

The Power of Small Deeds

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“Who despises the day of small things” Zech. 4:10

Many great accomplishments for God had small beginnings. When Zerubbabel was called to rebuild God’s ruined temple, one of the first things he did, with the help of others, was to lay the foundation. Then they began to build the building stone by stone. There are many who thought this was a waste of time and effort and “despised the day of small things”. But God promised Zerubbabel success, not by mere human strength but by His Spirit.

Don’t despise the small things in life – cherish them and make them available to God. We may think that God is not concerned with the little things in our lives. It is from little things that big things grow. Offer your gifts, your time, your skills, your energy, your money, however small and place them under the Lordship of Christ. May God grant us ears to hear, hearts to understand and the courage to act. No deed is small when done for Christ!

Related verses:

Mark 4:30-32.

Reflection:

- a. Can you think of other examples in the bible?
- b. Do you have things in your life that you did or accomplished that began small?