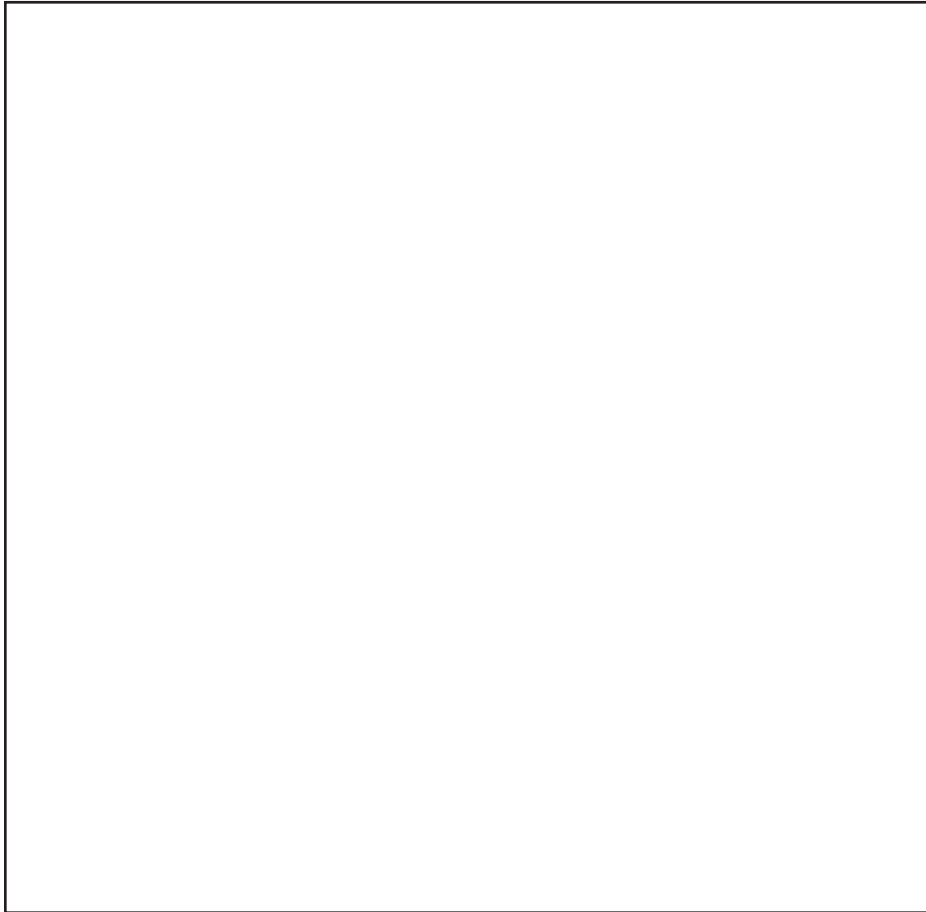


Elijah and Elisha

II Kings 2



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Elijah and Elisha were prophets. They listened to God and tried to do what he told them to. Elijah was the teacher and Elisha was his student.



One day, God told them that it was time for Elijah to leave. God said he would take him up in a whirlwind.

Elijah told Elisha that he could go on by himself. Elisha answered,

“As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee.”

Some of their friends kept telling Elisha that Elijah was leaving and that he should leave him alone but everytime he answered the same.

They came to the river and Elijah took off his cloak and hit the water. It parted for them to cross on dry ground.



When it was time for Elijah to leave he told Elisha that he could ask for something. Elisha asked for “a double portion of thy spirit.” Elijah told him he could have it **IF** he saw him when he was leaving.

Horses and a chariot of fire came down and took up Elijah in a whirlwind. Elisha saw it. Elijah’s cloak fell down on him and he received the blessing.

