DOES GOD HAVE A PLAN FOR ME?

I. "YES!" SAITH THE LORD!

JEREMIAH 29:11 NIV For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

JEREMIAH 1:5 NIV "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart;

ESTHER 4:14 ¹⁴ For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father's family will perish. **And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?"**

PSALM 32:8 NIV I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you.

ROMANS 8:28 NIV And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

II. HOW CAN I SEE HIS PLANS FOR ME?

- **1. JEREMIAH 29:13 NIV** You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.
- 2. "Fix Your Life On Jesus!"

HEBREWS 12:2 NASB fixing our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

- **3. PROVERBS 3:5 & 6 NIV** 5 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; 6 in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.
- 4. Walk On The Water!

III. COME HUMBLE!

MARK 9:23-24 NIV ²³ "If you can'?" said Jesus. "Everything is possible for one who believes." ²⁴ Immediately the boy's father exclaimed, "I do believe; help me overcome my unbelief!"

21:45-22:15 – LUKE 18:11-14 NIV¹¹ The Pharisee stood by himself and prayed: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector.¹² I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.'¹³ "But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven,

22:18-22:43 – but beat his breast and said, 'God, have mercy on me, a sinner.' 14 "I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."

IV. STAND FIRM

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- V. WHAT CAN I DO DAILY?
- 1. Drop On Your Knees And Talk To Your Father In Heaven
- 2. Eat The Bread Of Life
- 3. Church Reading
- 4. Paddle!

5. Call Somebody!

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II CORINTHIANS 13:11 NIV ¹¹ Finally, brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you.

COMMUNION:

Prayer of Confession

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you, in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

While they were eating, Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body." MATTHEW 26:26 NIV

Then he took a cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them saying, "Drink from it, all of you. This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins." **MATTHEW 26:27-28 NIV**