

# *The Legacy Principle*



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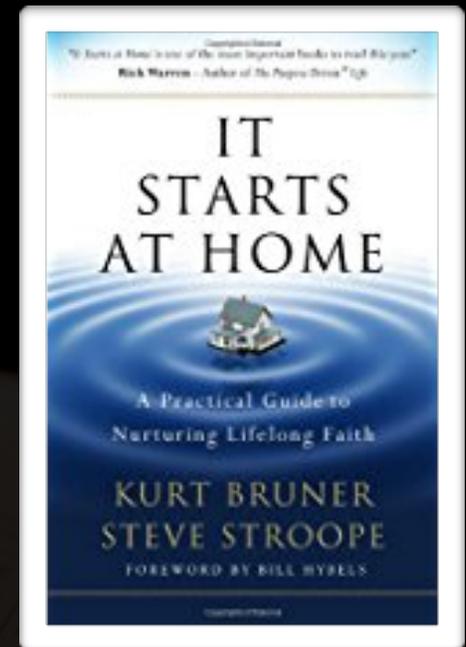


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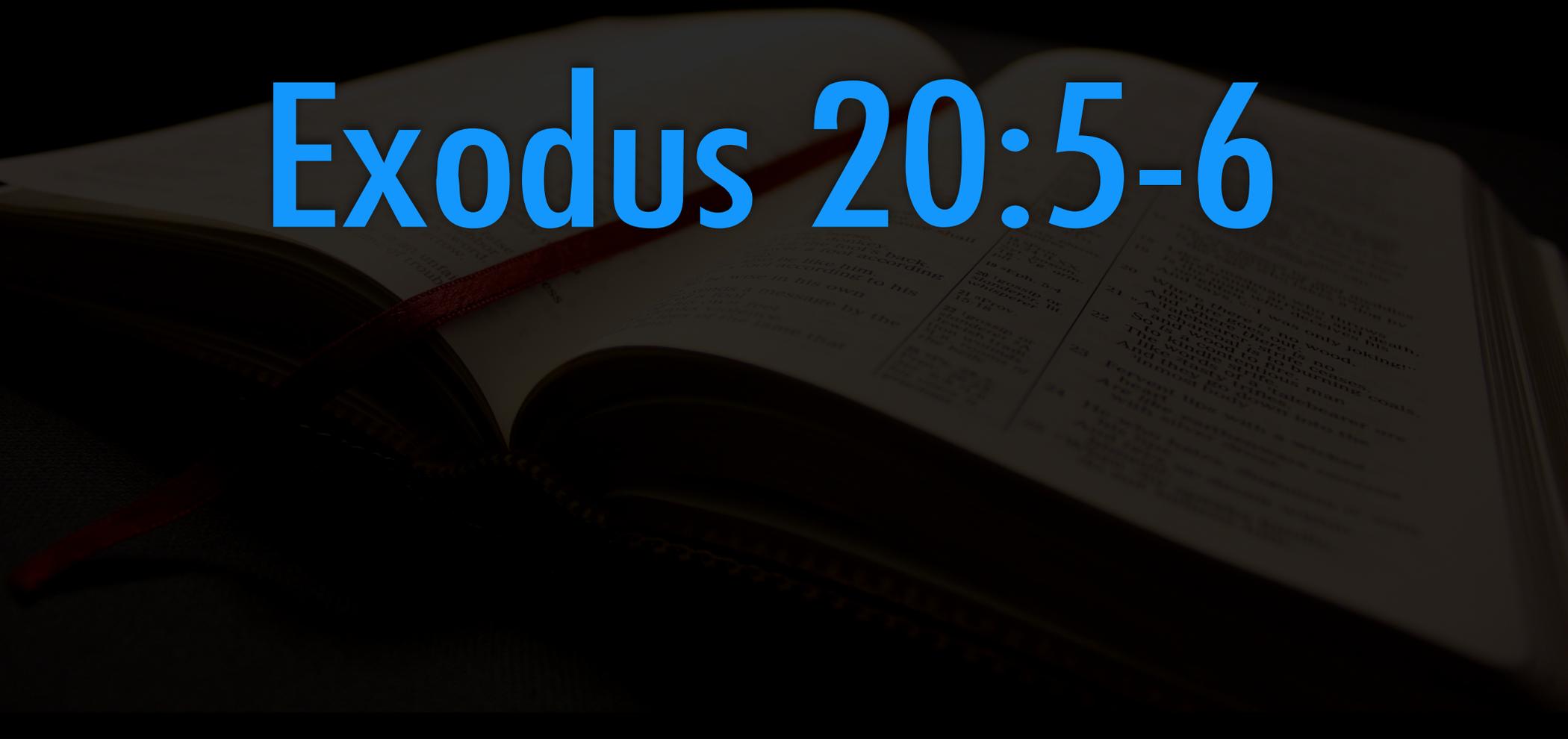
“What we do today  
will directly influence  
a multigenerational  
cycle of family traits,  
beliefs, and actions -  
for good or bad.”

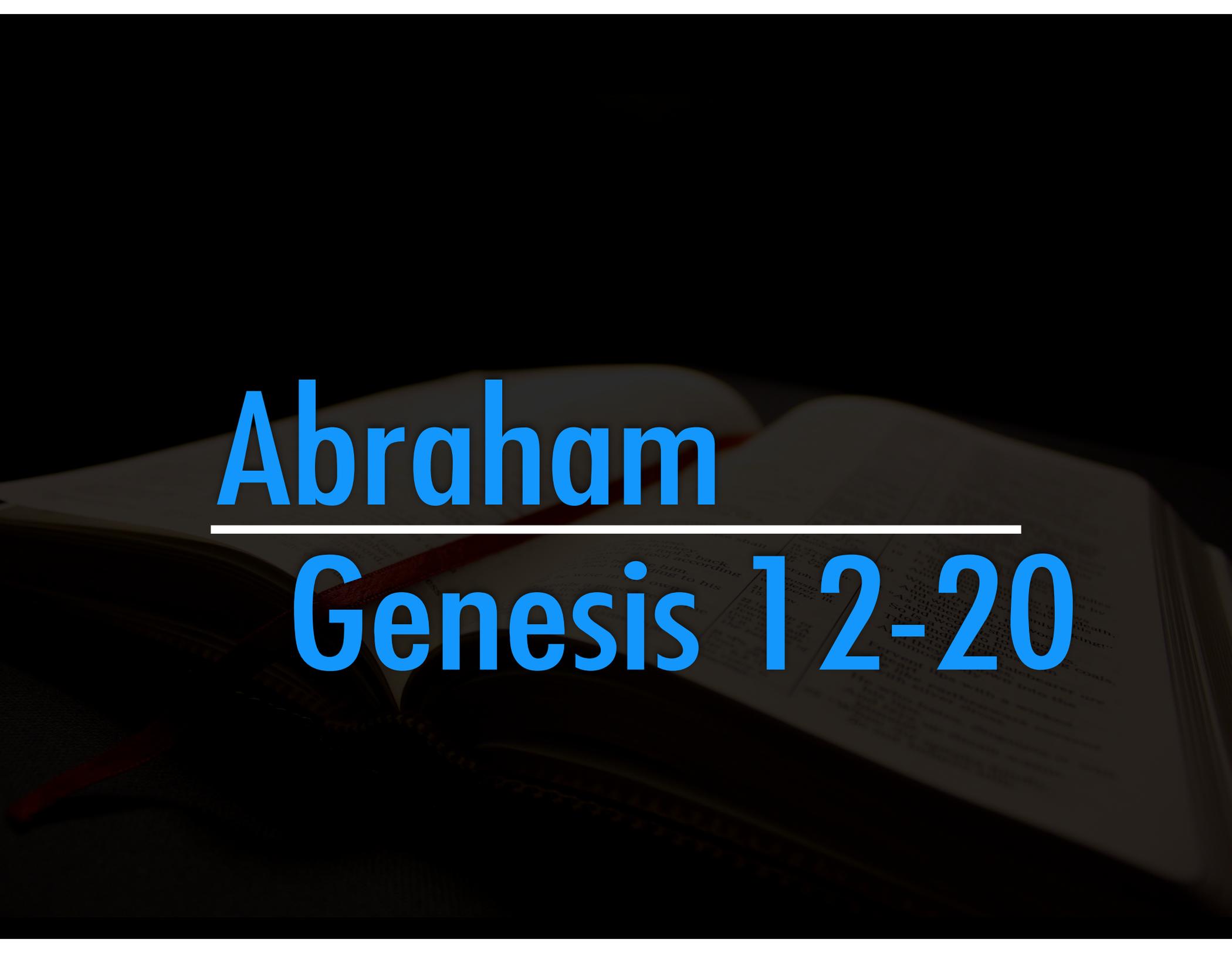
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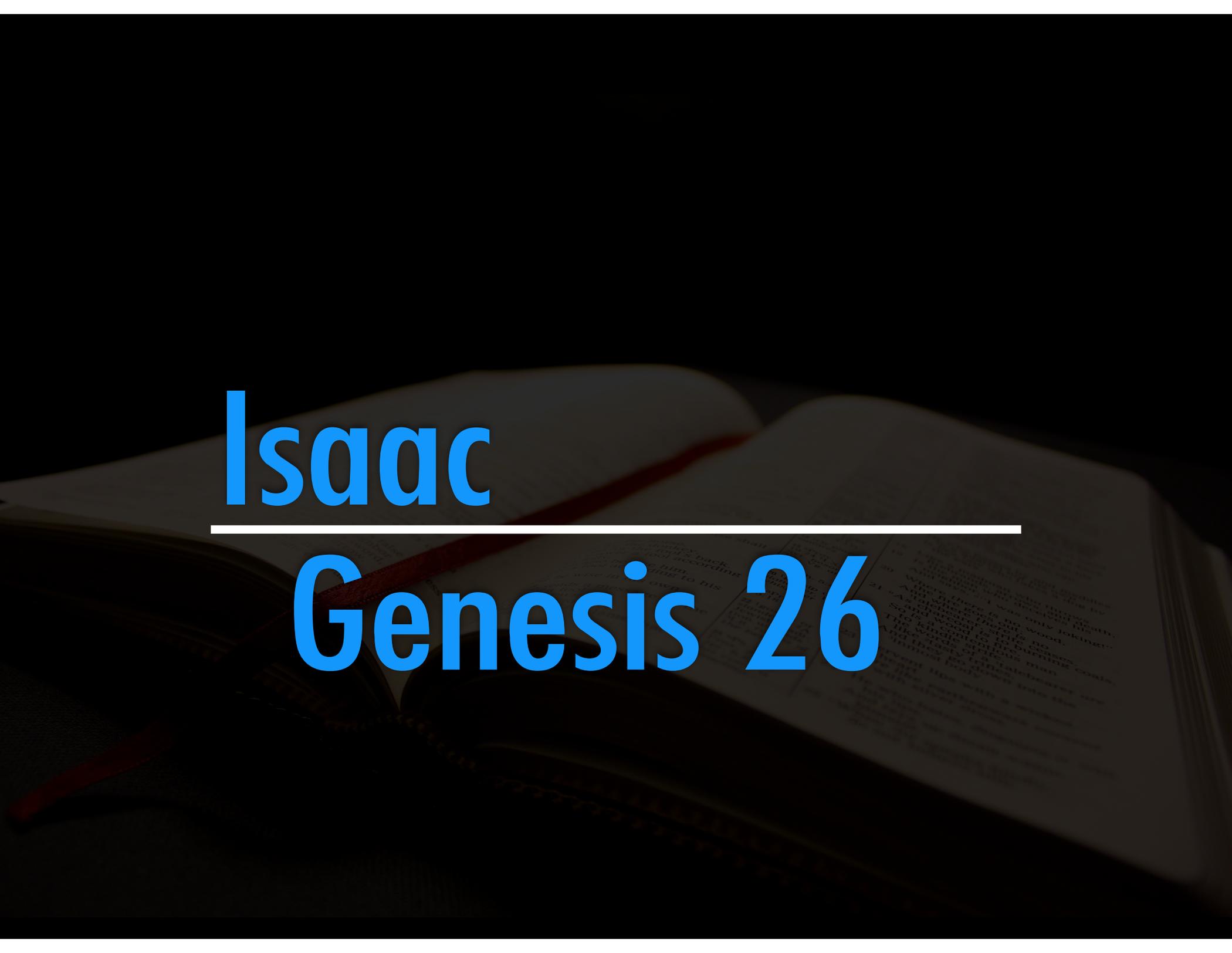




**Abraham**

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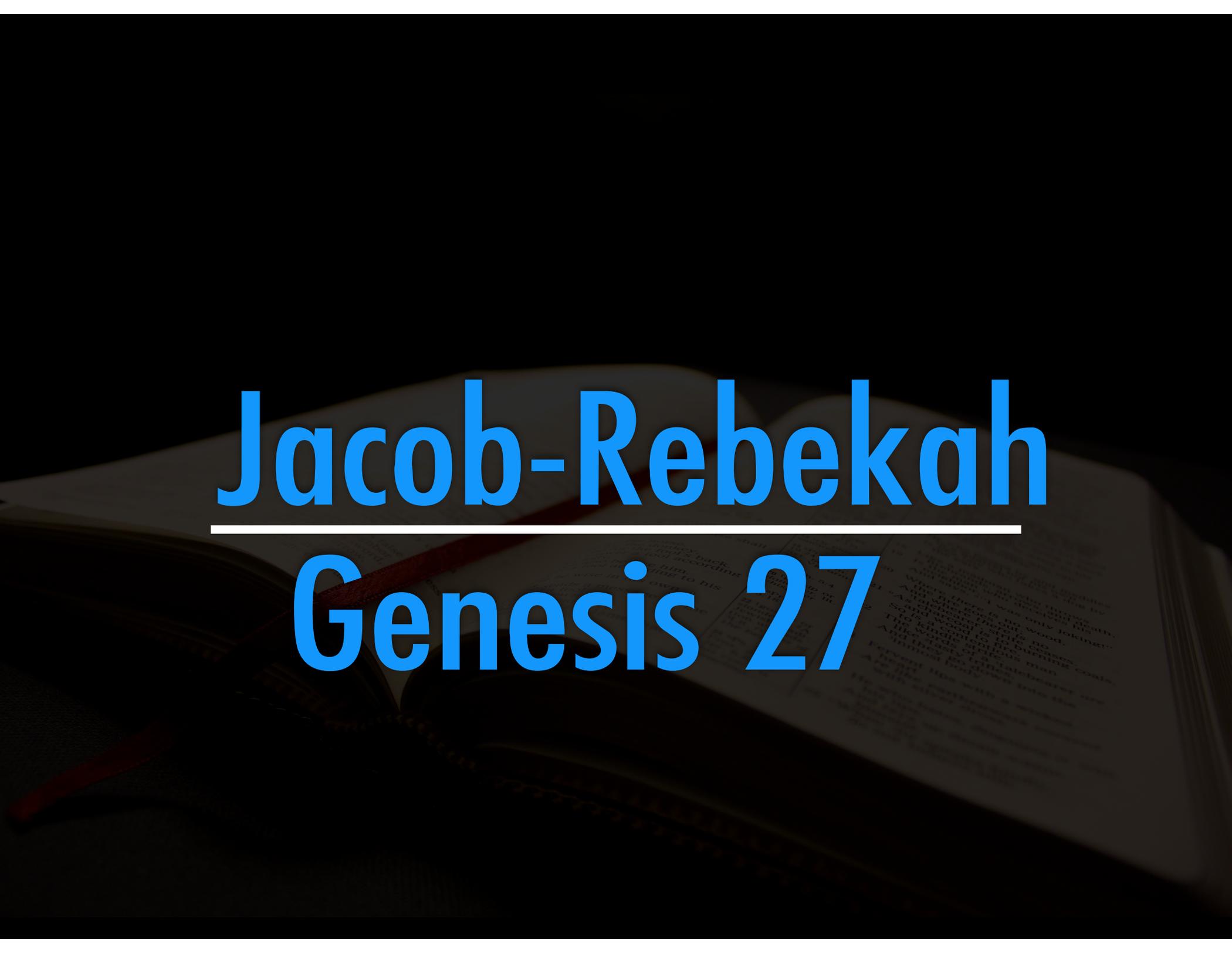
**Genesis 12-20**



Isaac

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Genesis 26



**Jacob-Rebekah**

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**Genesis 27**



**FAIL**

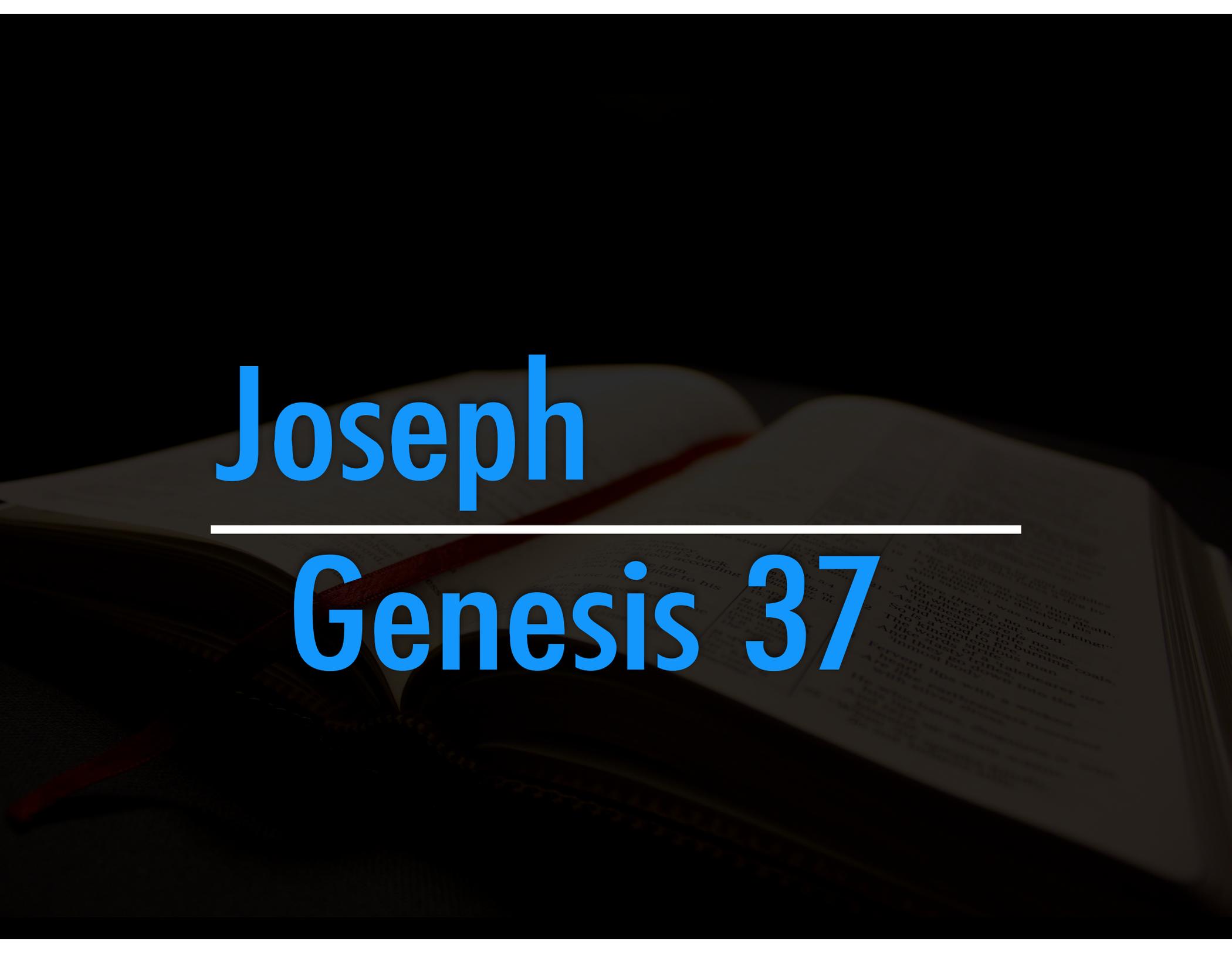




**6** Rebekah said to her son Jacob, "Look, I overheard your father say to your brother Esau, **7** 'Bring me some game and prepare me some tasty food to eat, so that I may give you my blessing in the presence of the Lord before I die.' **8** Now, my son, listen carefully and do what I tell you:

9 Go out to the flock and bring me two choice young goats, so I can prepare some tasty food for your father, just the way he likes it. 10 Then take it to your father to eat, so that he may give you his blessing before he dies."





Joseph

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Genesis 37

**15** “When Joseph’s brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, “What if Joseph holds a grudge against us and pays us back for all the wrongs we did to him?” **16** So they sent word to Joseph, saying, “Your father left these instructions before he died:

**17 'This is what you are to say to Joseph: I ask you to forgive your brothers the sins and the wrongs they committed in treating you so badly.' Now please forgive the sins of the servants of the God of your father."**

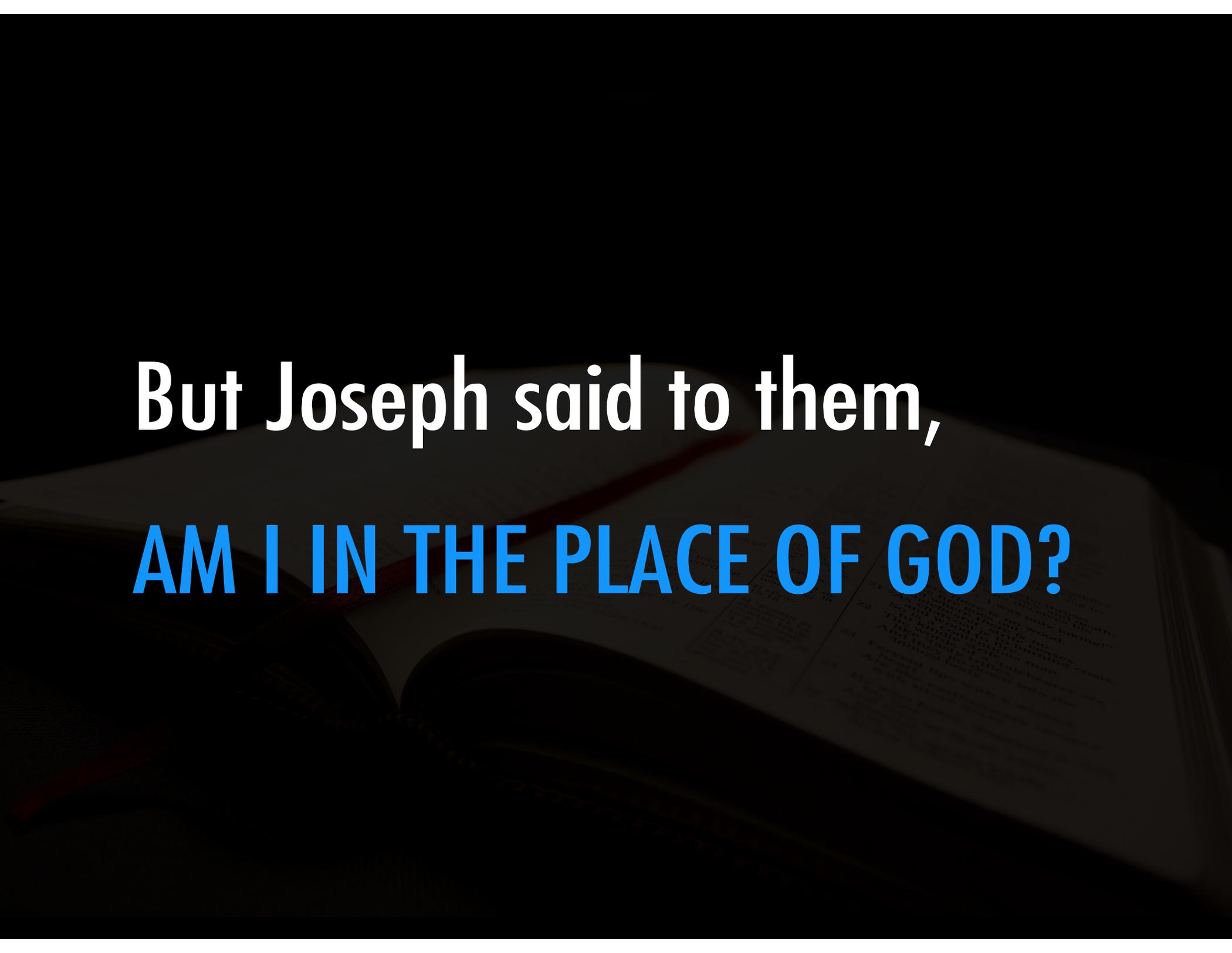
**When their message came to him,  
Joseph wept.**

**18 His brothers then came and threw  
themselves down before him. "We are  
your slaves," they said.**

**19 But Joseph said to them, "Don't be  
afraid. Am I in the place of God?"**

**20 You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. 21 So then, don't be afraid. I will provide for you and your children." And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them."**

**Genesis 50:15-21**

An open book is shown in a dark, low-key setting. The pages are slightly illuminated, revealing some text. Overlaid on the book is the text 'But Joseph said to them,' in white, and 'AM I IN THE PLACE OF GOD?' in blue. The overall mood is contemplative and dramatic.

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**AM I IN THE PLACE OF GOD?**



**We Give**

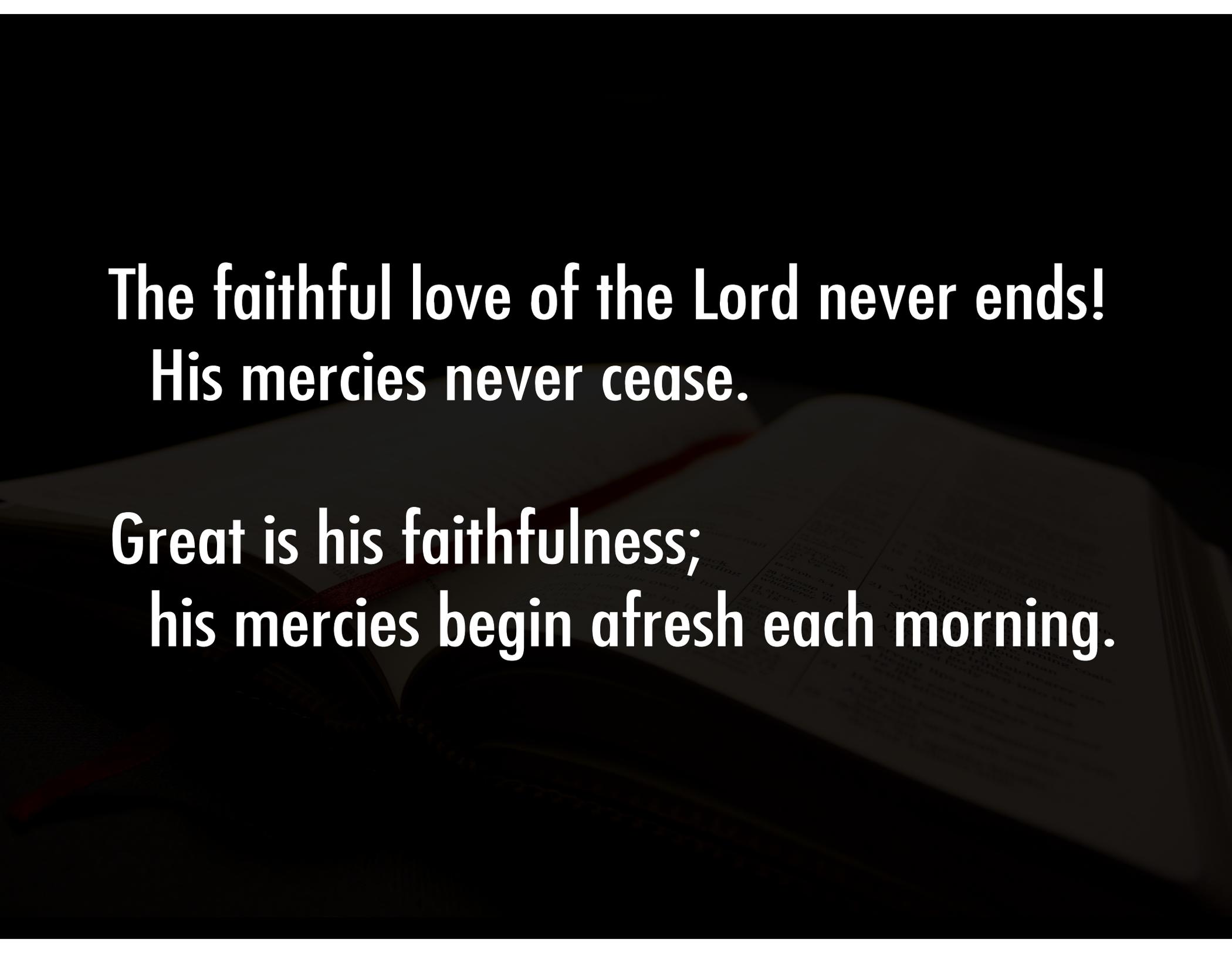
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**What We Live**

**The thought of my suffering and  
homelessness  
is bitter beyond words.**

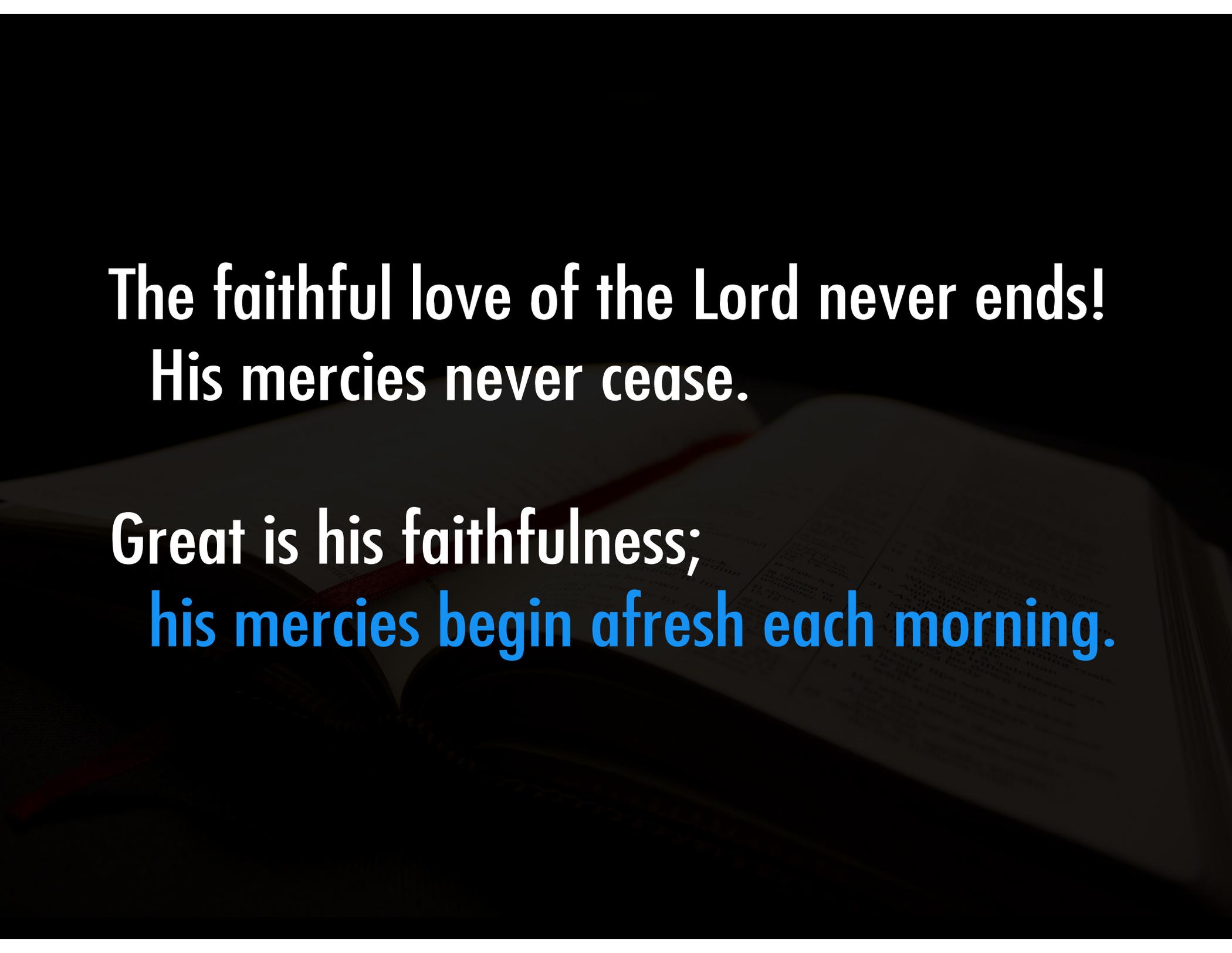
**I will never forget this awful time,  
as I grieve over my loss.**

**Yet I still dare to hope  
when I remember this:**



**The faithful love of the Lord never ends!  
His mercies never cease.**

**Great is his faithfulness;  
his mercies begin afresh each morning.**

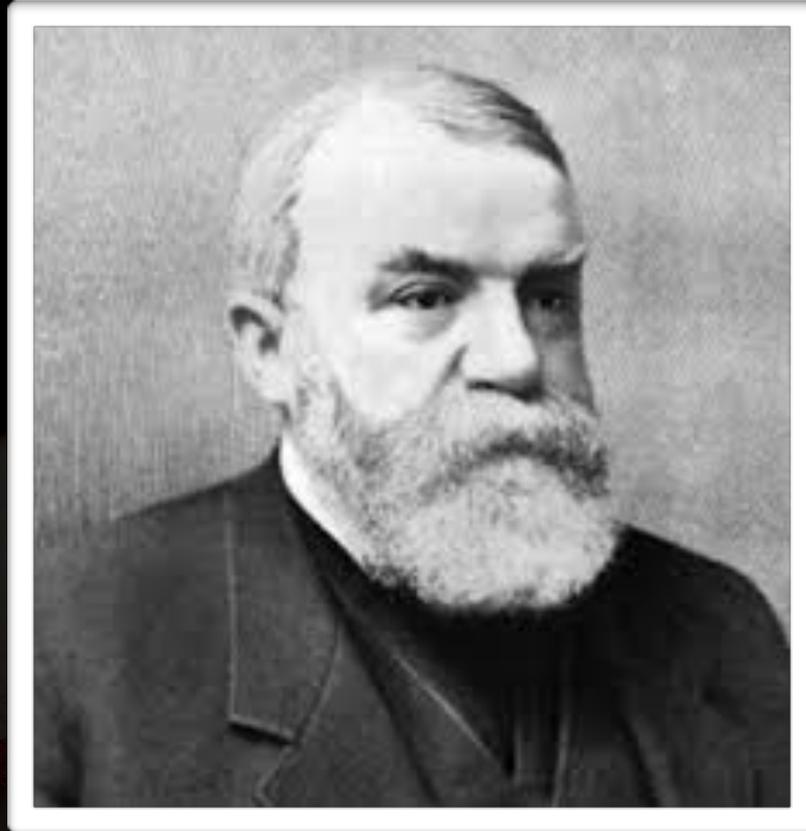
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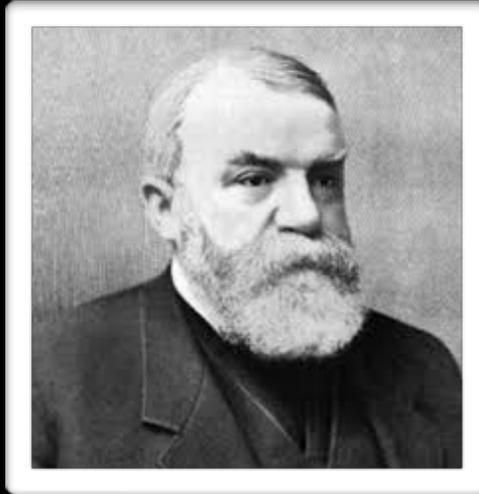
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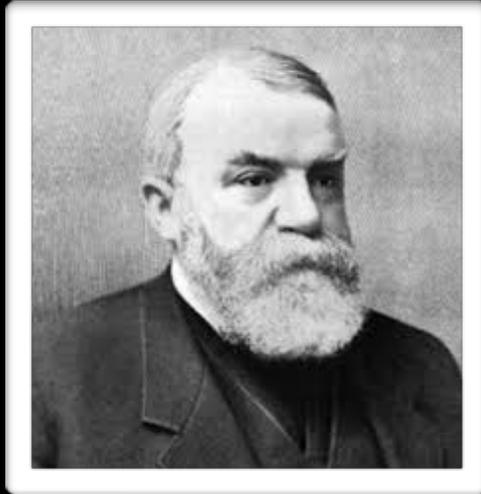
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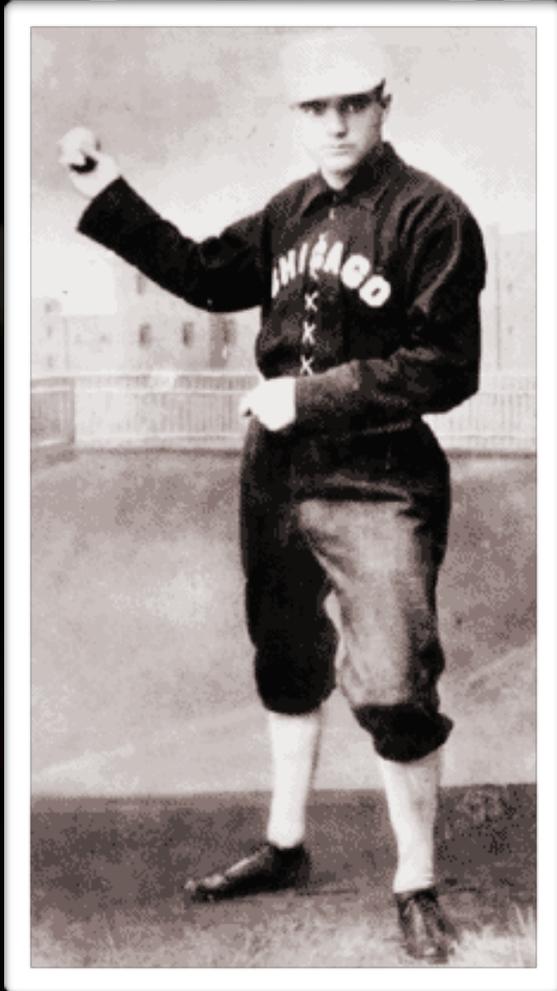
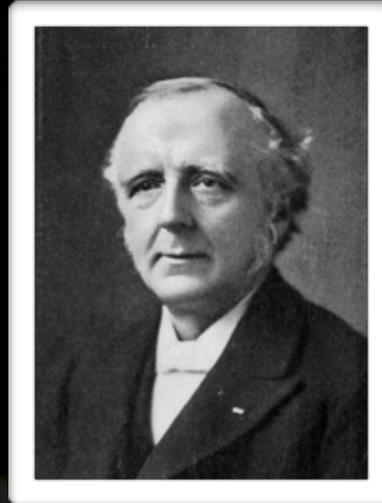
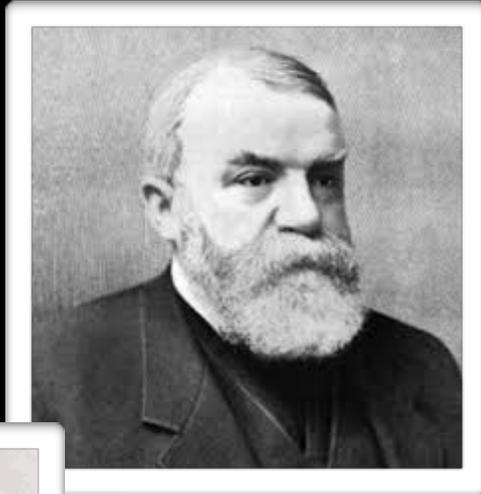
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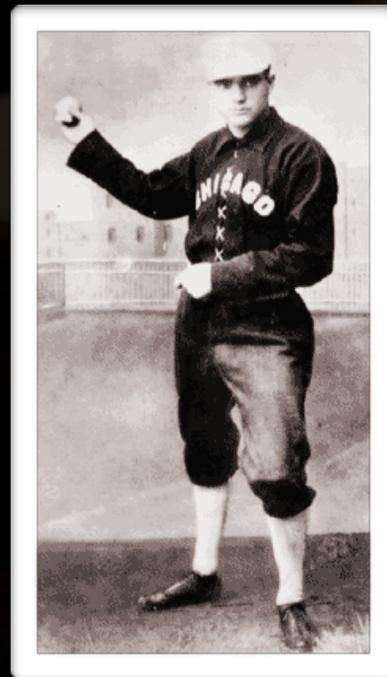
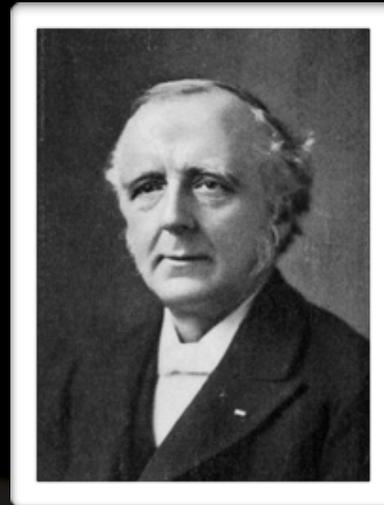
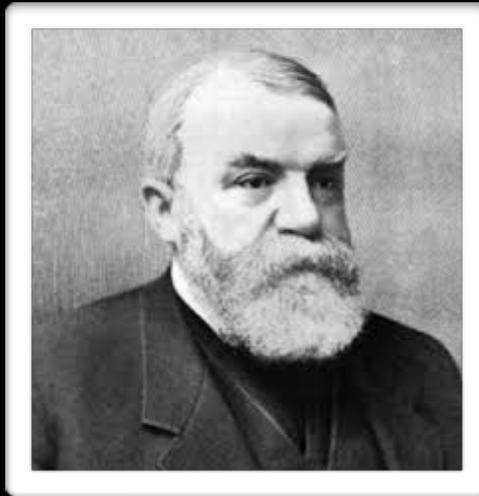
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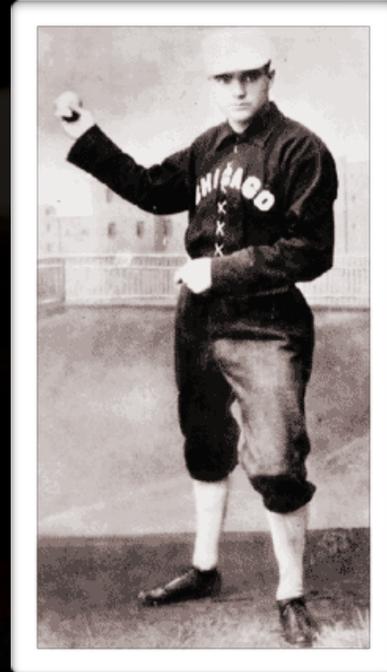
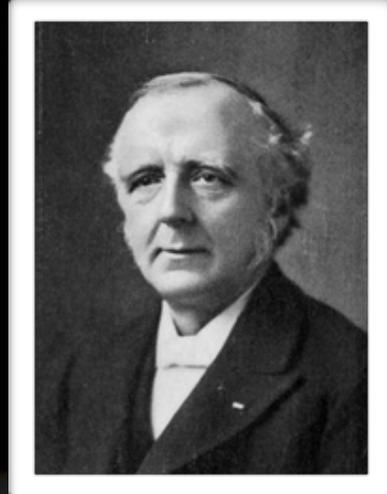
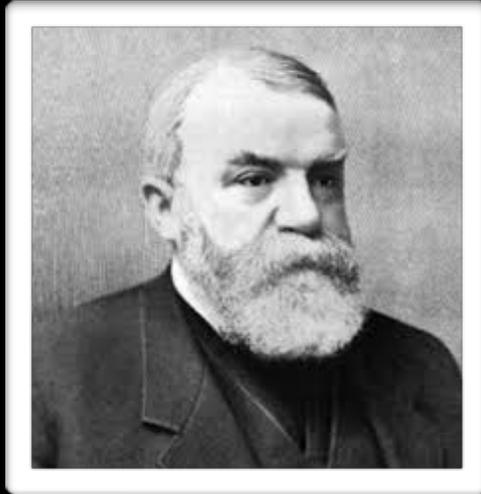
# Billy Sunday



# Mordecai Ham



**Billy Graham**



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