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**“Why Am I Here?”
Jeremiah 29:10-14 NIV**

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INTRODUCTION

“If God Puts You In A Situation, Then Only God Can Bring You Out!”

The Purpose of the Church:

- To equip you to live before God with proper self-government
- Not to solve all your problems
- To show you how to solve your problems with God’s Word

The Role of the Church:

- To help you get to a place of maturity
- To help you respond as God wants when life is uncomfortable and painful
- To help you see that even in the hurt, God is bringing you back home to where He called you to be

The Book of Jeremiah:

- The story of God’s chosen people
- The story of a rebellious people
- God informs His people that their exile will be 70 years
- God teaches His people how to live in exile
- God teaches that this whole mess is all a divine design of God

WHILE YOU’RE WAITING ON GOD TO ANSWER PRAYER:

1) **Be** _____
Build some houses and move in.
Psalm 137

2) **Pray for your** _____
Pray for the folk that have done you wrong.

3) **Protect Yourself from False** _____
You can’t receive everything you hear.

- 2 Timothy 2:15 NIV
- 2 Timothy 3:16 NLT

4) **Be Patient with God’s** _____
God is doing some PURGING in your life.

CONCLUSION

Question: Why Am I Here?

- To glorify God in everything I do
- To glorify God no matter what the circumstances