



WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO ME?

What does this story tell you about God?

- A) He is just.
- B) He is merciful.
- C) He is holy.
- D) He is loving.



What does this story tell you about God's people?

- A) They had forgotten Him.
- B) They had disobeyed.
- C) They were obedient.
- D) They were lost.

What does your life tell others about your relationship with God?

Even though Josiah was only 8-years-old when he became king, he had to learn to take responsibility for his own choices. What choices have you had to take responsibility for in your life?

- A) Your friends.
- B) Your time.
- C) Your faith.
- D) Other _____.



Even though Josiah was young, he obeyed God and led his people to obey God. How have you stepped out in obedience when those around you were not obeying God?

How do you respond when you read God's Word?

- A) I don't read it.
- B) I am convicted.
- C) I don't understand it.
- D) I hear from God.

What changes do you want to make in your spiritual life?

Christ Connection

Read John 14:15. How is obedience a natural result of loving Jesus?



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What was King Josiah doing when he discovered the Book of the Law, and how did he respond to hearing it? (2 Chronicles 34:19,29-31, and 35:1)

How did God show grace to Josiah and his people? (2 Chronicles 34:24-28.)

Years after Josiah's death, what happened to the people of Judah? (2 Chronicles 36:15-21.)



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What does it tell you about God's people, that the Books of Moses had been in the temple for years, overlooked?

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