

DREAM

Finding God's Dream For Your Life

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Finding The Dream God Always Had In Mind
Jeremiah 29:11

Why Dreams are important...

Our dreams determine our destiny.

Our dreams determine our dignity.

Our dreams determine our donation.

I must realize God has a dream for me.

*"For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope. In those days when you pray, I will listen. If you look for me **wholeheartedly**, you will find me. Jeremiah 29:11-13 (NLT)*

For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things He planned for us long ago. Ephesians 2:10 (NLT)

To find and fulfill God's D.R.E.A.M. for my life, I must...

D – Dedicate all my life to God. (Go all in - *wholeheartedly*)

"...Offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God...Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed...Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is – His good, pleasing and perfect will." **Romans 12:1-2 (NIV)**

"Let us strip off anything that slows us down or holds us back...Let us run with patience the particular race that God has set before us." **Hebrews 12:1 (TLB)**

R - Reserve time alone with God. (*In those days when you pray and look for me*)

The LORD came down on the top of Mount Sinai and called Moses to the top of the mountain. So, Moses climbed the mountain. **Exodus 19:20 (NLT)**

Examples of people who lived His dream:

Abraham (Genesis 15:5)

Nehemiah (Nehemiah 1:4)

Ruth (Ruth 1:16)

Esther: (Esther 8:5)

The starting point - Is He my King?

Going deeper on your own: Pastor Jay challenged us with these questions, "Are you living the dream?" Then he asked, "So how's it working for you?" Finally, He asked, "Whose dream are we living?" In this week's message we learned that when God created each one of us he had a dream in mind. Knowing this to be true, how does that make you feel? Now the question is, do I feel I am living out that dream? Pastor Jay pointed out two key steps we must take to find and fulfill that dream. What can you do this week to put those two steps in place? To better understand how to find and live out that dream, I encourage women to read the book of Ester and men to read the book of Nehemiah. Take notes on how each one of them discovered God's dream for them and what they did to make those dreams become a reality. Join us next week as Pastor Jay teaches us three more key steps to finding and fulfilling God's dream for our lives.