

# EXODUS

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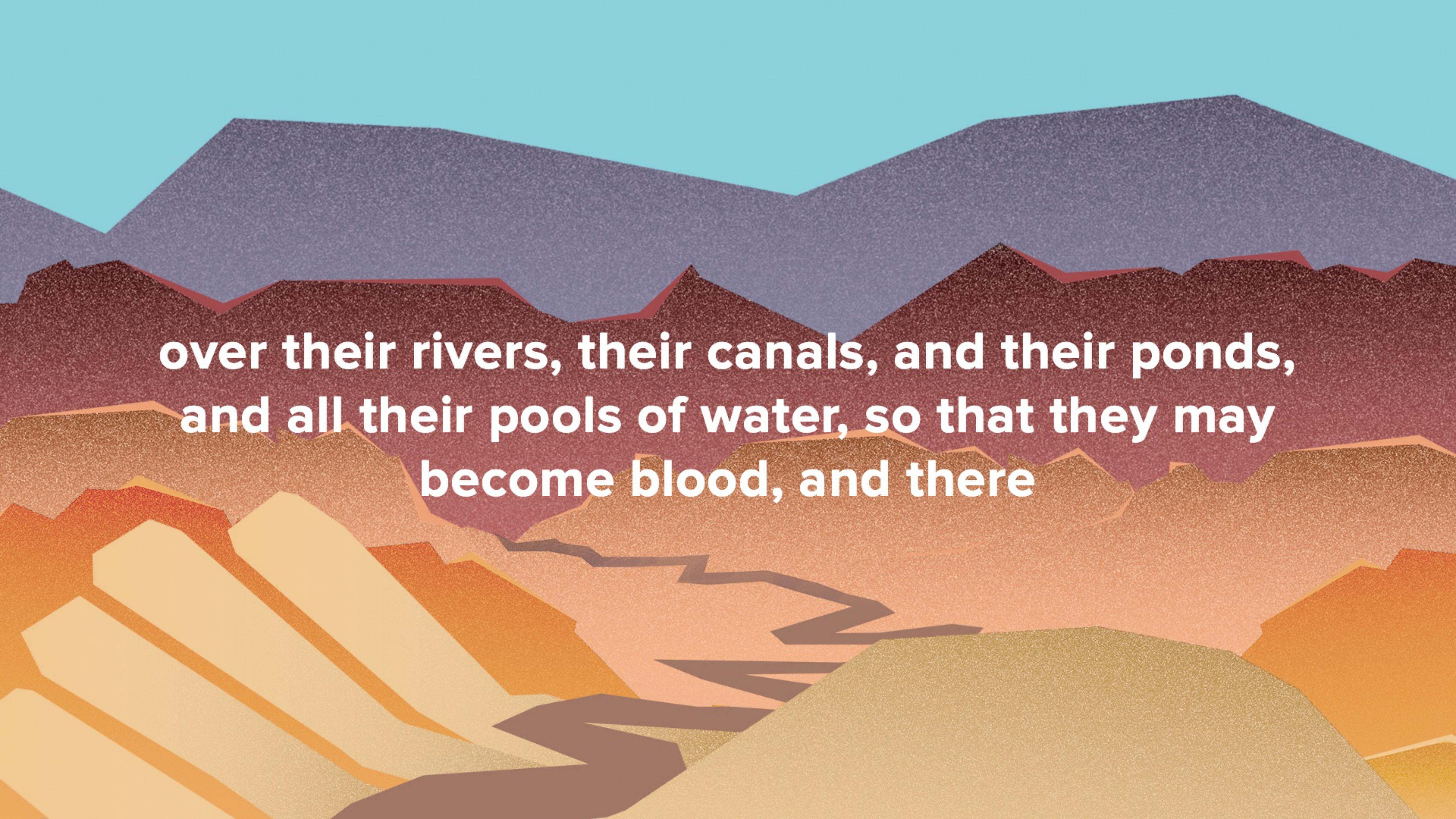
The Story of God Freeing His People



**1) God is greater than the “god” of stability.**



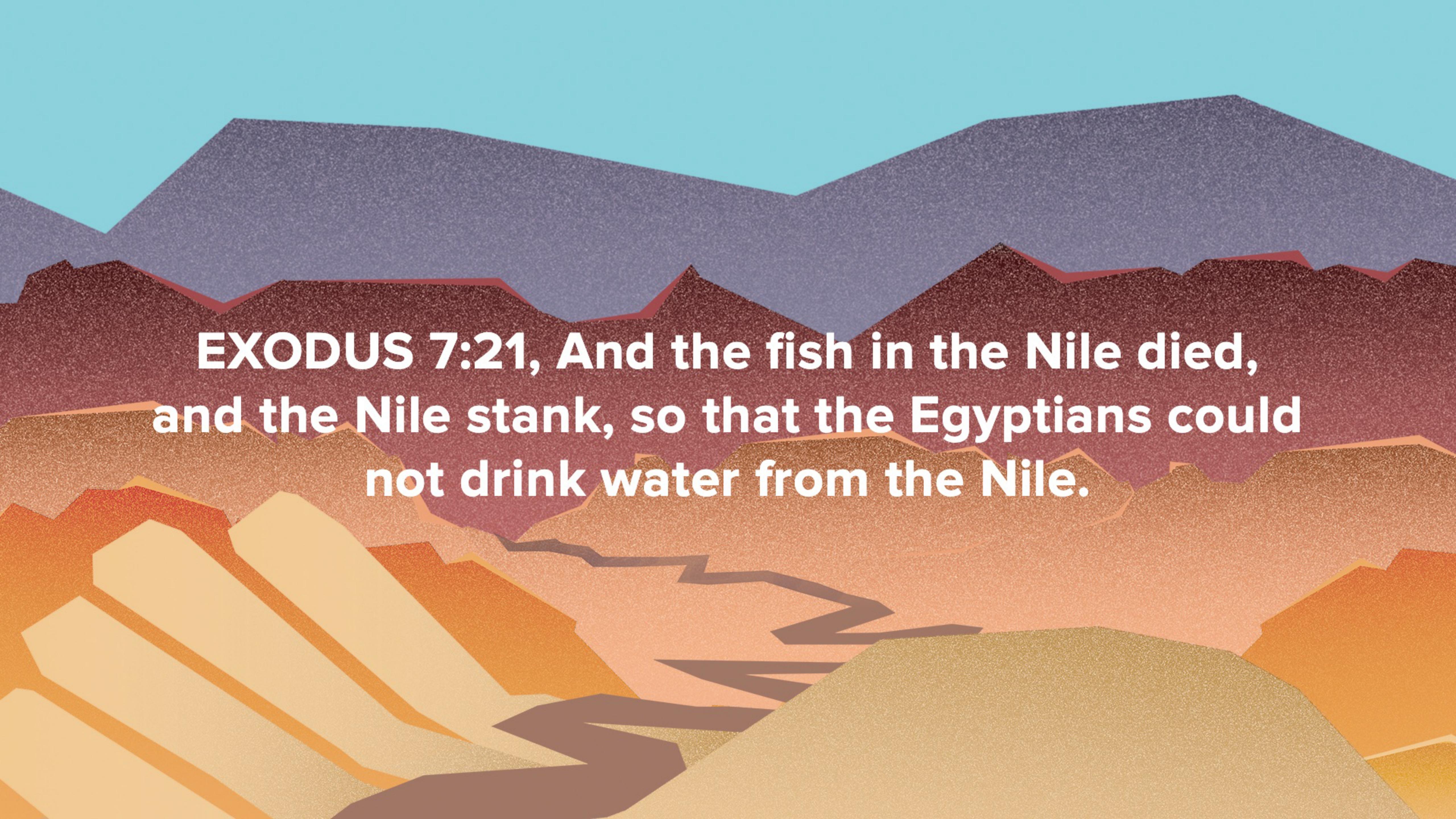
**EXODUS 7:19, And the Lord said to Moses,  
“Say to Aaron, ‘Take your staff and stretch out  
your hand over the waters of Egypt,**



over their rivers, their canals, and their ponds,  
and all their pools of water, so that they may  
become blood, and there



**shall be blood throughout all the land of Egypt,  
even in vessels of wood and in vessels of stone.”**



**EXODUS 7:21, And the fish in the Nile died,  
and the Nile stank, so that the Egyptians could  
not drink water from the Nile.**

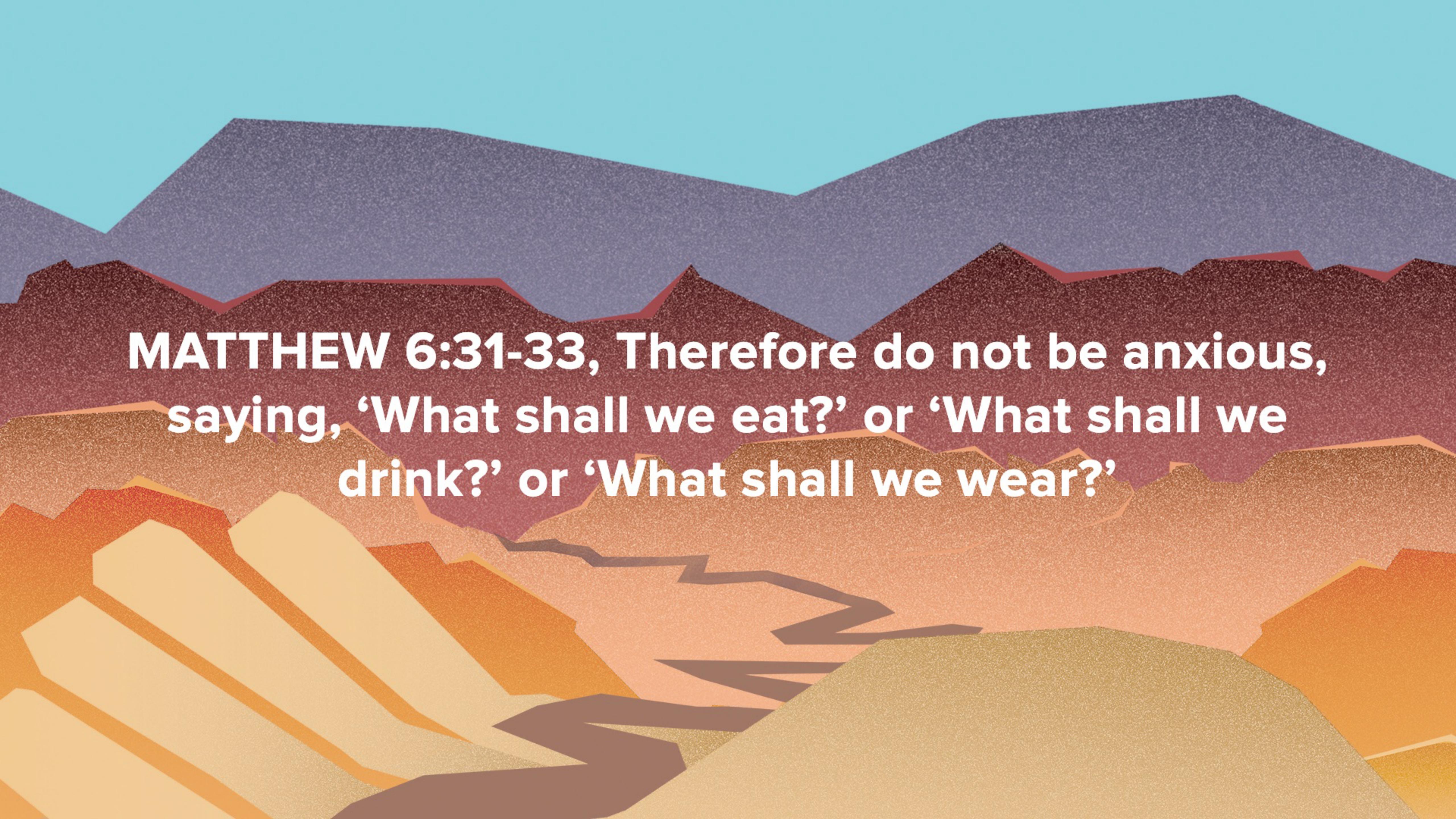


**There was blood throughout all the land of Egypt.**



**“What is water today may become blood tomorrow.”**

**- Matthew Henry**



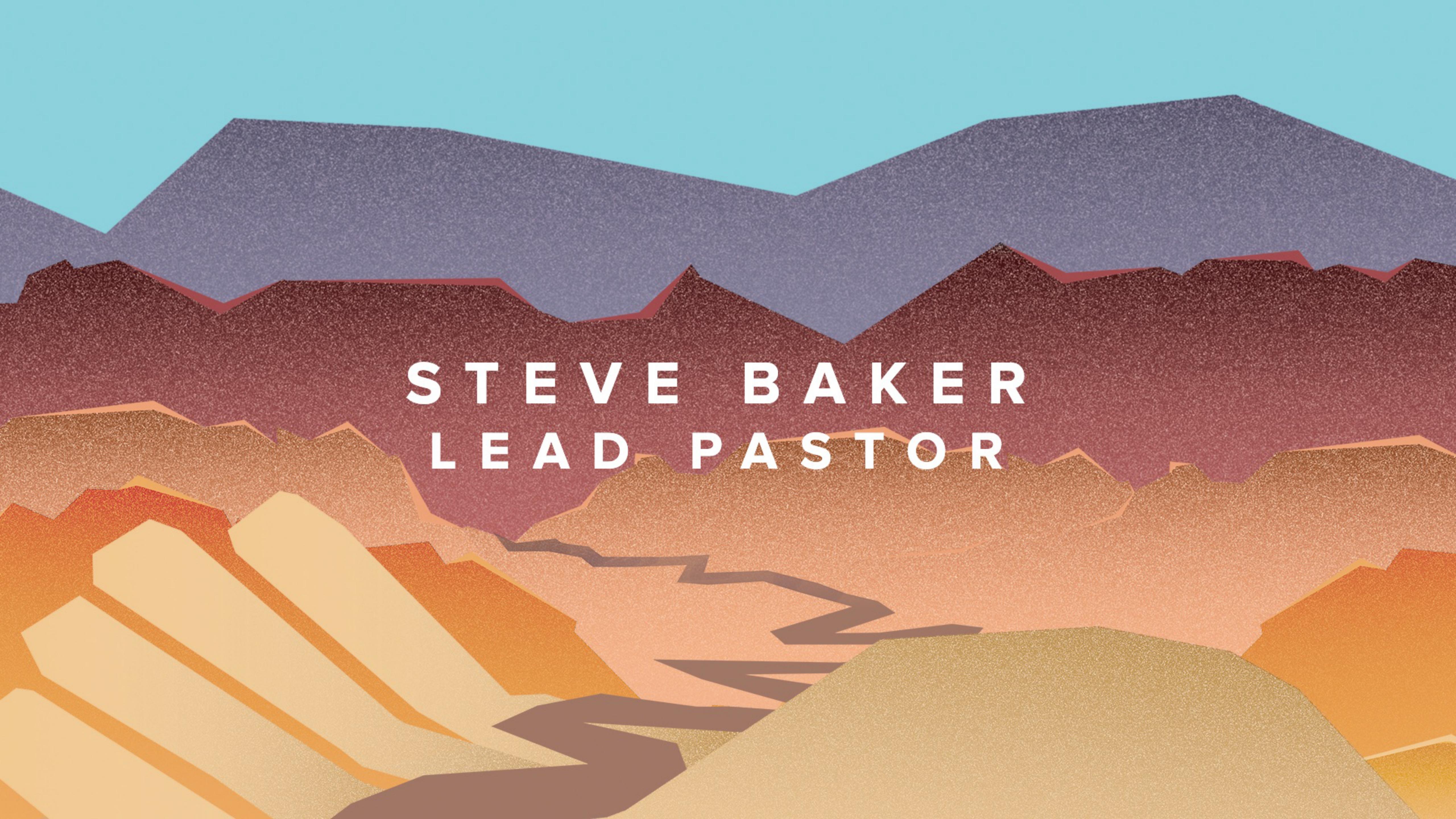
**MATTHEW 6:31-33, Therefore do not be anxious,  
saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we  
drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’**



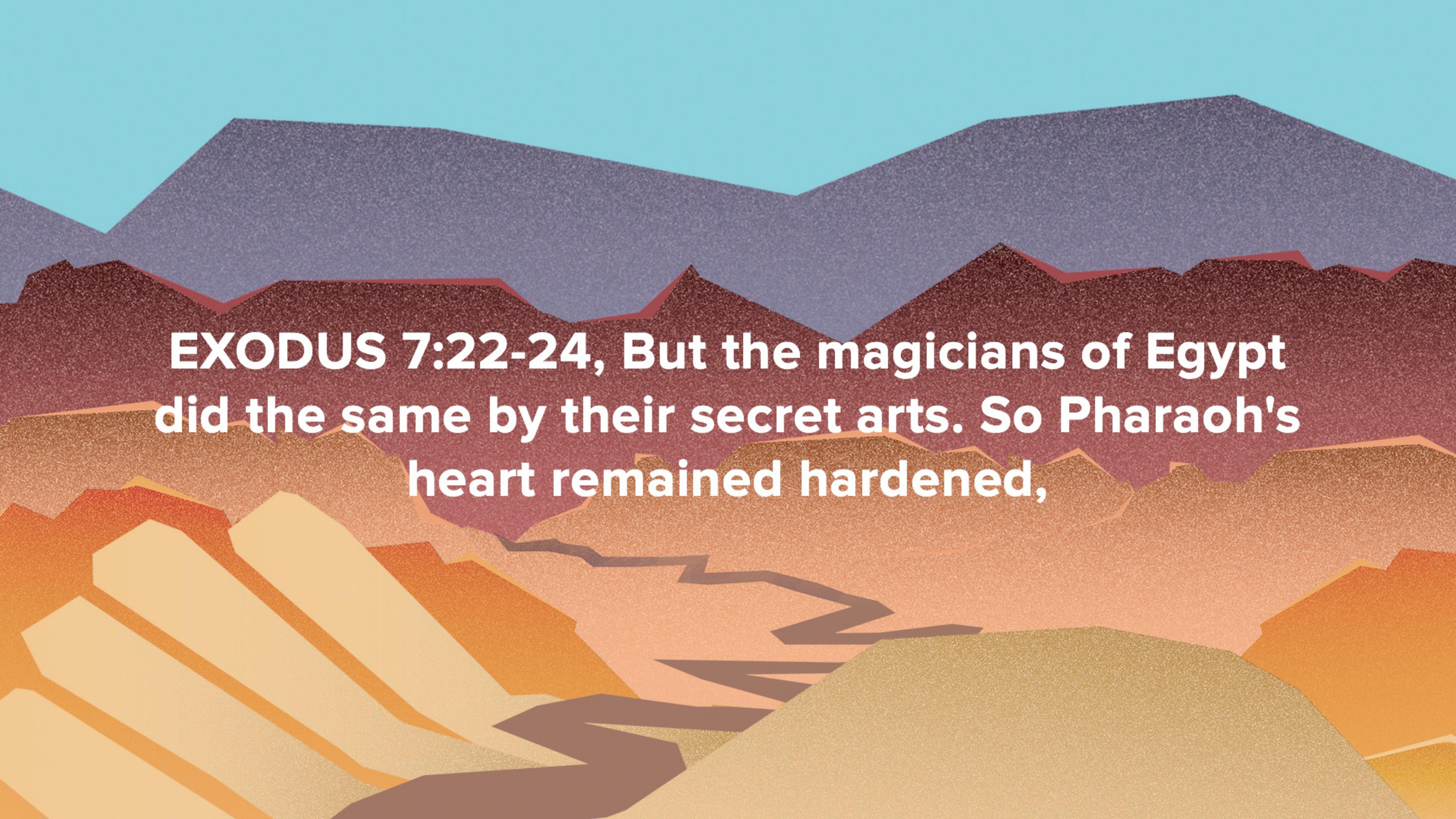
**32 For the Gentiles seek after all these things,  
and your heavenly Father knows that you  
need them all.**



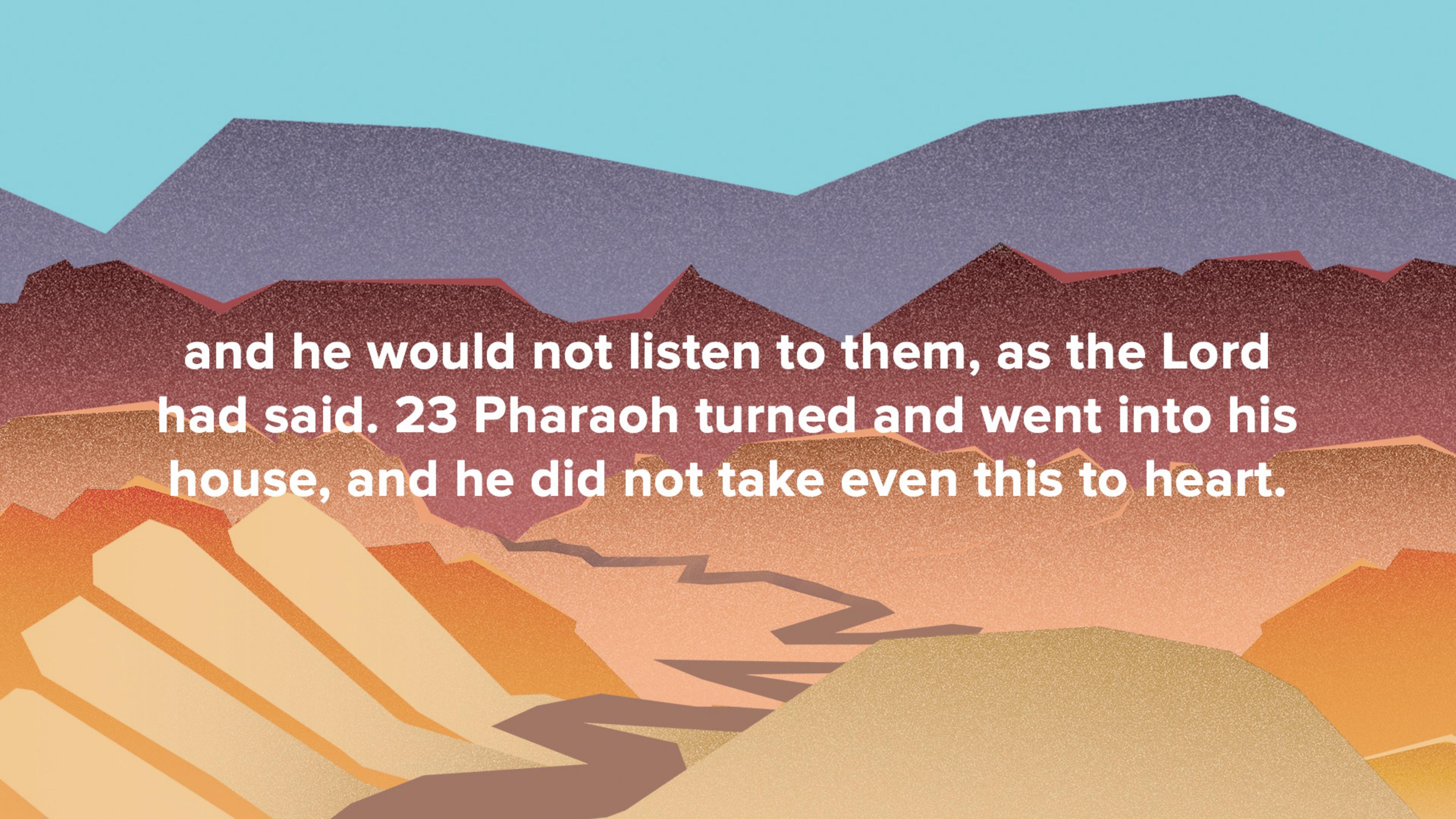
**33 But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.**



STEVE BAKER  
LEAD PASTOR



**EXODUS 7:22-24, But the magicians of Egypt  
did the same by their secret arts. So Pharaoh's  
heart remained hardened,**



**and he would not listen to them, as the Lord had said. 23 Pharaoh turned and went into his house, and he did not take even this to heart.**



**24 And all the Egyptians dug along the Nile for water to drink, for they could not drink the water of the Nile.**



**2) God is greater than the “god” of family.**



**Exodus 8:5, And the Lord said to Moses,  
“Say to Aaron, ‘Stretch out your hand with  
your staff over the rivers,**

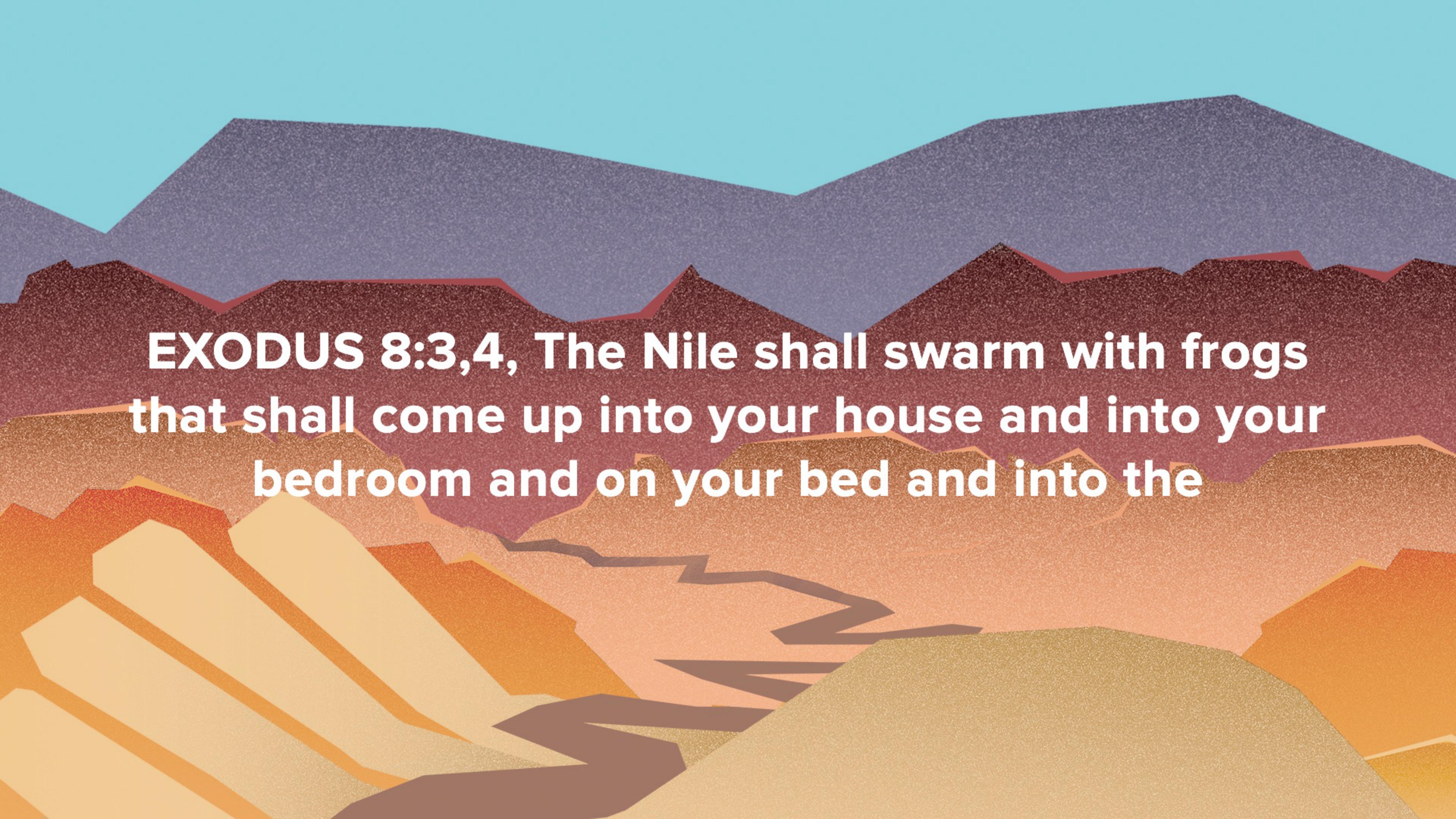


**over the canals and over the pools, and make  
frogs come up on the land of Egypt!"**



(Photo 02 – Cute Frog)

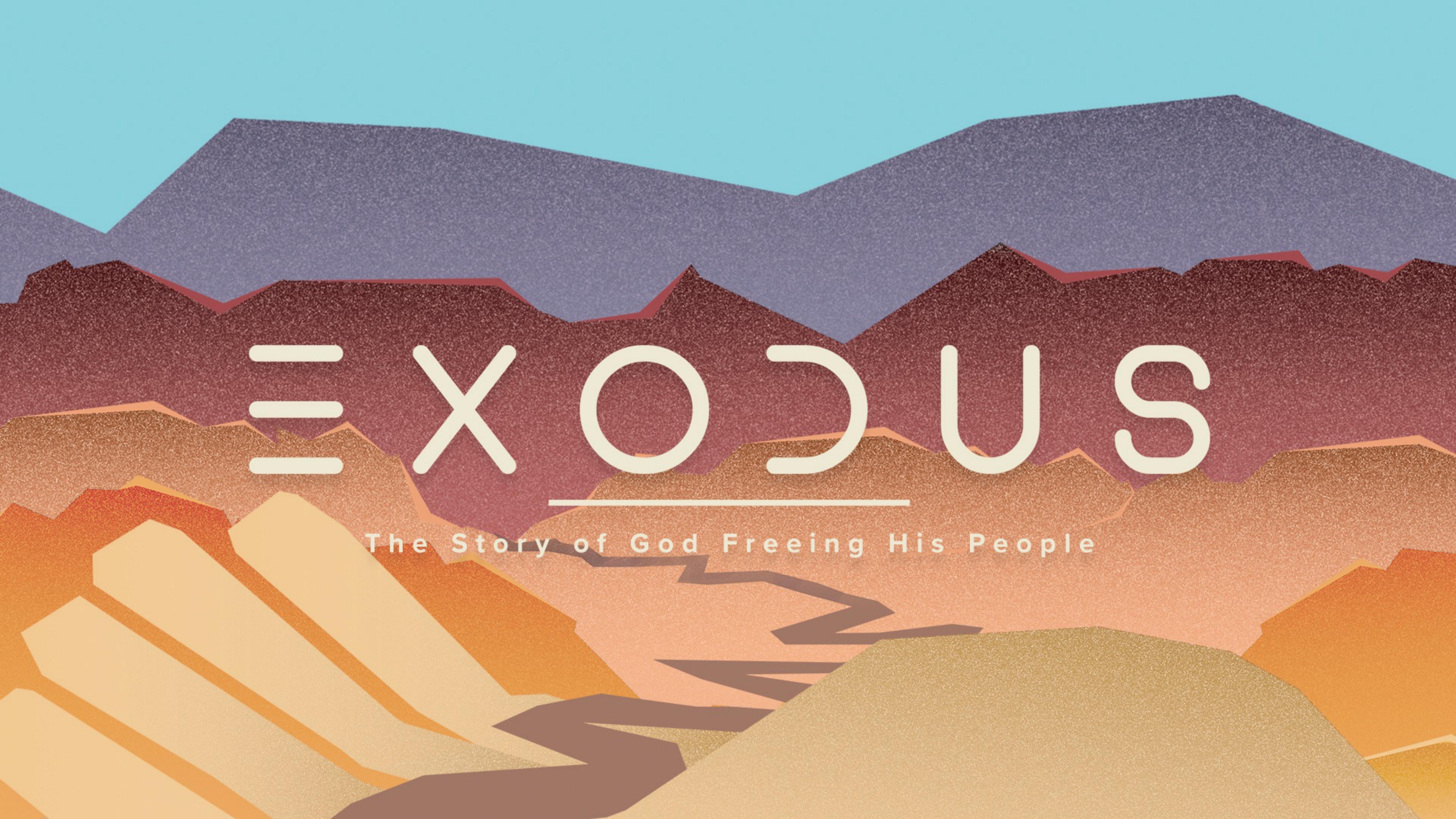




**EXODUS 8:3,4, The Nile shall swarm with frogs  
that shall come up into your house and into your  
bedroom and on your bed and into the**



**houses of your servants and your people,  
and into your ovens and your kneading bowls.**



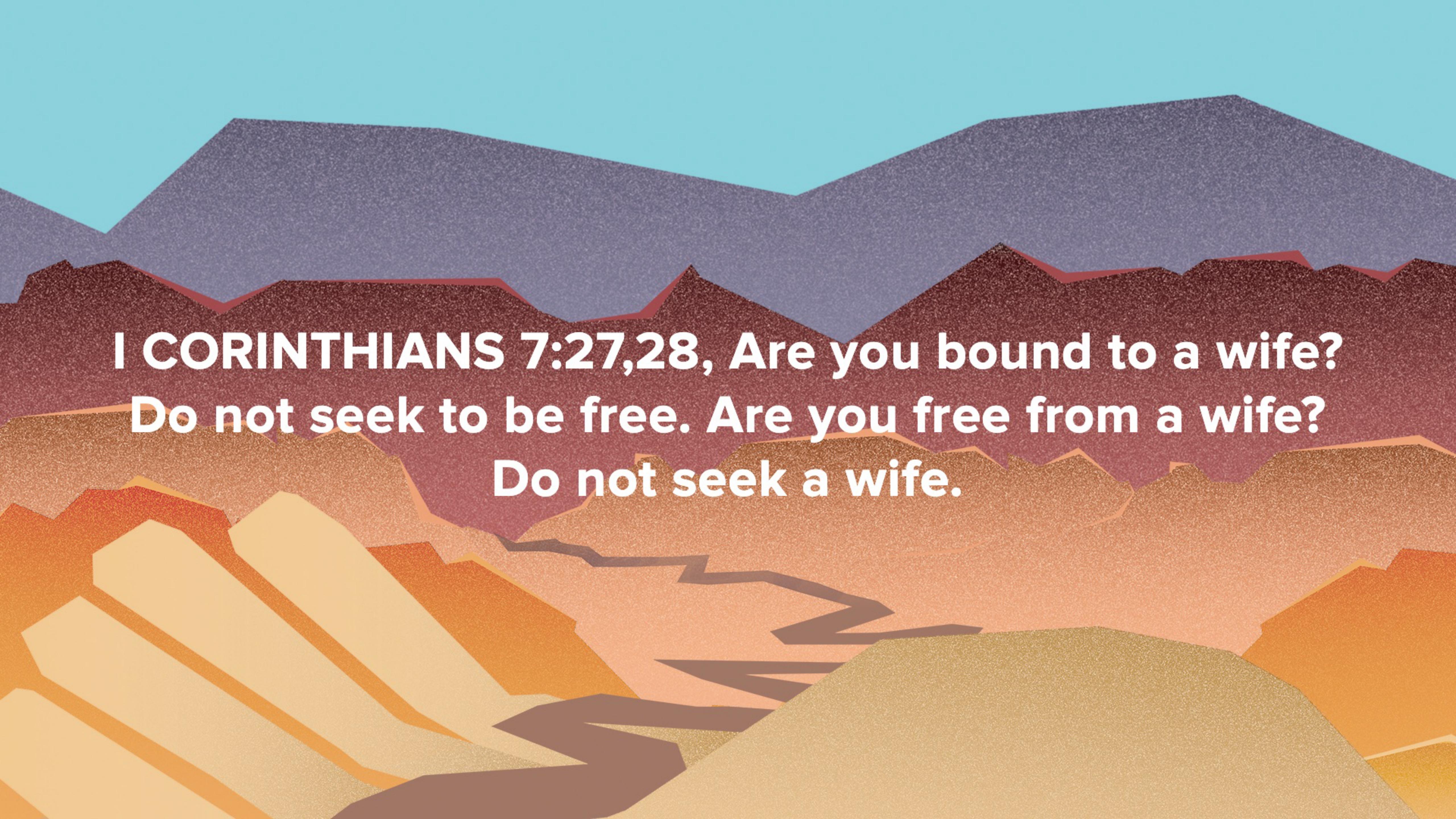
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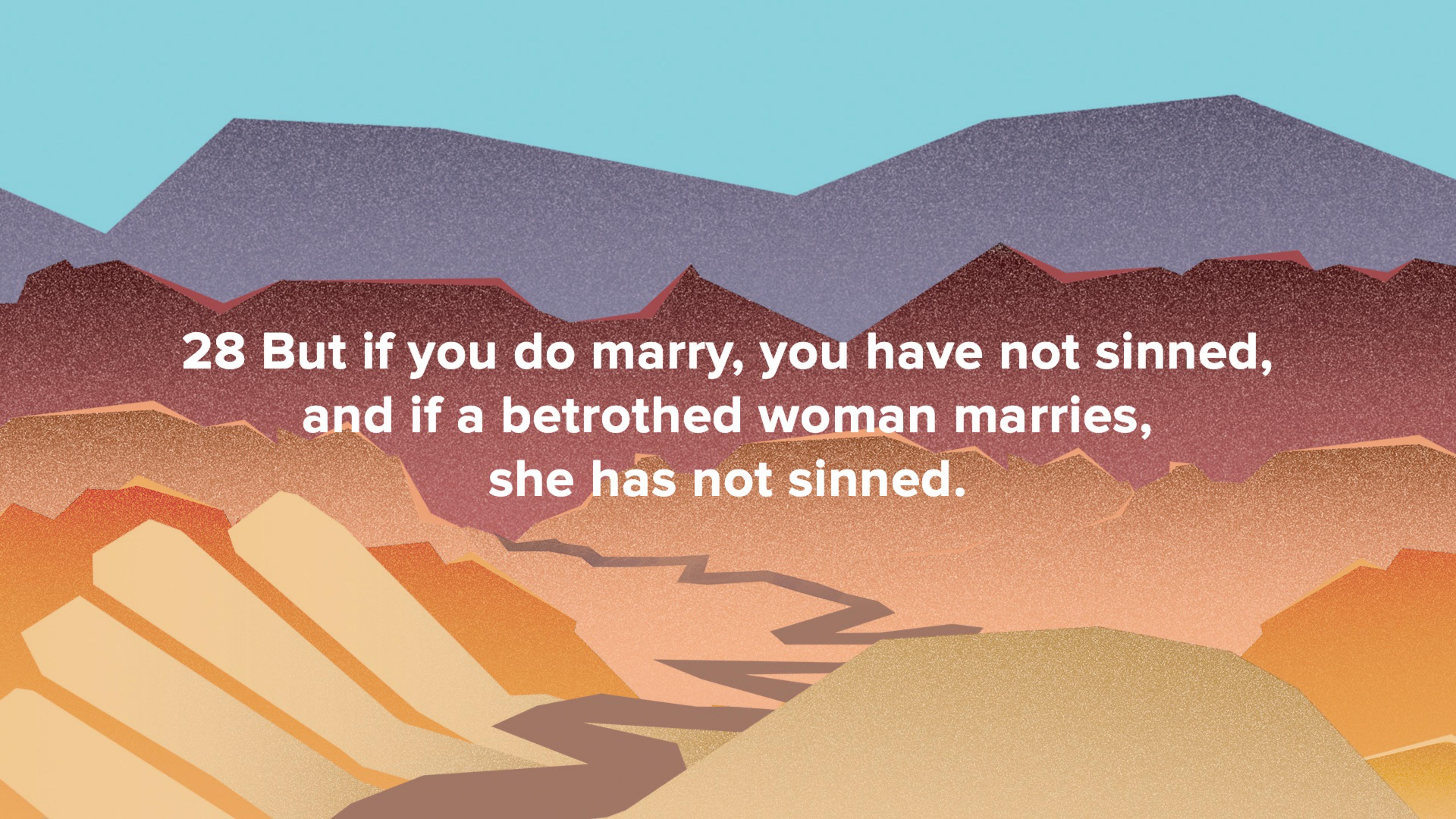
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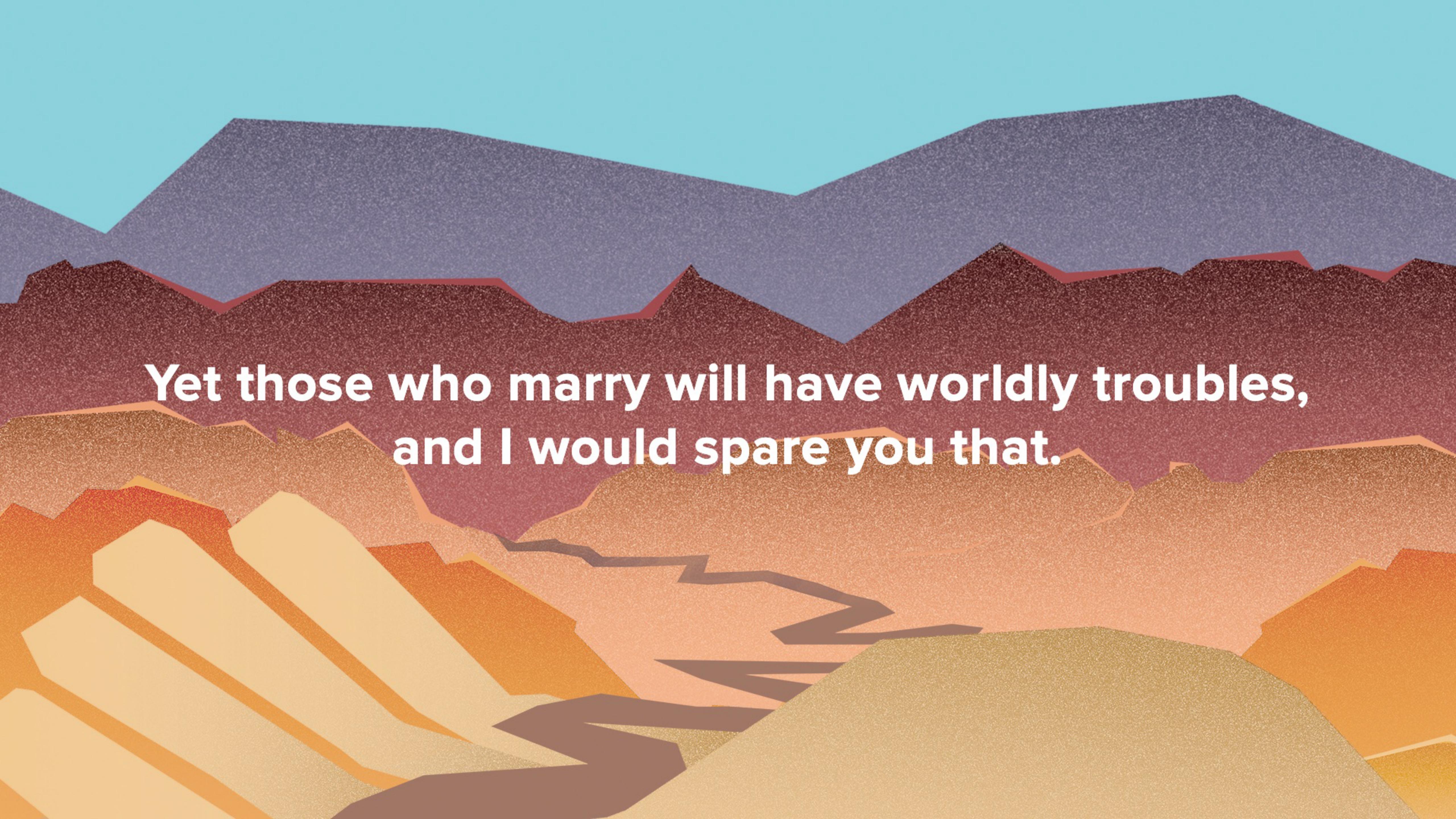
**4 The frogs shall come up on you and on your  
people and on all your servants.””**



**I CORINTHIANS 7:27,28, Are you bound to a wife?  
Do not seek to be free. Are you free from a wife?  
Do not seek a wife.**



**28 But if you do marry, you have not sinned,  
and if a betrothed woman marries,  
she has not sinned.**



**Yet those who marry will have worldly troubles,  
and I would spare you that.**



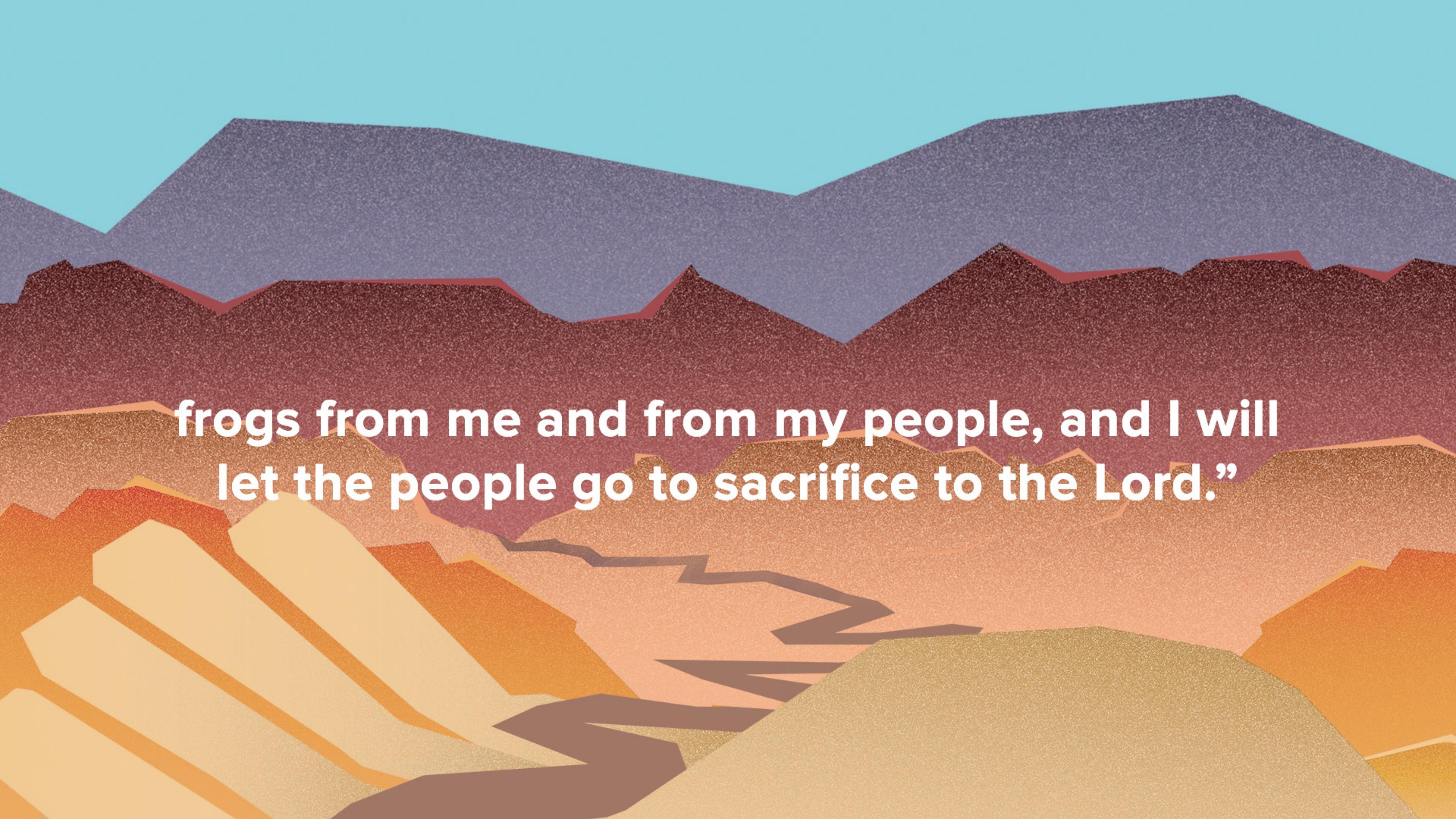
**PSALM 16:11, You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.**



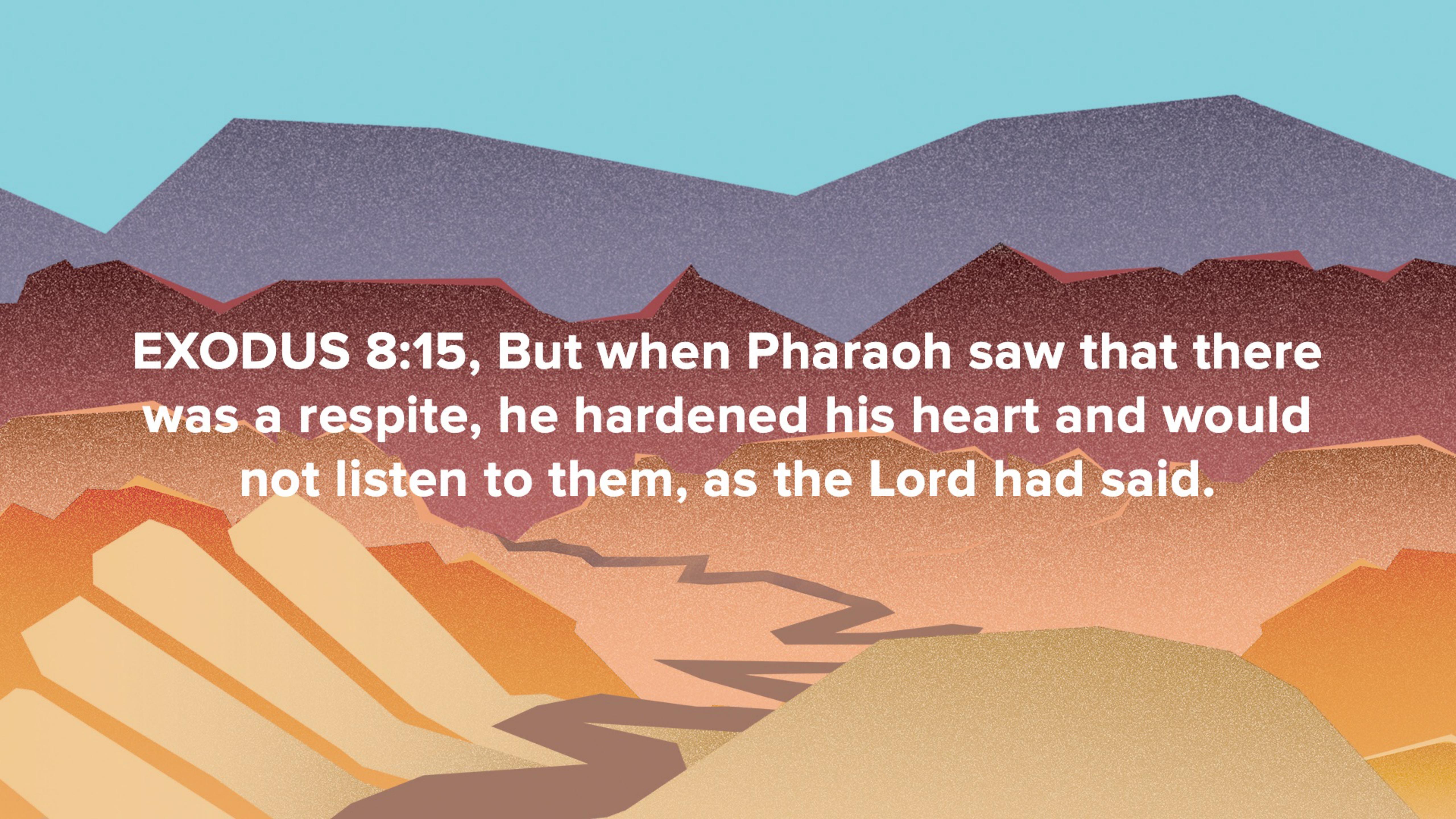
**I CHRONICLES 16:11, Seek the Lord and his  
strength; seek his presence continually!**



**EXODUS 8:8, Then Pharaoh called Moses and Aaron and said, “Plead with the Lord to take away the**



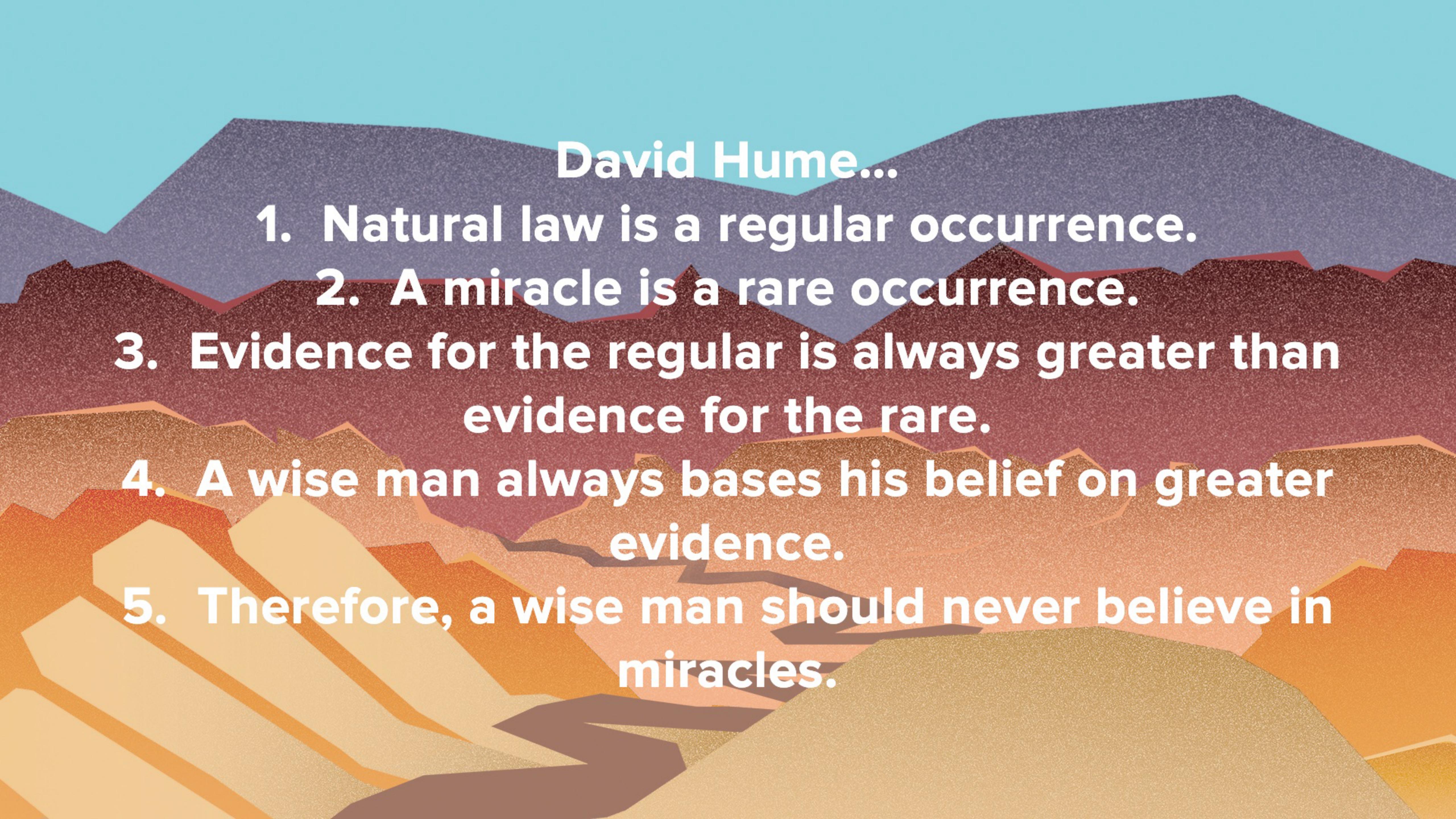
frogs from me and from my people, and I will let the people go to sacrifice to the Lord.”



**EXODUS 8:15, But when Pharaoh saw that there  
was a respite, he hardened his heart and would  
not listen to them, as the Lord had said.**



**3) God is greater than the “god” of health.**

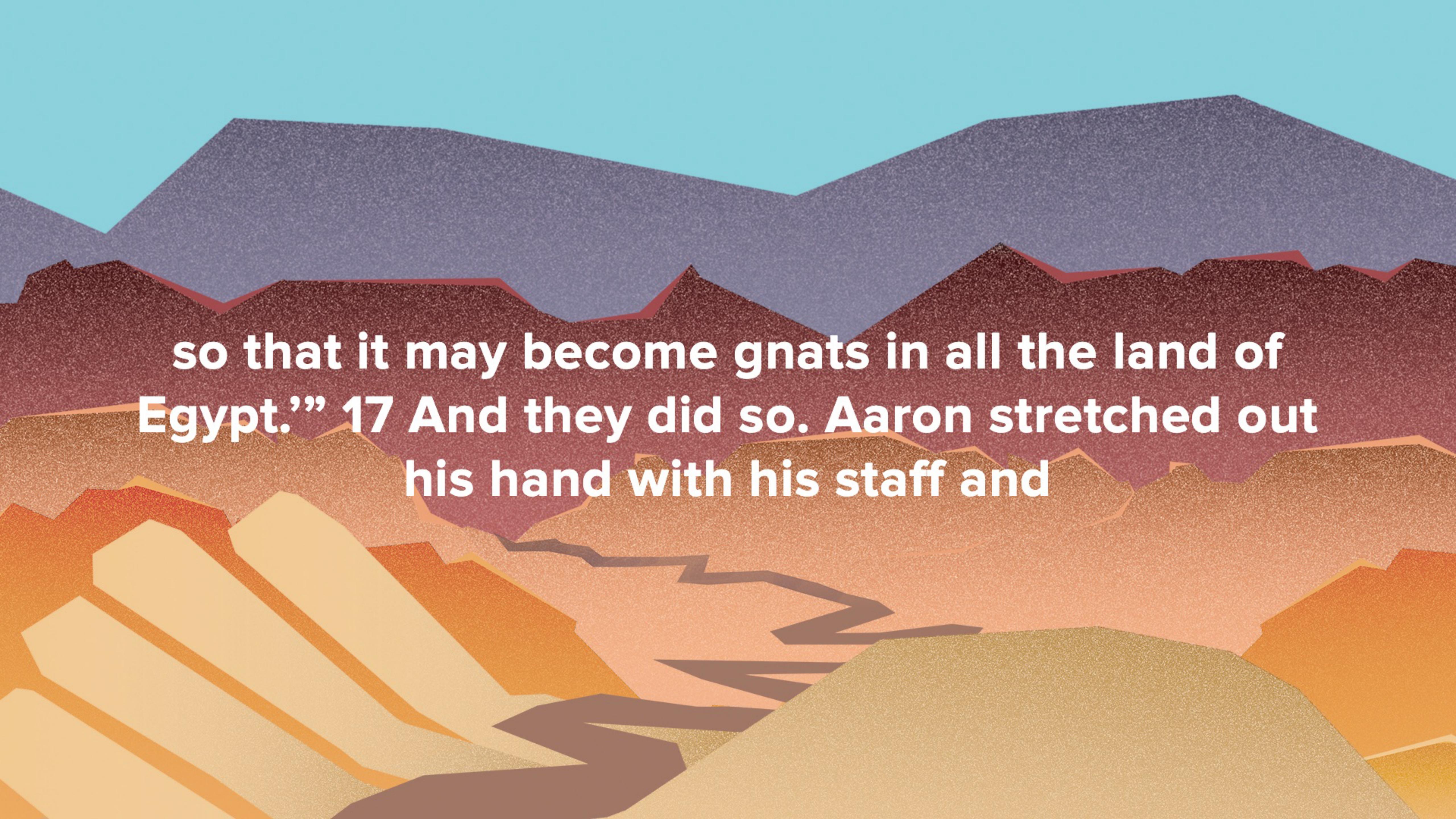


**David Hume...**

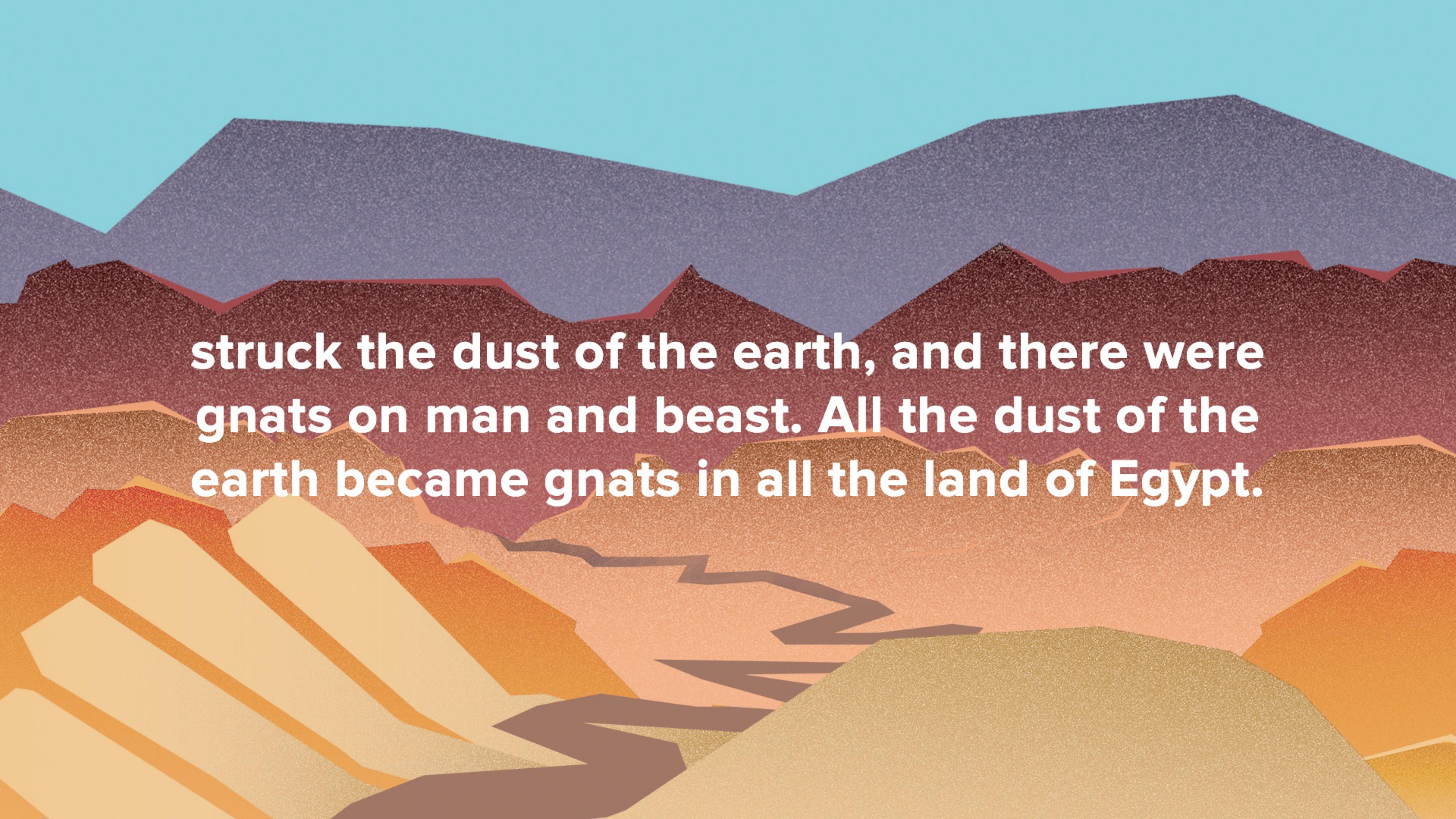
- 1. Natural law is a regular occurrence.**
- 2. A miracle is a rare occurrence.**
- 3. Evidence for the regular is always greater than evidence for the rare.**
- 4. A wise man always bases his belief on greater evidence.**
- 5. Therefore, a wise man should never believe in miracles.**



**EXODUS 8:16,17, Then the Lord said to Moses,  
“Say to Aaron, ‘Stretch out your staff and strike  
the dust of the earth,**



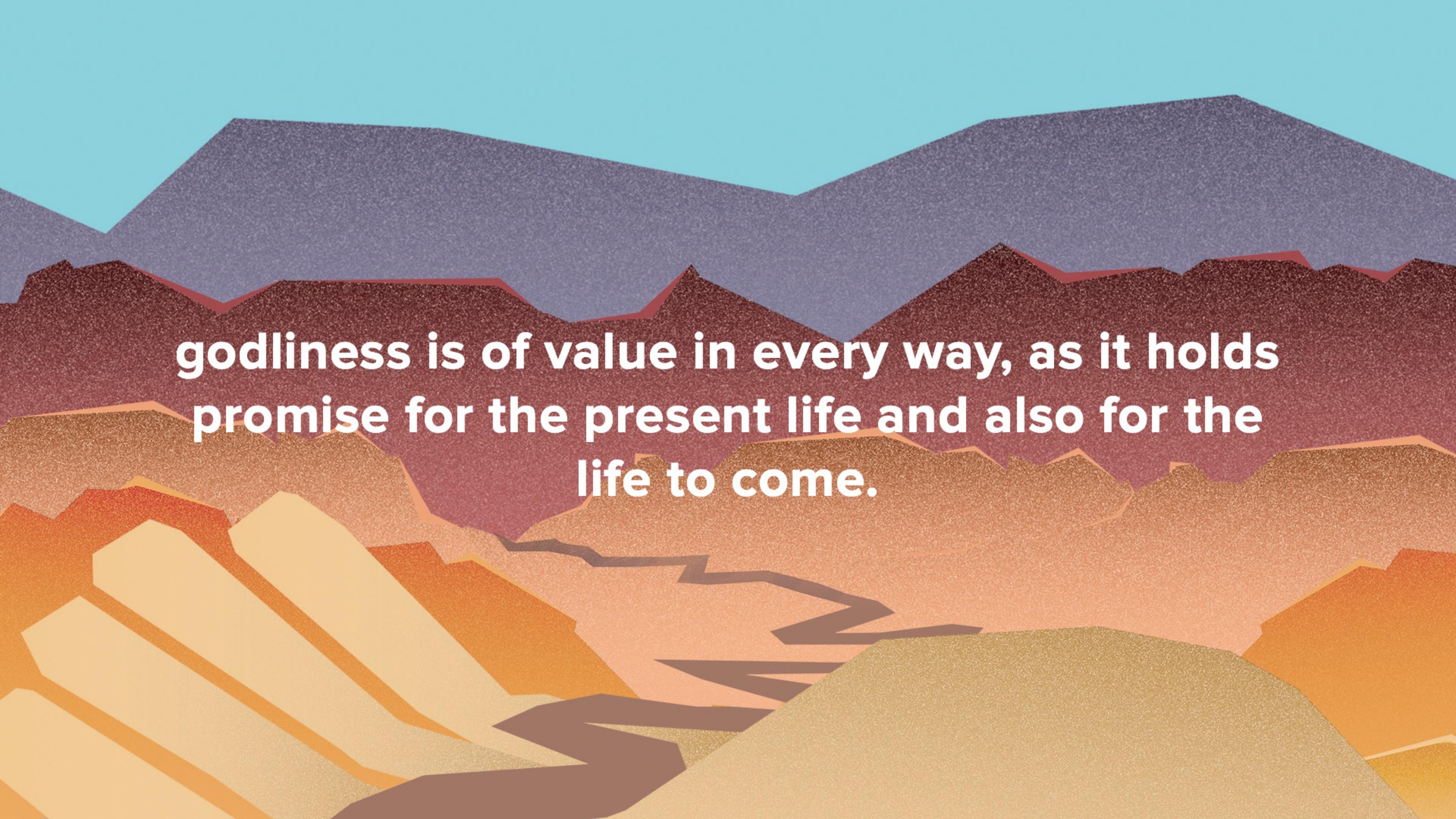
so that it may become gnats in all the land of Egypt.” 17 And they did so. Aaron stretched out his hand with his staff and



struck the dust of the earth, and there were gnats on man and beast. All the dust of the earth became gnats in all the land of Egypt.



**I TIMOTHY 4:7,8, ...Train yourself for godliness;  
8 for while bodily training is of some value,**



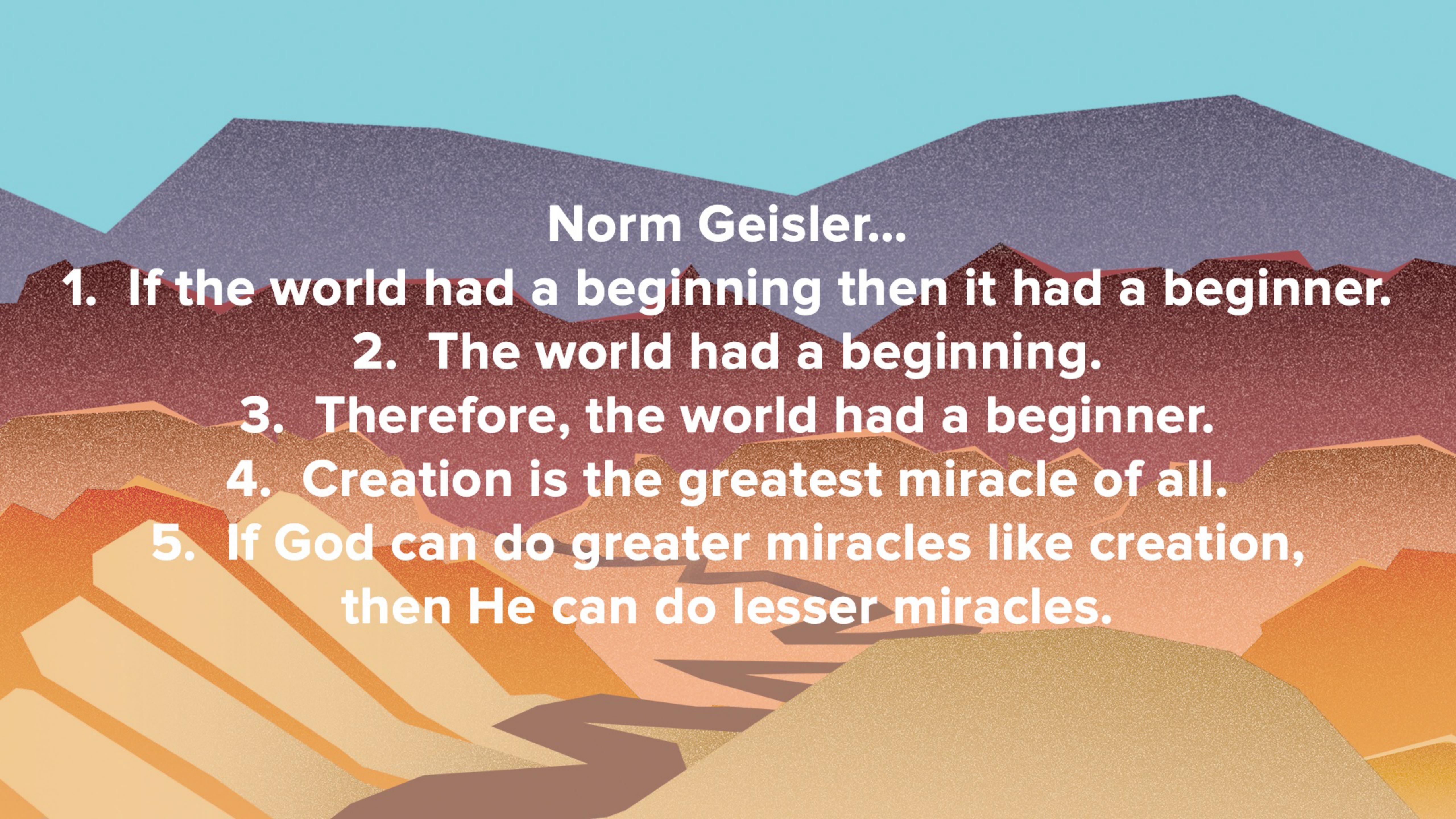
**godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come.**



**EXODUS 8:19, Then the magicians said to Pharaoh, “This is the finger of God.”**

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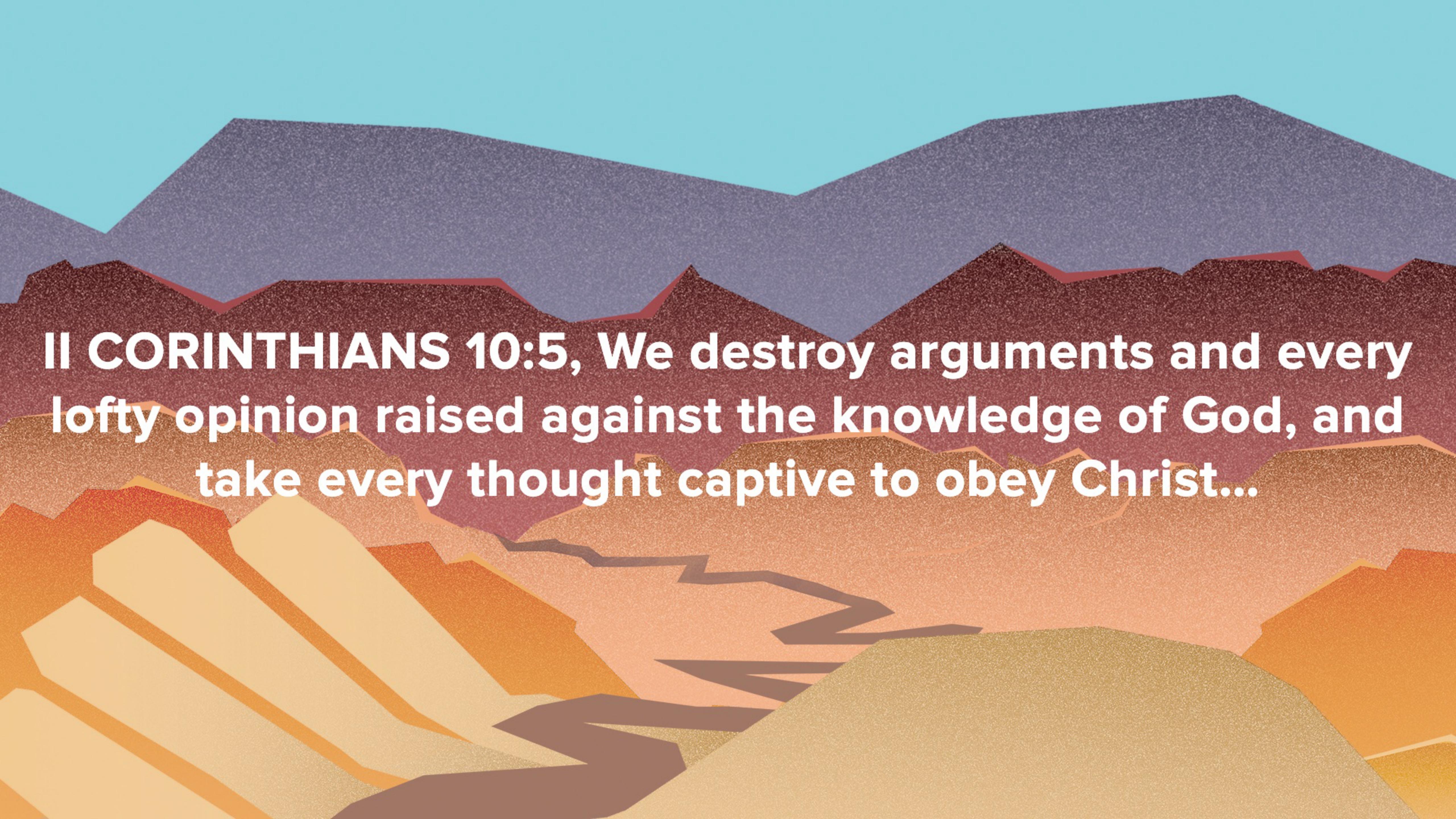
**Norm Geisler...**

- 1. If the world had a beginning then it had a beginner.**
- 2. The world had a beginning.**
- 3. Therefore, the world had a beginner.**
- 4. Creation is the greatest miracle of all.**
- 5. If God can do greater miracles like creation,  
then He can do lesser miracles.**

The background features a stylized landscape of ancient Egyptian architecture. In the foreground, a large, light-colored pyramid with a smooth, slightly curved top is visible. Behind it, several smaller, darker pyramids of various sizes are arranged in a layered, receding pattern. A prominent feature in the center-right is a large, dark, seated statue, possibly a pharaoh or deity, with its arms crossed over its chest. The sky above is a solid, bright cyan color.

**(Photo 01 – Egyptian Statue)**





**II CORINTHIANS 10:5, We destroy arguments and every  
lofty opinion raised against the knowledge of God, and  
take every thought captive to obey Christ...**



**Big idea: My God is greater than my “gods”.**