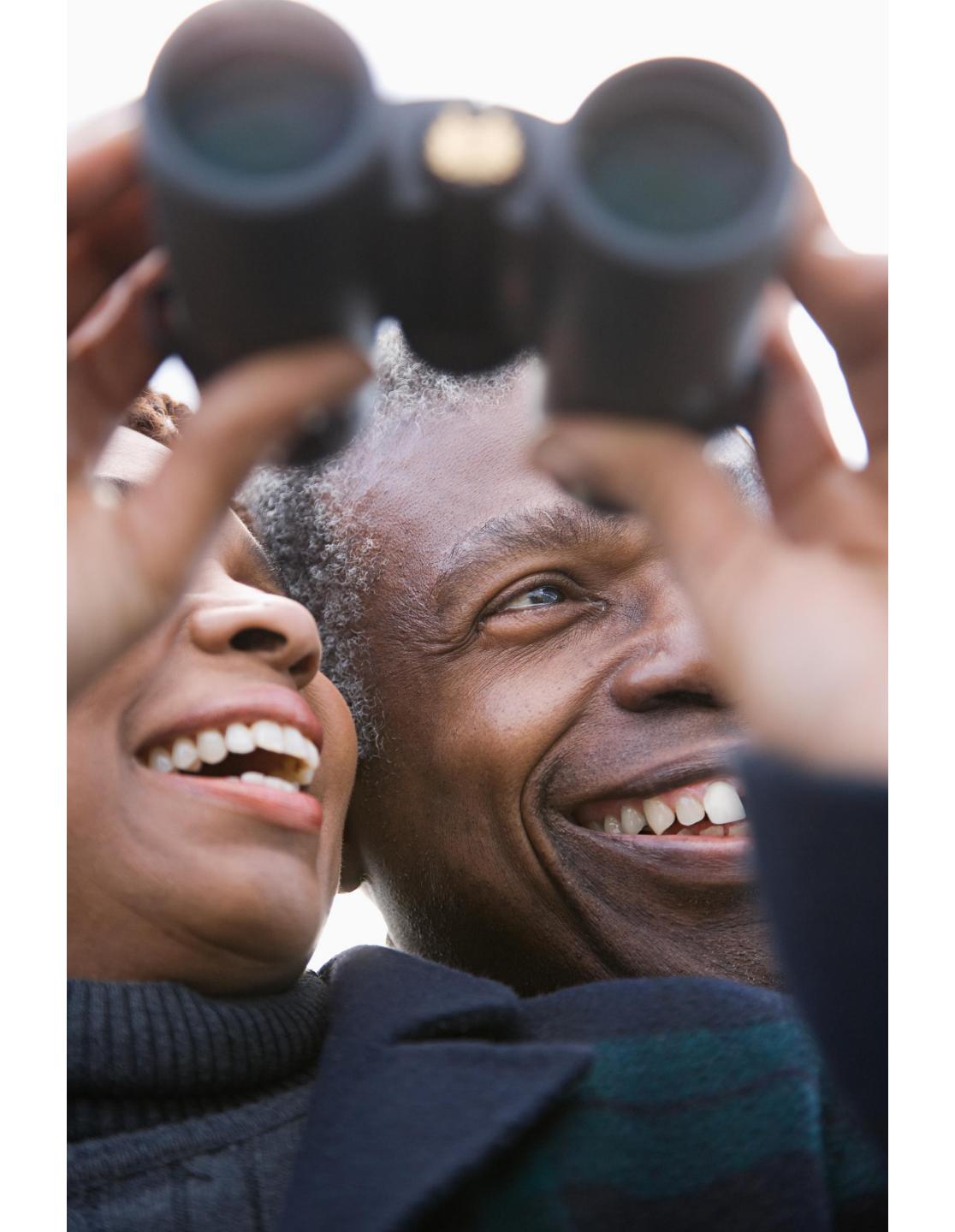


REVIEW

- According to the dictionary, hope means:
- "to look forward to with desire and reasonable confidence."
- "to feel that something desired may happen:"
- We hope for an early spring.



REVIEW

- Origin
- Meaning
- Morality
- Destiny





"Every seed has in itself a germinating principle. In it the life of the plant is enfolded. So there is life in God's word... ...Christ says, "The words that I speak unto you, they are Spirit, and they are life." John 6:63. "He that heareth My word, and believeth on Him that sent Me, hath everlasting life." John 5:24...

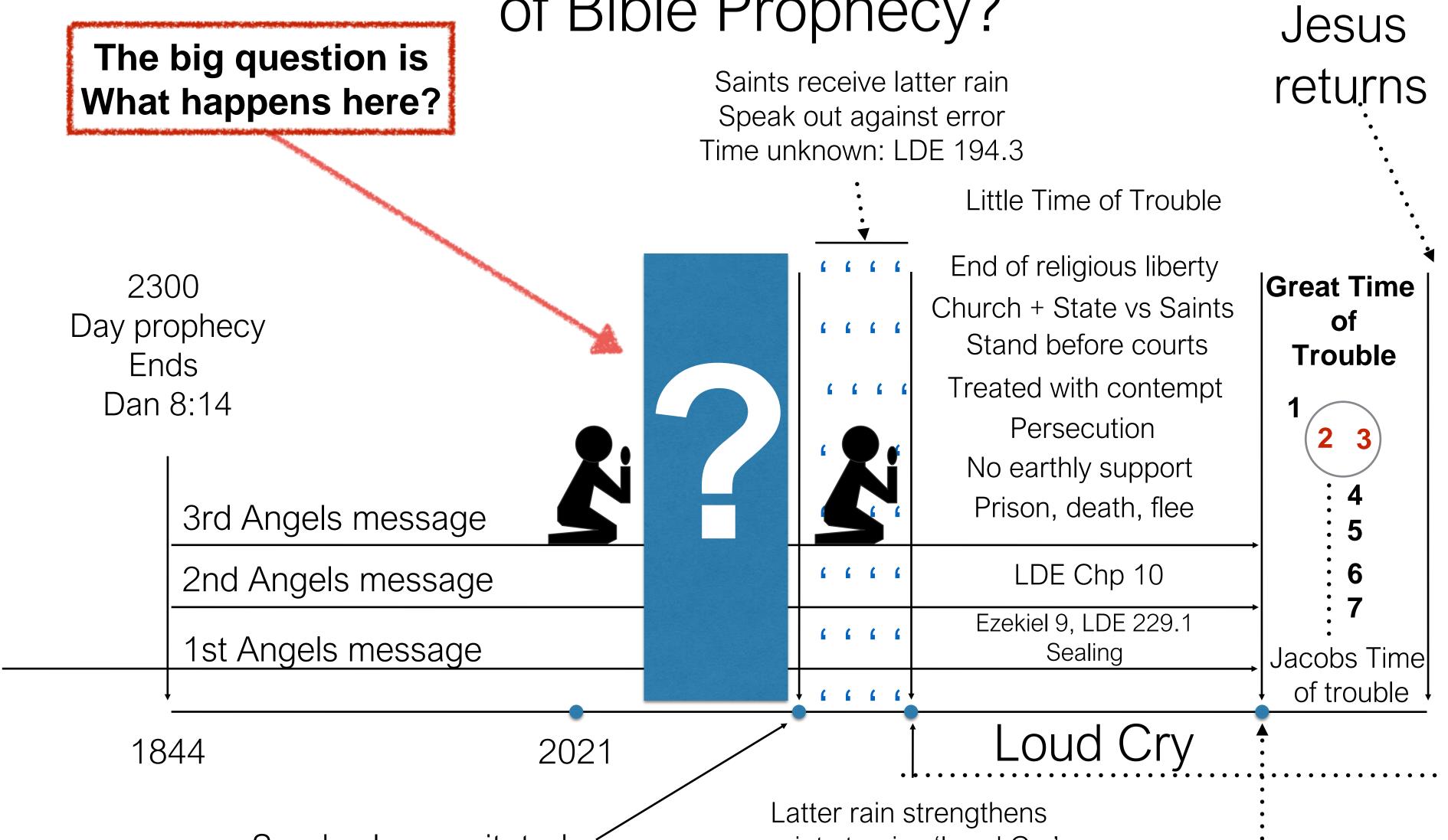
...In <u>every command</u> and in <u>every promise</u> of the word of God is the power, the very life of God, by which the <u>command may be fulfilled</u> and the <u>promise realized</u>.

He who by faith receives the word is receiving the very life and character of God."

- CHRIST'S OBJECT LESSONS



Where are we on the timeline of Bible Prophecy? Saints receive latter rain Speak out against error Time unknown: LDE 194.3

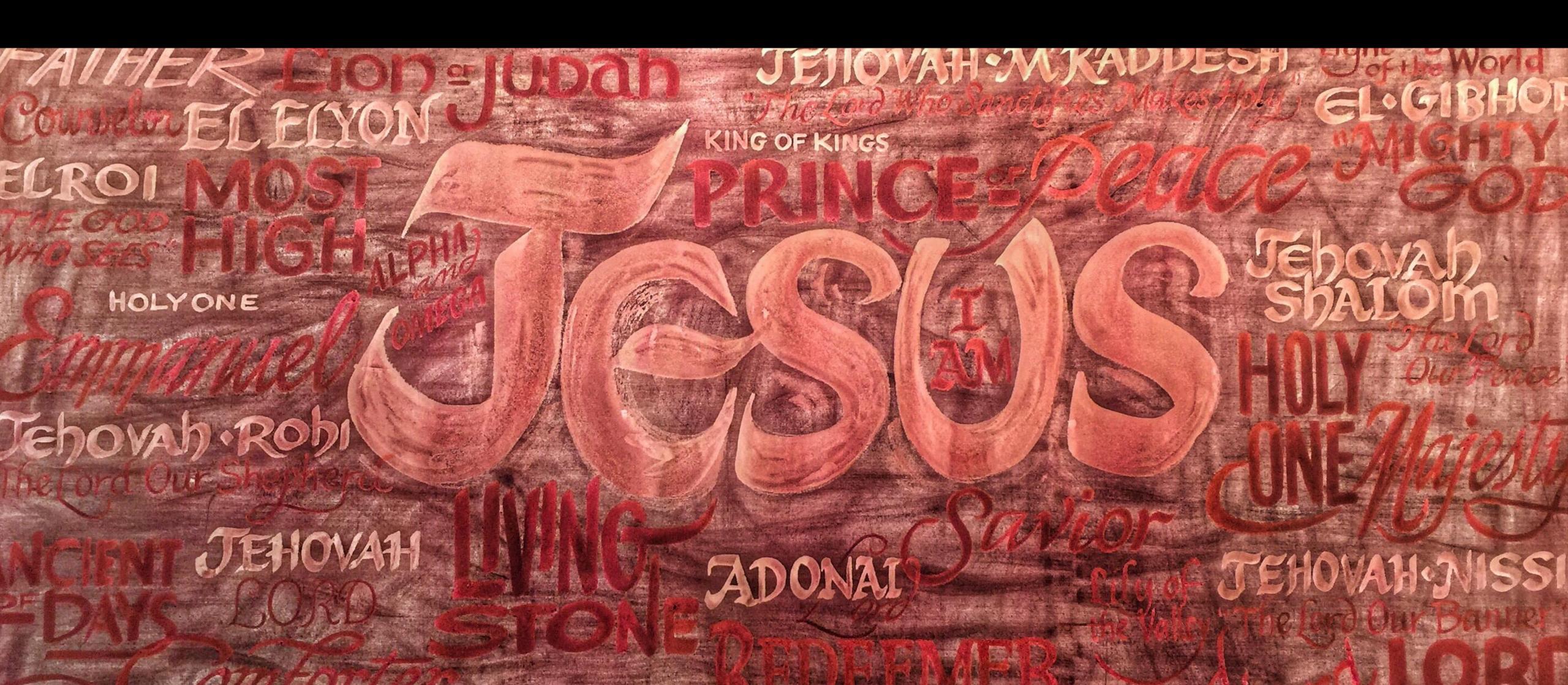


Sunday laws agitated Rev 13:11-18

saints to give 'Loud Cry' EW p85.3 Deut 11:14, Prov 16:15, Jam 5:7-8

Close of probation Acts 7:55 + Dan 12:1-2

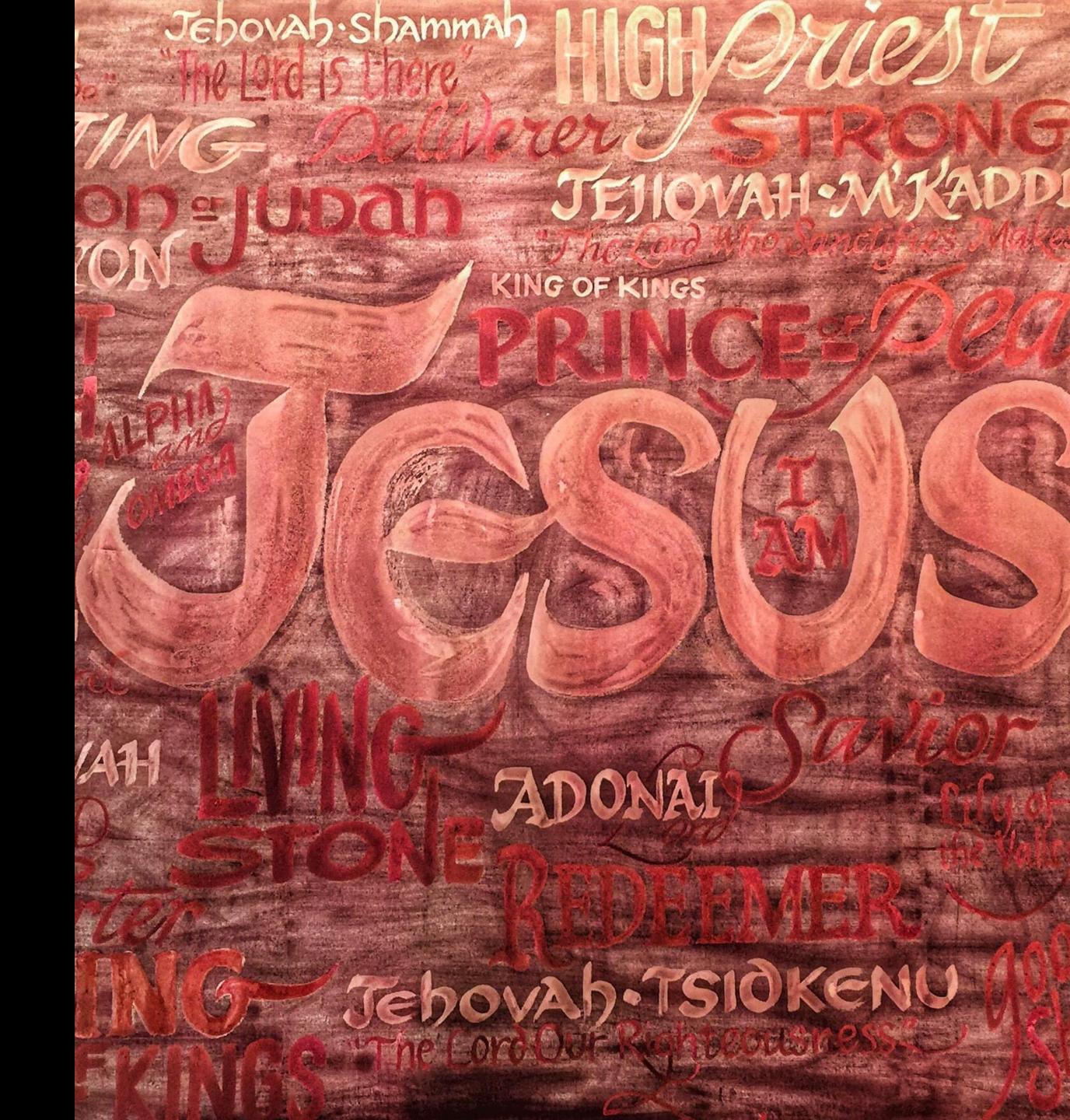
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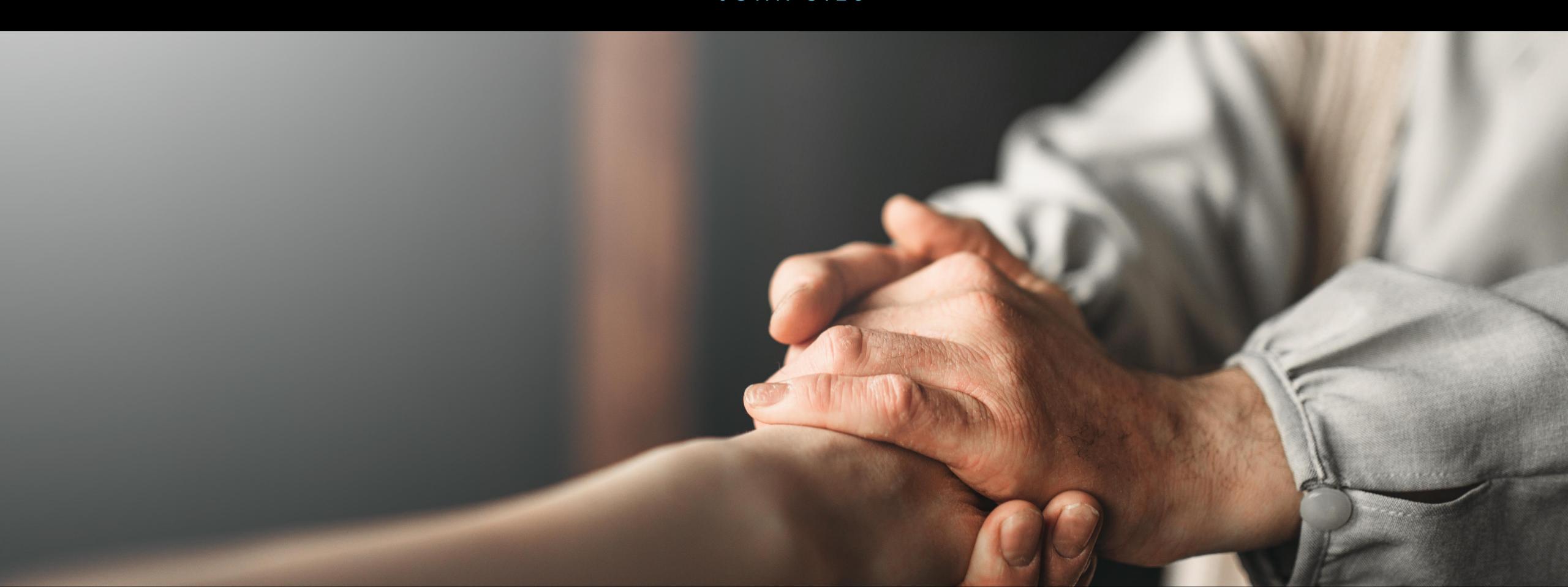
Colossians 1:15 - 16

- He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.
- For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.



"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life."

- JOHN 3:16



GODS LOVE CENTRAL TO JESUS SAVING US

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WHAT IS OUR NATURAL STATE?



"for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God"

-ROMANS 3:23



"For I know that <u>nothing good dwells in me</u>, that is, in my flesh. For I have the desire to do what is right, but <u>not the ability to carry it out</u>."

-ROMANS 7:18



IS HATING SIN ENOUGH?

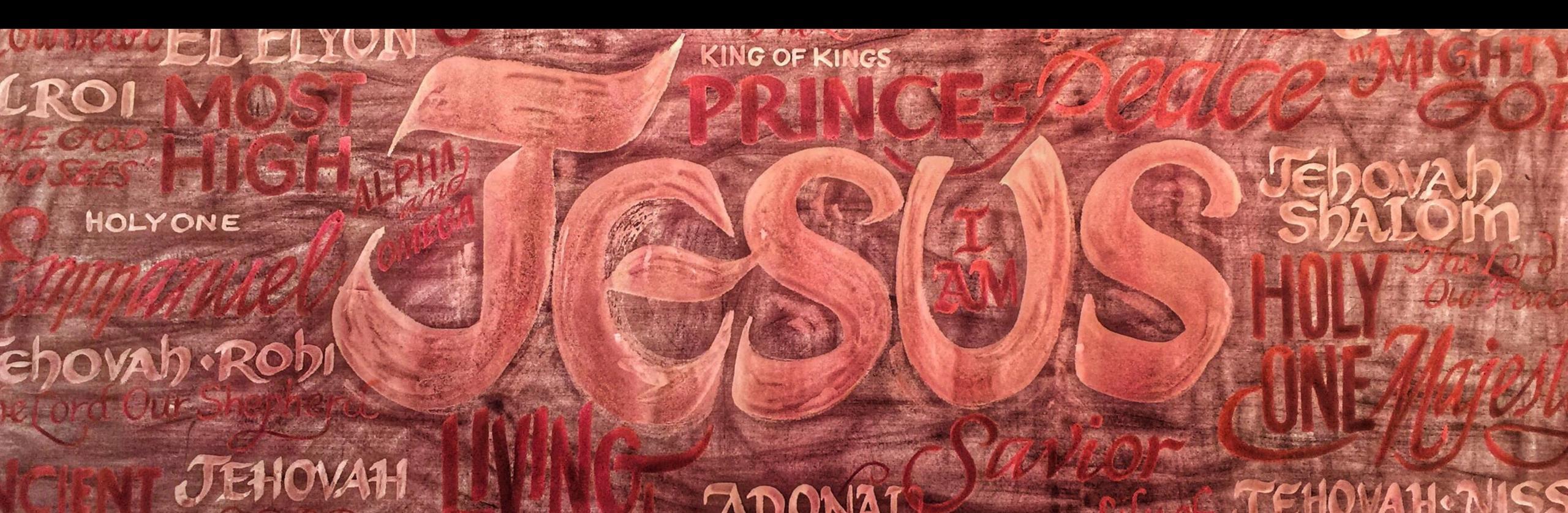
- Acts 3:19
- "Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out"



"She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins."

"And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

- MATTHEW 1:21 & ACTS 4:12



"so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love,

may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth,

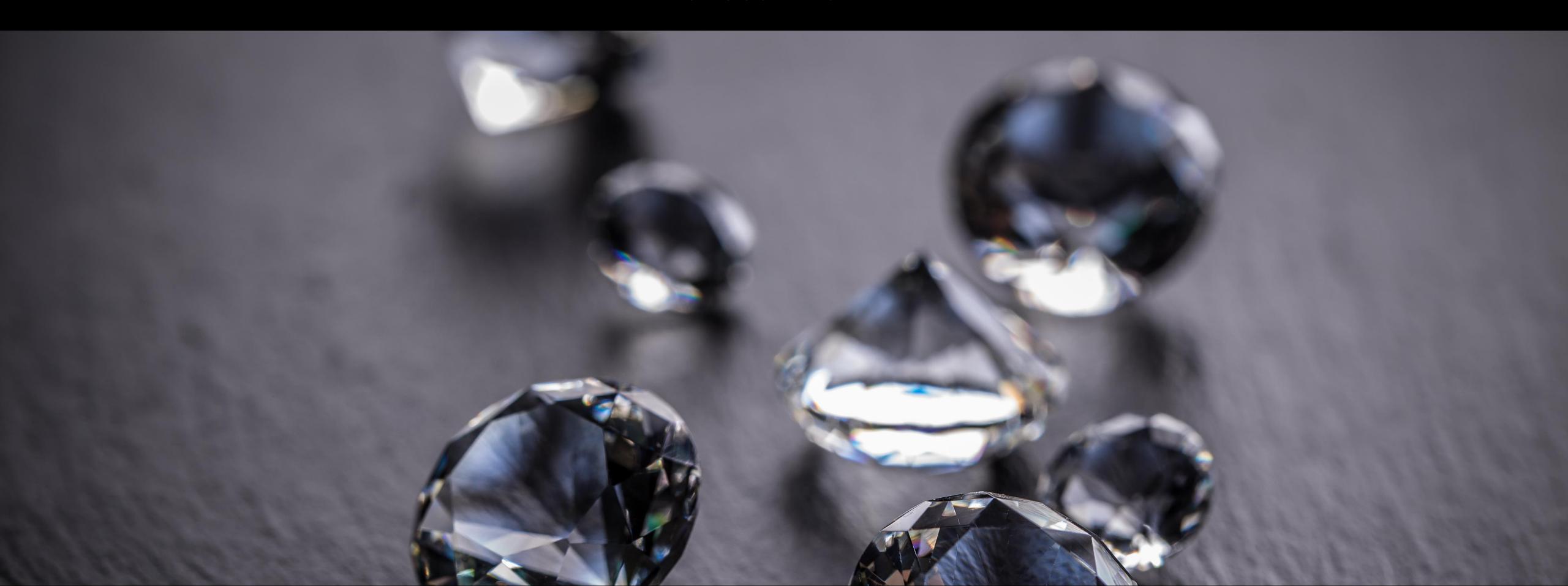
and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us,

to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen"

"To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory."

-COLOSSIANS 1:27



3 ESSENTIAL STEPS TO SALVATION

- 1. Believe: Acts 16:31
 - "And they said, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household."



3 ESSENTIAL STEPS TO SALVATION

2. New birth: John 3:3-5

- "Jesus answered him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God."
- Nicodemus said to him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?"
- Jesus answered, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of <u>water</u> and the <u>Spirit</u>, he cannot enter the kingdom of God."



3 ESSENTIAL STEPS TO SALVATION

- 3. New life of obedience with Christ: John 14:15-17
 - "If you love me, you will keep my commandments.
 - And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever,
 - even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you."



"When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come."

-JOHN 16:13



