

Perhaps one of the most well-known verses in 1 Kings is 18:21: “How long will you hesitate between two opinions? If the Lord is God, follow Him; but if Baal, follow him.” Wavering in one’s commitment and devotion to Christ weakens your faith. Today we learn that Elijah was strengthened by God’s powerful presence when he expressed faith and trusted God. **Drawing near to the Lord involves faith and trust.**

Key thought: You will be strengthened by God’s powerful presence when you express faith and trust Him.
Ephesians 6:10; Psalm 73:28; 1 Chronicles 16:11

“A little faith will bring your soul to heaven; a great faith will bring heaven to your soul.” —*Spurgeon*

EXPRESSING YOUR FAITH AND TRUSTING GOD REQUIRES...

Verses 21-35

- A choice – (verse 21)

- A challenge – (verses 25-35)
 - You must act

 - You must risk

 - You must expect

Is there any action or activities in your life that require a supernatural movement of God?

EXPRESSING YOUR FAITH AND TRUSTING GOD REVEALS...

Verses 36-39

- An act of unusual obedience (verse 36)

- A desire for the manifest presence of God (verse 37-38)

- A compelling dependence upon God (verse 39)