

Still in His Hand

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"This is the word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord. Go down at once to the Potter's House; there I will reveal My words to you. So I went down to the potter's house and there he was, working away at the wheel. But the jar that he was making from the clay became flawed in the potter's hand, so he made it into another jar as it seemed right for him to do."

Jeremiah 18:1-4 CSB

No matter what God allows in our lives, we are *Still in His Hand!*

No matter the *problem, predicament, or prognosis*, we are *Still in His Hand!*

What God allows *may not be good*, but all things will *work together for your good!*

"We know that all things work together for the good of those who love God, who are called according to His purpose."

Romans 8:28 CSB

4 Things That Will Happen Because You Are *Still In His Hand*:

1. God will speak in unusual places!

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Jeremiah 18:1-2 CSB

2. God will use your obedience to reveal His truth!

So I went down to the potter's house, and there he was, working away at the wheel.

Jeremiah 18:3 CSB

Expedient Obedience will bring glory to God and sometimes, we must go down before God can lift us up to where He is working!

3. God will turn your Mess into a Masterpiece!

"But the jar that he was making from the clay became flawed in the potter's hand, so he made it into another jar as it seemed right for him to do."

Jeremiah 18:4 CSB

Things To Notice About the Jar:

- The Position of the Jar
- The Problem with the Jar
- The Potential of the Jar

"Now we have this treasure in clay jars, so that this extraordinary power may be from God and not from us. We are afflicted in every way but not crushed, we are perplexed but not in despair, we are persecuted but not abandoned, we are struck down but not destroyed. We always carry the death of Jesus in our body so that the life of Jesus may also be displayed in our body."

2 Corinthians 4:7-10 CSB

4. God will reassure us of our position in Him!

"The word of the Lord came to me: "House of Israel, can I not treat you as this potter treats his clay?" – this is the Lord's declaration. "Just as the clay in the potter's hand, so you are in My hand, house of Israel."

Jeremiah 18:5-6 CSB

My sheep hear My voice, I know them, and they follow Me. I give them life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of My Hand.

John 10:27-28 CSB