



How Long Will You Limp?  
The Story of Elijah on Mount Carmel  
**Group Discussion Guide**

**Leading Off:**

What is the biggest decision you've ever had to make in your life?

**Scripture:**

1 Kings 16-17-18

**Discussion Questions:**

1. On a scale of 1 to 10, ten being high and one being low, how idolatrous is the average American Christian?
2. What do you think are some of the most prevalent idols for typical American Christians?

*An idol is anything in my life I place before God.  
An idol (false god) promises what only God can provide.*

3. On a scale of 1 to 10, ten being great and one being less, how idolatrous would you say you are?
4. What are some of the idols that have taken God's place in your life? What, if anything, are you doing to confront the idols in your life?

*God doesn't demand perfection, but He does demand 100%, all-in, total-heart surrender.*

5. What areas of your life do you find it hard to 100% surrender to God? Why?

**One to Grow On (This Week's Growth Challenge):**

"God doesn't simply call us to ONE decision; He calls us to DAILY decide."

What are some of the obstacles/challenges keeping you from "choosing" God on a daily basis? Write them down and ask a friend to pray with you about these challenges and hold you accountable for implementing a plan to overcome them.