In 1957, English singer Laurie London, made popular the American spiritual, *He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands*. Since that time, this song has been recorded by many gospel singers, and sung by thousands of Sunday School classes and church camp groups. While it is a popular song we teach our children, how often do we think about the theological depth these lyrics communicate? This morning, we will unpack deeper what it means for God to have the whole world in His hands.

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Sermon Notes

He’s Got the Whole World

Jeremiah 18 (Colossians 1:15-17)

(Page 773 in the Pew Bible)

* Jeremiah watched and learned that the potter had \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ over the clay
  + A potter is able to use their hands to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ any imperfections
* God is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than any \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + In His hands is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ control of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + God can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ any nation
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* When I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ …
  + … God still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for me
  + … God’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ drives Him to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with me
* When my life is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, I can find \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ knowing …
  + … God still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for me
  + … God has me in His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me into something \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + … God is my heavenly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and I can place my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Him