

God Can Use Anybody

Miracle of Mercy – Introduction

“A new day will dawn on us from above because our God is loving and merciful.” Luke 1:78 (GW)

Mercy: Unearned forgiveness & Undeserved kindness

“...give yourselves completely to God, for you were dead, but now you have new life. So use your whole body as an instrument to do what is right for the glory of God.” Romans 6:13 (NLT)

To be used by God I must...

(2 Corinthians 4:1-18)

...never forget that it's all because of God's mercy.

“Therefore, since through God's mercy we have this ministry, we do not lose heart.” vs. 1 (NIV)

...be authentic.

“...We teach the truth plainly, showing everyone who we are. Then they can know in their hearts what kind of people we are in God's sight.” vs. 2 (NCV)

“God has made us what we are. In Christ Jesus, God made us to do good works, which God planned in advance for us to live our lives doing.” Ephesians 2:10 (NCV)

...remember it's not about me.

“For what we preach is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake.” vs. 5 (NIV)

“But we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us.” vs. 7 (NIV)

...use my pain to help others.

“All of these sufferings of ours are for your benefit. And the more of you who are won to Christ, the more there are to thank Him for his great mercy, and the more God gets glory!” vs. 15 (LB)