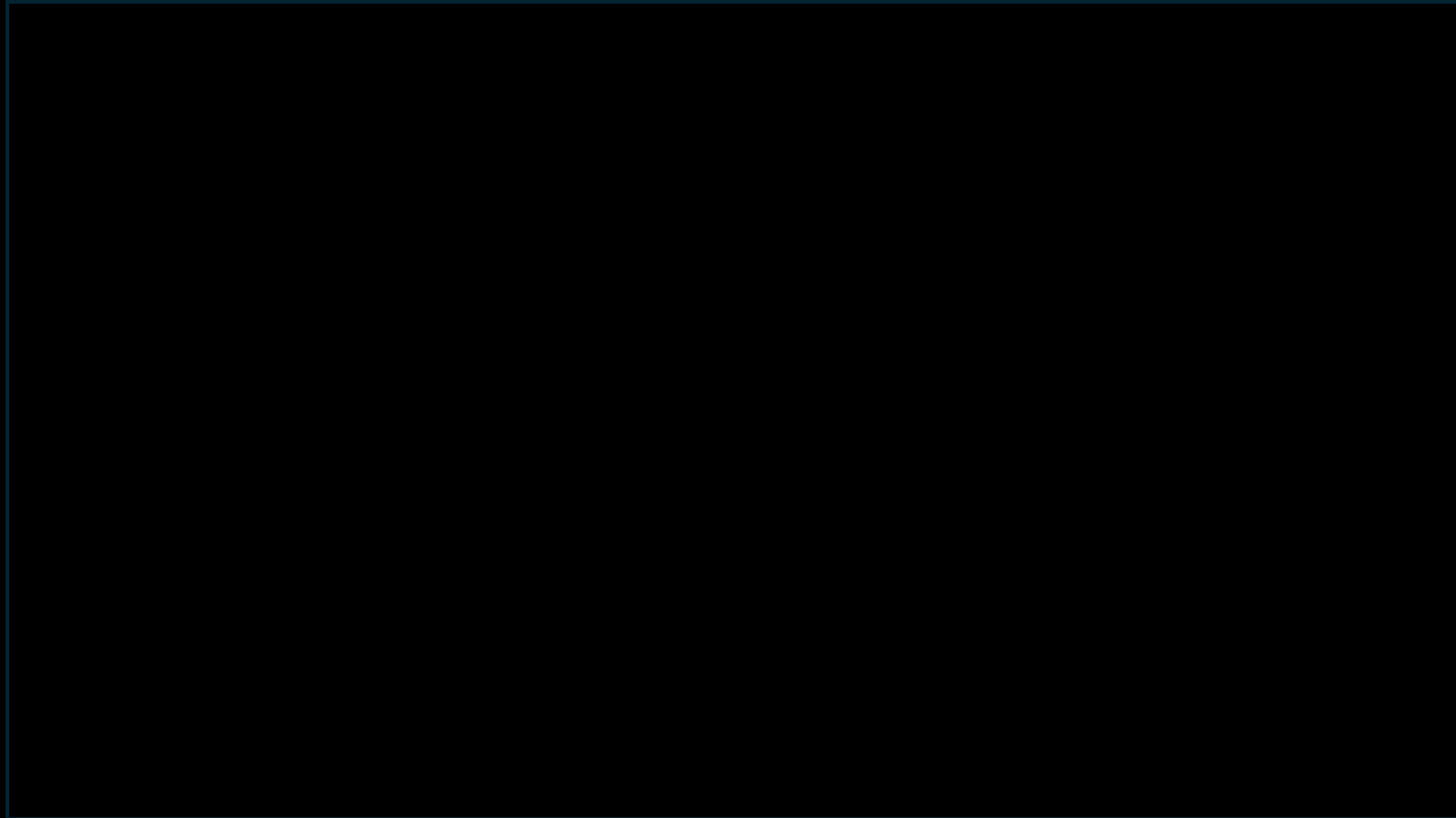


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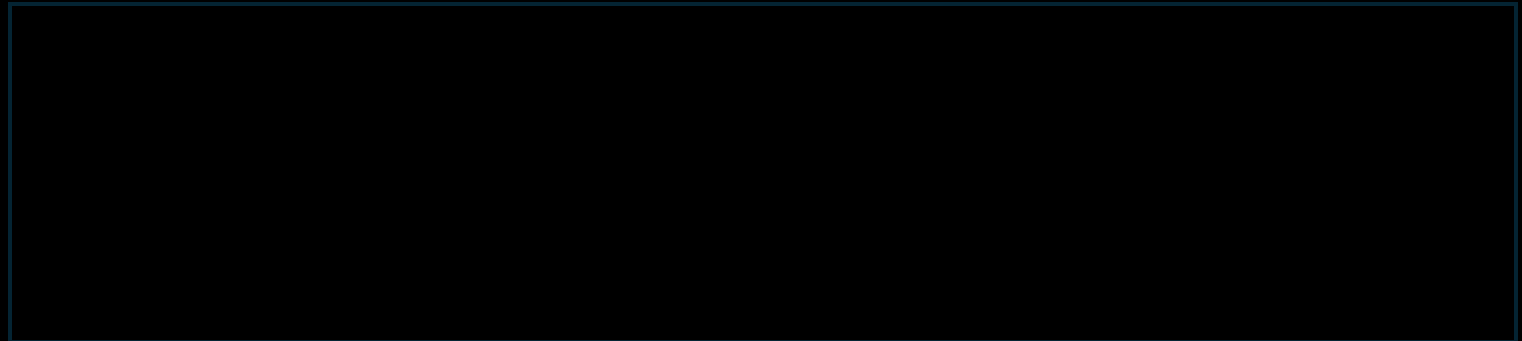
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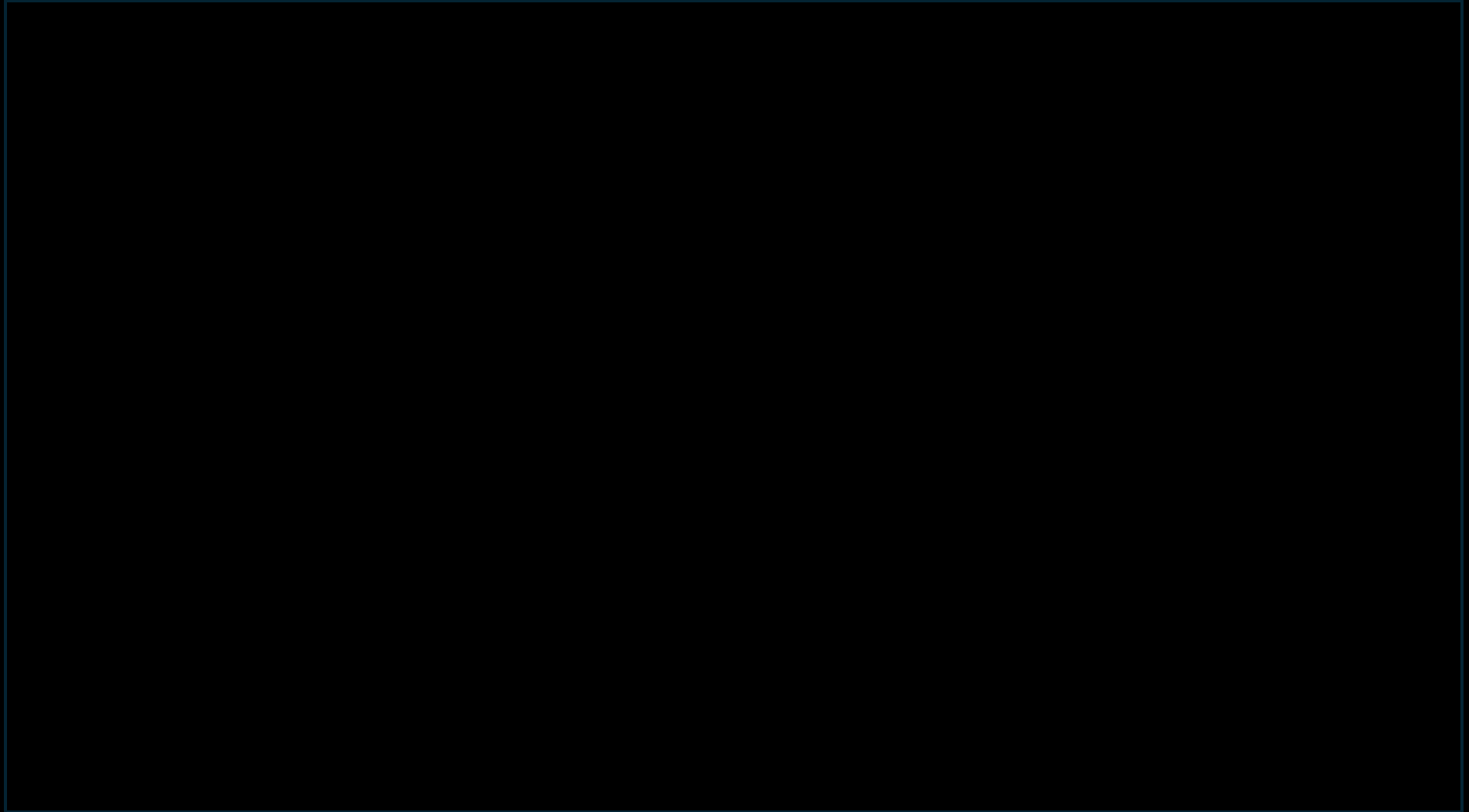
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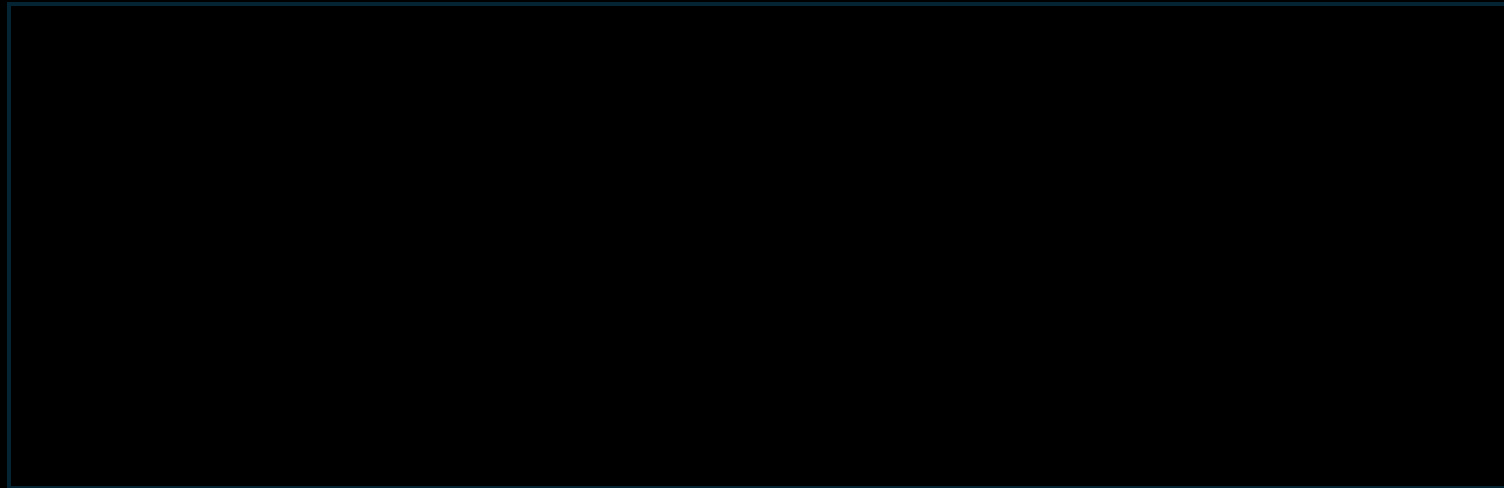
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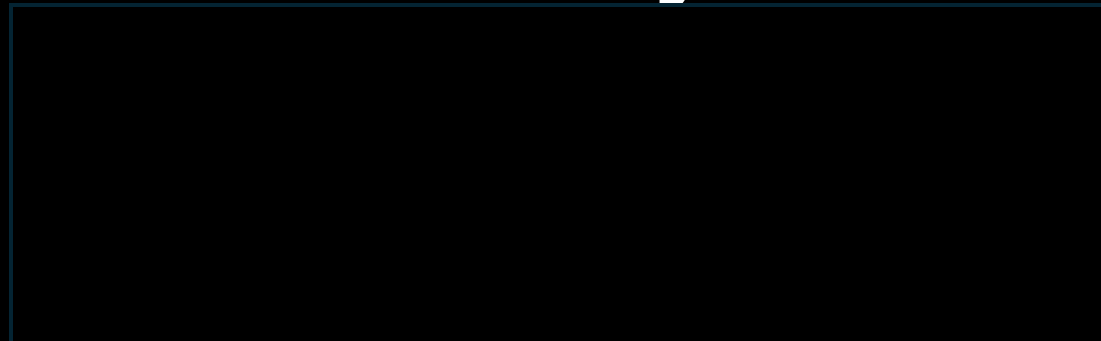


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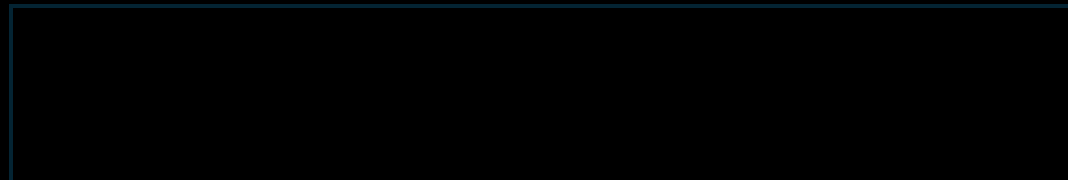
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Spirit

For the Kingdom of Heaven is like a man traveling to a far country, who called his own servants and delivered his goods to them. And to one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one, to each according to his own ability; and immediately he went on a journey.

Matthew 25:14-30

Then he who had received the five talents went and traded with them, and made another five talents. And likewise he who had received two gained two more also. But he who had received one went and dug in the ground, and hid his lord's money.

Matthew 25:14-30

After a long time the lord of those servants came and settled accounts with them.

So he who had received five talents came and brought five other talents, saying “Lord, you delivered to me five talents; look, I have gained five more talents besides them.”

Matthew 25:14-30

His lord said to him, “Well done, good and faithful servant; you were faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your lord.” He also who had received two talents came and said, “Lord, you delivered to me two talents; look, I have gained two more talents besides them.”

Matthew 25:14-30

His lord said to him, “Well done, good and faithful servant; you have been faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your lord.”

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Then he who had received the one talent came and said “Lord, I knew you to be a hard man, reaping where you have not sown, and gathering where you have not scattered seed. And I was afraid, and went and hid your talent in the ground. Look, there you have what is yours.”

Matthew 25:14-30

But his lord answered and said to him,
“You wicked and lazy servant, you
knew that I reap where I have not
sown, and gather where I have not
scattered seed. So you ought to have
deposited my money with the
bankers, and at my coming I would
have received back my own with
interest.

Matthew 25:14-30

So take the talent from him, and give it
to him who has ten talents.

For to everyone who has, more will be
given, and he will have abundance;
but from him who does not have, even
what he has will be taken away.

Matthew 25:14-30

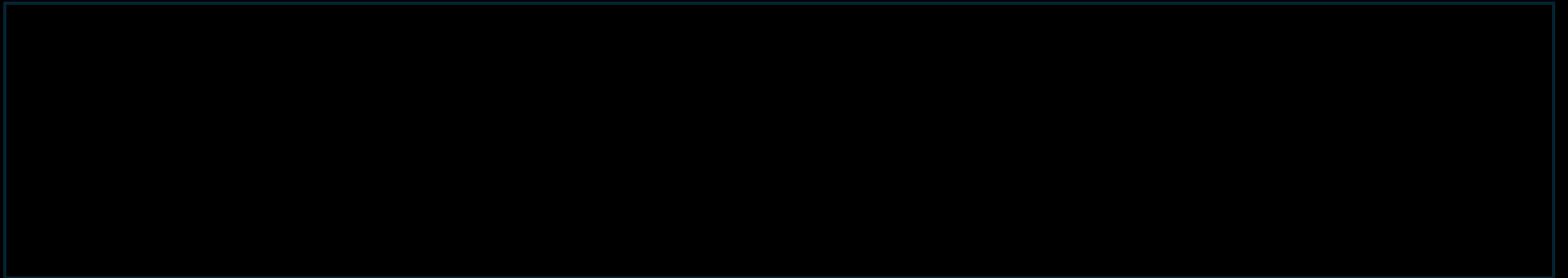
...and cast the unprofitable servant
into the outer darkness. There will be
weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Matthew 25:14-30

Let's break it down.

Encounter is God giving you
a measure of something
that you did not have before
that moment.

We each have capacity to
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Be encouraged! Be relieved.

How do we invest in
encounters?

- Recognize that you're having them

- Honor the gift, and receiving the gift, by investing back in the Giver

- Understand that He is drawing you into these moments

- Draw closer to Him, intentionally

- Allow thoughts to ruminate
- Dare to respond
- Forgive people, including yourself

- Exposure to things that honor Him and bring truth to you

- Talk things out with someone to process

- Ask the Lord what/why

- Less of things that point you away from the truth

- Pay attention to differences in spiritual sensitivity

The Holy Spirit will massage
the truth into you.