

BIBLE **TOP 10**

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Top 10 Most Unlikely People God Used For His Purposes

One of the great lessons from the Bible is that God does extraordinary things through ordinary people. In most cases, all God asks is a willingness to serve his purposes. From leading his people out of slavery, to giving birth to the Savior of the world, God offers humanity the opportunity to play a part in fulfilling his purposes. So if you have ever felt like God can't use you, check out our list of the Top 10 Most Unlikely People God Used For His Purposes.

10. Shepherds, Who Were A Despised Profession Were The First To Learn And Share The News That Christ Had Been Born (*Luke 2:8-20*)
9. Moses, A Wanted Murderer "Slow Of Speech," Leads The Israelites Out Of Slavery (*Exodus 3:1-22*)
8. Peter, A Self Described "Sinful Man," Drops Everything To Follow Jesus And Become A "Fisher Of Man" (*Luke 5:1-11*)
7. Gideon, Who Was Hiding In Fear From The Midianites, Became A "Mighty Man Of Valor" (*Judges 6:11-16, 7:17-25*)
6. Esther, A Young Jewish Girl Became Queen Of Persia And Saved Her People From Annihilation (*Esther 2:1-18*)

Most Unlikely People God Used For His Purposes Honorable Mention

Nothing makes the ordinary extraordinary like experiencing the life changing salvation of Jesus Christ. Though we couldn't include them all on our list, here are three such people who were changed by meeting Jesus who, in turn, went on to share the good news with others.

- Matthew/Levi, A Despised Tax Collector Goes On To Become A Disciple Of Jesus Christ (*Matthew 9:9-13*)
- A Demon Possessed Man Living In Tombs Is Set Free By Jesus And Returns Home To Share His Story With His Family (*Mark 5:1-20*)
- The Samaritan Woman At The Well Shares Her Story And Helps Many Find Salvation (*John 4:1-42*)

5. David, A Shepherd Boy Becomes King Of Israel (*1 Samuel 16:1-13*)
4. Rahab, A Prostitute Helps Israel Inherit The Promised Land (*Joshua 2:1-24*)
3. Saul/Paul, A Religious Leader Who Persecuted Christians Accepts Christ And Goes On To Write Much Of The New Testament (*Acts 9:1-22*)
2. Mary, A Young Virgin Becomes Mother Of The Christ Child (*Luke 1:26-38*)
1. Balaam's Donkey Warns Him To Avoid Danger (*Numbers 22:21-35*)

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