

# The Deity Is in the Details

An apocryphal story is told about the filming of the legendary movie *The Bridge on the River Kwai*.

The director was preparing for the epic shot of a locomotive and train falling from an exploding bridge into a river gorge below. Three cameras were assigned to shoot the scene.



After the shot, the director radioed each camera operator.

“Sorry, sir – my camera jammed,” said the first.

“Left my lens cap on,” said the second.

The director nearly fainted when the third said, “Ready when you are, sir!”

With one-time opportunities, details matter. Not even enthusiasm can make up for a lack of attention to details.

Commenting on that subject, Dr. David Jeremiah, senior pastor of Shadow Mountain Community Church in El Cajon, Calif., wrote in his book *Turning Points*, “Modern culture likes to say ‘the devil’s in the details.’ Wrong! It is our God who is at work in even the smallest parts of life.”

God knows every detail of the past, present, and future of the world – and of your life, Dr. Jeremiah continued. “He counts your tears and knows the number of hairs on your head. How comforting to know our God has overlooked nothing.”

As you plan ahead and think about the future – or on those occasions when your life seems upside down – be assured that God is aware of what is going on and He is ready to help.

Because God is in the details, He is always ready when you are.

*Put my tears into Your bottle; are they not in Your book? (Psalm 56:8 NKJV).*

– Beecher Hunter