

RAHAB - COME ON UP AND SEE ME SOMETIME

The name “Rahab” means “b_____”

CAN GOD USE WHAT HE DOES NOT C_____?

Then Joshua son of Nun secretly sent two spies from Shittim. “Go, look over the land,” he said, “especially Jericho.” So they went and entered the house of a prostitute named Rahab and stayed there. Joshua 2:1 NIV

- In _____ of the eight appearances of her name in Scripture, she is presented as a “harlot.”

Why would the house of prostitution be a good place for the spies to go when they entered the city?

IS ANYONE T____ F____ G_____ TO BE USED BY GOD?

Who else in the Bible did God use who we would have omitted?

8 Before the spies lay down for the night, she went up on the roof 9 and said to them, “I know that the Lord has given you this land and that a great fear of you has fallen on us, so that all who live in this country are melting in fear because of you. 10 We have heard how the Lord dried up the water of the Red Sea Joshua 2:8-10a NIV

The book of James considers her as an example of how faith w_____.

In the same way, was not even Rahab the prostitute considered righteous for what she did when she gave lodging to the spies and sent them off in a different direction? James 1:25 NIV

Folks testimony usually follow a repeated pattern: *I w_____...but n_____.*

CAN GOD BLESS A L_____?

2 The king of Jericho was told, “Look, some of the Israelites have come here tonight to spy out the land.” 3 So the king of Jericho sent this message to Rahab: “Bring out the men who came to you and entered your house, because they have come to spy out the whole land.”

4 But the woman had taken the two men and hidden them. She said, “Yes, the men came to me, but I did not know where they had come from. 5 At dusk, when it was time to close the city gate, they left. I don’t know which way they went. Go after them quickly. You may catch up with them.” 6 (But she had taken them up to the roof and hidden them under the stalks of flax she had laid out on the roof.) 7 So the men set out in pursuit of the spies on the road that leads to the fords of the Jordan, and as soon as the pursuers had gone out, the gate was shut. Joshua 2:2-7 NIV

CAN SINNERS BECOME S_____?

Look at her l_____

Salmon the father of Boaz, whose mother was Rahab, Matthew 1:5a NIV

Look at her l_____

By faith the prostitute Rahab, because she welcomed the spies, was not killed with those who were disobedient Hebrews 11:31 NIV

W_____ came down around Rahab too.

Haven't there been occasions when we've been told *We have n____r_____ for you here?*

- *You can't go back and change the beginning, but you can start where you are and c_____ the e_____*