



“Then spoke Jeremiah unto all the princes and to all the people, saying, “The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and against this city all the words that you have heard. Therefore now amend your ways and your doings, and obey the voice of the LORD your God; and the LORD will repent of the evil that He has pronounced against you.” As for me, behold, I am in your hand: do with me as seems good and proper to you.” Jeremiah 26:12 – 14

To stand before the Lord does two things in a human heart. At once it frees you from all fear of man and replaces all such emotions and thoughts with the fear of the Lord. The reality of the Lord’s presence naturally brings with it a godly boldness and courage. “What can man *ultimately* do to me?” From the Lord’s presence flows great courage and boldness. “The wicked flee when no man pursues, but the righteous are as bold as a lion!” (Proverbs 28:1)

Make it a high priority to spend time before the Lord. As you do, the natural fears, worries, and concerns of life may not magically fade away, but they will come into proper perspective. (Psalm 73:17). There in His presence is peace of mind, strength of heart, joy for living, and wisdom for every challenge!

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