

The Servant King



The story of the *King*... who came to *serve*.

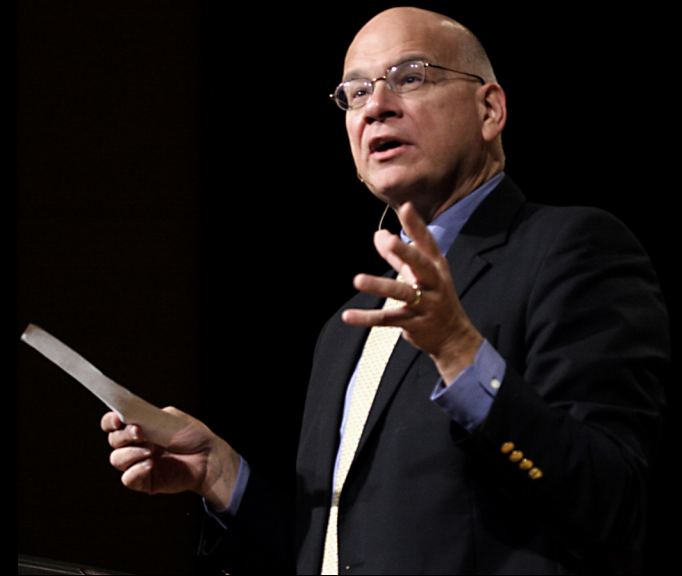
And Jesus said to them, "You will all fall away, because it is written, 'I will strike down the shepherd, and the sheep shall be scattered.'

Mark 14:27

In placing the Last Supper between the betrayal and the defection of the disciples the Gospel of Mark vividly conveys that the sin that necessitates the death of Jesus is not someone else's sin, but his own disciples.

“Every time the Lord’s Supper is celebrated the essential evil of the world is present.”

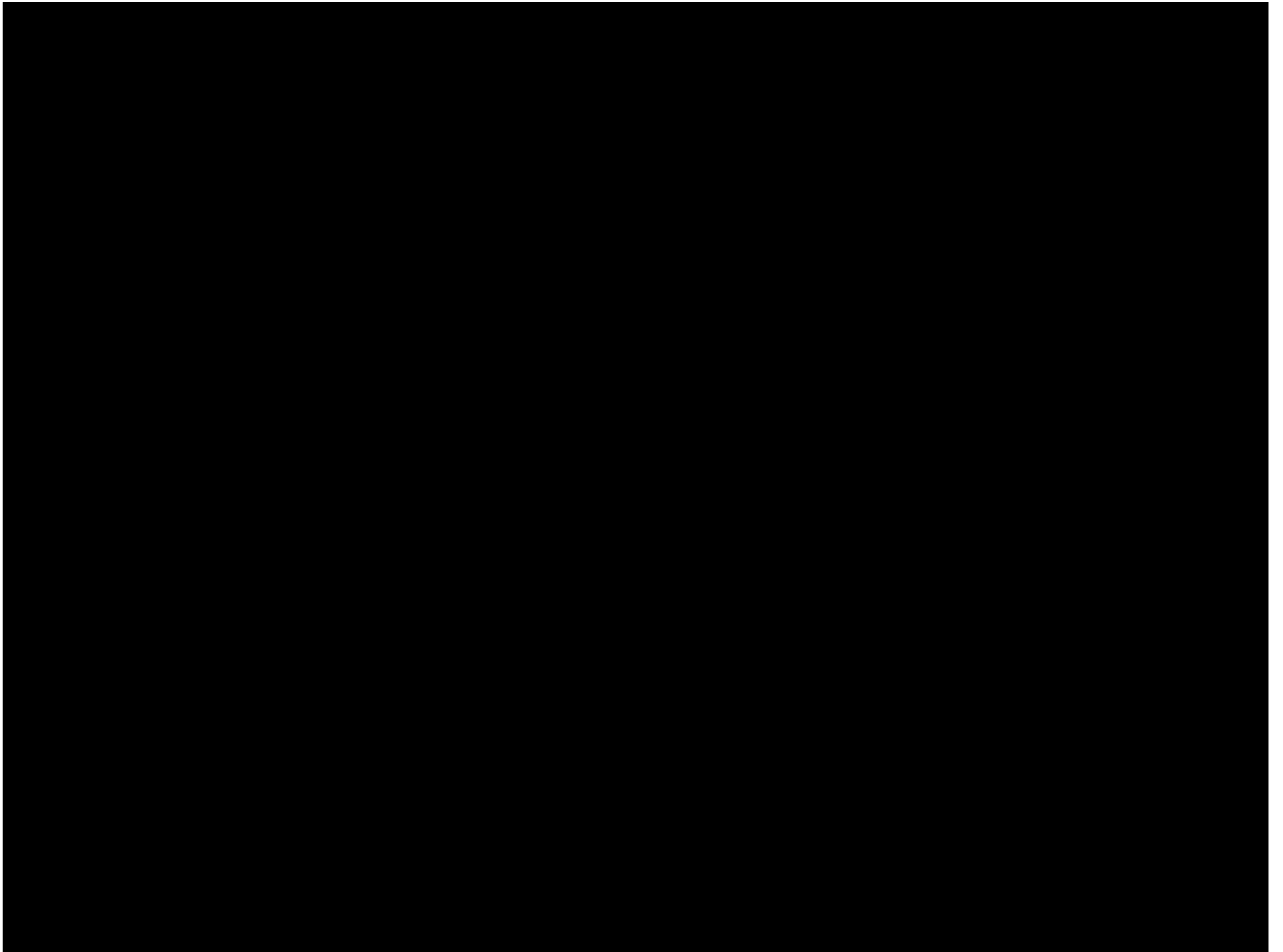
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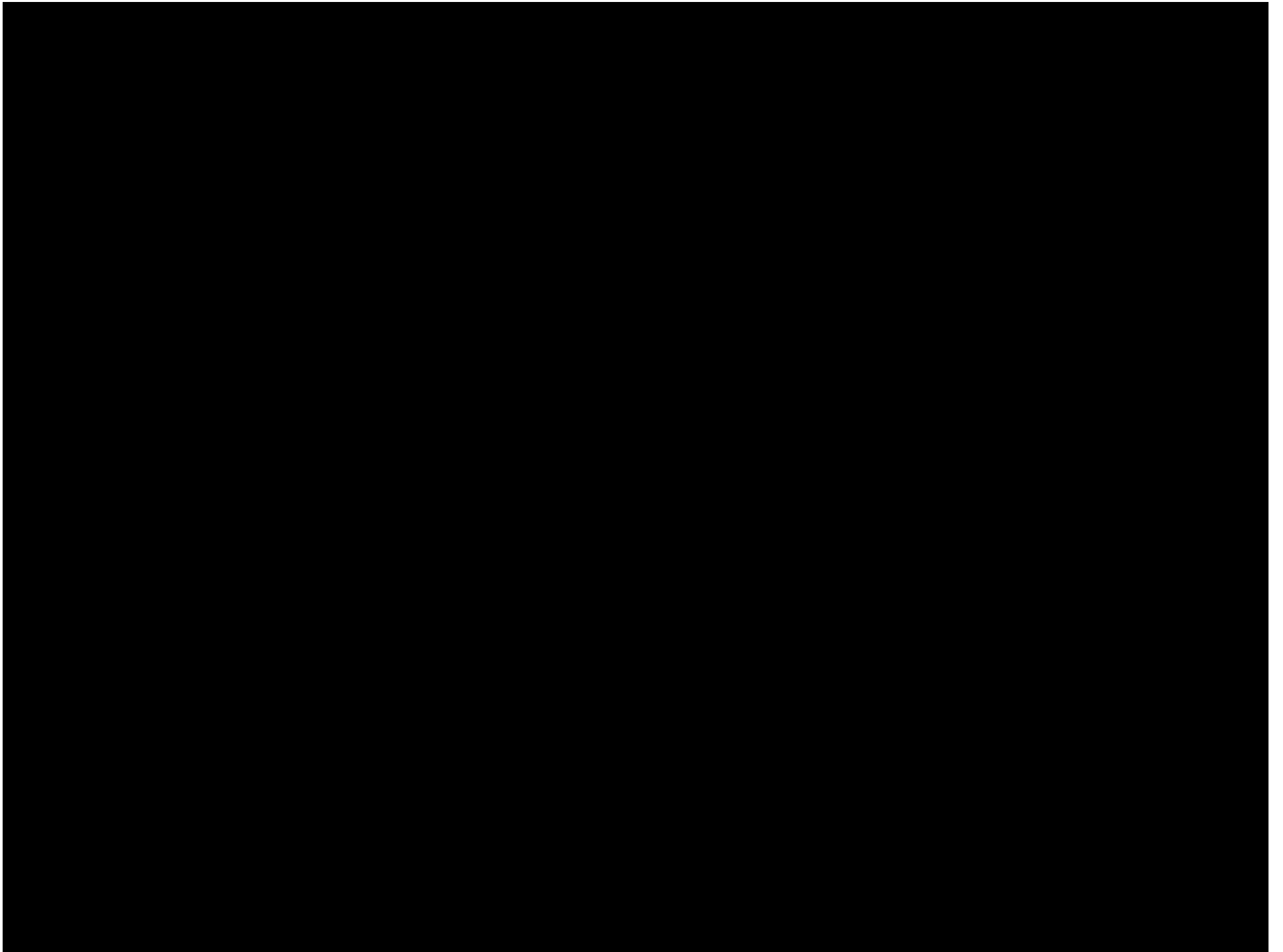
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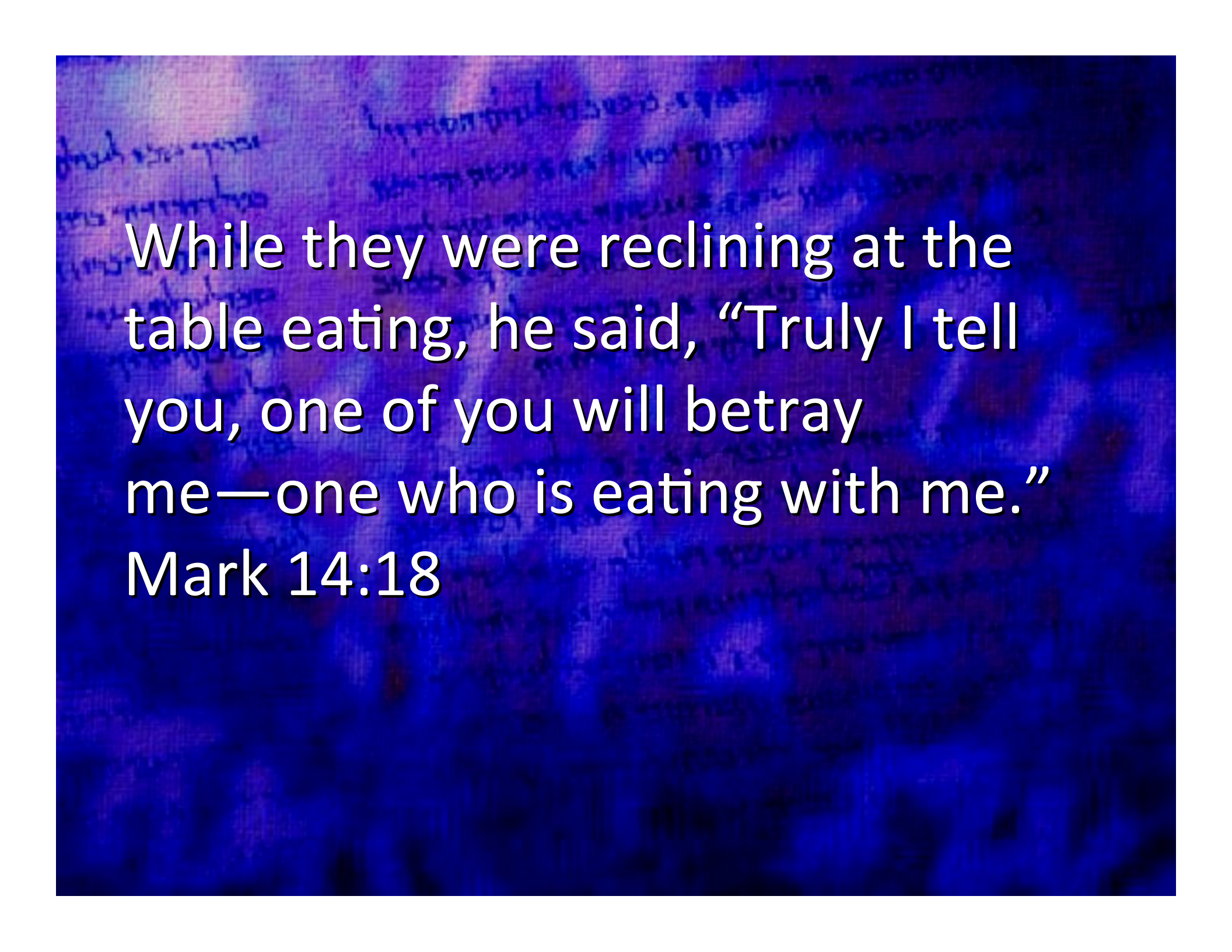
*The line divided good from evil goes down
the center of every human heart.*





for all have sinned and fall short of
the glory of God Romans 3:23





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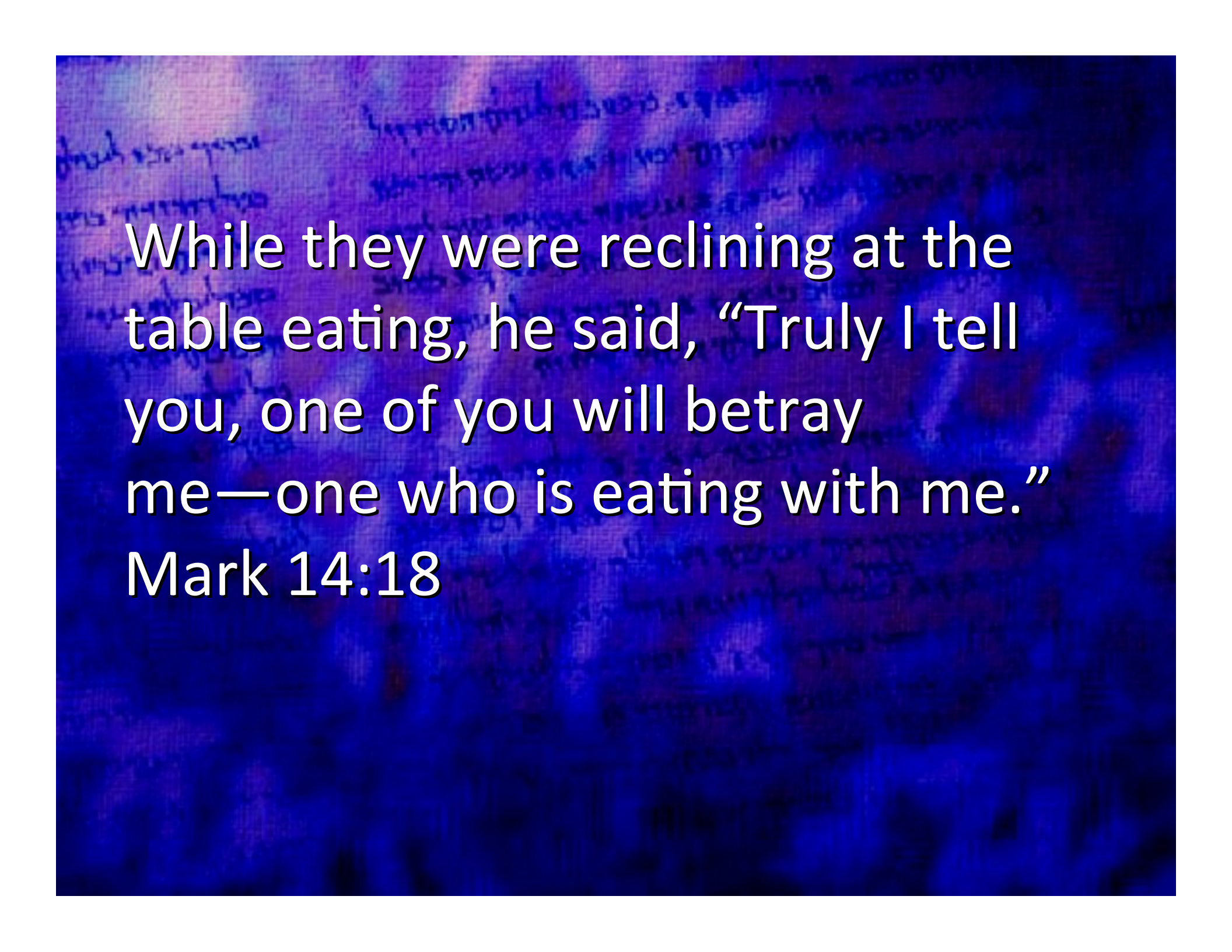
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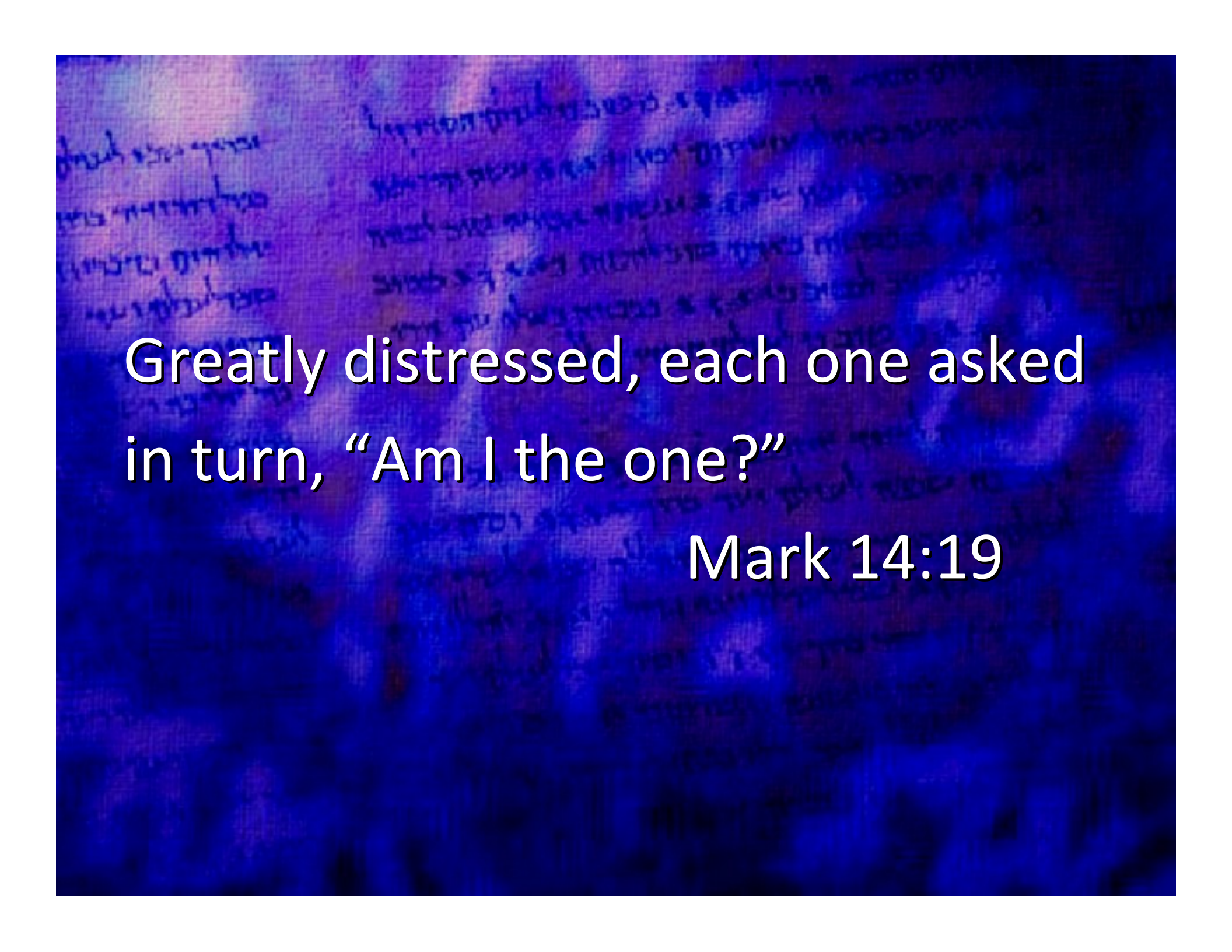
**Duty and love
ultimately are about
our motivation.**

**So one is serving to profit
another serves to please**



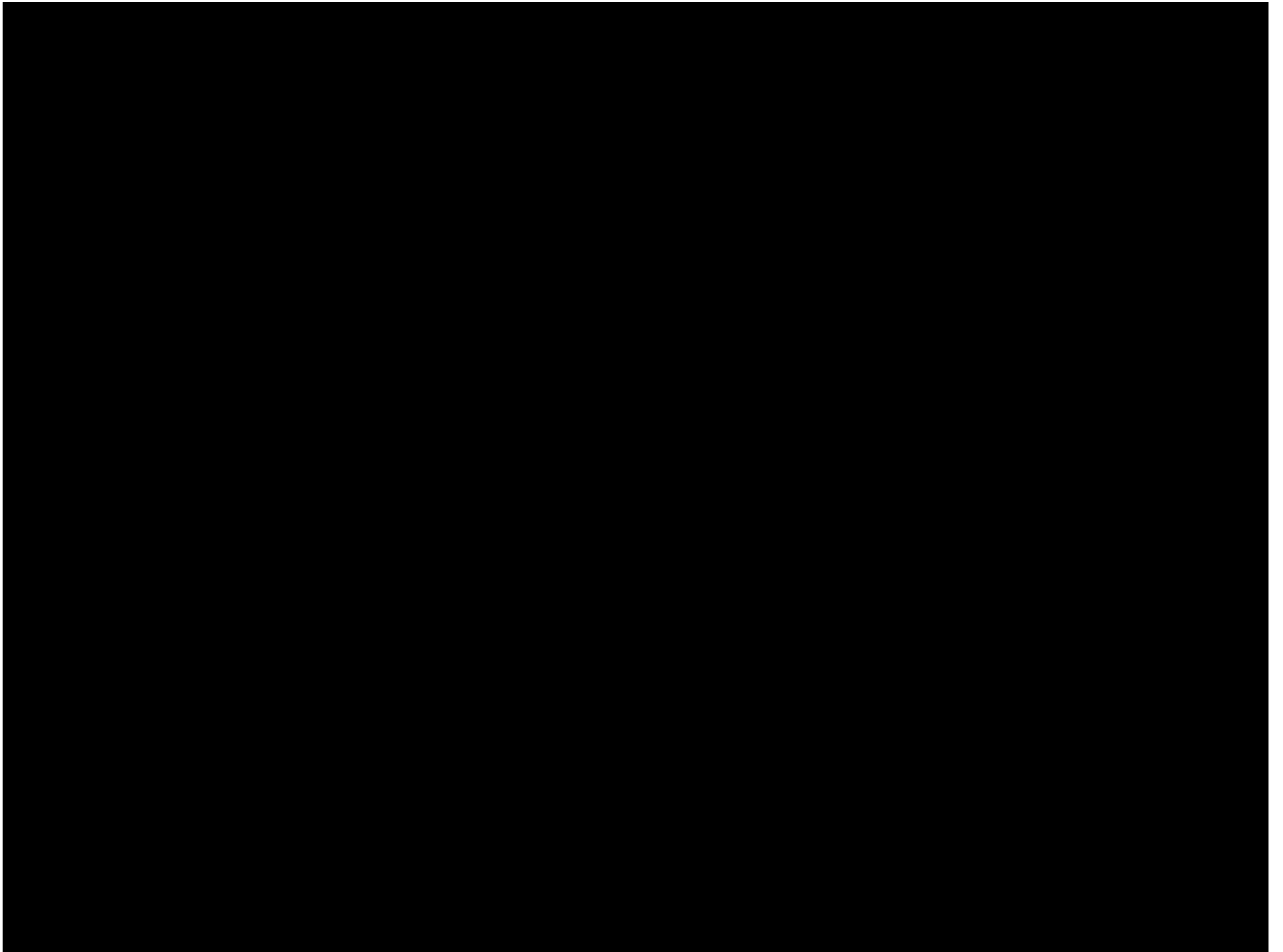
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Greatly distressed, each one asked
in turn, “Am I the one?”

Mark 14:19



**Religion operates on the
principal-**

*I obey therefore I am accepted.
Now God owes me.*

The Gospel operates on the principal-

I am accepted through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, therefore I obey, and I owe Him everything.





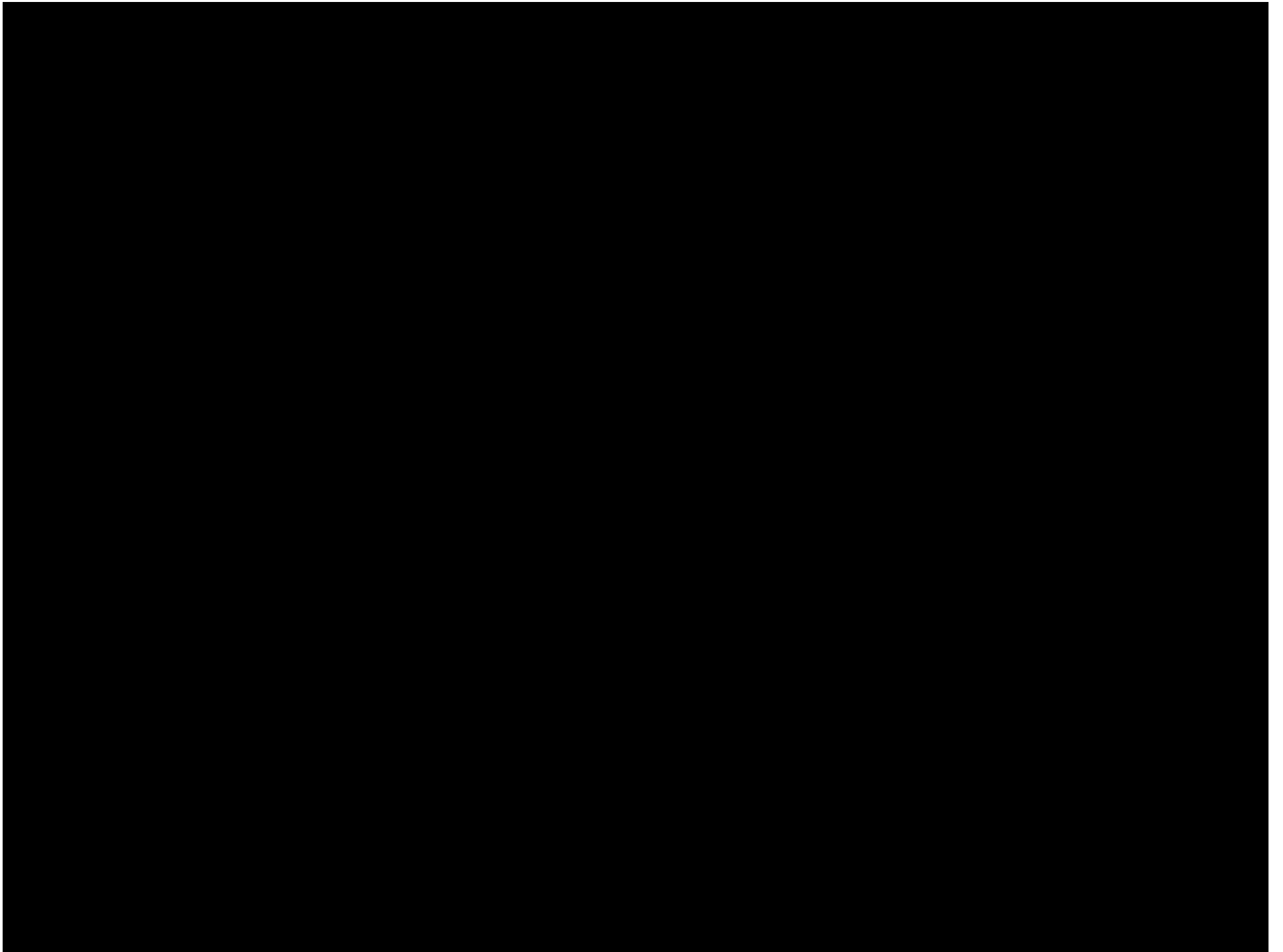
It would be far better for that man
if he had never been born!"

Mark 14:21

Reason #2

This is Jesus final act of
love and grace to

Judas.



“neither do I, (condemn you) go
and sin no more.”

John 8:11

