



Series: The Bravehearted Way
Message: No God In Israel?
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Key Text: 2 Kings 1:1–18

“When you enter the land the Lord your God is giving you, be very careful not to imitate the detestable customs of the nations living there. For example, never sacrifice your son or daughter as a burnt offering. And do not let your people practice fortune-telling, or use sorcery, or interpret omens, or engage in witchcraft, or cast spells, or function as mediums or psychics, or call forth the spirits of the dead.”
Deuteronomy 18:9-11 (NLT)

There is an alternate reality. God forbids us from intentionally “going there” ...even if it seems perfectly harmless.

Why does God have a problem with his people dabbling with the paranormal?

1. Innocent curiosity can often lead us to dark places.
2. It’s surprisingly easy to put our trust in something other than God.
3. God has given us one reliable guide: His Word—the Bible.
4. Life is about following Christ, and serving others in love.

New to Foothills?

Take a moment to chat with a welcome team member in the lobby before you leave today. They want to talk to you, answer your questions, and give you an idea of what our church is all about.

Got kids?

Children ages six weeks through 5th grade are invited to participate in age-appropriate ministries available during both Sunday services. InnerMission 6 for 6th graders and Warehouse for 7th–12th graders meet during the 10:45 service. Get directions or details at the Information Center in the lobby.

Feeling lost in the crowd?

Join a Missional Community. These small groups offer a place to connect, learn, and grow. Find a group online or contact Susie June at the church office.

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