

# BEFORE WHOM I STAND

## 1 KINGS 17

Text: 1 Kings 17:1

(1 Kings 17:1) "And Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the inhabitants of Gilead, said unto Ahab, As the LORD God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word."

Introduction:

1. He Stood As One Who Believed In God
2. He Stood As One Accepted By God
3. He Stood As One Who Was In Fellowship with the Lord
4. He Stood As One Who Waited On God
5. He Stood As One Who Had the Authority of God

### 6. Lessons

1. God uses individuals for His work
2. The one chosen is often prepared in secret

3. Great men often come out of unexpected places
4. Those sent by God have a definite mission
5. The secret of holy boldness is standing before God
6. Judgment is certain who deny and defy God