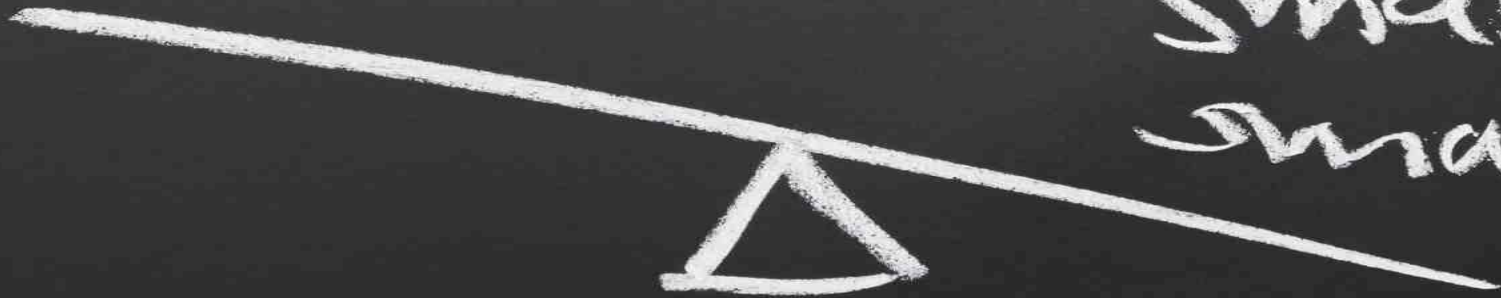


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Small Things Make A Big Difference!

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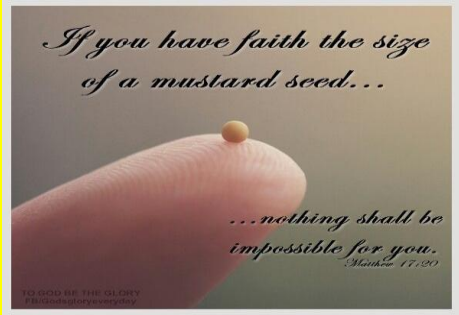
(Text Passage: Zechariah 4:10)

SMALL THINGS MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE

(Text: Zec. 4:10)



- The effect of little things.
- 1 Cor. 5:6; “Your glorying *is* not good. Do you not know that a little leaven leavens the whole lump?” (a person’s influence)
- Prov. 6:10: “A little sleep, a little slumber, A little folding of the hands to sleep.” (description of the lazy person)
- Prov. 16:8; “Better *is* a little with righteousness, Than vast revenues without justice.” (having a clear conscience)
- It is foolish to deny that little things can mean so much.
- Text passage: Zechariah 4:10; “Do not despise the small beginnings, for the Lord rejoices to see the work begin.”



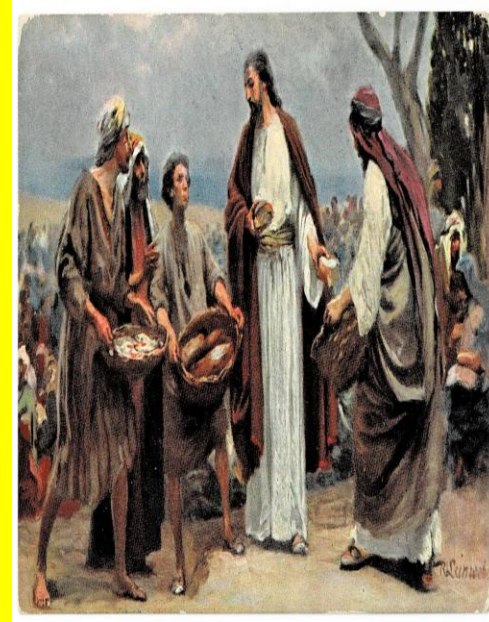
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- A little faith can move mountains.
- Jesus rebuked His disciples for not having faith
(**Matt. 17:14-21**)
- Mustard seed faith—the smallest of seeds.
- Jesus told some their faith had made them well.
(**Mark 5:34; Mark 10:52**)
- Obstacles and challenges in our life appear as big as mountains.





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- **A little lunch can feed thousands.**
- The Biblical scene is Jesus' feeding of the 5,000. (John 6:1-13)
- John 6:9; "There is a lad here who has five barley loaves and two small fish, but what are they among so many?"
- A small amount placed in the right hands can make a huge difference.
- A small cloud—the ending of a drought—**1 Kings 18:41-45.**

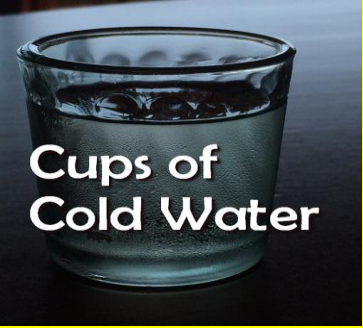
Small acts of obedience

Have you ever had to do
something you were afraid of
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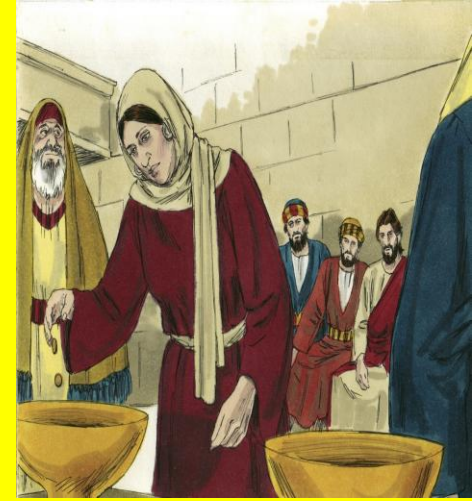
- **A little servant can save a commander.**
- A young (little) servant girl's message. (**2 Kings 5:1-5**)
- A little act of obedience by Naaman. (**2 Kings 5:9-15**)
- Our small acts of obedience make a big difference.
(**Mark 16:16; Acts 22:16**)
- A small word of encouragement, a small note, a small prayer,
can be a tremendous help.
- Every act of obedience to God is sending a message.





Cups of
Cold Water

SMALL THINGS MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE (Text: Zec. 4:10)



- ❖ A little gift can teach millions.
- ❖ A widows mite serves as an example to all of us. **(Mark 12:41-44)**
- ❖ A cup of cold water in His name. **(Matthew 10:40-42)**
- ❖ A little gift of time, a gift of your abilities, a gift of your finances, can change the life of someone.
- ❖ A small invitation to services, or a Bible study can change everything.
- ❖ A small question—**(Acts 8:30)**—“*Do you understand what you are reading?*”

POEM ABOUT LITTLE THINGS

POEMS ABOUT SMALL THINGS



It's just the little homely things,
—The unobtrusive, friendly things,
The “won't-you-let-me-help-you” things
—That make our pathway light—
And it's just the jolly, joking things,
—The “never-mind-the-trouble” things,
The “laugh-with-me, it's funny” things
—That make the world seem bright.

For all the countless famous things,
—The wondrous, record-breaking things,
Those “never-can-be-equaled” things
—That all the papers cite,
Aren't like the little human things,
—The everyday-encountered things,
The “just-because-I-like-you” things
—That make us happy quite.

So, here's to all the simple things,
—The dear “all-in-a-day's-work” things,
The “smile-and-face-your-troubles” things,
—Trust God to put them right!
The “done-and-then-forgotten” things,
—The “can't-you-see-I-love-you” things,
The hearty “I-am-with-you” things
—That make life worth the fight.

THE LORD'S INVITATION

"Come unto Me All ye that Labor"

- Hear the Gospel message, of Jesus dying for your sins. (**Rom. 10:17**)
- Believe that Jesus is the Son of God. (**Acts 8:37**)
- Repent of your sins. (**Acts 2:28**)
- Confess your faith in Jesus as the Son of God. (**Rom. 10:9-10**)
- Be baptized for the remission of your sins. (**Acts 2:38; 1 Peter 3:21**)
- Live a faithful Christian life. (**Rev. 2:10**)

