

Jehu: What does Holiness

Look Like?

2 Kings 9



I challenge you today: _____

I. God seeks to _____ (2 Kings 9:1 - 13).

1. God _____.

2. God _____.

II. God seeks to _____ (2 Kings 9:14 - 24).

1. Have _____.

2. Live _____.

III. God seeks to _____ (1 Kings 9:30 - 37).

1. The enemy _____ back.

2. Look to _____.

Questions for more in-depth study

Read through 2 Kings 9

1. Discuss your thoughts on the violence that you see in the Old Testament? Why does it make us uncomfortable?
2. How do you resolve the issue of evil in the world knowing that God is benevolent, loving and all-powerful?
3. Look at the main challenge. How does this help in understanding holiness and sin? How do you go about doing this (the main challenge) each and every day?
4. Read 2 Corinthians 2:15,16. What does this mean in terms of the consequences of living out the Christ-life? Are you willing to do this? Explain.
5. Look at main point 1. What does that word mean? How is God doing that in 2 Kings 9 with Jehu taking over the kingdom so violently? Why does Jehu have to kill?
6. Look at main point 2. What does God have to remove in your life so that you will be set free? What violent confrontation will take place if he does remove?
7. Take inventory of what is in your mind and heart. What needs to go and what needs to stay?
8. Look at main point 3. How does God restore through eradicating idols in your life? How will the enemy fight back?
9. How is the cross the end of violence and sacrifice? How is that revealed in you and in the New Testament?