

## SEEING THE INVISIBLE

Scripture  
Hebrews 11:3, 13-16  
Colossians 1:16-17  
John 1:1-3  
Acts 26:19

### Introduction

Faith sees the invisible. It discerns the "substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." (Hebrews 11:1) When our eyes tell us there is no help for us, faith sees the hand of God outstretched to deliver us.

### I. Elijah

And Elijah said unto Ahab, Get thee up, eat and drink; for there is a sound of abundance of rain.

1 Kings 18:41

- A. The drought
- B. The confrontation with the prophets of Baal
- C. The promise
- D. The prayer for rain
- E. The appearance of the cloud

### II. Elisha

And when the servant of the man of God was risen early, and gone forth, behold, an host compassed the city both with horses and chariots. And his servant said unto him, Alas, my master! how shall we do?

And he answered, Fear not: for they that are with us are more than they that be with them.

And Elisha prayed, and said, Lord, I pray thee, open his eyes that he may see. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.

2 Kings 6:15-17

- A. Elisha reveals the plans of the king of Syria
- B. The king's army surrounds Elisha's city of Dothan
- C. The servant's terror
- D. God opens the servant's eyes
- E. The servant sees the army of the Lord