

## **2 Kings 1 – The God who won't be snubbed.**

### **Snubbed.**

#### **1. Ahaziah ignores God.**

God's wake up call to Ahaziah (1 Kings 22:51-53, v.1-2a)

Ahaziah's sin (v.2b)

God's chilling pronouncement (v.3-4, 6, 16).

*Why ignoring God is so serious.*

#### **2. Ahaziah opposes God.**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Captains – Come in the spirit of hostility. (vv.9-12)

*Hostility – the path to destruction.*

3<sup>rd</sup> Captain – Comes in the spirit of humility. (vv.13-15)

*Humility – the path to life.*

*Our need for a healthy fear of God.*

#### **3. Ahaziah judged by God.**

God's word fulfilled (v.17).

*A lesson in how not to face your end?*

*The tragedy of snubbing God to the end.*

*The wisdom of calling out to God's life-saver.*