

HERE COMES A COMEBACK

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Pastor Glenn Gunderson

"There is nothing as sweet as a comeback, when you are down and out, about to lose, and out of time."

Anne Lamott

"There's nothing as exciting as a comeback-seeing someone with dreams, watching them fail, and then getting a second chance."

Rachel Griffiths

"I don't know if God is a sports fan or not, but I do know this: He loves a good comeback."

Lane Kiffin

NAAMAN: THE MAN WHO CAME BACK FROM "COVID" WHY WOULDN'T YOU EXPECT NAAMAN TO HAVE A COMEBACK?

1. NAAMAN WAS AN IDOL WORSHIPPER.

2 KINGS 5:1

- BUT NAAMAN HAD A _____ THAT ONLY GOD COULD SOLVE.

2. NAAMAN WAS AN ENEMY OF ISRAEL.

2 KINGS 5:2

- BUT THERE WAS AN ISRAELITE WHO LOVED HER _____.

2 KINGS 5:3

3. NAAMAN THOUGHT HE COULD BUY A MIRACLE.

2 KINGS 5:4-7

- THE ABSOLUTE IMPORTANCE OF _____.

ISAIAH 58:1-10, ISAIAH 1:15-18, JAMES 2:14-17, 1 JOHN 3:17-18

"I feel that I'm living my purpose. But the thing about purpose is that it unfolds to you more and more every day. You could be living in what was revealed to you at a particular time, and then you might get stagnated because there's more that you're supposed to do. It doesn't just stop as you do one thing. I think it's about being open to what you're supposed to do at this moment and not getting stuck in the past. Purpose is not related to a career. It's related to what God put inside you that you're supposed to give to the world."

Chadwick Boseman

- BIBLICAL JUSTICE _____ EVERYTHING: _____ TREATMENT FOR ALL.

LEVITICUS 24:22, ACTS 17:26, ISAIAH 1:23

- SPECIAL CONCERN FOR THOSE WITHOUT _____.

PROVERBS 31:8-9, ZECHARIAH 7:9-10, PROVERBS 14:31, PROVERBS 19:17, PSALM 68:5

- RADICAL _____.

JOB 29:12

- JESUS _____ THIS UPSIDE DOWN WORLD

MATTHEW 8:20

"You can't hide God in you. God was not meant to become part of you, and you hide out in the closet. I don't think He wanted that. I think He wanted people to see the Christ in you that reflects Him."

Lou Brock

- BUT ELISHA REACHES OUT TO NAAMAN _____.

2 KINGS 5:8

4. NAAMAN WAS A PROUD AND ANGRY MAN.

2 KINGS 5:9-12

- BUT NAAMAN WAS WILLING TO _____ HIMSELF.

2 KINGS 5:13-14

- NAAMAN BECAME A _____ OF GOD.

"He (Naaman) lost his temper; then he lost his pride; then he lost his leprosy; that is generally the order in which proud rebellious sinners are converted."

D.L. Moody

2 KINGS 5:15-16

DO YOU NEED A COMEBACK?

1. ARE YOU ASKING GOD FOR A COMEBACK?
2. ARE YOU DOING WHAT GOD TOLD YOU TO DO?
3. ARE YOU LETTING YOUR PRIDE STAND IN THE WAY?

Fill in the blanks: problem, enemy, justice, covers, equal, power, generosity, models, anyway, humble, follower