

TAKE HOME SHEET



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**Message:** God's Dream  
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Read Ephesians 2:10

Read Jeremiah 29:11

Galatians 6:4-5 (NLT) says, *"Pay careful attention to your own work, for then you will get the satisfaction of a job well done, and you won't need to compare yourself to anyone else. For we are each responsible for our own conduct."*

Why is it important to figure out God's dream for my life?

How does knowing God's dream for my life help me and others?

Read Hebrews 11:1-6

Read Romans 10:17

How do I know if my trust in God is growing?

What are some intentional steps I can take to nurture my faith so that I continue to grow?

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**BIBLE TRANSLATIONS:**

MSG – The Message

NIV – New International Version

NLT – New Living Translation

TLB – The Living Bible

MESSAGE NOTES



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dream (def): a faith inspired goal or purpose

1. Faith = to trust and depend on God. God responds to our faith.

*It's impossible to please God apart from faith. And why? Because anyone who wants to approach God must believe both that he exists and that he cares enough to respond to those who seek him.*

Hebrews 11:1-6 (MSG)

2. Faith = nurtured by action.

*And when you draw close to God, God will draw close to you.*

James 4:8a (TLB)

*Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, the message is heard through the word about Christ.*

Romans 10:17 (NIV)

*Just as the body is dead without breath, so also faith is dead without good works.*

James 2:26 (NLT)

3. When we draw closer to God, we are on our way to discovering His SHAPE and DREAM for us.

*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)

*But my life is worth nothing to me unless I use it for finishing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus...*

Acts 20:24a (NLT)

*"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."*

Jeremiah 29:11 (NLT)

**This week, we will explore more about the five factors that make us who we are and how to figure out God's dream for us.**

**S – Spiritual gifts**  
**H – Heart**  
**A – Abilities**  
**P – Personality**  
**E – Experiences**

**D – Dedicate all your life to God**  
**R – Reserve time alone with God**  
**E – Evaluate your abilities**  
**A – Associate with godly dreamers**  
**M – Make your dream public**