

Series: You Asked for It 2023

Title: What is God Doing, How Does He Work In Us?

Text: (Jer 18:1-10)

Short Answer: Pressure, Friction, Heat.

I. Friction: God Pictures Salvation as digging for Clay:
(Ps 40:1-4)

God Pictures Judgment as Treading out Impurities of the Clay:
(Isa 41:25)

II. Pressure: The Potter has an Image/Picture in Mind:
(Jer 18:1-3)(Rom 9:21)

God has an Image/Picture in Mind for You:
(Jer 29:11)(Phil 1:6)

God's Own Hands Touch and Work Us Like Clay:
(Isa 64:8)

Some Times there is pain associated with the work:
(Is 44: 21)

God Forms us for a Specific Individual Purpose
(Isa 43:21)

We Don't Always Like the Way God Makes Us:
(Is 43:7-10)(Rom 9:19-24)(Eph 2:10)

God Will Correct us for our Good if We Stray from Him:
(Jer 18:7-8)

If we are NOT Obedient, we will Thwart the Blessing God has planned for us: (Jer 18:9-10)

Don't Fight against God's Purpose and
(Rom 19:21)

II. Heat: To be usable, He has to Fire th
(Job 23:10)(Rom 9:19-24)

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If we Resist God Long Enough, Fractu

Illus: I will do as I please.

I'm not hurting anyone.

I will date who I want.

I don't have to obey.

I know what I am doing!

I WILL DO AS I PLEASE!

Then why do you Get all bitter when Go

Come to My Office with your Pieces &