



# The World Spins Madly On Vol. 2

## Week 2: God's Miraculous Provision

### CCV Groups Discussion Guide

#### **OPENING QUESTION:**

Share about a time you experienced God's provision during a hardship. What role does community play in experiencing God's blessing?

#### **GROUPS VIDEO GUIDE**

#### **READ:**

- [2 Kings 4:1-7](#)

#### **DISCUSS:**

- What is the last thing you borrowed from a friend or neighbor?
- The widow in 2 Kings 4:1-7 faced a desperate situation, with debts and the threat of losing her children. Share a time in your life you felt most desperate or helpless?
- Elisha instructed the widow to gather as many empty jars as she could from her neighbors. What do you think this action symbolizes? How does it reflect our role in God's miraculous work?
- This story highlights the principle of God's multiplication in our lives. How can we position ourselves to receive more of God's blessings?
- Elisha's involvement in the widow's life demonstrates the importance of community and support in times of need. How can we practically support and encourage one another in our small group or church community when facing challenging situations?

#### **PRAYER:**

Pray for widows and orphans in particular and specific people you know who need God's provisions in specific ways.

## SCRIPTURES:

- **Matthew 7:7**, “Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.”
- **Matthew 18:19**, “Again I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven.”
- **Matthew 21:22**, “And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith.”
- **Mark 11:24**, “Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.”
- **Luke 11:13**, “If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!”
- **Luke 18:1-8**, “And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. He said, “In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, ‘Give me justice against my adversary.’ ...”
- **John 14:13-14**, “Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.”
- **John 15:7**, “If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.”
- **John 15:16**, “You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you.”
- **John 16:24**, “Until now you have asked nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.”
- **Philippians 4:6-7**, “Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”
- **James 1:5**, “If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.”
- **James 4:3**, “You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions.”
- **Psalms 37:4**, “Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.”
- **1 Kings 3:5**, “At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night, and God said, “Ask what I shall give you.”
- **2 Corinthians 5:7**, “For we walk by faith, not by sight.”
- **Mark 9:23**, “And Jesus said to him, “‘If you can!’ All things are possible for one who believes.”
- **1 John 3:22**, “And whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him.”

- **1 John 5:14-15**, “And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.”