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**MONTHLY  
BIBLE STORY**

Elijah and the Widow

**1 KINGS 17:1-16**

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**BIBLE WORDS**

"Trust in the Lord  
with all your heart."

**PROVERBS 3:5, NIV**

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**BOTTOM LINE**

God's got it.

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**BASIC TRUTH**

God loves me.

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**STORY TIME**

Gather children on a rug or in a specific area of the classroom to tell the story. Some children (especially the younger ones) may wander. That's okay. They're still listening and learning!

**WHAT YOU NEED:** "Hello, friends! I'm so glad to see you today. Come join me on the floor. Today's true story from the Bible (*hold up the Bible*) begins with a man named Elijah. (*Hold up picture of Elijah.*) Elijah trusted God and always tried to do what God told him to do.

"Elijah was hungry, (*hold up the picture of hungry Elijah*) but he didn't have food to eat. God told him to go to a town and find a woman who had food for him. (*Hold up the picture of Elijah with the woman.*) When Elijah found her and asked for water and a piece of bread, she told him she only had enough flour and oil to make bread for her and her son. (*Hold up the picture of almost-empty jars/bowls of flour and oil.*) Elijah told her that God said: 'Your flour and oil will not run out!' So, she quickly made some bread and brought it to Elijah. (*Hold up picture of Elijah with bread and woman with full jars/bowls of flour and oil.*) And guess what? No matter how much flour and oil she used, she still had more! It was just like God said because **God's got it.**"