

DON'T LIVE ON EMPTY, OVERFLOW WITH GOD

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WORSHIP

Today, Eternal God,
Reliably True

WELCOME

What are you looking forward to in 2022? What answers to prayer or personal breakthroughs are you trusting God for this year?

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

I. Thanksgiving

- Worship God for who He is, what He has done, and what He will do in our lives

II. Country and the World

- Upright and moral governance of Public Servants A God-centered Philippines
- Repentance and Salvation

III. Church

- That CCF Members would honor and love God and make disciples
- Elders, Pastors, Leaders, and Families
- Ministries and Churches worldwide

IV. CCF Facilities

- Worship and Training Center
- Prayer Mountain

V. Personal Concerns

- Deeper intimate relationship with God
- Righteous living
- Salvation of family and friends

WORD

READ IT!

2 KINGS 4:1-7

Now a certain woman of the wives of the sons of the prophets cried out to Elisha, "Your servant my husband is dead, and you know that your servant feared the Lord; and the creditor has come to take my two children to be his slaves." ² Elisha said to her, "What shall I do for you? Tell me, what do you have in the house?" And she said, "Your maidservant has nothing in the house except a jar of oil." ³ Then he said, "Go, borrow vessels at large for yourself from all your neighbors, even empty vessels; do not get a few." ⁴ And you shall go in and shut the door behind you and your sons, and pour out into all these vessels, and you shall set aside what is full." ⁵ So she went from him and shut the door behind her and her sons; they were bringing the vessels to her and she poured. ⁶ When the vessels were full, she said to her son, "Bring me another vessel." And he said to her, "There is not one vessel more." And the oil stopped. ⁷ Then she came and told the man of God. And he said, "Go, sell the oil and pay your debt, and you and your sons can live on the rest."

PARAPHRASE IT!

Restate the verses in your own words.

TALK ABOUT IT!

- What did you like about these verses?
- What did you learn about God?
- What did you learn about the people?
- What did you learn about overflowing life from God in this passage?

POINT IT OUT!

- 1. EMPTY** (2 Kings 4:1-2; Psalm 50:15; 1 Peter 5:5)
- 2. CLEAN ME** (2 Kings 4:3; Psalm 139:23-24; James 4:8; Joel 2:12)
- 3. FILL ME** (2 Kings 4:4-7; Ephesians 3:20; Romans 15:13)

WORKS

APPLY IT!

Based on this lesson on DON'T LIVE ON EMPTY, OVERFLOW WITH GOD, write down your action point to apply what you learned. Make it your "I will..." statement and follow the S.M.A.R.T. guideline to come up with a do-able action point.

Simple

Measurable

Appropriate

Realistic

Time-bound

"I will _____

SHARE IT!

Who will you share these truths to this week?

PRAY CARE SHARE IN ACTION

Pray for people who feel empty that they find the fullness of life in Christ alone and those who are full of themselves to empty their hearts of pride and self-centeredness and let Christ fill it. Fill in someone's need by sharing your blessings with them. Share the good news of the ultimate Savior from the emptiness of life and the Source of an overflowing life.

MEMORY VERSE

Romans 15:13

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you will abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.