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Charles Stanley's Life Principle #11

God assumes full responsibility for our needs when we obey Him.

PRAYER FOCUS: _		

• 1 Kings 17:1-15

• 2 Cor. 8:13-15

• Phil 4:15-20

Elijah and the Widow

How did God provide for Elijah in the early part of the drought? (1 Kings 17:2-6)

What do you learn about God's provision from 2 Corinthians 8:13-15 and Philippians 4:15-20?

Why and how did God change the way He provided for Elijah in the midst of the famine? (1 Kings 17:7-9)

The Widow's Reaction

What was the widow's reaction after hearing the words of the Lord from Elijah? (1 Kings 17:15) How would you have reacted?

³¹So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' ³² For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. ³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. ³⁴ Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

Matt. 6:31-33