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SERMON OUTLINE -- JUNE 26, 2022

How Much Faith Do I Need? (1 Kings 17:8-16)

INTRODUCTION: How much??? (A little is enough)

I. A LITTLE GOES A LONG WAY WHEN GOD IS IN IT

- A. Elijah obeyed God & we are called to do the same (vv. 8-9)
- B. His "little" obedience would bring great blessings (vv. 10-11)
- C. The poor widow doubted God's provision & at times so do we (v. 12)

II. GOD DOES NOT EMBARRASS THOSE WHO PUT THEIR CONFIDENCE IN HIM

- A. Is this not one of the central truths seen at the cross of Jesus? (Matthew 27:46; Luke 23:46)
- B. This is what Elijah and the widow learned & what God wants us to learn (vv. 13-16)
- C. Oh... a little goes a long way when God is in it!!

CONCLUSION: It is <u>never</u> the size of our faith, it <u>is</u> the size of our God!