

The background of the image shows the spines of several old, worn books. The spines are made of different materials, including dark blue cloth and brown leather. Some of the spines have Hebrew text embossed or printed on them. The overall tone is dark and aged.

CALLED - LOVED - KEPT

(Jude 1-2, 24-25)



GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE




FAITH UNDER ATTACK!





Comforting Words

‘those who have been called,
who are loved (beloved)
in God the Father,
and kept for Jesus Christ.’
(Jude 1)





Comforting Words

‘To him who is able to keep
you from stumbling and to
present you before his
glorious presence without
fault and with great joy.’

(Jude 24)





CALLED

1 JUDE, A SERVANT OF JESUS CHRIST AND A
BROTHER OF JAMES, **TO THOSE WHO HAVE
BEEN CALLED**, WHO ARE LOVED IN GOD THE
FATHER AND KEPT FOR JESUS CHRIST:

A wooden cross stands on a rocky, dark mountain peak. In the background, a range of jagged mountains with snow-capped peaks stretches across the horizon under a clear, light blue sky. The foreground shows the rough, layered texture of the rock.

CALL TO SALVATION



9 BUT YOU ARE A CHOSEN PEOPLE, A ROYAL
PRIESTHOOD, A HOLY NATION, GOD'S
SPECIAL POSSESSION, THAT YOU MAY
DECLARE THE PRAISES OF HIM WHO CALLED
YOU OUT OF DARKNESS INTO HIS
WONDERFUL LIGHT. 10 ONCE YOU WERE NOT
A PEOPLE, BUT NOW YOU ARE THE PEOPLE OF
GOD; ONCE YOU HAD NOT RECEIVED MERCY,
BUT NOW YOU HAVE RECEIVED MERCY.

1 P E T E R 2



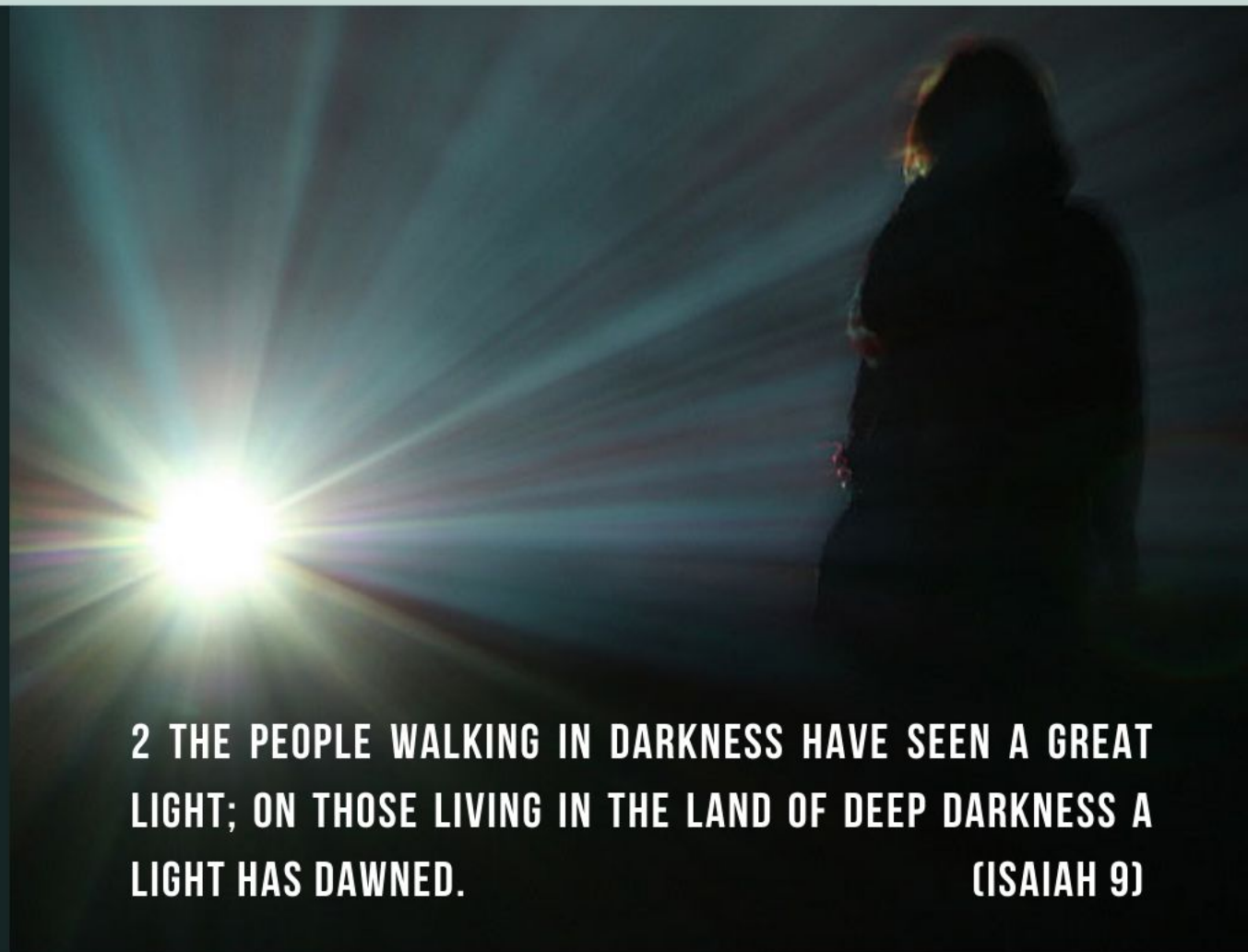
from
DARKNESS

to
LIGHT

5 THE LIGHT SHINES IN THE DARKNESS, AND THE
DARKNESS HAS NOT OVERCOME IT. (JOHN 1)

13 FOR HE HAS RESCUED US FROM THE
DOMINION OF DARKNESS AND BROUGHT US INTO
THE KINGDOM OF THE SON HE LOVES, 14 IN
WHOM WE HAVE REDEMPTION, THE
FORGIVENESS OF SINS. (COLOSSIANS 1)

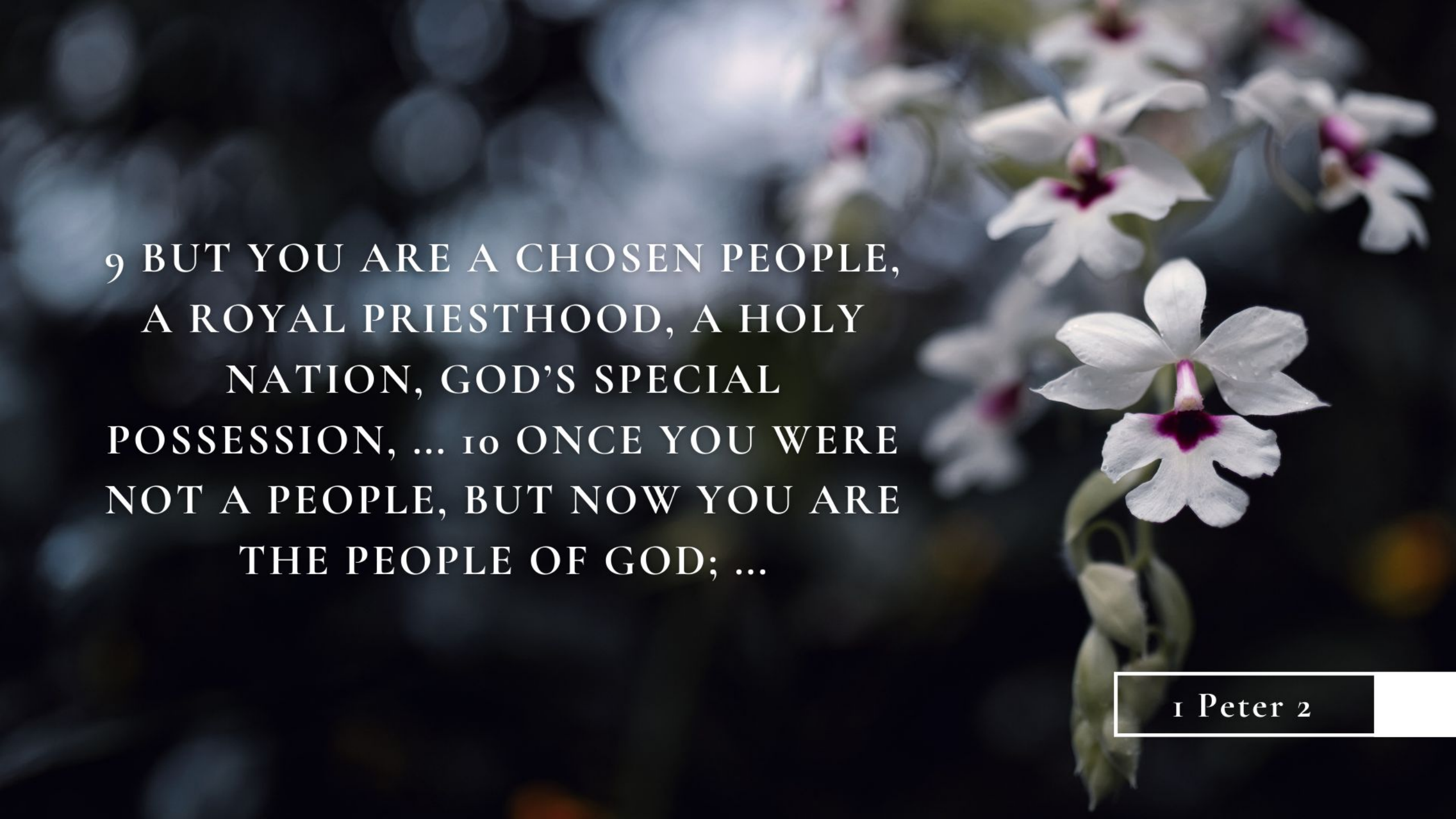
8 FOR YOU WERE ONCE DARKNESS, BUT NOW YOU
ARE LIGHT IN THE LORD. (EPHESIANS 5)



2 THE PEOPLE WALKING IN DARKNESS HAVE SEEN A GREAT
LIGHT; ON THOSE LIVING IN THE LAND OF DEEP DARKNESS A
LIGHT HAS DAWNED. (ISAIAH 9)



**... ONCE YOU HAD NOT RECEIVED MERCY, BUT NOW YOU HAVE RECEIVED MERCY.”
(1 PETER 2:10)**



9 BUT YOU ARE A CHOSEN PEOPLE,
A ROYAL PRIESTHOOD, A HOLY
NATION, GOD'S SPECIAL
POSSESSION, ... 10 ONCE YOU WERE
NOT A PEOPLE, BUT NOW YOU ARE
THE PEOPLE OF GOD; ...

1 Peter 2

ἐκκλησία

THE CHURCH



A top-down view of a large number of open umbrellas. Most are a deep blue color, creating a textured, geometric pattern. In the lower right foreground, one umbrella is a contrasting dark red color, making it the focal point of the image. The umbrellas are packed closely together, with their ribs and centers visible.

*Out of all peoples you'll be my
special treasure*

EXODUS 19:5 MSG

declare the praises of

HIM

**WHO CALLED YOU OUT
OF DARKNESS INTO
HIS WONDERFUL LIGHT**

1 PETER 2:9



A row of incandescent light bulbs is shown against a dark background. The bulb in the center is turned on, emitting a bright, warm yellow light that illuminates the bulbs immediately to its left and right. The other bulbs in the row are unlit and appear as dark, reflective shapes. The bulbs are arranged in a slightly receding line from the foreground to the background.

LIVE AS CHILDREN OF THE
LIGHT



LOVED

1 JUDE, A SERVANT OF JESUS CHRIST AND A
BROTHER OF JAMES, TO THOSE WHO HAVE
BEEN CALLED, **WHO ARE LOVED IN GOD** THE
FATHER AND KEPT FOR JESUS CHRIST:

nobody's
child



See what great love the
Father has lavished on us,
that we should be called
children of God!

1 John 3:1

4 BUT WHEN THE SET TIME HAD FULLY COME, GOD SENT HIS SON, BORN OF A WOMAN, BORN UNDER THE LAW, 5 TO REDEEM THOSE UNDER THE LAW, THAT WE MIGHT RECEIVE ADOPTION TO SONSHIP. 6 BECAUSE YOU ARE HIS SONS, GOD SENT THE SPIRIT OF HIS SON INTO OUR HEARTS, THE SPIRIT WHO CALLS OUT, 'ABBA, FATHER.' 7 SO YOU ARE NO LONGER A SLAVE, BUT GOD'S CHILD; AND SINCE YOU ARE HIS CHILD, GOD HAS MADE YOU ALSO AN HEIR. (GALATIANS 4)

To redeem those under the law

**13 Christ redeemed us from the curse
of the law by becoming a curse for us,
for it is written: 'Cursed is everyone
who is hung on a pole.'
(GALATIANS 3)**

BOUGHT
with a
PRICE



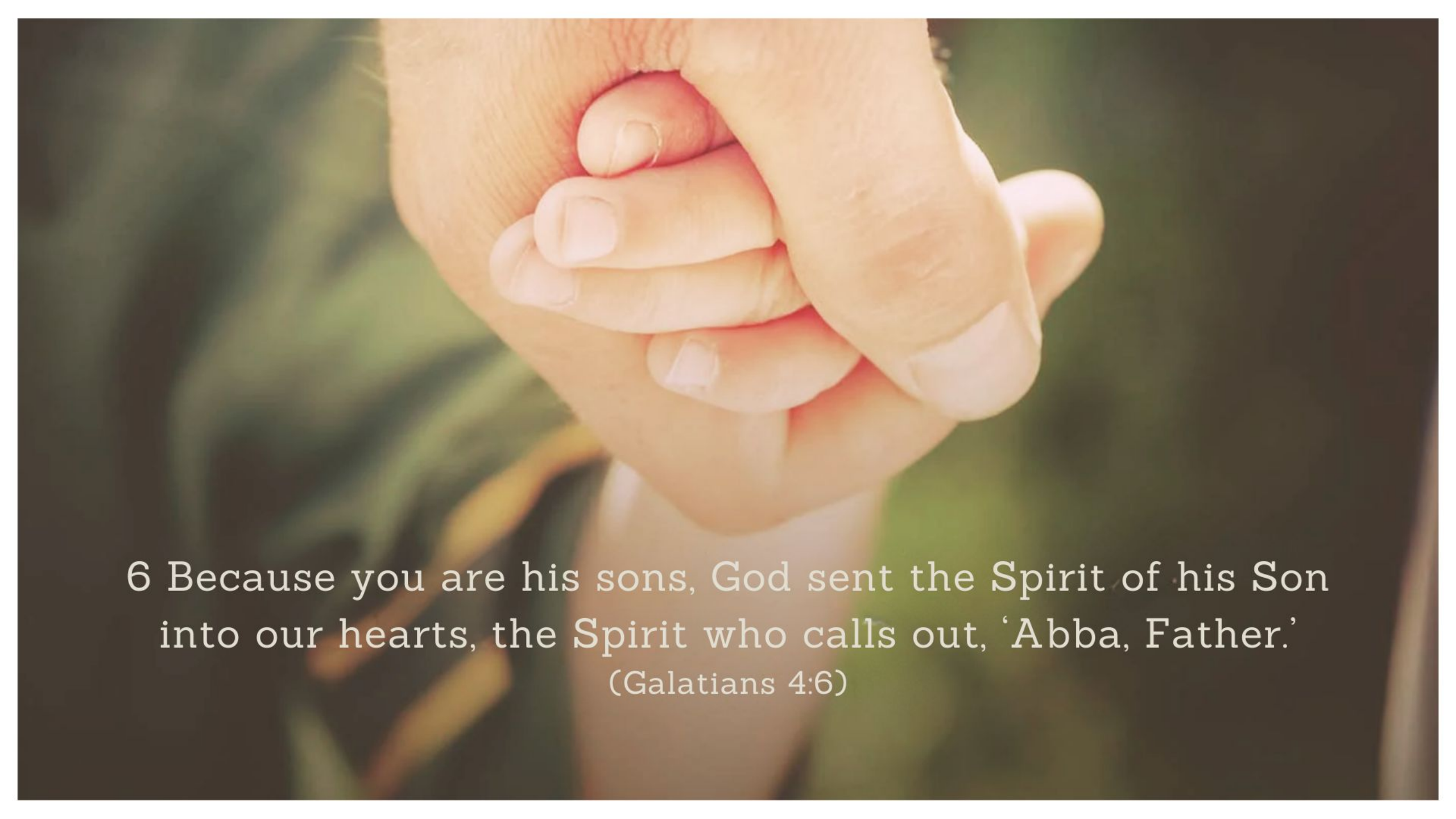


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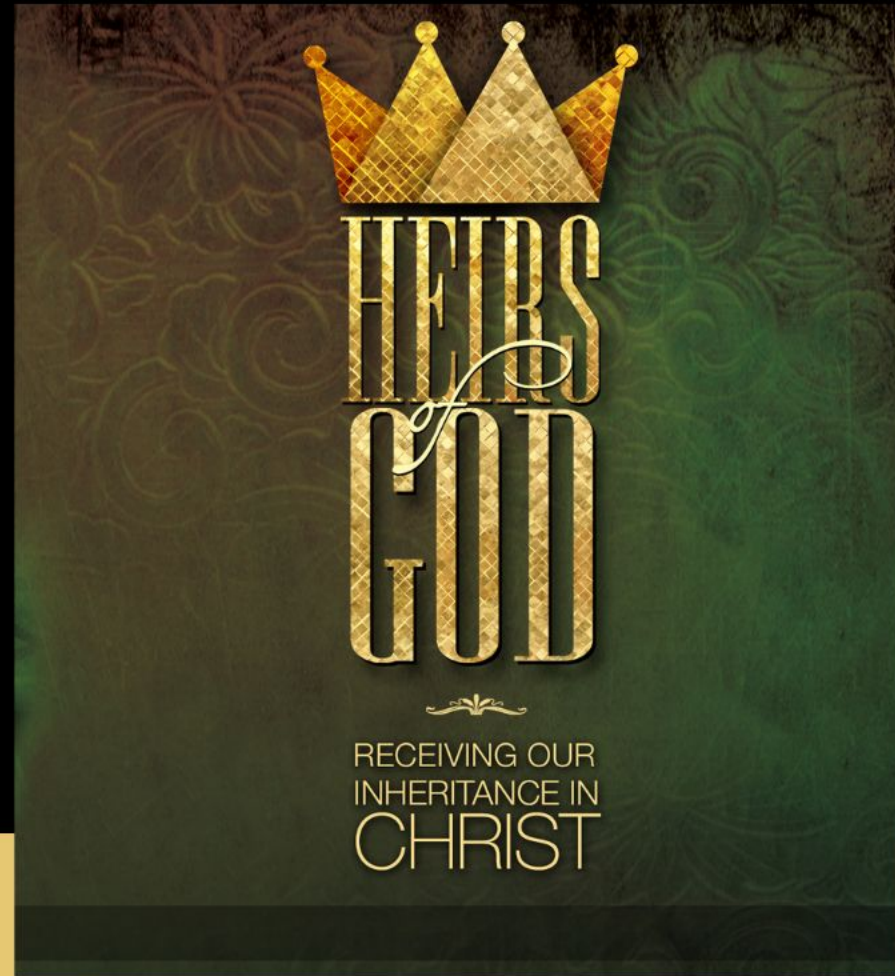
I AM A CHILD OF GOD

5 ... THAT WE MIGHT RECEIVE ADOPTION TO SONSHIP.

[GALATIANS 4]



6 Because you are his sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son
into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out, 'Abba, Father.'
(Galatians 4:6)



**7 SO YOU ARE NO LONGER A SLAVE, BUT GOD'S CHILD;
AND SINCE YOU ARE HIS CHILD, GOD HAS MADE YOU ALSO AN HEIR.
(GALATIANS 4)**

KEPT

1 JUDE, A SERVANT OF JESUS CHRIST AND A
BROTHER OF JAMES, TO THOSE WHO HAVE
BEEN CALLED, WHO ARE LOVED IN GOD THE
FATHER AND **KEPT FOR JESUS CHRIST:**



STAND FIRM

8 HE WILL ALSO KEEP YOU FIRM TO THE END, SO THAT YOU WILL BE BLAMELESS ON THE DAY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST. 9 GOD IS FAITHFUL, WHO HAS CALLED YOU INTO FELLOWSHIP WITH HIS SON, JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD.

(1 CORINTHIANS 1)



STAND FIRM

23 MAY GOD HIMSELF, THE GOD OF PEACE, SANCTIFY YOU THROUGH AND THROUGH. MAY YOUR WHOLE SPIRIT, SOUL AND BODY BE KEPT BLAMELESS AT THE COMING OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST. 24 THE ONE WHO CALLS YOU IS FAITHFUL, AND HE WILL DO IT.

(1 THESSALONIANS 5)



2 Mercy, peace and love
be yours in abundance.



Jude 1





24 To him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy – 25 to the only God our Saviour be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and for evermore! Amen.



Jude 1