

Embrace the resurrection power at work in your own life—whether it be emotional, spiritual, or physical renewal—and celebrate life that overcomes death.







Reflect and Apply

1.	What areas of your life need resurrection power?
2.	How does Jesus' resurrection impact your daily faith?
3.	In what ways can you testify to God's restoration work?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about an area where God brought new life to you.
2.	Reflect on your hope in eternal life through Christ.
3.	List ways you can share resurrection hope with others.







Prayer for Today

Resurrecting Lord, praise You for Your power that conquers death and gives life. Fill me with hope and confidence that Your resurrection power can restore any broken part of my life. Help me to walk in newness of life daily and to share this hope boldly. *Thank You for victory in Jesus' name. Amen.*



















Day 11: 😂 Gratitude for God's Faithfulness

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:36 - Elisha took the child, went downstairs, and gave him to his mother.

Supporting Scriptures

- 1 Thessalonians 5:18 Give thanks in all circumstances.
- Psalm 100:4 Enter His gates with thanksgiving.







Day 11: 😂 Gratitude for God's Faithfulness

Devotional: Cultivating a Heart of Thanksgiving

The joyful reunion between the Shunammite woman and her son reminds us how faithfulness invites gratitude. Recognizing God's blessings amid trials strengthens our relationship with Him and deepens our trust.

Gratitude is a powerful spiritual discipline that shifts our focus from problems to God's provision. This day encourages you to take time to remember and thank God for His faithfulness in your life.

Make thanksgiving a daily habit—it opens your heart to experience more of God's goodness and peace.







Day 11: 😩 Gratitude for God's Faithfulness

Reflect and Apply

1.	What blessings are you most thankful for today?
2.	How does gratitude affect your perspective during challenges?
3.	In what ways can you express thanks more regularly?







Day 11: 😩 Gratitude for God's Faithfulness

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write a gratitude list for God's recent faithfulness.
2.	Recall a time when thanksgiving changed your outlook.
3.	Consider how you can incorporate daily thankfulness.







Day 11: 3 Gratitude for God's Faithfulness

Prayer for Today

Gracious Father, I thank You for Your steadfast love and faithfulness in every season. Help me to cultivate a heart that continually offers praise and thanksgiving, even when life is complex. May gratitude deepen my trust and joy in You. *Thank You for Your goodness and mercy.* Amen. \triangle

















Day 12: 🖓 Faith Builds Community

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:31 - Elisha sent his servant to lay the boy on his own bed.

Supporting Scriptures

- Hebrews 10:24-25 Encourage one another daily.
- Ecclesiastes 4:9 Two are better than one.







Devotional: Supporting Faith Through Community

The servant's role in caring for the boy highlights the importance of community in God's work. No one walks the faith journey alone. The Shunammite woman's situation involved multiple people—showing how faith builds connection and support.

Community encourages, carries burdens, and witnesses God's miracles together. It is vital to cultivate relationships rooted in faith where mutual support thrives.

Evaluate your community today. Are you both supported and supportive? How can you strengthen the faith community around you?







Reflect and Apply

1.	Who encourages you in your faith walk?
2.	How can you better support others in their struggles?
3.	What role does faith community play in your spiritual growth?







Journaling Prompts

1.	List people who have supported you spiritually.
2.	Describe ways to deepen your involvement in faith community.
3.	Reflect on how community has shaped your faith journey.







Prayer for Today

Lord, Creator of Community, thank You for placing us in relationships that strengthen our faith. Help me to be an encouragement and a servant to those around me. Guide me to foster authentic connections rooted in love and trust. May we grow together in Your grace. Amen. \heartsuit \bigwedge









Day 13: **Peace** in God's Control









Day 13: 💙 Peace in God's Control

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:34 - Elisha rose and went after the servant.

Supporting Scriptures

- Philippians 4:6-7 God's peace guards our hearts.
- Isaiah 26:3 Perfect peace to those who trust Him.







Day 13: 💙 Peace in God's Control

Devotional: Resting in God's Sovereign Peace

Elisha's confident action to restore the boy reflects peace grounded in God's sovereign control. In moments of crisis, peace is available to those who trust deeply.

God's peace transcends circumstances—it calms our hearts amid chaos. The Shunammite woman lived through turmoil yet could cling to hope because God's prophet acted deliberately and in faith.

Allow God's peace to replace anxiety. Surrender control and trust that He governs every situation perfectly.







Day 13: 👺 Peace in God's Control

Reflect and Apply

1.	Where do you struggle with surrendering control to God?
2.	How do you experience God's peace during stressful times?
3.	What practices help you cultivate trust in His sovereignty?







Day 13: 👺 Peace in God's Control

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a time God's peace calmed your heart.
2.	List areas in life where you need to release control.
3.	Describe how you can daily invite God's peace.







Day 13: 💙 Peace in God's Control

Prayer for Today

Prince of Peace, grant me Your perfect peace that steadies my heart. Teach me to trust fully in Your sovereign hand and to relinquish worries. Help me to rest in Your control, even when situations are uncertain. May Your peace guard my mind and spirit today and always. Amen. 😂 🙏 💗

















Day 14: 💥 God's Faithful Promises

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:17 - The woman became pregnant just as Elisha had said.

Supporting Scriptures

- Joshua 21:45 Not one of all the Lord's good promises failed.
- 2 Corinthians 1:20 All God's promises are 'Yes' in Christ.







Day 14: 💥 God's Faithful Promises

Devotional: Stand Firm in God's Promises

The fulfillment of Elisha's prophecy underscores God's unchanging faithfulness. When God makes a promise, He will bring it to pass at the right time.

As believers, we can anchor ourselves in God's word, confident that His promises will never fail. This assurance offers strength through uncertainty and inspires patience and hope.

Examine your heart for doubt and replace it with trust in God's perfect promises.







Day 14: 🎇 God's Faithful Promises

Reflect and Apply

1.	Which promises of God have strengthened you lately?
2	How do you maintain hono when waiting on Cod's timing?
۷.	How do you maintain hope when waiting on God's timing?
3.	What can you do to grow in trusting God's word?







Day 14: 🎇 God's Faithful Promises

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a promise of God that has been fulfilled.
2.	List God's promises that encourage you right now.
3.	Reflect on steps to trust God more fully.







Day 14: 🗱 God's Faithful Promises

Prayer for Today

Faithful God, thank You for Your promises that are sure and steadfast. Help me to stand firm on Your word and wait patiently for Your timing. Strengthen my heart to believe Your 'yes' and 'amen' in every situation. May my life celebrate Your unchanging faithfulness. Amen. �� 🔲 🙏









Day 15: 7 Seeds of Generosity









Day 15: 🎖 Seeds of Generosity

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:8 - The woman provided sustenance and a special room for Elisha.

Supporting Scriptures

- Galatians 6:7 God is not mocked; whatever you sow, you will reap.
- Luke 21:1-4 The widow's offering praised by Jesus.







Day 15: 🍞 Seeds of Generosity

Devotional: Your Generosity Plants Eternal Seeds

The Shunammite woman sowed seeds of generosity with her time, resources, and hospitality. God's blessing on her life reminds us that generous giving plants seeds for future growth and blessing.

Generosity changes hearts—ours and others'. It's an investment in God's kingdom with eternal dividends. Be encouraged to sow thoughtfully and abundantly.

Reflect on how your generosity—big or small—might be planting seeds that God will nurture and grow.







Day 15: 🍞 Seeds of Generosity

Reflect and Apply

1.	How often do you consider your giving as a seed sown?
2.	What encourages or hinders your generosity?
3.	How can you cultivate a generous spirit daily?







Day 15: 🍞 Seeds of Generosity

Journaling Prompts

1.	Describe ways you've experienced blessings from giving.
2.	Write about how generosity feels in your heart.
3.	Plan a specific generous act for this week.







Day 15: 🎖 Seeds of Generosity

Prayer for Today

Generous God, thank You for the joy that comes from giving. Teach me to sow seeds of generosity with a joyful heart, knowing You watch over every gift. Help me to trust You to multiply whatever I give for Your glory and the good of others. Amen. \heartsuit \r















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:36-37 - Elisha revived the boy by God's power.

Supporting Scriptures

- 1 Corinthians 15:54 Death has been swallowed up in victory.
- Revelation 21:4 God will wipe away every tear.







Devotional: Victory Over Death in Christ

The story reminds us that physical death is not the final word, highlighting God's victory over death through resurrection power.

In Christ, death has lost its sting and holds no fear for believers. This hope empowers us to face life's hardest realities with courage and joy.

Consider how resurrection hope transforms your view of suffering, loss, and eternity.







Reflect and Apply

1.	How does the resurrection shape your hope for the future?
2.	What fears does God's victory over death help you overcome?
3.	How can you encourage others with this resurrection hope?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about how resurrection hope impacts your daily life.
2.	Reflect on ways death's sting has been softened for you.
3.	Plan how to share resurrection hope with someone in need.







Prayer for Today

God of Resurrection, thank You that death is not the end but the gateway to eternal life. Help me to live boldly in the victory You provide through Jesus Christ. May I be a beacon of hope, reflecting Your power over death and despair. Amen. $\Box \Leftrightarrow \Box$

















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:11 - Elisha called her, "This is a special woman."

Supporting Scriptures

- Psalm 5:12 Surely, Lord, you bless the righteous.
- Proverbs 16:7 When a man's ways please the Lord, He makes even his enemies at peace.







Devotional: Living a Life That Attracts God's Favor

The Shunammite woman was recognized for her faith and generosity, demonstrating how walking in God's favor reflects a life pleasing to Him.

Favor is not earned by works alone but flows from a heart aligned with God's will. It opens doors, brings peace, and positions us for supernatural blessings.

Consider your own walk—how can you pursue God's favor by aligning daily with Him?







Reflect and Apply

1.	What does it mean to you to have God's favor?
2.	How can obedience cultivate favor in your life?
3.	Where might you need to realign your heart with God?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a time you experienced God's favor unexpectedly.
2.	List ways you can pursue God's will more intentionally.
3.	Reflect on obstacles to walking in God's favor.







Prayer for Today

Lord of Favor, help me to walk in Your ways that bring blessing and peace. Align my heart with Your will and guide my steps in righteousness. May Your favor rest upon me and open doors for Your glory. Amen.









Day 18: W A Heart Opened Wide









Day 18: 🎾 A Heart Opened Wide

Your Verse

2 Kings 4:8-10 - The woman's open heart welcomed Elisha.

Supporting Scriptures

- Acts 20:35 It is more blessed to give than receive.
- 2 Corinthians 9:7 God loves a cheerful giver.







Devotional: Cultivating Joyful Generosity

The Shunammite woman's generosity was fueled by a heart open to God's leading and to others' needs.

True generosity flows from a heart liberated from selfishness and fear. It's a joyful giving that reflects the character of God and draws us closer to His heart.

Ask God to expand your heart so that you may give generously and cheerfully, becoming more like Christ each day.







Reflect and Apply

1.	What keeps your heart from being more generous?
2.	How does generosity impact your joy and faith?
3.	How can you grow a more open and cheerful giving spirit?







Journaling Prompts

1.	. Recall moments when giving brought you joy.
2.	. Write about barriers to joyful generosity you want to overcome.
3.	. Plan ways to express generosity in the coming month.







Prayer for Today

Generous Father, open my heart wider to give freely and joyfully. Teach me to reflect Your love through generous acts, trusting that You will multiply my gifts for Your kingdom. Fill me with Your joy as I bless others. Amen.

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Your Verse

2 Kings 4:27 - The woman refused to leave Elisha, seeking his help.

Supporting Scriptures

- John 14:27 Jesus gives peace not as the world gives.
- Colossians 3:15 Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts.







Devotional: Anchored by God's Peace in Crisis

The Shunammite woman's determination to stay and seek Elisha amidst crisis shows a peace rooted deeper than circumstances.

God offers peace that transcends trouble and prolongs hope. This peace guards our hearts and gives strength.

Focus today on cultivating this peace that anchors you no matter what storms arise.







Reflect and Apply

1.	How do you maintain peace during trying times?
2.	What actions help deepen your experience of God's peace?
3.	How can you share this peace with others facing hardship?







Journaling Prompts







Prayer for Today

Prince of Peace, help me to embrace Your peace that surpasses understanding. Teach me to trust You fully and to maintain calm in every situation. May Your peace rule my heart and flow through me to encourage others. Amen. 😂 🔾 🙏

















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:29 - Elisha took his staff and went to the boy's room.

Supporting Scriptures

- James 2:17 Faith without deeds is dead.
- Hebrews 11:6 Without faith, it is impossible to please God.







Devotional: Active Faith Moves Mountains

Elisha's immediate and bold action to raise the boy reflects faith actively put into motion.

Faith prompts action—waiting passively does not fulfill God's call. It encourages us to step forward confidently in obedience, trusting God's power to work through us.

Reflect on where God may be calling you to act boldly today, in faith.







Reflect and Apply

1.	Where do you need to exercise bold faith right now?
2.	How does action strengthen or challenge your faith?
3.	What fears hold you back from acting in faith?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a time when acting in faith changed a situation.
2.	Identify an area where God is calling you to act.
3.	Pray and journal through obstacles to bold faith steps.







Prayer for Today

Empowering God, stir in me boldness to act on my faith, trusting You to lead and provide. Help me to overcome fear and doubt, stepping forward in obedience. May my faith be alive and powerful, reflecting Your glory. Amen.

















Your Verse

2 Kings 4:37 - The boy sneezed seven times and opened his eyes.

Supporting Scriptures

- Psalm 118:24 This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice.
- Revelation 19:7 Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him glory.







Devotional: Rejoicing in God's Miraculous Works

The boy's revival concludes this powerful story with joy and celebration—a reminder to rejoice in God's miraculous works.

Miracles affirm God's sovereignty, deepen our faith, and call us to worship with grateful hearts. Celebrate the ways God moves in your life, both big and small.

Close this 21-day study by reflecting on God's miracles and committing to a life of faith, generosity, and hope.







Reflect and Apply

How have you seen God's hand at work during this study?
In what ways can you celebrate God's miracles daily?
How will this story inspire your faith moving forward?







Journaling Prompts

1.	List miracles you've witnessed in your life.
2.	Reflect on your favorite lesson from the Shunammite woman's story.
3.	Write a prayer of gratitude celebrating God's power.







Prayer for Today

Glorious God, I rejoice in Your miracles and unending power! Thank You for revealing Yourself through the story of the Shunammite woman and her son. May my life reflect a heart full of faith, generosity, and hope as I celebrate Your wondrous works. Help me to walk boldly in Your grace. Amen.







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