

THREE THINGS I LEARNED FROM A MOVIE *I DIDN'T WANT TO SEE*

PART 1: WHAT MAKES YOU A WONDER?

INTRODUCTION

We all have dreams. We want life to go a certain way. But life doesn't always turn out as we imagine. It can bring disappointment and adversity. Our response can either cause us to wander, or it can shape us into "a wonder."

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. As a kid, what did you dream about being or doing when you grew up?
2. Life doesn't always turn out the way we imagine. When have you found this to be true in your life? What disappointment did you experience?
3. How do you typically respond when life doesn't go as you imagine? How does it affect your relationship with God?
4. Read 2 Corinthians 12:10. No one likes to admit weakness. But the pathway to God's strength is doing just that. What prevents you from acknowledging your weakness?
5. What does it look like for you to accept God's grace in difficult life circumstances?
6. How can you remind yourself that God's grace is sufficient for you?

MOVING FORWARD

Being "a wonder" is about God using our weakness to do something wondrous. When we admit our weakness, we can experience his strength and move towards his grace.

WEEKLY READING

Reflect on these promises God has made to you this week.

You are never alone; God is with you. John 14:20-21

God will provide for you. Matthew 6:25-34

Your human weakness sets the stage for God's divine power. 2 Corinthians 12:9

God will use it. Romans 8:28

God will develop you in the waiting. 2 Peter 3:8-9

God will give you a peace that you cannot explain. Philippians 4:7