

Unscripted | Part One | Sunday, July 7, 2019
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Two reasons we disqualify ourselves:

1. Struggle with _____.
2. Falling into the _____.

Question...

What could I possibly have to offer the God of the universe?

21 Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the LORD drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land. The waters were divided, **22** and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left.

Exodus 14:21,22 NIV

29 But the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left.

30 That day the LORD saved Israel from the hands of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians lying dead on the shore. **31** And when the Israelites saw the mighty hand of the LORD displayed against the Egyptians, the people feared the LORD and put their trust in him and in Moses his servant.

Exodus 14:29-31 NIV

God uses moments of _____,
_____, and _____ on the
part of His people to prove His _____
and _____.

9 But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me.

2 Corinthians 12:9 NIV

Final Thought

When it comes to feeling unqualified, the battle isn't about figuring out how to overcome my inadequacies. It's not even about learning how to persevere in spite of them. The real battle is to fight to remain focused on the cross of Christ which proves that it was never about what I could do for Him, but about what He has already done for me.

Answer...

Next Steps

- ___ I will accept Jesus as my Lord and Savior.
- ___ I will surrender my sin and comparisons to God.
- ___ I will participate in the backpack drive.
- ___ I will memorize 2 Corinthians 12:9.

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