

††† SERMON NOTES †††

REVIEW: I Kings 19 - How God helps us bounce back:

**physically - food and _____ **emotionally - release your _____

**spiritually - refocus on _____ **relationally - resume serving others - He gave him a job to do, and a _____ - He gave him Elisha.

TODAY: I KINGS 19:19-21 – GOD CAN USE ME!!

1. THERE ARE DIFFERENT _____ ON DIFFERENT PEOPLE.

A. I believe God calls some people to Christian ministry as their vocation.

B. However, God calls _____ to be a minister, whatever they do as their means of making a living.

2. GOD USES _____ OF PEOPLE

Elijah; Obadiah - ch. 18 – Ahab’s palace administrator; v. 15 – Hazael – (II Kings 8) Servant to the King of Syria, who would become King of Syria; v. 16 – Jehu – (II Kings 9,10) Captain in the army of Israel; would become King, and be responsible for the death of Jezebel, Ahab’s 70 sons, and the prophets of Baal; v. 16 – Elisha – a successful agri-businessman; the 12 Disciples

GOD USES ALL KINDS OF PEOPLE.....BECAUSE.....

3. THERE ARE _____ OF JOBS TO DO FOR GOD!

I Cor. 12:12 ff

4. THERE ARE COMMON CHARACTERISTICS IN THE PEOPLE GOD USES

a) They are already _____

God uses you when you are already being _____ in your daily life.

Ecc. 9:10 – “Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with all your might,”

I Cor. 10:31 - do it all to the glory of God

b) They are open to God’s leadership – be open to _____!

c) They are willing to sacrifice

v. 21 – “he became his servant; II Kings 3:11

What is holding me back from total obedience to God?

What is holding me back from obeying God's call on my life?

“I have decided to follow Jesus. No turning back.”

