

# ELIJAH and the ravens

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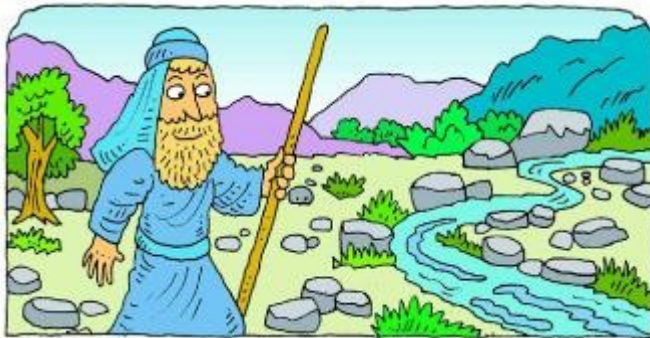
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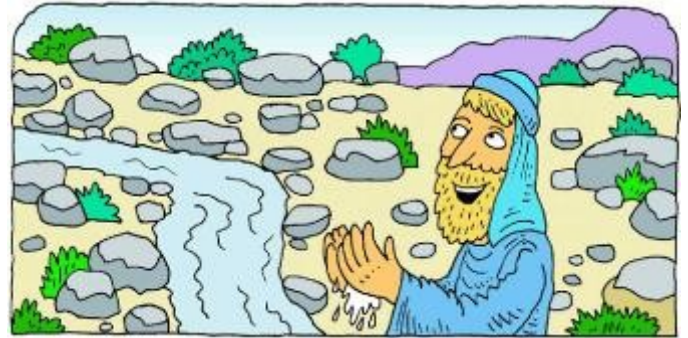
One year it didn't rain, food didn't grow and even the rivers dried up. God looked after Elijah the prophet. It was a miracle.



God sent Elijah, the man of God, to see bad King Ahab. "It will not rain again until God says so," Elijah told the king.



Soon everyone was thirsty. But God looked after Elijah. He sent him far away, to live by a stony stream.



"Wait here until I send rain again," said God. "Here you will have water to drink."



But Elijah was very hungry and prayed to God. God looked after Elijah. He sent raven birds to feed him!



"Ravens will bring you bread and meat every morning, to feed you," God said.



And late in the afternoon, just before the sun sets, the ravens came back again, with food for Elijah.



God looked after Elijah in a special way. God will look after you, too.