



1 KINGS 17-19: HOW GOD MANIFESTS HIS PERFECTIONS THROUGH HIS FAITHFUL SERVANTS TO DEMONSTRATE HIMSELF TO BE THE ONLY TRUE GOD

**1 Kings 17: The Trustworthiness of God's Word
is Demonstrated by His Dependent Servants**

In 1 Kings 17, there are 3 characteristics of a servant through whom the word of God's trustworthiness is demonstrated:

(Dt 11:16-17; Ps 119:160)

I. A constant awareness of God's majesty—v.1

(2 Tim 4:1-2; 1 Cor 3:5-6, 4:1; 1 Pet 4:11)

II. An unflinching obedience to God's commands—vv.2-16

1. Scene 1—Despite the means of some unexpected food deliverers—
vv.2-7

2. Scene 2—Despite the means of a destitute, pagan woman—vv.8-16

(Ps 33:6-9, 18-21, 34:9-10; Luke 12:22-32)

III. A dependent neediness of God's power—vv.17-24

(Deut 32:39; John 1:14, 14:6, 6:35)