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RISE UP!

8. The Ultimate Legacy

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What is he going to do

with all that God has given him?

1 Kings 19:19-20

So Elijah went from there and found Elisha son of Shaphat. He was ploughing with twelve yoke of oxen, and he himself was driving the twelfth pair. Elijah went up to him and threw his cloak around him. 20 Elisha then left his oxen and ran after Elijah.

Elijah will pour his life into Elisha

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John 14:12

Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.

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What has God given YOU

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that must be multiplied in others?

Matthew 25:15-16

One he gave five bags of gold, to another two bags, and to another one bag, each according to his ability. Then he went on his journey. 1 The man who had received five bags of gold went at once and put his money to work and gained five bags more. ...But the man who had received one bag went off, dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money.

Elisha followed Elijah

1 Kings 19:21

So Elisha left him and went back. He took his yoke of oxen and slaughtered them. He burned the ploughing equipment to cook the meat and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out to follow Elijah and became his servant.

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Elisha followed Elijah

1 Corinthians 11:1

Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ.

deliberately make your life more visible

Elisha followed Elijah

the attitude of servant

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the adoption into sonship

2 Kings 2:11-12

Elijah went up to heaven in a whirlwind. Elisha saw this and cried out, 'My father! My father! ... And Elisha saw him no more. Then he took hold of his garment and tore it in two.

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Elisha followed Elijah

the adoption into sonship

1 Corinthians 4:15

Even if you had ten thousand guardians in Christ, you do not have many fathers, for in Christ Jesus I became your father through the gospel.

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Elisha followed Elijah

the adoption into sonship

1 Corinthians 4:17

For this reason I am sending to you Timothy, my son whom I love, who is faithful in the Lord. He will remind you of my way of life in Christ Jesus, which agrees with what I teach everywhere in every church.

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