

“HIS EYELIDS TEST THE SONS OF MEN . . .”*
Responding to the LORD
2 Kings 6:24 – 7:20

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Elisha prophesied it, and the LORD delivered Samaria, in spite of themselves.

The passage records many people, and different responses to their trials and the promises of God.

“The LORD is in His holy temple; the LORD’s throne is in heaven;
His eyes behold, His eyelids test the sons of men.” Psalm 11:5

TIMELESS PRINCIPLES:

- *The LORD tests the sons of men. Psalm 11:4, 5*
- *It is always too soon to sin. 1 Corinthians 10:13; Daniel 3:17, 18*
- *The LORD is a refuge to those who trust Him. Proverbs 18:10*
- *There may be a danger in inaction. 2 Timothy 3:7*
- *There is a virtue in proclamation of good news. Isaiah 52:7*
- *The LORD speaks through His prophets. Amos 3:7; 2 Chronicles 20:20*
- *There are consequences to doubt and unbelief. James 1:6-8; Hebrews 11:6*

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