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A small green seedling with four leaves growing out of a crack in a grey, textured surface, symbolizing growth and overcoming adversity.

DEFYING IMPOSSIBLE ODDS

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**Our perspective usually sees most
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**Sometimes opportunity is disguised as a
man eating lion**



2 Samuel 23:20-23 3:10-13 New Living Translation

²⁰ There was also Benaiah son of Jehoiada, a valiant warrior from Kabzeel. He did many heroic deeds, which included killing two of Moab's mightiest warriors. Another time he chased a lion down into a pit. Then, despite the snow and slippery ground, he caught the lion and killed it. ²¹ Another time, armed only with a club, he killed a great Egyptian warrior who was armed with a spear. Benaiah wrenched the spear from the Egyptian's hand and killed him with it.



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²² These are some of the deeds that made Benaiah almost as famous as the Three. ²³ He was more honored than the other members of the Thirty, though he was not one of the Three. And David made him commander of his bodyguard.



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When we don't have the guts to step out and take a risk, God is robbed of the glory that belongs to him



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Having the faith to chase God sized dreams is the most important thing



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**What opportunity have you chosen not to
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