

CHAPTER 32.13
My People
in this ***City***

“POWER IN WEAKNESS”
2 Corinthians 10-13
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When I accept my weakness, I experience God’s power,
for God’s glory. 12:10

Context: Apostle vs. False Apostles (11:13)
Inferior Apostle vs. ‘Super Apostles’ (11:5)

- I. Boast in weakness so that God gets the glory. (11:30-12:6)
 - A. Requires an exalted view of God. (11:31)
 - B. Requires humility. (11:32-33)
- II. God’s grace is more than enough. (12:9)
 - A. Origin: God providentially sent it.
Satan delivered it. (12:7)
 - B. Purpose: Keep Paul humble
 - C. Petition: Please take it away! (12:8)
 - D. Answer (12:9)
My grace is enough.
My power, not yours.

The hole of our suffering is never so deep that the grace
of God can’t fill it.

- III. God’s power is most perfectly portrayed in my weakness.
(12:9-10)
 - A. For God’s glory.
 - B. Content with weaknesses.

Our weakness never outstrips His power.

When the power of God shows up in my weakness,
God alone receives the glory.

How does this apply to me?