



Soul Revolution Sermon Series Part 4 – “Revolutionary Purpose”

Jeremiah 15:19-21

Series Summary

Have you ever felt like you were at a crossroads in your life? You just didn't know where to turn next? You felt cold, lonely, and like your spirit was in a dry spell? You felt like your prayers were just hitting the ceiling and going no further? Maybe you just felt like you wanted to connect with God at a deeper level? If so, then you are in need of a **Soul Revolution**.

Jeremiah 6:16 – This is what the LORD says: "Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls. But you said, 'We will not walk in it.'"

The main purpose of this series is to help each individual connect with God at a deeper level and to renew a spirit of love, commitment, and devotion within the heart of every believer. As they stand at the crossroads, our desire is to help them discover through God's Word the wisdom, courage, and strength to make the right choice to follow God's path for their life.

Series Big Idea

Big Idea – Live, Love, Leave No Regrets

What is you could live a life of no regrets from this point forward? What if you could begin living life with the right purpose in mind and learn to love all those around you even your enemies? God has given every Christian all the tools they will ever need to live a life of no regrets yet few Christian's are using the tools God has given them. Discover what it means to live a life of no regrets through this series and begin your “No Regret” lifestyle today!

- **What are your regrets? Are you ready to leave them behind and begin living for Jesus?**

Brief Summary: Here we are challenged with the great purpose of our lives. Many people ponder the purpose of their lives through the course of their life. When they are *young* they have great aspirations and want to conquer the world; when they are *middle aged* then they want to merely survive and make it through the week and provide for their family; and finally when they are old they look at what they could have done, should have done, and many spend their time sulking only to realize they have not much time left to accomplish their great purpose. This is the cycle of someone who lives for the purpose that the world gives them but when you live for God and His purpose then you will live the rest of your life with No Regrets no matter where you are at in your life. If you need a great purpose to live for in your life then try living for a **Revolutionary Purpose!**

“Come, follow me and I will make you Fisher's of Men!” – Mark 1:17

God's Plan for Your Life and Your Response

Step #1 – Repent and be Restored (v. 19a)

- **Key Point** – The first key point comes to us from verse 19. If we truly want to live out a Revolutionary Purpose in our life then it first begins with living for God's purpose for

our life (not our own.) This begins by first of all coming to the Lord in Repentance and Humility. If you have been living a lifestyle apart from Christ then you must seek forgiveness from the Lord and then He promises that He will restore you!

Step #2 – Set Your Heart and Mind Upon Living for God (v. 19b)

- **Key Point** – The second key point comes to us from verse 19. The second step is straightforward as well. Here we see that not only do we need to repent and be restored but we also must set our hearts and minds upon living for God. He must be our top priority in every way, not just one of many options.

Step #3 – Prepare to Endure Persecution (v. 20)

- **Key Point** – The third key point comes to us from verse 20. As we examine the great Revolutionary Purpose we have been given in this life, which is to be an example and proclaim the message of the Gospel then we must also be ready and willing to face persecution. God will give you the tools to be His example and He will give you the strength to endure the persecution that will come your way.

Step #4 – Boldly Proclaim the Message of God (v. 21)

- **Key Point** – The final key point comes to us from verse 21. Every time you live out God's divine purpose for your life then you must be ready and willing to proclaim the message of God. Sometimes the message may be centered on Hope, Peace, or Wisdom but it will always be about glorifying God!

Question to Consider

- **How can you carry out God's Message to the Lost, Broken, or wounded today? Explain.**

Memory Verse

Mark 1:17 - "Come, follow me and I will make you Fisher's of Men!"

Challenge

Soul Revolution Challenge – Take the first step in achieving a Soul Revolution. Take a leaf from the foyer and write down one or more regrets that you have in your life and give them over to Jesus. Begin fresh today, forgiven, and set on living out God's desire for your life.