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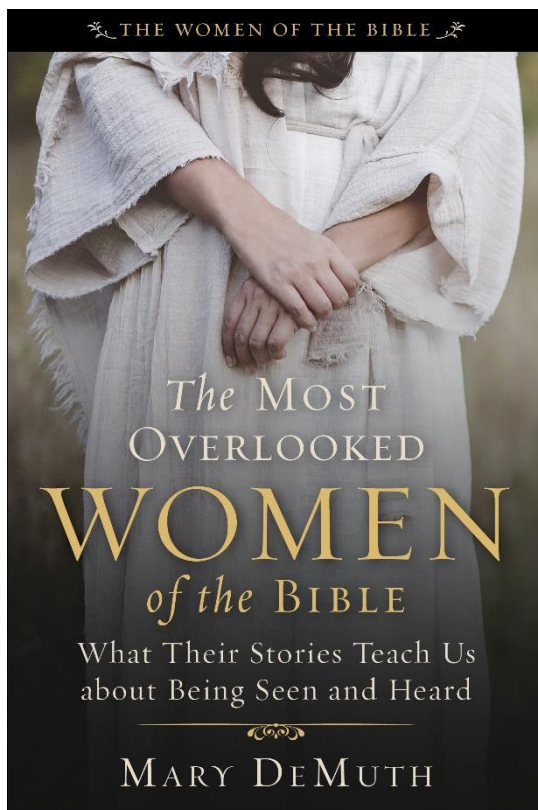
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The Most Overlooked Women of the Bible

What Their Stories Teach Us about Being Seen and Heard

By Mary DeMuth



Many of us believe we are unseen.

Memories of being on the outside still haunt us today. We somehow believe we are unique in being overlooked. And yet, the Bible is replete with women just like us—women who felt on the outskirts of life, unseen and voiceless. In their stories, you will not only learn more about the women of the Bible, but you'll begin to understand that you are both seen and heard.

How about you? Have you ever felt like life has passed you by? When you look back on your pivotal moments, do you feel unseen and overlooked? You are not alone. Not only have others around you experienced the same things, but many women in the Bible have too. We all have asked questions like:

- Why can't people seem to see and notice me?
- How can I overcome this feeling of rejection?
- What does a "seen" life actually look like in a

world of social media and the insta-famous?

This universal feeling is normal, but it doesn't have to stick to you. Through the raw and real stories of over a dozen women who also felt overlooked, you can unearth new ways to find meaning and joy in a world that ignores you.

The Most Overlooked Women of the Bible will help you find your place in this world, rest in being seen, and empower you to find your unique voice.



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Suggested Interview Questions

1. Why did you tackle this idea of being overlooked? How does that intersect with your own story?
2. How did you choose the women you were going to highlight in this book?
3. There are some lesser known women in this book, including Jehosheba and Zelophehad's daughters. What surprised you about their stories?
4. How does being overlooked connect to our worth?
5. What ways can we find joy when we are in a season of being overlooked?
6. You've said before that each book you write both tests you in the subject matter and brings healing as well. How have you experienced being overlooked as you wrote this book? How has God healed you?
7. What kind of hope can you offer to the person who feels like they're on the sidelines of life?
8. How does knowing that Jesus was overlooked help us as we battle it ourselves?
9. Who are all the women you highlighted in this book?
10. Which one did you most relate to?
11. Church hurt is a huge and sadly relevant topic these days. How does that issue coincide with the message of this book?
12. Why do you think the world praises outward and successful ministries, particularly ones with large numbers and high budgets?
13. How does being overlooked connect with God's upside down kingdom, where the small is praised, the overlooked is dignified, and the weak is strong?
14. What do we learn about the character of God through these women?
15. Eugene Peterson has a phrase, "a long obedience in the same direction." How do these women emulate that phrase? How can we grow in our resilience when we're faced with quiet opportunities for obedience?

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