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Mother's
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SERMON
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⁶Be strong and courageous, for you shall cause this people to inherit the land that I swore to their fathers to give them. ⁷Only be strong and very courageous, being careful to do according to all the law that Moses my servant commanded you. Do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may have good success wherever you go. ⁸This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success. ⁹Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:6–9

BE STRONG & COURAGEOUS BECAUSE

GOD HAS GIVEN YOU HIS PURPOSE

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Joshua 1:6

- What's your purpose?
 - General Calling—Love God & people
 - Missional Calling

The main contribution that your life makes to God's kingdom. You could think of it as the 'mission statement' of your life. It refers to the distinctive direction in which you aim to spend the bulk of your time, gifts, and energy.

Doug Koskela, *Calling and Clarity*

GOD HAS GIVEN YOU HIS WORD

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Joshua 1:7–8

GOD HAS GIVEN YOU HIS PRESENCE

“Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.”

Joshua 1:9

- Exodus Overview: Joshua and the people of Israel were going into uncharted territory. They had never been to Canaan, they were not soldiers, and ultimately they did not know what to expect.

RESPONSE

- Women, be strong and courageous!
- God has given you his purpose, Word, and presence.
- How can you lean into the Lord this week and be strong and courageous?