

## Bringing the Hope of Jesus to the World Pastor Chris Meek

In 2 Kings 6, Samaria, the capital of Israel has been surrounded by the Arameans. "King Ben-hadad of Aram mustered his entire army and besieged Samaria. As a result, there was a great famine in the city" (2 Kings 6:24-25).

Read 2 Kings 7:3-4. The four men assed their situation and considered their options - do nothing and just let things happen or get up and do something.

- 1. Have you been sitting in the same place spiritually?
- 2. Do you want to be in this same place a year or two from now?
- 3. What are your options?

Read 2 Kings 7:5-7. The four men did their part, they got up and moved. God did His part only after the four men took the first step.

- 4. Share when you have taken the first step and God moved on your behalf.
- 5. Why is it important for you to take that first step?

6. What step or steps do you need to take to move forward spiritually?

Read 2 Kings 7:8-11. The four men realized that they could not keep to themselves what they had discovered.

- 7. When you experience the blessings of God, do you keep it to yourself?
- 8. What is the last blessing you received that you shared with others?
- 9. The four men were urgent in their desire to tell what had happened. Do you feel an urgency to share with others what God has done in your life?
- 9. Who in your daily sphere of influence will you tell about the blessings of God in your life?