## ELIJAH A NATURE LIKE OURS

**JAMES 5:17** 

## HISNATURE

- He had to wait for God's instructions (1 Kgs. 17:3-4, 7-9).
- He required help.
- God didn't require him to do everything (1 Kgs. 19:18; 19:3-4).
- He could not force people to accept the truth (1 Kgs. 19:1-2).
- He hit emotional lows (1 Kgs. 19:3-4).

## APPLICATION

- We all have the same nature.
- God doesn't require special powers to make your prayers effective (Jas. 5:17; Deut. 11:16-17).
- Prayer is not the only thing you can do like Elijah (1 Kgs. 17:1; cf. Mk. 6:17-18).
- In fact, we have more than Elijah (Matt. 11:11).