

What do you see?

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Your purpose doesn't start with feeling qualified.
It starts with seeing what God sees.

God calls you before you qualify.

[Jeremiah 1:4-5](#), *"The word of the LORD came to me, saying, '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.'"*

Feeling inadequate doesn't cancel the call.

[Jeremiah 1:6-10](#), *"Alas, Sovereign LORD," I said, "I do not know how to speak; I am too young." But the LORD said to me, "Do not say, 'I am too young.' You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you," declares the LORD. Then the LORD reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, "I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant."*

Then God says, "Look".

[Jeremiah 1:11-14](#), *"The word of the LORD came to me: 'What do you see, Jeremiah?'" "I see the branch of an almond tree," I replied. The LORD said to me, "You have seen correctly, for I am watching to see that my word is fulfilled." The word of the LORD came to me again: "What do you see?" "I see a pot that is boiling," I answered. "It is tilting toward us from the north." The LORD said to me, "From the north disaster will be poured out on all who live in the land."*