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Week 5: Jezebel, A Heart Check

Ladies,

Welcome to our final week of the Identify Her series.

What an incredible journey this has been! Together we've explored our identity in Christ, discovered our God-given purpose, and learned from the lives of Esther and Abigail that preparation, wisdom, and godly character matter.

As we close this series, we're studying one of the most well-known women in Scripture, Jezebel.

At first glance, this lesson may seem different from the others because Jezebel is often remembered for her manipulation, control, pride, and rebellion. But this week's study isn't about pointing fingers or labeling people.

It's about looking inward.

Every woman in Scripture teaches us something. Some show us qualities to imitate, while others reveal attitudes and behaviors we should surrender to God. Jezebel's story gives us an opportunity to examine our own hearts with humility and honesty.

This week, I encourage you to ask the Holy Spirit to reveal any areas where fear, control, pride, manipulation, or unresolved wounds may be influencing your relationships or your walk with Him. Remember, conviction leads to transformation—not condemnation.

The goal of this study is not to identify Jezebel in someone else.

The goal is to allow God to identify anything within us that does not reflect the woman He has called us to be.

As we conclude this series, my prayer is that you leave with a stronger identity, greater wisdom, deeper discernment, and an even closer relationship with Christ.

Thank you for allowing me to walk this journey with you. I cannot wait to see what God does in and through each of your lives as you continue becoming the woman within.

With love,

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Topic:

“Control, Manipulation & Counterfeit Power”

Main Scripture:

First Book of Kings

JEZEBEL’S CHARACTER:

- Controlling
- Manipulative
- Intimidating
- Power-driven
- Seductive
- Spiritually rebellious
- Dishonoring

This week should focus on:

- self-awareness
- healing
- unhealthy patterns

THE TYPE OF MAN WHO WOULD MARRY JEZEBEL:

A passive, insecure, spiritually weak man.

Women operating like Jezebel often seek environments where they can dominate emotionally or spiritually.

BREAKDOWN OF HER HUSBAND:

Ahab

- Passive
- Easily influenced
- Emotionally weak
- Avoided confrontation
- Abdicated leadership

Discussion Questions:

- Do you manipulate when you feel out of control?
- Do you struggle with submission to God?
- Do you dominate conversations and relationships?

