

Who You Gonna Call? (Isaiah 36,37)

desert breeze
community church



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Our God is a God of comebacks.

When desperation sets in...

Poor decisions seem the norm.

When reality sets in...

Better decisions are usually forthcoming.

Who were the Assyrians?

Who was Hezekiah?

At 25, King of Judah - 18:2

At 29, Assyria besieged Samaria for 3 years - 18:9

At 32, Samaria fell - 18:10

At 39, Assyria took all fortified cities of Judah – 18:13

Yielding to evil never results in spiritual progress.

Response to evil creates critical choices.

In laying out his plea for God's help, Hezekiah

1. Acknowledged the majesty of God.
2. Declared God to be the offended party.
3. Prayed with clear, humble purpose.

Some of God's most powerful work happens when His reputation is on the line.

Questions for Life:

1. Is there a time in your life when choices you made caused your passion for God to wane? How long did it take to reverse course?
2. When faced with difficult or desperate circumstances, do your prayers focus solely on what you'd like God to do for you, or do they include the furtherance of His kingdom?
3. Is there a "comeback" needed in some area of your life? Reading Hezekiah's prayer (2 Kings 19:15-19), How might you ask God to intercede?

