

I. TEACHING NOTES

OPENING THOUGHT

My purpose is to _____ God.

My mission is _____ right now.

Week 1 I am who _____ says I am.

Week 2 God sees me in the _____ season.

Week 3 God is forming my _____ for my mission.

Week 4 God uses relationships to clarify my _____.

Week 5 Core Truth I will walk in _____ and
_____.

Point 1 Calling Begins With a _____

Esther 4:14

"And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?"

Where do I feel tension, burden, or conviction?

Point 2 Silence Is Still a _____

James 4:17

"If anyone... knows the good they ought to do and doesn't do it..."

What step have I been avoiding?

Point 3 Courage Is Obedience in the

Presence of _____

Joshua 1:9

"Be strong and courageous..."

Courage means I obey while I am still _____.

One step that feels difficult:

Point 4 Calling Often Requires _____

Esther 4:16

“And if I perish, I perish.”

What might obedience cost me?

Point 5 Your Next Step May Be Someone Else's _____

Who might be impacted by my obedience?

- Family
- Church
- Workplace
- Community
- Next generation
- Other: _____

II. REFLECTION

1. Sunday Recap

What stood out most to me?

One truth I need this week:

2. Discernment Exercise

Where do I feel God speaking?

What opportunity requires courage?

What have I been delaying?

3. Listen to God

“God, what are You asking me to do?”

III. READING PLAN

Day 1: Esther 4:13–14 + James 4:17

→ Calling often begins with conviction.

Day 2: Esther 4:15–16 + Joshua 1:9

→ Courage is obedience in the presence of fear.

Day 3: Exodus 3:1–12

→ Moses obeyed despite feeling unqualified.

Day 4: Judges 6:11–16

→ Gideon moved despite fear.

Day 5: Luke 1:26–38

→ Mary surrendered to God's calling.

Day 6: Hebrews 11:1–6 + 2 Timothy 1:7

→ Faith moves before it sees.

IV. TAKE ACTION

Write your courage step:

“God is asking me to _____.”

One action I will take this week:

Prayer

Father, thank You for positioning me here.

Give me courage to obey.

Help me move forward in faith.

Show me my next step.

Use my obedience for Your glory.

For such a time as this.

Amen.

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

Courage & Calling

Esther had to choose between silence and action. Have you ever faced a moment where you knew God was asking something difficult of you?

Why do you think calling often feels risky?

Where do you currently feel burden, tension, or conviction?

What does courage look like in your current season?

What is one “courage step” God may be asking you to take?

WEEK 5 DECLARATION

“I am who God says I am.

God sees me in hidden seasons.

God is forming my character for my calling.

God has placed the right people around me.

God is calling me to walk in courage and obedience.”

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