

Extraordinary Trust

Tough Calling

I Kings 17:7-15

*Elijah is representing the Lord

1. God asks for our _____.

*"...I don't have any bread—only a handful of flour in a jar and a little oil in a jug."
I Kings 17:12*

2. God asks for _____.

In I Kings, Elijah said, "Me first!"

*"Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops."
Proverbs 3:9*

Honor means to _____, _____ or _____.

*"Will a man rob God? Yet you rob me. But you ask, 'How do I rob you?'
'In tithes and offerings.'
Malachi 3:8*

Three reasons people don't tithe. (_____ of income)

1. They have not _____ God's Word.
2. They don't _____ the _____.
3. They don't _____ God's Word.

Genesis 14:18-20	Abraham commenced it.
Genesis 28:22	Jacob continued it.
Leviticus 27:30	Moses commanded it.
Matthew 23:23	Jesus commended it.
I Corinthians 16:1-2	Paul concluded it.

The only thing left is for us to _____ it.

3. God gives us His _____.

*"...then your barns will be filled to overflowing and your vats will brim over with new wine."
Proverbs 3:10*

*"Test me in this', says the Lord Almighty, and see if I will not open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing...."
Malachi 3:10*

4. God provides the _____.

*"She went away and did as Elijah had told her."
I Kings 17:15*

Recipe for a miracle: _____ mixed with
God's _____.

Questions

1. Do you believe Jesus paid full price for you?
2. Are you giving Him what he paid for?
3. With your tithes and offerings, do you honor God or rob God?
4. Will you make the tough call to trust and obey?