

A person wearing a blue button-down shirt is holding an open book with both hands. The book is open to a page with text, and the person's hands are visible at the bottom of the frame. The background is dark and out of focus.

I AM A CHILD

JEREMIAH 1:1-10

A person in a light-colored shirt is shown from the chest up, holding an open book and reading. The background is dark and slightly blurred.

GOD HAS A PURPOSE FOR YOU

- The language here is very personal (1:5).
- God is no less familiar with you than He is with Jeremiah (Lk. 12:6-7).
- Your words to Him are specifically cared for (1 Pet. 5:7).
- His words to you (though delivered generally) are no less special (1 Pet. 1:10-12; 2 Pet. 1:3).

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SPEAK HIS WORDS

- It is entirely reasonable to feel inadequate to speak on behalf of God (1:6-7).
- We need to place our confidence in His words and the power that comes with proclaiming them (Rom. 1:16).
- We need to make those words ours to the point that we must speak them (Jer. 20:8-9).
- How much time do you spend learning other things in your life?

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HE IS WITH YOU

- It should be a great comfort to hear that God is with us (1:8).
- Consider how the rest of Jeremiah's life plays out.
- We will be discouraged if we think God guarantees obvious victory.
- Promises like this are meant to give boldness that the spokesmen of God must always have (Rom. 8:31).