

WEIRD STUFF IN THE BIBLE

Where Did You Lose It?

- God knows how to help you _____ what you didn't mean to _____.

- 2nd Kings 6:1-7 _____

- 1st Corinthians 6:19-20 _____

Three Steps to Getting Your Edge Back:

1. _____ to God!

a. The young prophet cried out to God. He hoped God would supernaturally give him the edge back; he knew it was beyond his own strength.

i. In what ways do you cry out to God in your life?

ii. Where are you tired? Where are you worn out in life? Where are you out of passion, or out of options?

iii. What is the proof you have that God cares enough to answer your cry for help?

b. God is not great just because nothing is too _____
for Him; God is great because nothing is too _____
for Him also!

2. Be _____ about where you lost it.

a. Be honest about where you lost your edge. We have to go back to
where we lost our edge in order to get it back.

i. Is there a specific event you can recall that caused you to
lose your spiritual edge?

ii. How difficult is it for you to be honest with God about your
frustrations?

iii. Pastor John mentioned the importance of iron sharpening and using other people for accountability. Do you have a person or group in your life who helps you to keep your spiritual edge?

b. Proverbs 27:17 _____

3. With God's _____, take back what you _____.

a. What area of your life have you identified as a place where you want to get your edge back?

b. What act of obedience helped you, or can help you, to get your edge back?

c. How do you keep your passion for God strong in your own life?

- We get our edge back through _____.

This week:

- Try journaling about your emotions as a way of surrendering your own power and crying out to God in your time of need.
- Identify a person or group to meet with on a regular basis who are willing to help you keep your edge spiritually. Commit to a regular schedule and format for your meetings.

Notes: _____

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Community Book Exchange** – Third Saturday of every month :: Next date: Saturday, August 15th from 11am to 3pm
- **Yard Sale!** – Donate your stuff to The Gathering Church, Multi-Family Yard Sale to help us raise funds for new equipment! Saturday, August 15th at 8am. Please don't bring your donated items until the week of.
- **Prayer Walk** – Will be rescheduled soon!
- **Bible Study: *Goliath Must Fall*** :: Mondays at 5:00pm
- **Giving** – You can now use Faithlife for Tithes & Offering. It's really easy!



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- **Weekly Prayer**
 - Church: Grace Church
 - Businesses: Best western Vista Inn, TOTL Surveys Inc., Valley Home Furnishings, Topaz Lodge
- **Announcement Notes:** _____

