



Series: The Bravehearted Way
Message: The Cave
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Is This the Bravehearted Way?

Jezebel must have been one BAD girl.

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Elijah had just experienced two major victories. It's time for number three...and he runs away. Is this really the next faithful thing?

- Elijah ran away physically.
- We need to learn to run away physically and let God sustain us.

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What do you do when Jezebel comes for you and intimidates you from "The Bravehearted Way"? You don't care about it any more—in fact, the fight or flight instinct has kicked in and the way that you care is to run away.

- Elijah ran away emotionally.
- Your emotions can run away:
 - Anxiety and panic
 - Depression
- You need to learn to run away emotionally and let God perform an intervention for you.

How?

Elijah hid in a cave, and we need to learn to do the same.

The Take-Home

- God ministered to Elijah physically.
- God spoke to Elijah in the cave.
- God ministered to Elijah in the cave and did not shame him, nor did He make fun of him, nor chide him, nor belittle or berate him.
- God had a strategy for Elijah's life, his ministry, His nation, and, yes, for Jezebel as well, and He has one for you too!

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