

Sermon series: Visions of Hope Text: Zechariah 4:1-14 Delivered: November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Kyle Kauffman

## All The Small Things

Big Idea: God accomplishes big things through small people by the power of His Spirit.

God is with us through all the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ things we face. (vs. 1-5)

- 1. God is \_\_\_\_\_ us even when we don't see it.
- 2. God is at \_\_\_\_\_ even when we don't see it.

God will supply all that we \_\_\_\_\_\_for \_\_\_\_\_we face through His Spirit. (vs.11-14)

- 1. The same \_\_\_\_\_\_ who lived in Jesus now lives in us.
- 2. Through His Spirit Jesus will \_\_\_\_\_\_ all we need moment-by-moment.

\_\_\_\_\_ things become an opportunity to \_\_\_\_\_\_ on God's Spirit. (vs. 6-7)

1. We need to rely on God's Spirit to \_\_\_\_\_\_ us.

- 2. We need God's Spirit to \_\_\_\_\_\_ what we can't.
- \_\_\_\_\_ things become an opportunity to \_\_\_\_\_ God's Spirit. (vs. 8-10)

1. God \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in small acts of obedience.

2. God accomplishes \_\_\_\_\_\_ things through \_\_\_\_\_\_ things.

"God loves to take small things and make them matter in big ways." -Denise Hughes

Conclusion: \_\_\_\_\_ God and \_\_\_\_\_ a Step.

What's something in your own life that feels too big and overwhelming for you to handle?

What's something in your life that seems so small, ordinary, or mundane to be of any significance?

What are some things that make it difficult to believe God is always with us and always working? What might be some small ways throughout your day that you can remember God is with me and he is at work in and through me?



Do you believe you recognize the significance and importance of the Holy Spirit? What keeps you from calling out to and relying on the Spirit to help you love, trust, and obey Jesus?

Think back to the big thing (or things) that you listed above that feel too big and overwhelming to handle. How might that big thing be an opportunity to rely on God's Spirit?

Can you think of a previous time in your life where you faced something big and you saw God come through for you in a big way?

What are some of the things in your life that you do over and over again but you're not sure they are having any significance or impact? How might those small things be an opportunity to trust God's Spirit?

Can you think of something big God has done in your own life that he's brought about through lots of small things?

What's one area (big or small) where you feel like God wants you to trust Him and Take a Step (or keep taking steps)? What is that step?

Further Resources:

- <u>Read "Trading One Dramatic Resolution for 10,000 Little Ones" by Paul Tripp</u>
- <u>Read "Do Not Despise the Day of Small Things" by Scott Hubbard</u>