



**Things my dad
would never say:**



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**Things my dad
would never say:**

"Can you turn
up that
music?"



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**Things my dad
would never say:**

"Go ahead and
take my truck.
Here's 50 bucks
for gas."



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**Things my dad
would never say:**

**"I LOVE your
tattoo. We
should both get
new ones."**



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**Things my dad
would never say:**

**"Here, you
take the
remote."**

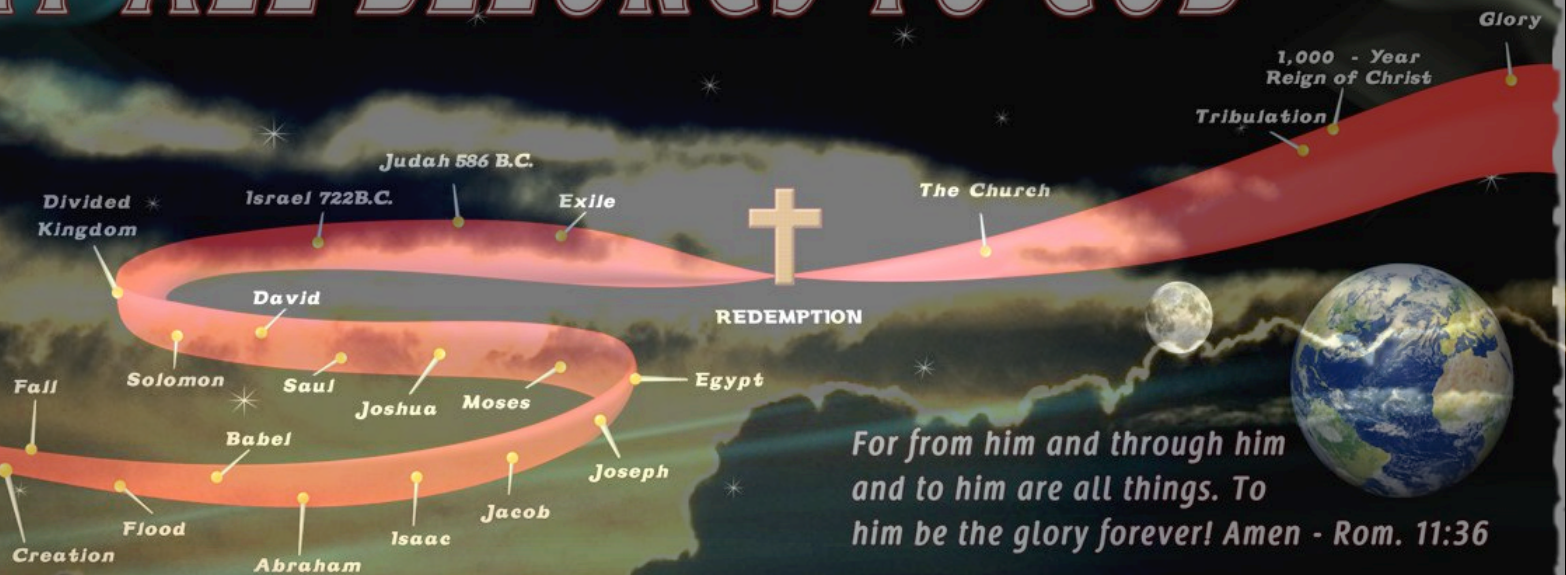


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IT ALL BELONGS TO GOD



For from him and through him
and to him are all things. To
him be the glory forever! Amen - Rom. 11:36



**Story of God's
People Sum Total:**

**KEY PRINCIPLE:
Obey God**

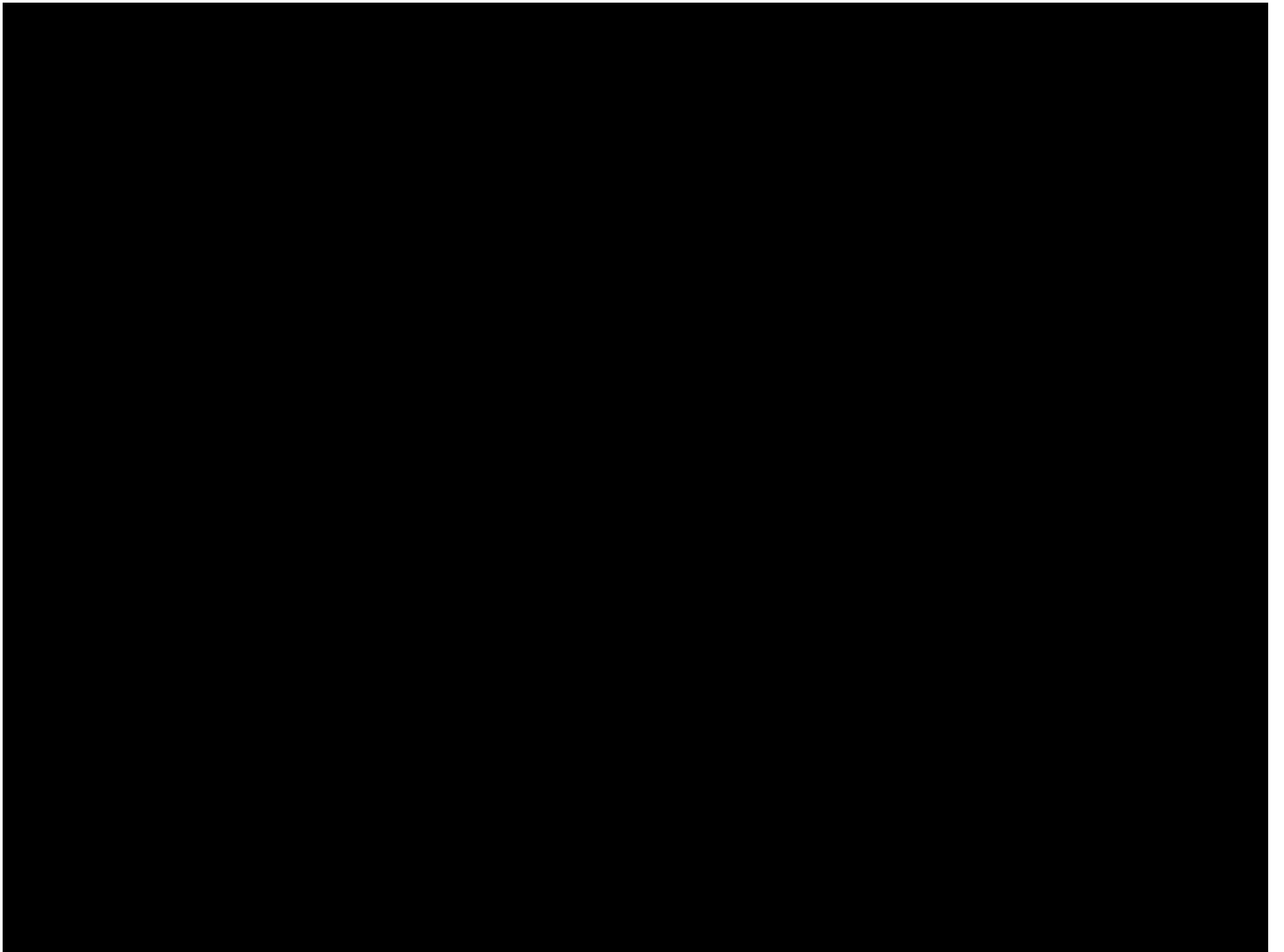


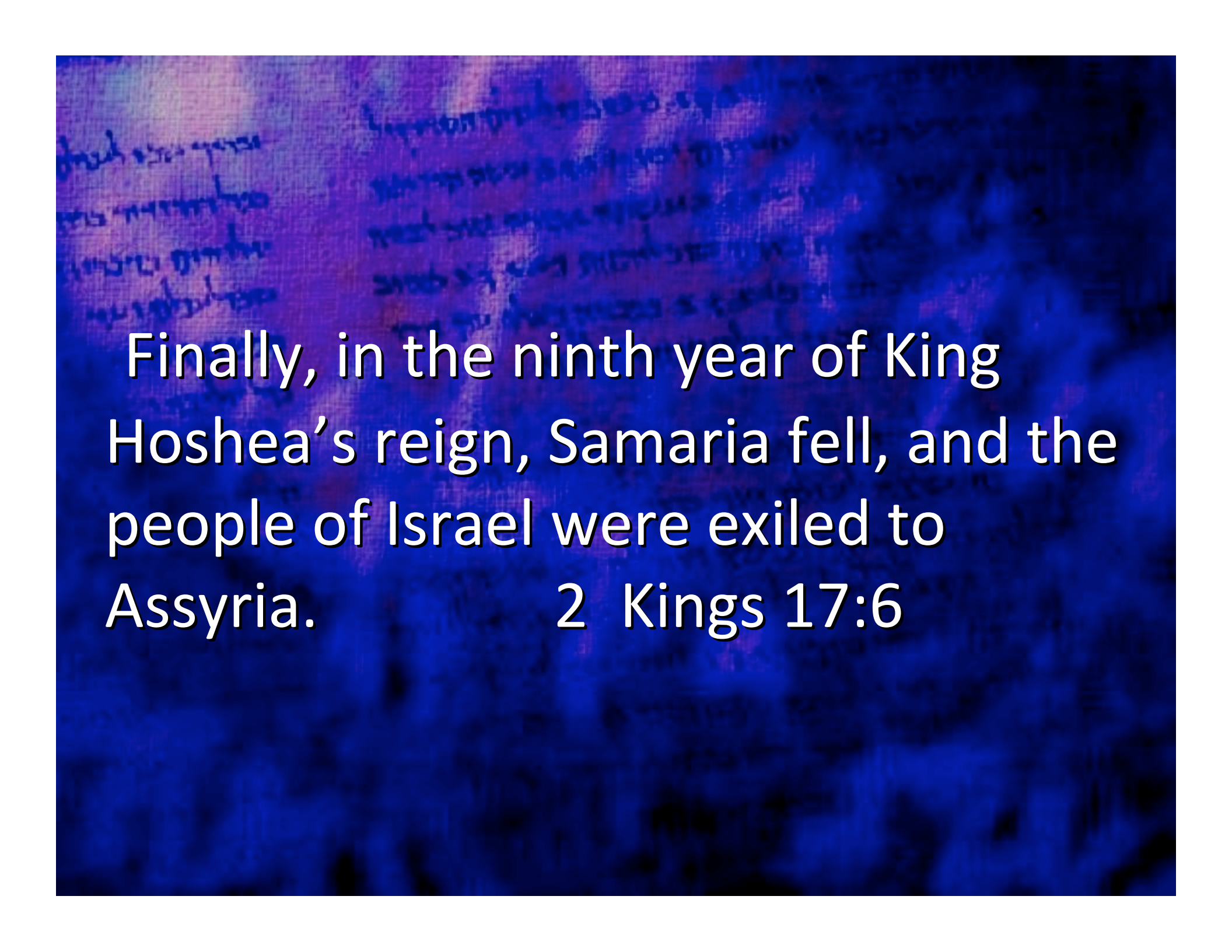
The Books of 1st and 2nd Kings, spotlights the Kings of the divided kingdom:

KEY PRINCIPLE:

The character of each kingdom is largely determined by the character of it's king







Finally, in the ninth year of King
Hoshea's reign, Samaria fell, and the
people of Israel were exiled to
Assyria. 2 Kings 17:6

This disaster came upon the people of Israel because they worshiped other gods. They sinned against the Lord their God, who had brought them safely out of Egypt and had rescued them from the power of Pharaoh, the king of Egypt.

...18 Because the Lord was very angry with Israel, he swept them away from his presence. Only the tribe of Judah remained in the land. 2 Kings 17:7,18

What's the relevance to us?

These kingdoms
are a picture to us
of the kingdom in
our own lives.



Therefore the king made two calves of gold, and said to the people, "It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem. Here are your gods, O Israel, which brought you up from the land of Egypt!" **29** And he set up one in Bethel, and the other he put in Dan. 1 Kings 12:28



1 Corinthians 6:19-Apostle Paul from the New Testament

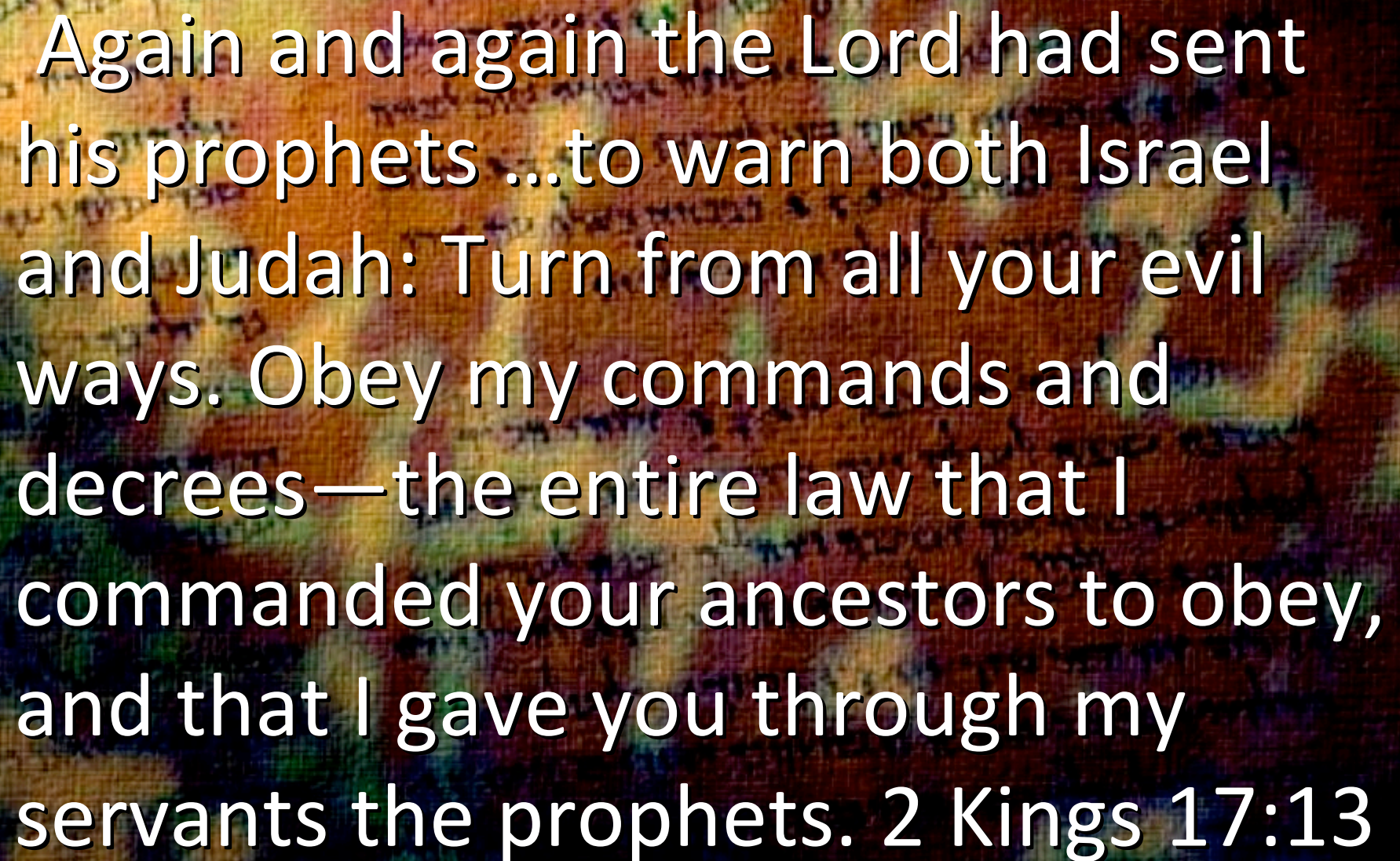
Don't you realize that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in you and was given to you by God?

24 "God is Spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth, for such the Father seeks to worship him"

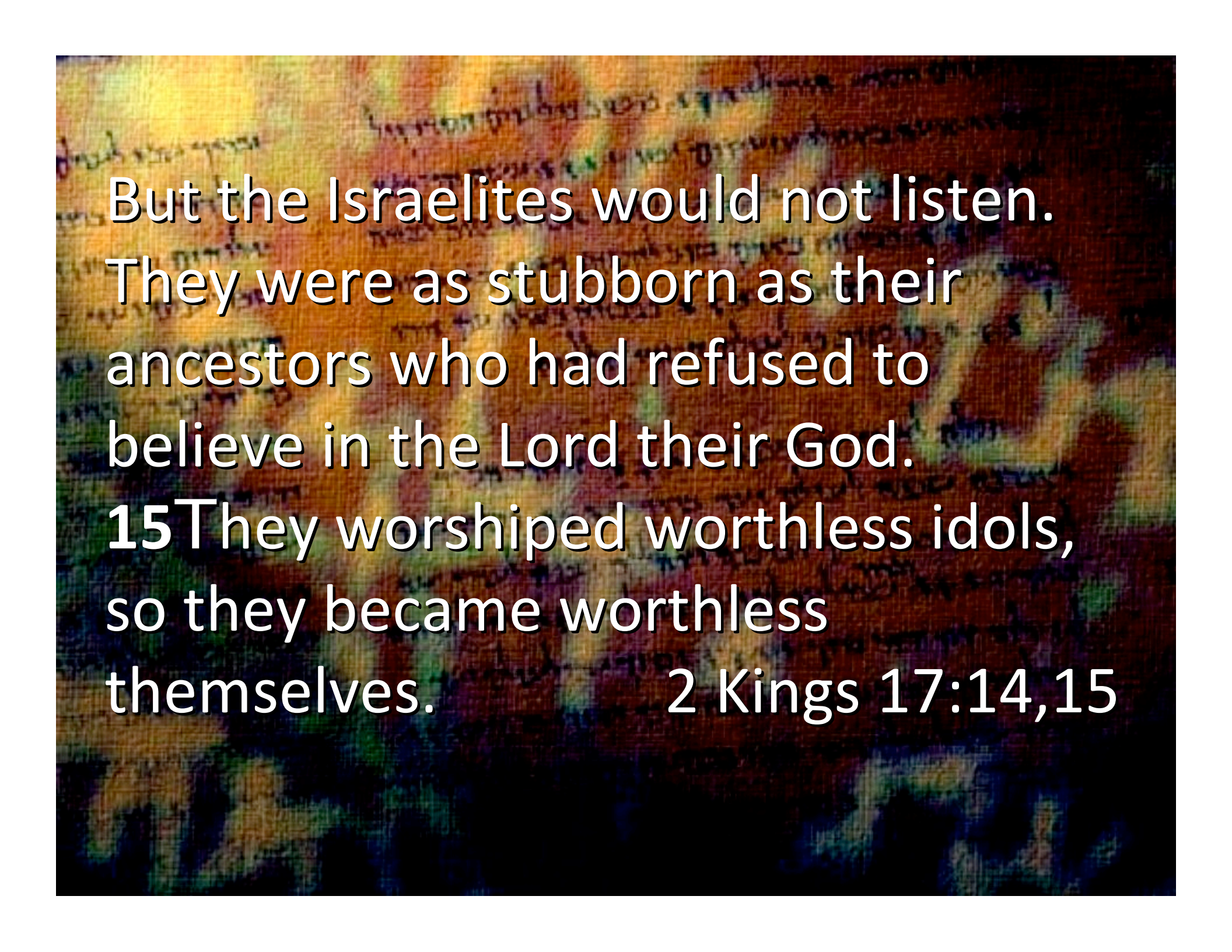
...23The Father is looking for those who will worship him that way.

John 4:24,23





Again and again the Lord had sent his prophets ...to warn both Israel and Judah: Turn from all your evil ways. Obey my commands and decrees—the entire law that I commanded your ancestors to obey, and that I gave you through my servants the prophets. 2 Kings 17:13



But the Israelites would not listen.
They were as stubborn as their
ancestors who had refused to
believe in the Lord their God.

15 They worshiped worthless idols,
so they became worthless
themselves.

2 Kings 17:14,15

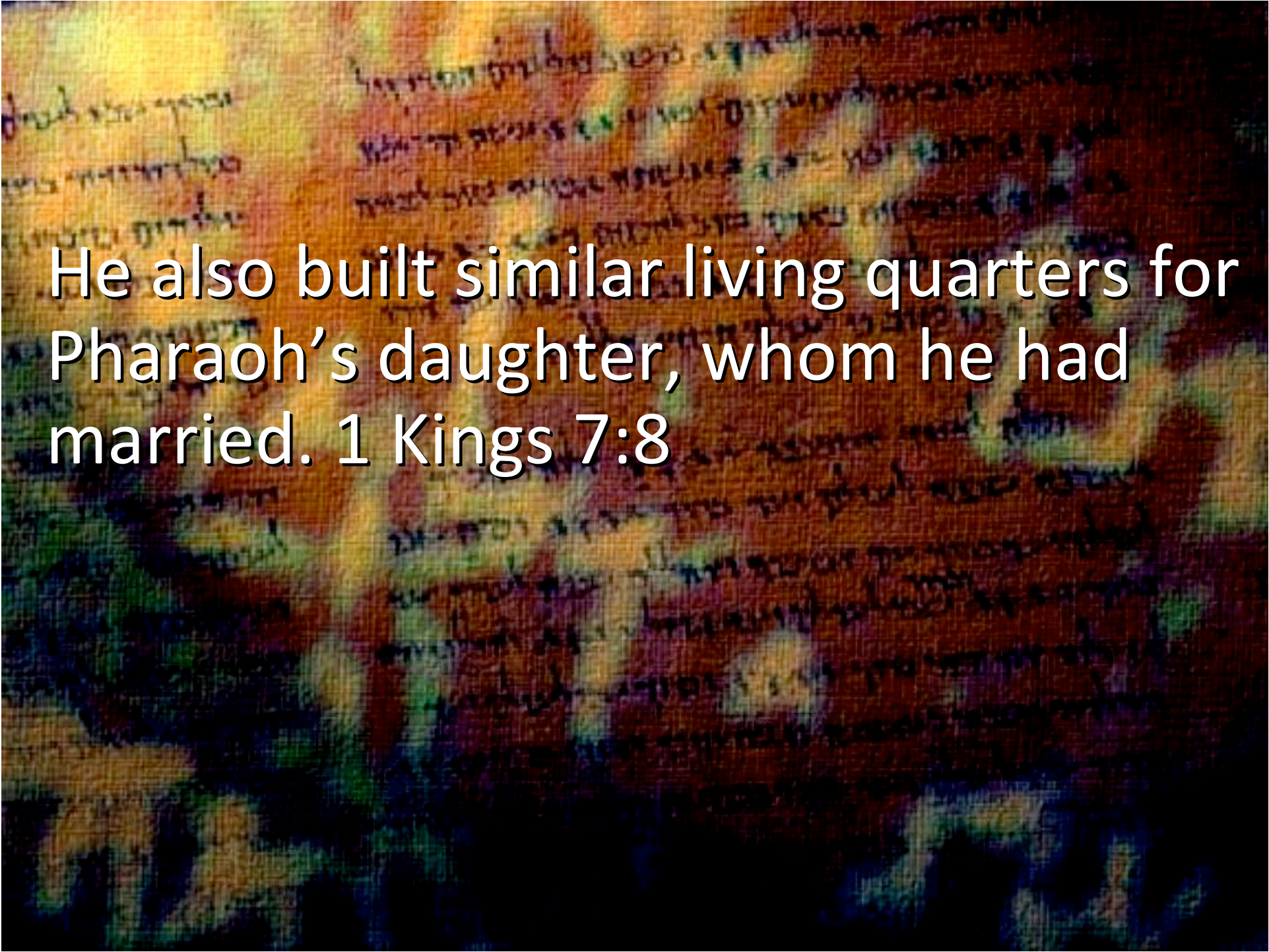
"As for you, if you walk before me in integrity of heart and uprightness, as David your father did, and do all I command and observe my decrees and laws, 5 I will establish your royal throne over Israel forever, as I promised David your father ...

1 Kings 9:4,5

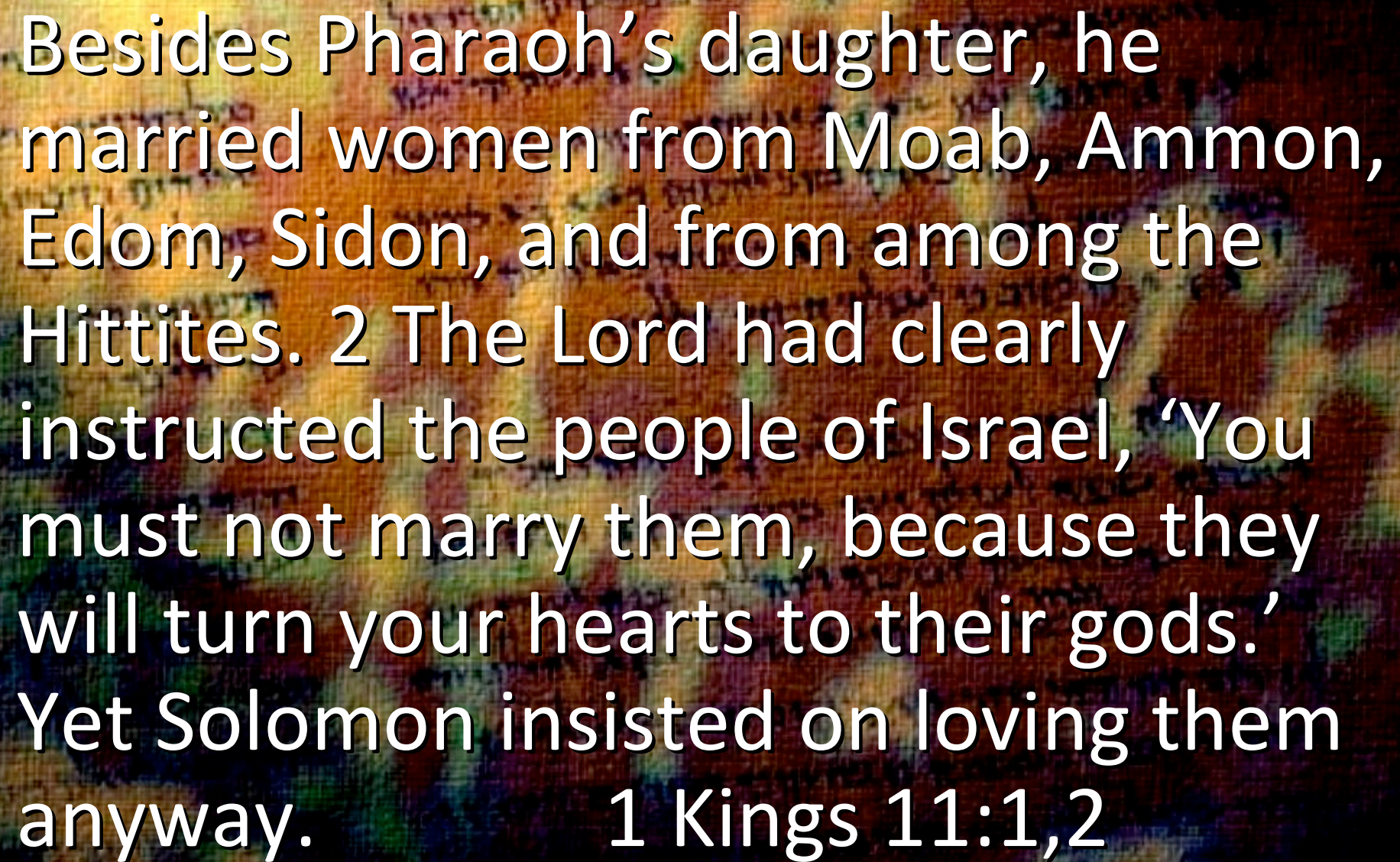
6 "But if you or your sons turn away from me and do not observe the commands and decrees I have given you and go off to serve other gods and worship them, 7 then I will cut off Israel from the land I have given them and will reject this temple I have consecrated for my Name.

1 Kings 9:6,7

8 And though this temple is now imposing, all who pass by will be appalled and will scoff and say, 'Why has the LORD done such a thing to this land and to this temple?' 9 People will answer, 'Because they have forsaken the LORD their God, who brought their fathers out of Egypt, and have embraced other gods, worshiping and serving them—that is why the LORD brought all this disaster on them.' " 1 Kings 9:8,9



He also built similar living quarters for
Pharaoh's daughter, whom he had
married. 1 Kings 7:8



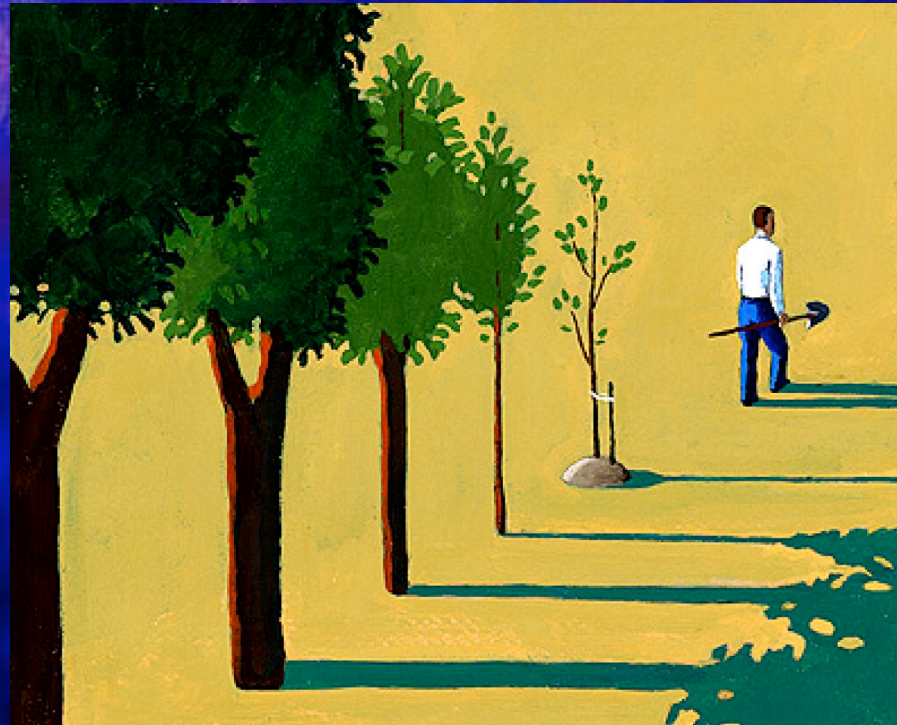
Besides Pharaoh's daughter, he married women from Moab, Ammon, Edom, Sidon, and from among the Hittites. 2 The Lord had clearly instructed the people of Israel, 'You must not marry them, because they will turn your hearts to their gods.' Yet Solomon insisted on loving them anyway.

1 Kings 11:1,2

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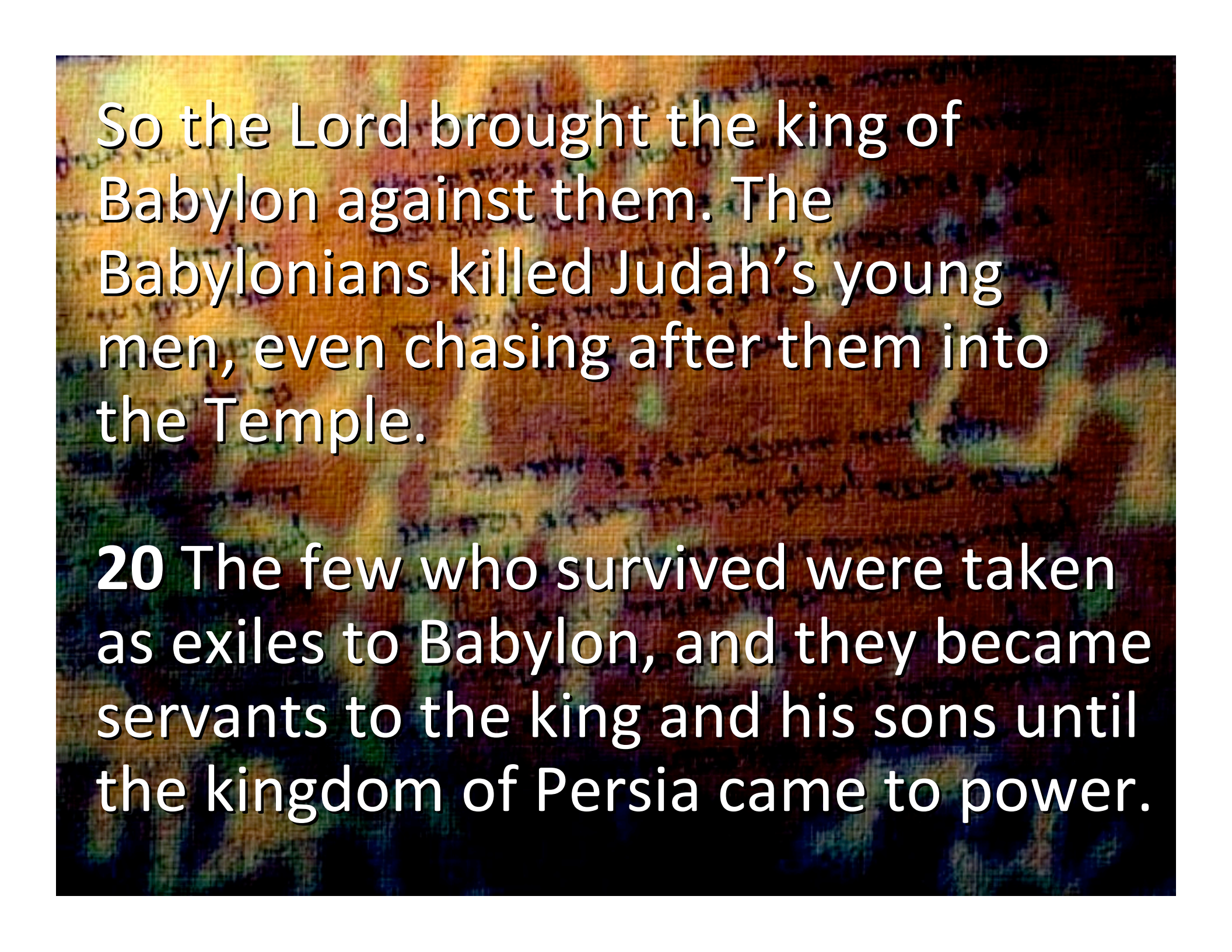
Do not be deceived: God cannot be
mocked. A man reaps what he sows.
Galatians 6:7





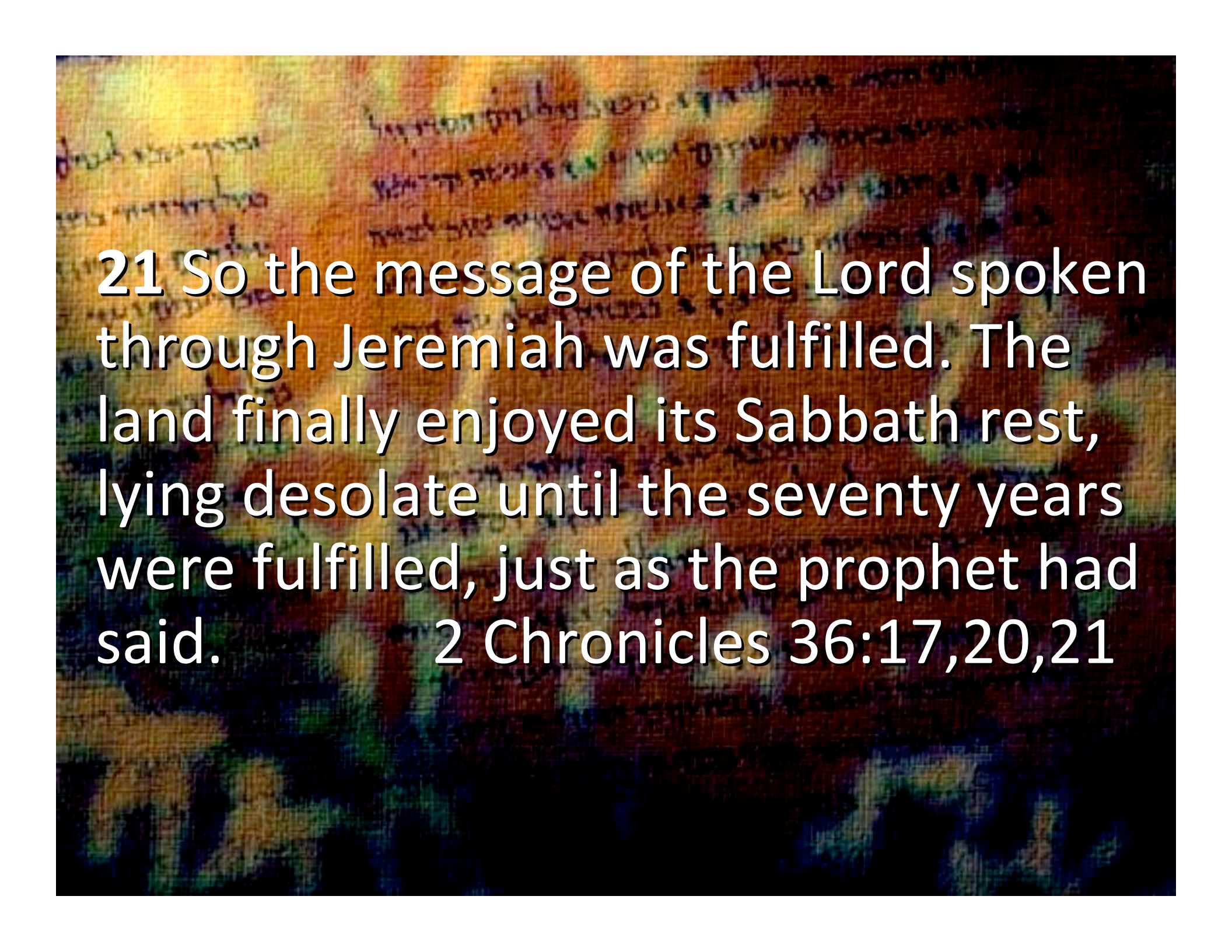
The Lord, the God of their ancestors, repeatedly sent his prophets to warn them, for he had compassion on his people and his Temple. 16 But the people mocked these messengers of God and despised their words. They scoffed at the prophets until the Lord's anger could no longer be restrained and nothing could be done.

2 Chronicles 36:15



So the Lord brought the king of Babylon against them. The Babylonians killed Judah's young men, even chasing after them into the Temple.

20 The few who survived were taken as exiles to Babylon, and they became servants to the king and his sons until the kingdom of Persia came to power.



21 So the message of the Lord spoken through Jeremiah was fulfilled. The land finally enjoyed its Sabbath rest, lying desolate until the seventy years were fulfilled, just as the prophet had said.

2 Chronicles 36:17,20,21



If someone claims, I know God, but doesn't obey God's commandments, that person is a liar and is not living in the truth. **5 But those who obey God's word** truly show how completely they love him. That is how we know we are living in him. **6** Those who say they live in God should live their lives as Jesus did.

1 John 2:4-6

“Here is your King.” John 19:14

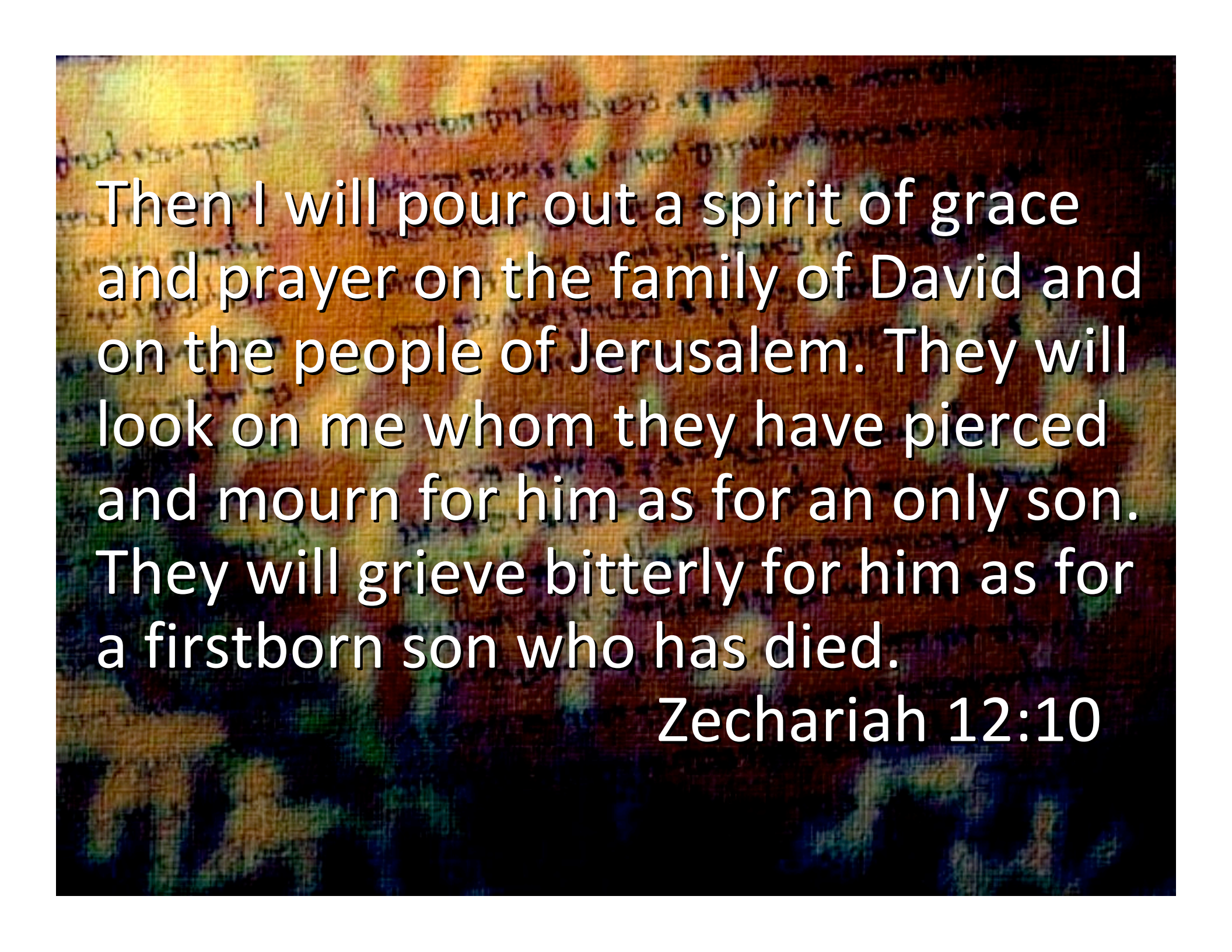




**"We have no king but Caesar."
John 19: 15**



"Jesus of Nazareth
the King of the Jews."
John 19:19



Then I will pour out a spirit of grace
and prayer on the family of David and
on the people of Jerusalem. They will
look on me whom they have pierced
and mourn for him as for an only son.
They will grieve bitterly for him as for
a firstborn son who has died.

Zechariah 12:10



And now, dear children, continue in him, so that when he appears we may be confident and unashamed before him at his coming. 1 John 2:28





But on the judgment day, fire will reveal what kind of work each builder has done. The fire will show if a person's work has any value. **14** If the work survives, that builder will receive a reward. **15** But if the work is burned up, the builder will suffer great loss. The builder will be saved, but like someone barely escaping through a wall of flames.

I Corinthians 3:13-15





