

“The Whisper of God”
Small Group Bible Study
May 20, 2007

Read: I Kings 19:10-18

Reflect: In what ways do you hear and see God most clearly? Describe a time when you were startled by the way that God revealed himself to you.

Dig: Describe Elijah’s mood in verse 10 and contrast it to what you read in chapters 17 and 18. Can you identify? What was God’s response to his complaint (verse 11a)? What is the significance of God speaking not in the wind, earthquake, or fire but in a gentle whisper? How did Elijah respond in verses 13a and 14? Does this surprise you? Yet note how God cares for him in verses 15-18.

Apply: List things (could be internal or external) that prevent you from hearing God’s whisper. Commit to minimize or eliminate those detractors this week and to make yourself available to hear God’s voice.