



A Divine Calling and Assignment

Ezekiel, Chapter 2

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1. Empowerment for the Calling v1-2

Ezekiel 1 NKJV

1. And He said to me, "Son of man, stand on your feet, and I will speak to you."
2. Then the Spirit entered me when He spoke to me, and set me on my feet; and I heard Him who spoke to me.



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2. The Reality of a Difficult Assignment v3-5

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3. And He said to me: "Son of man, I am sending you to the children of Israel, to a rebellious nation that has rebelled against Me; they and their fathers have transgressed against Me to this very day.
4. For they are impudent and stubborn children. I am sending you to them, and you shall say to them, 'Thus says the Lord GOD.'
5. As for them, whether they hear or whether they refuse—for they are a rebellious house—yet they will know that a prophet has been among them.



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3. The Encouragement for the Assignment v6-8

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6. "And you, son of man, do not be afraid of them nor be afraid of their words, though briars and thorns are with you and you dwell among scorpions; do not be afraid of their words or dismayed by their looks, though they are a rebellious house.
7. You shall speak My words to them, whether they hear or whether they refuse, for they are rebellious.
8. But you, son of man, hear what I say to you. Do not be rebellious like that rebellious house; open your mouth and eat what I give you."



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4. The Provision for the Calling v9-10

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9. Now when I looked, there was a hand stretched out to me; and behold, a scroll of a book was in it.
10. Then He spread it before me; and there was writing on the inside and on the outside, and written on it were lamentations and mourning and woe.



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Lessons from Chapter 2

- God never issues an appointment without providing the empowerment to fulfill it.
- Success in God's economy is defined by obedience, not by outcomes.
- We are called to give and live out the pure Word of God