## **Preparing a Chosen Generation**

God has great plans and is asking each one of us to prepare...understanding we have been born with purpose and destiny. No matter what our past, God wants us to understand His call upon us...and this chosen generation.

#### The Call

To save, heal, teach, and send a generation called by God to return to Him with purity, real love and a passion for the lost and hurting. A generation filled with rescuing love, purpose, passion, purity, and destiny...changing lives, communities, and nations.

Amongst the captives, the broken, the rejected, the misunderstood, the lonely, there are world changers. God always chooses the unlikely...David - a shepherd boy who was chosen to slay Goliath...Josiah - a child who became king used greatly by God...Esther - an orphan girl, taken into captivity, prepared and chosen by God to save her generation...

From abandoned to adopted
From broken to beloved
From condemned to chosen
From forsaken to free
From lonely to loved
From oppressed to overcomer
From rejected to redeemed
From taken to transformed
From victims to victors

#### **A Chosen Generation**

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# GHAPTER 1 You Are A Chosen Generation

# **Chosen Generation**

### Focus & Foundation: "The Chosen Life"

Key Scripture: 1 Peter 2: 9 "... You are a chosen people.

You are a kingdom of priests, God's holy nation, his very own possession. This is so you can show others the goodness of God, for he called you out of the darkness into his wonderful light."

<u>Chosen from the beginning</u> (foundations of the earth – Eph. 1:4,5)

God protected us when we were helpless:

**Real life example:** Testimony of a helpless baby that almost died - God saved the child from destruction and the child is now in ministry helping other helpless babies and moms. What is *your* story?

- · Chosen even before we knew God
  - Even before salvation, God knew us and had a plan for our lives.
  - Even if we have been in rebellion or have had feelings of rejection, God's plan stands for our life.

## **Identity:**

This generation has been chosen by God - Chosen *means "preferred."* 

"Each generation has a "for such a time as this" calling. Like John the Baptist (preparing the way of the Lord), David (as a shepherd boy slaying Goliath...in preparation for His calling as King), Josiah (prepared and becoming King as a child), Esther (an orphan girl, adopted and prepared to be Queen...to save her people), Timothy (as a youth, mentored by Paul (1Timothy 4:12), Mary the Mother of Jesus (she was in her teens)...each person born with God's purpose, in each season of time, uniquely created, by God, with purpose..."

## **Relationships With Honor:**

Scripture Reference: 1 Peter 2:4-5

- God wants us to understand that we have been chosen, by Him, and we are not a
  mistake. He wants us to have relationships that honor both Him and each other.
- Understand that Jesus was often misunderstood by others but He has always reached out in love and He remained focused on His Father.

## Engage & Equip:

If you knew you were chosen to be a leader, a world changer, born with purpose to receive and give God's love...even to just one person...who God had chosen from the foundations of the earth, how would you prepare as a youth? Would you begin to prepare...even start over?

God loves you...live with passion, purity, purpose, & pursuit of the reason you were created...you have been chosen by the King!

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