

Power Over Every Enemy

Getting Started

1. What is the scenario that is most likely to put butterflies in your belly?
2. How did you feel about FEMA following Katrina?

Digging Deeper

3. Holding this passage up in light of Deut 28:52-53, what does this passage teach us about the judgment of God?
4. Why do you think God would use lepers to reveal His grace to Israel?
5. List other instances of when God's people were starving and God miraculously provided food. How confident should we be when our checking accounts are low?

Living It Out

6. How do you maintain your faith in God when the ungodly are ruling and prospering in this world?
7. What is the danger in trusting in government as the answer to our struggles in America?
8. What can our church do to balance a healthy respect for government and still guard against an ungodly trust in government over God?

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The Power of the LORD

II Kings 6:24-7:20

The success of the wicked is not the result of the failure of God. The LORD teaches His people that even in the prosperity and military victories of His enemies, He still maintains His power. Israel was not to rest in political leaders or military might but in the power of the Word of God.

Over Every Enemy

**The LORD retains \_\_\_\_\_  
in the actions of His \_\_\_\_\_.**

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**The LORD retains \_\_\_\_\_  
over the \_\_\_\_\_ of kings.**

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**The LORD \_\_\_\_\_ His enemies  
to bring \_\_\_\_\_ to His people.**

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