STEP ONE: IS HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY.

STEP TWO: ORGANIZE YOUR THOUGHTS BY GOD’S HELP.

1. TEXT: **Scriptural foundation**
2. THEME: **(Your Sermon in one sentence. “Title”)**
3. INTRODUCTION: **(Prepare your hearers.)**
4. BODY: **(80-90%)**
5. CONCLUSION: **Review, summarize, call to action**

**I Kings 18:26-30, 38**

THEME: There are fires that need to be put out, so a fire can fall that can’t be put out. “Two Fires”

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