

Judges 3:12 - 30 EHUD: God Can Use Us, Even in Our Weakness!

The Amalekites were descended from Esau. The Moabites and the Ammonites were descendants of _____.

v. 13 – the city of palm trees - _____ Places of victory can become places of _____.

Isa. 55:8,9

I. GOD CAN USE YOU, IN SPITE OF YOUR _____ – v. 15

II Cor. 4:7-10: Therefore, in order to keep me from becoming conceited, I was given a thorn in my flesh, a messenger of Satan, to torment me. Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away from me. But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ’s sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

I Cor. 1: 26 - 31: Brothers and sisters, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. God chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things—and the things that are not—to nullify the things that are, so that no one may boast before him. It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God—that is, our righteousness, holiness and redemption. Therefore, as it is written: “Let the one who boasts boast in the Lord.”

II. GOD MAY USE YOUR WEAKNESS TO GIVE YOU YOUR GREATEST
_____ ! v. 15-30

III. GOD WANTS TO USE YOU TO MOTIVATE OTHERS TO REACH THEIR
POTENTIAL IN CHRIST

II Corinthians 3:5 (NIV) Not that we are competent in ourselves to claim anything for ourselves, but our competence comes from God.

