

# World Conquerors Church Where You Discover Who You Were Born To Be! www.worldconquerorschurch.org 2021: The Year to Re-Imagine

## **IMAGINE** - Your pot is too small

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#### **Imagine**

### Jeremiah 18:1-6 Easy-to-Read Version

1 This is the message that came to Jeremiah from the Lord: 2 "Jeremiah, go down to the potter's house. I will give you my message there." 3 So I went down to the potter's house and saw him working with clay at the wheel. 4 He was making a pot from clay. But there was something wrong with the pot. So the potter used that clay to make another pot. With his hands he shaped the pot the way he wanted it to be. 5 Then this message from the Lord came to me: 6 "Family of Israel, you know that I can do the same thing with you. You are like the clay in the potter's hands, and I am the potter." This message is from the Lord.

### Jeremiah 18:1-6 Amplified Bible

1 The word which came to Jeremiah from the Lord: 2 "Arise and go down to the potter's house, and there I will make you hear My words." 3 Then I went down to the potter's house, and saw that he was working at the wheel. 4 But the vessel that he was making from clay was spoiled by the potter's hand; so he made it over, reworking it and making it into another pot that seemed good to him. 5 Then the word of the Lord came to me: 6 "O house of Israel, can I not do with you as this potter does?" says the Lord. "Look carefully, as the clay is in the potter's hand, so are you in My hand, O house of Israel.

- You can never be shaped by God until you recognize that something is wrong with your pot.
- Do not be afraid of God breaking your current pot (of life) to rework you into a bigger pot to accommodate the life He has planned for you. Remember, God has plans for peace and well-being and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope. Jeremiah 29:11 AMP
- > Instructions and pictures are provided to give you directions and an image of what you can expect.

#### **Hebrews 11:1 Amplified Bible**

Now faith is the assurance (title deed, confirmation) of things hoped for (divinely guaranteed), and the evidence of things not seen [the conviction of their reality—faith comprehends as fact what cannot be experienced by the physical senses].

- As you mature, grow and get rooted in Christ the pot you were will not hold all of what you are becoming.
- > Breaking away from the old to become new oftentimes will be painful and scary.
- I'd much rather be in pain and afraid in God's Hands than feeling good and confident in my flesh.
- > In God's Hands all things work together for my eternal good; in my hands all things work together for my current good.
- In my hands my pot (my life) is limited to the natural senses.
- > In God's Hands my pot (my life) has unlimited possibilities, it can shape-shift to whatever I imagine in faith.
- What you are feeling is the pressure of the roots growing in the current pot you are in. Surrender, trust, believe, and let God break that pot (your life) and rework you into a pot that will accommodate your hopes, your dreams, what you are imagining!