



## Sermon Notes

Season of Healing  
November 6, 2022

***In our brokenness, even the words of God can seem like they are for other people, but not us.***

***We will act in accordance with how we see ourselves.***

### **Matthew 6:25-26**

<sup>25</sup> *"Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes?"* <sup>26</sup> *Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they?*

### **Isaiah 64:8**

<sup>8</sup> *Yet, O LORD, you are our Father.  
We are the clay, you are the potter;  
we are all the work of your hand.*

### **Jeremiah 1:5**

<sup>5</sup> *"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,  
before you were born I set you apart;  
I appointed you as a prophet to the nations."*

### **Isaiah 44:24**

<sup>24</sup> *"Thus says the Lord, your Redeemer, and He who formed you from the womb..."*

***I was created for a specific purpose.***

***The clay is in no position to question the potter.***

### **Isaiah 29:16**

<sup>16</sup> *You turn things upside down,  
as if the potter were thought to be like the clay!  
Shall what is formed say to him who formed it,  
"He did not make me"?  
Can the pot say of the potter,  
"He knows nothing"?*



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### Isaiah 49:14-16

<sup>14</sup> But Zion said, "The LORD has forsaken me,  
the Lord has forgotten me."

<sup>15</sup> "Can a mother forget the baby at her breast  
and have no compassion on the child she has borne?  
Though she may forget,  
I will not forget you!

<sup>16</sup> See, I have engraved you on the palms of my hands;  
your walls are ever before me.

### Isaiah 54:10

<sup>10</sup> Though the mountains be shaken  
and the hills be removed,  
yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken  
nor my covenant of peace be removed,"  
says the LORD, who has compassion on you.

### **The Potter knows the value of His creation.**

Value: worth, merit, or importance

### **Value and worth are intrinsic.**

### **External conditions can change the outer appearance of value.**

### **The Potter sees the true value of the pottery, and can even make something out of the mistakes.**

### Jeremiah 18:1-6

<sup>1</sup> This is the word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD: <sup>2</sup> "Go down to the potter's house, and there I will give you my message." <sup>3</sup> So I went down to the potter's house, and I saw him working at the wheel. <sup>4</sup> But the pot he was shaping from the clay was marred in his hands; so the potter formed it into another pot, shaping it as seemed best to him.

<sup>5</sup> Then the word of the LORD came to me. <sup>6</sup> He said, "Can I not do with you, Israel, as this potter does?" declares the LORD. "Like clay in the hand of the potter, so are you in my hand, Israel.



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***Value can be defined as the price a purchaser is willing to pay.***

### **1 Peter 1:18-19**

<sup>18</sup>For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers, <sup>19</sup>but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.

***Jesus thinks you are to die for.***

***When the work of art is done, the artist puts his signature on it.***

### **2 Corinthians 1:21-22**

<sup>21</sup>Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us, <sup>22</sup>set his seal of ownership on us, and put his Spirit in our hearts as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come.

### **HEALING MANIFESTO**

**Lord, I commit to the following:**

***I will be real with You. That means admitting I'm not OK at times.***

***I will resist the urge to self-manage.***

***I will cooperate with Your work through obedience.***

***I will stop speaking negativity.***

***I will submit to Your process of removing the indelible stain of my sin and brokenness.***

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