

Not What You'd Think

Judges 3.12-30

Introduction

- God uses people you wouldn't expect to do things you wouldn't think possible to accomplish feats you wouldn't have imagined possible
- Ehud (a left-handed person as an assassin), kills Eglon (the most powerful ruler in the region), to liberate Israel (reviving and reorienting their faith).

Main Points: God does what we wouldn't...

1. God calls people of and from _____

a. __ – not who you'd expect
b. David; _____
c. 1Corinthians 1.26-31
d. _____ – born in a stable to a mother who was pregnant before she was _____, raised by a _____, in an area of low _____
2. God calls people to do things beyond their _____

a. Ehud gets private access to _____, assassinates him, and successfully escapes
b. _____; Jeremiah
c. 2Corinthians 12.9-10
d. _____ – under the power of the Holy Spirit, resists the _____, doesn't sin, heals all kinds of _____, delivers people from bondage, and raises the dead to life

3. God calls people to accomplish His _____

- a. Ehud rallies _____ and helps them return to _____; they experience a revival
- b. Esther; _____
- c. Romans 15.18
- d. _____ – was sent, born to _____, born to be resurrected, born so that we might be born again. Jesus accomplished all that the Father had sent him to do.

Conclusion

- Ministry is about _____ not power, faithfulness not success, and _____ in God, not self.
- God calls the _____ and the _____ to ascend great heights for His glory
- serving God is not what you'd think.