



## **BRINGING OTHERS HOPE** **(Children's Story)**

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### **Text Reference: 2 Kings 5:1-5**

Hello, Boys and Girls!

Our message today focuses on a wee servant girl in the house of Naaman. The Bible does not give all the information about her. However, we are told in 2 Kings Chapter 5 that she was just a small girl who was taken as a war captive.

We don't even know her name. But that girl, despite all the problems she had, did not try to deny her origin or her God. It was important to her that God was first in her life and she should share Him with those in her community.

Now, Naaman's wife was preoccupied. You see, Naaman was sick, and his wife felt that he had lost all hope for the future despite his successes and fortune in life.

The servant girl that God placed in Naaman's home suggested to her mistress (Naaman's wife) that Naaman may find healing through God's prophet, Elijah.

Elijah lived far away so it was a long journey, but it was said that he could help Naaman. So Naaman made the long trip. When he returned home, the servant girl saw that God had healed Naaman, just as she thought He would.

From that day on, Naaman's house worshipped the one true God! A God who used a small servant girl from another country to bring hope and healing to a home that had none. In addition to Naaman's family, many in his community came to know and worship God from this one small act.

We can bring hope to others despite our life conditions and our social status.

“Preach the word! Be ready in season and out of season. Convince, rebuke, exhort, with all longsuffering and teaching” (2 Timothy 4:2, NKJV).

Let's pray.