

# YOUNG!



So much is said and heard about young people. Perhaps so much is so easily accepted as fact without too much thought being put into it.

This enquiry is an exercise in taking time to think about ourselves as young people, reflecting on what being young means to us as young Christians

Jeremiah 1:4-8

The Call of Jeremiah

The word of the LORD came to me, saying,

“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.”

“Alas, Sovereign LORD,” I said, “I do not know how to speak; I am too young.”

But the LORD said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am too young.’ You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you,” declares the LORD.

SEE.

What do people say about young people of your age today?

Can you give any actual examples from your own experience in work, at home?

What impression does television and the newspapers give about young people, in the news, in advertising?

Can you give some examples, both good and bad?

JUDGE.

Do you like the way young people are presented?

What do you think are the reasons for people's attitudes?

In the examples you have given can anyone suggest why people say what they say or why young people act as they do?

(Suggest Scripture reference)

ACT.

Is there a person each of us could contact to find out more facts? (Write down the names).

Is there a situation in which we could stand up for a different point of view?

Do any of the examples we have talked about require some action to be taken by anyone?

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