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THE MAN  
SCATTERING  
SEED

What do we learn about God?

- In the same way a seed has regenerative power in itself, God's kingdom has intrinsic power in itself.
- His work is at times invisible and mysterious, but always moving and growing
- God cooperates with us—in this case, the work begins and ends with the farmer's labor



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Questions to ask yourself...

- Are you scattering seed?
  - Stories are sticky! Are you sharing yours?
  - No one can argue with your story of faith or with what you know God has done for you.
- If you have shared God's story, then are you resting in the knowledge that God is at work? The seed will produce a harvest!

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What do we learn about God?

- God is big, but He loves to use small things, and He works in subtle and mysterious ways.

Zechariah 4:10 says, “Do not despise the day of small things, for the Lord rejoices to see the work begin...”

- God’s small beginnings grow from “Insignificant to the incomprehensible.” God’s work is both slow and fast because of the mysterious ways that we experience the passing of time.



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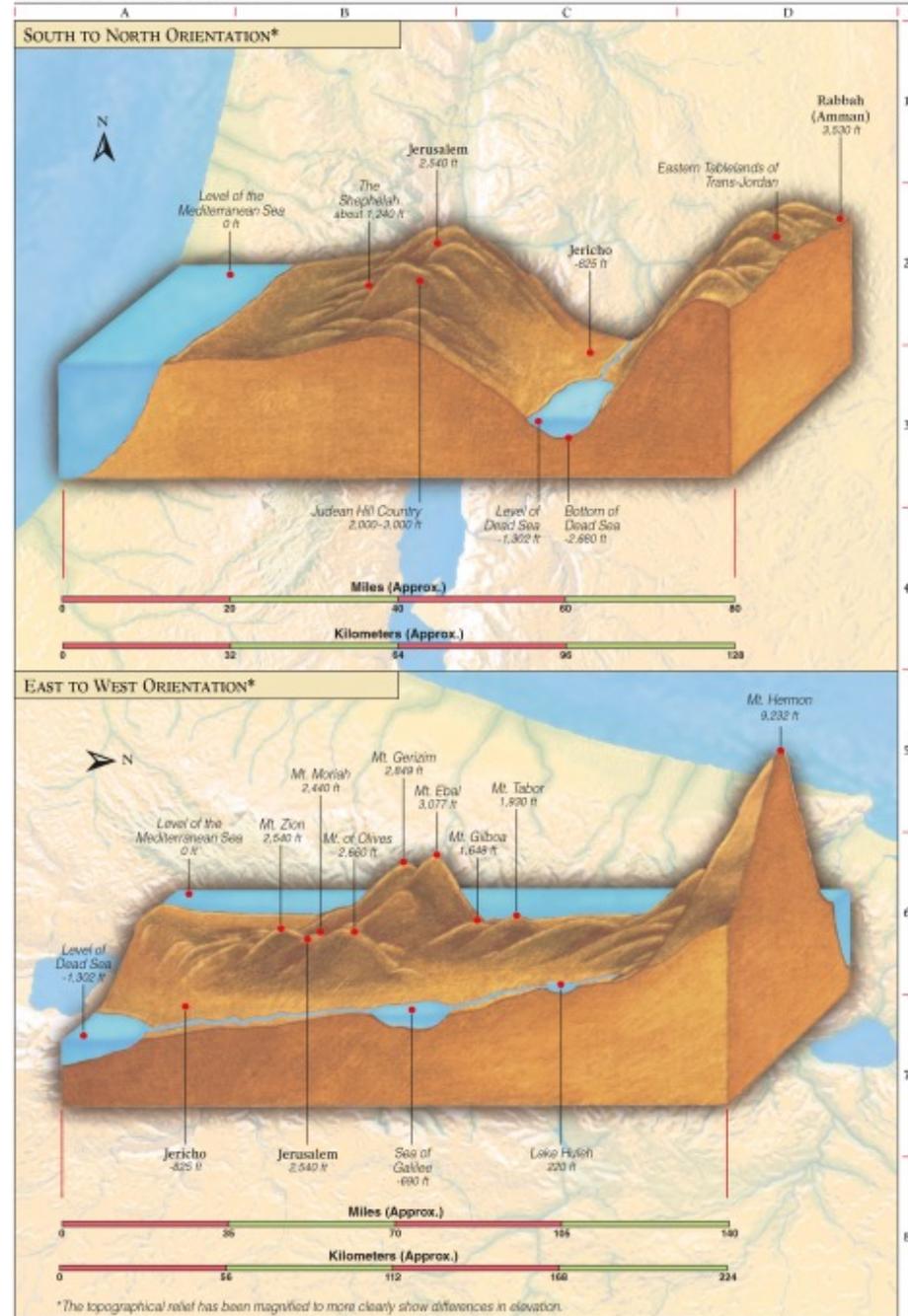
- Are you despising the day of small things? What does dedicating your life to small acts of obedience look like?
- Did God prompt you to a small act of obedience last week? Did you do it? If not, consider how you can obey him this coming week.
- Consider what great growth can arise from a small act of obedience!

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## 14. Holy Land Elevations





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## FOUR QUESTIONS

- Teacher, don't you care if we drown?
- Why are you so afraid?
- Do you still have no faith?
- Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!