

The Word of The LORD came to me saying...

EXTRAORDINARY

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"It's amazing what ordinary people can do if they set out without preconceived notions."
Charles F Kettering
(quotes American engineer, inventor of the electric starter, 1876-1958)



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Daniel 5:11 "There is a man in your kingdom in whom is a spirit of the holy gods; and in the days of your father, illumination, insight and wisdom like the wisdom of the gods were found in him. And King Nebuchadnezzar, your father, your father the king, appointed him chief of the magicians, conjurers, Chaldeans and diviners. 12 "This was because an extraordinary spirit, knowledge and insight, interpretation of dreams, explanation of enigmas and solving of difficult problems were found in this Daniel, whom the king named Belteshazzar. Let Daniel now be summoned and he will declare the interpretation."

13 Then Daniel was brought in before the king. The king spoke and said to Daniel, "Are you that Daniel who is one of the exiles from Judah, whom my father the king brought from Judah? 14 "Now I have heard about you that a spirit of the gods is in you, and that illumination, insight and extraordinary wisdom have been found in you.

Daniel 6:3 Then this Daniel began distinguishing himself among the commissioners and satraps because he possessed an extraordinary spirit, and the king planned to appoint him over the entire kingdom.

Daniel was described as "Extraordinary" 3 times in NASB
Other translations use the term "excellent."

Daniel was found to possess:
•an extraordinary spirit and
•extraordinary wisdom,
•which I would like to infer that indeed he was "extraordinary."

From Daniel we shall discover our divine design to be extraordinary

my original journaled notes: message approach- contrast the barriers, walls, inhibitors, weapons that effect and limit us from becoming "Extraordinary."

Whenever people only live by rules, doing everything right, status quo, they may never do wrong, get in trouble, be judged, but neither will they break records, soar heights, or perhaps truly Love! They may not do anything EXTRAORDINARY!

Take the limits off, take the norms off; to just be O.K. is good and comfortable, happy, nice-nice, but will not change the world or become a game changer for God's Glory and people's Good!

I.E.- Corporate employees & managers that are tied to laws, rules, & policies never if ever then rarely & barely become High Producing Achievers!



GOD CREATED YOU TO BE EXTRAORDINARY...

ex-traor-di-nar-y: 1. Beyond what is ordinary, usual, regular, customary, or established; 2. Highly exceptional; remarkable 3. Unusually great; Synonyms- off the beaten path, uncommon, outstanding; Antonym- normal

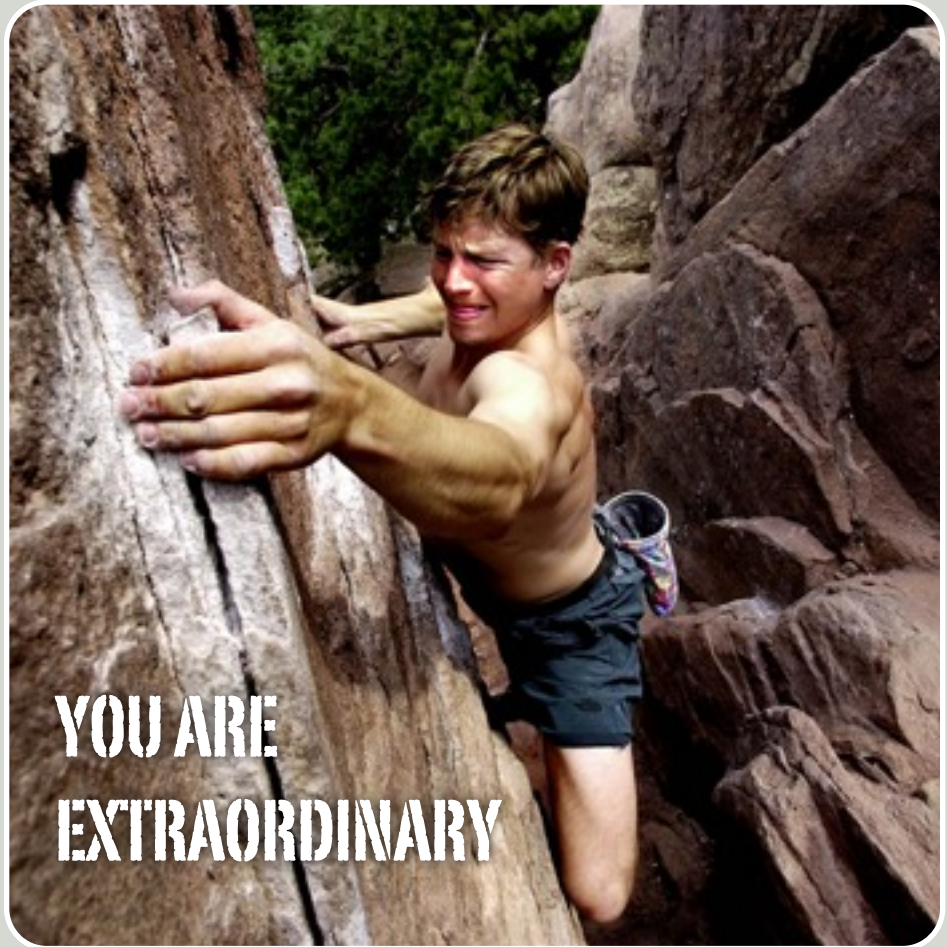
Beyond Ordinary

To dare is to lose one's footing momentarily. To not dare is to lose oneself. -Soren Kierkegaard

"There are no constraints on the human mind, no walls around the human spirit, no barriers to our progress except those we ourselves erect."

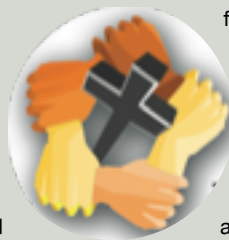
Ronald Reagan

Unusual travel suggestions are dancing lessons from God.
- Kurt Vonnegut

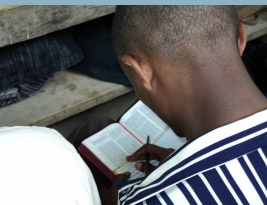


We can conceive being Extraordinary beginning upon these bases-

1. Christ is Life
2. God is The Author of the meaning of Life.
3. We need God in our Lives through His only begotten Son, Jesus The Christ.
4. Jesus saves and reconciles us back to our Creator and now Heavenly Father through His Redemption.
5. We have now been saved by Grace unto good works.
6. Works are NOT, no matter what, for us to be more accepted or performance driven by what we do.
7. However, good works are unto The Glory of God created in The Kingdom of God which is in us and through us for the contemporary & relevant times of our generation



8. These good works are to proceed from us being exceptional, excellent, and "Extraordinary!"
9. Enlightenments, Revelations, and Hearing The Voice of God come from The Holy Spirit revealing The Word of God.
10. Jesus is The Word of God, which is The Word of LIFE
11. The Word teaches of all things pertaining to this life and the life to come.
12. The Word of God is the philosophy and Christ-style we live extraordinarily in The Kingdom of God transcending the ages.
13. We were created by God just as exemplified by Daniel to have an extraordinary spirit, extraordinary wisdom, and to be extraordinary.

GOAL & PURPOSE OF THIS TREACHING	SEE & BELIEVE	LIVE IN THE "EXTRA"	BECOME	CULTIVATE AN ENVIRONMENT
	<p>Communicate clearly & creatively for: you to see and believe Jesus Christ that you are Extraordinary</p>	<p>Convince: you to live in the "Extra" as a discipline in life and character</p>	<p>Cause: you to Become Extraordinary in and by God's Plan, Hope, and Future for you</p>	<p>Cultivate: you to engage in an Encouraging Environment of eternal purpose & divine destiny, everlasting covenant, excitement, encountering The Holy Spirit, empowering, and exercising of your T.A.G.S.</p>