Discussion Questions for "The Two Women in Pain"
2nd Kings 4:1-37
Midweek: 10-24-2018 and Shabbat: 10-27-2018

1. What new insight did you gain by watching this video? How do you respond to this new insight? How will you realign your life based on this new understanding?

2. How are the two women of this Haftarah Portion alike? How are they different? Discuss their spiritual similarities and differences as well.

3. How is the Prophet Elisha a shadow of the promised Messiah within the scope of this portion? Compare Elisha's reputation and actions to those of Yeshua.

4. What are some of the lessons the women would have learned from Elisha's ministry and his specific actions with each of them?

5. In both of these stories, the miracle was manifested behind closed doors. In the case of the first woman, she and her sons actually performed the "miracle" filling all the jars with oil as instructed by Elisha. In the case of the second woman, the resurrection of the boy was performed by Elisha himself. The mother was not present in the room. What is the significance of this difference?

6. What would be the reason for Elisha to send his servant Gehazi ahead with his staff and place it on the dead boy's body? What is the significance of Elisha laying on the boy as described in this portion?