

The Actions of a Servant Girl

2 Kings 5:1-19

Serving is illustrated in many different ways. One can think about those who serve as shepherds or deacons in the kingdom. But serving is not always public but it's the behind the scene acts of love and kindness.

God calls upon His people to be engaged in doing good for others (Mt 10:48; Gal. 6:9-10; Titus 3:8, 14).

What do we know about Naaman?

A. Five things we know about the servant in this story

What would we typically expect from a prisoner or hostage from another country?

What motive would this servant girl have for helping Naaman?

B. Naaman was surprised about two events when he went to meet Elisha:

- Elisha never ______ himself
- He was told to _____ in the Jordan River

What was Naaman's response to this?

C. In this story, the "service" was sharing some hope. She didn't have to do that, but she did.

List some areas in which we might share hope with others?

What other lessons can we learn from the helpful heart of a little girl?