

**ELISHA**

**Get Your Edge Back:  
Ridiculous Recovery**

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<sup>1</sup> One day the group of prophets came to Elisha and told him, “As you can see, this place where we meet with you is too small. <sup>2</sup> Let’s go down to the Jordan River, where there are plenty of logs. There we can build a new place for us to meet.” “All right,” he told them, “go ahead.” <sup>3</sup> “Please come with us,” someone suggested. “I will,” he said. <sup>4</sup> So he went with them. When they arrived at the Jordan, they began cutting down trees. <sup>5</sup> But as one of them was cutting a tree, his ax head fell into the river. “Oh, sir!” he cried. “It was a borrowed ax!” <sup>6</sup> “Where did it fall?” the man of God asked. When he showed him the place, Elisha cut a stick and threw it into the water at that spot. Then the ax head floated to the surface. <sup>7</sup> “Grab it,” Elisha said. And the man reached out and grabbed it.

**2 Kings 6:1-7 (NLT)**

- God knows how to help you \_\_\_\_\_ what you didn’t mean to \_\_\_\_\_.

**How Have You Lost Your Spiritual Edge?**

**How Do You Get Your Edge Back?**

- Be honest about where you \_\_\_\_\_ it.

“Where did it fall?” the man of God asked.

**2 Kings 6:6a (NLT)**

- With God’s help, take back what you \_\_\_\_\_.

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<sup>4</sup> “But I have this complaint against you. You don’t love me or each other as you did at first! <sup>5</sup> Look how far you have fallen! Turn back to me and do the works you did at first. If you don’t repent, I will come and remove your lampstand from its place among the churches.

**Revelation 2:4-5 (NLT)**

**My Next Step Today Is To...**

- Take my first step of faith by receiving Jesus as my Savior and Lord.
- Be open to God’s revelation concerning my spiritual condition.
- Identify one thing that you can do this week that will help you get your spiritual edge back or prevent you from losing it and do it.
- Meditate on and/or memorize Revelation 2:4