

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

ON MISSION WITH GOD

The Person God Uses:

- **God has a way of taking the ordinary and making it extraordinary**
- **God uses the common things to do and reveal the uncommon things**
- **The Bible records how He used ordinary people to affect the world in extraordinary ways and further His Kingdom**
 - * **the thing that set them apart wasn't special human ability, but a heart responsive to God**
 - * **Talent and ability were never prerequisites**

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

ON MISSION WITH GOD

*“Consider your calling brethren, there were not many wise according to the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble; but God has chosen the foolish things of the world to shame the wise, and the weak things of the world to shame the things that are strong”
(1 Corinthians 1:26-27)*

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

ON MISSION WITH GOD

God's "plumb-line" to measure our hearts for Him (Amos 7:7-8):

- **Set your heart to follow God (Lk.14:33)**
- **Yield your heart-life to God (Josh.24:23)**
- **Cleanse your heart for God (Ps.51:10-13)**
- **Guard your heart (Prov.4:23)**
- **Don't harden your heart (Heb.3:8)**
- **Pursue an "undivided heart" (1Cor.7:35)**

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

ON MISSION WITH GOD

WILLIAM DOUGLAS SAWYER

*“I have found David, son of Jesse, a man after
My own heart; he will do everything I want
him to do”*

(Acts 13:22)

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

ON MISSION WITH GOD

Apostle Paul challenges us not to squander the grace we've been given (2Cor.6:1):

- Jesus, “the fields are white unto harvest (John 4:35)
- “the harvest is great, but laborers few” (Mtt.9:36-38)
- Paul’s Heart & Passion (Rom.9:1-5; 10:1)
- Paul’s Example (2Cor.11) . . It could get dangerous

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

ON MISSION WITH GOD

Willingness to do what God wants is not just for the beginning or when it's easy: But . . .

- When other believers drop out or stop.
- When there are distractions, or temptation to compromise
- When enemies arise and stand in the way
(1Cor.16:8-9)
- When doubts and fears arise
- When we feel over-worked and tired
- When it appears our efforts are failing
- When we aren't appreciated or recognized