

GALATIANS

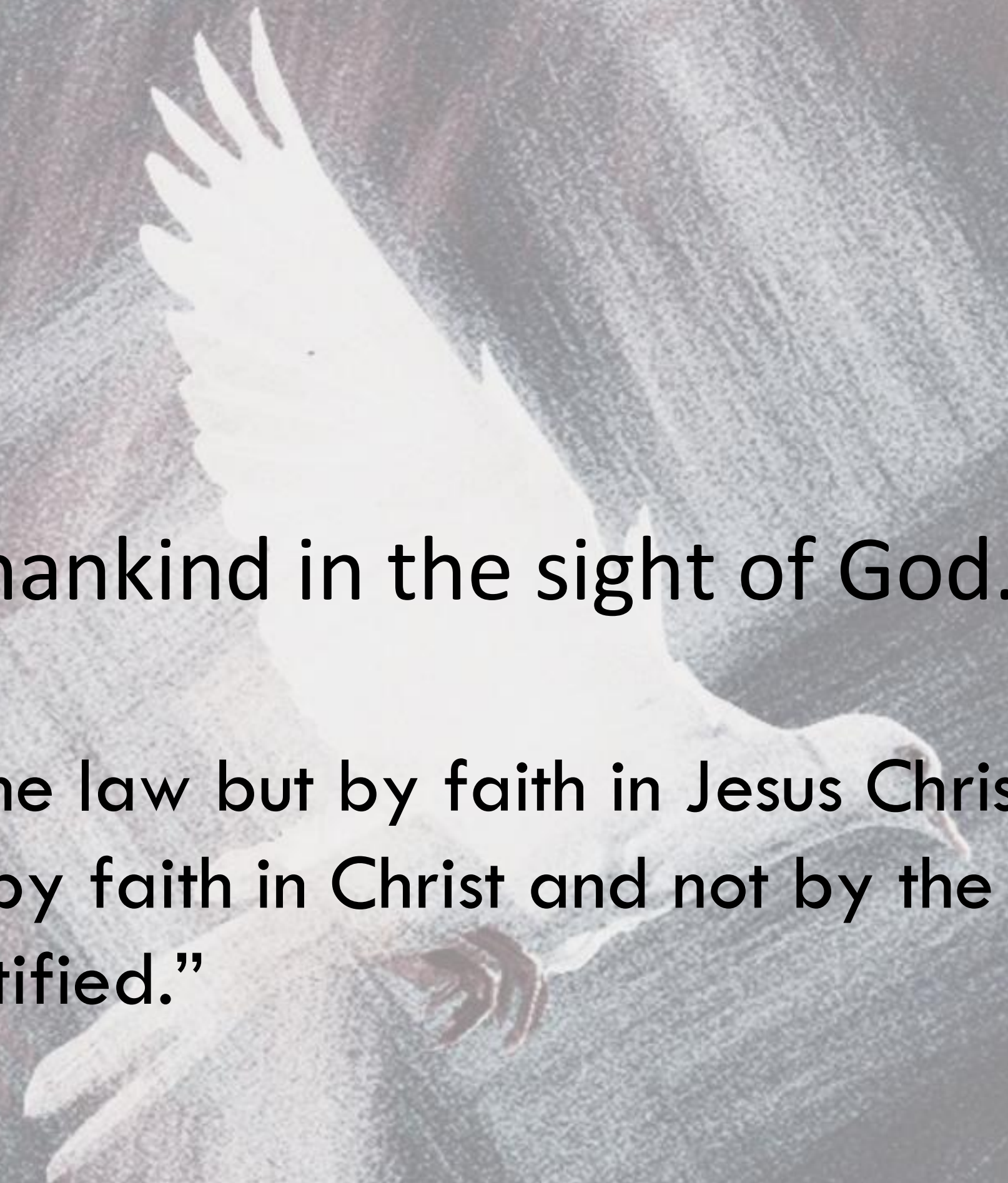
THE TRUTH OF THE GOSPEL



Recap:

- The purpose of the law was never meant to justify mankind in the sight of God.
(Rom 3:20, Gal 2:16, 3:11)

Gal 2:16, "...knowing that a man is not justified by the works of the law but by faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, that we might be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law; for by the works of the law no flesh shall be justified."

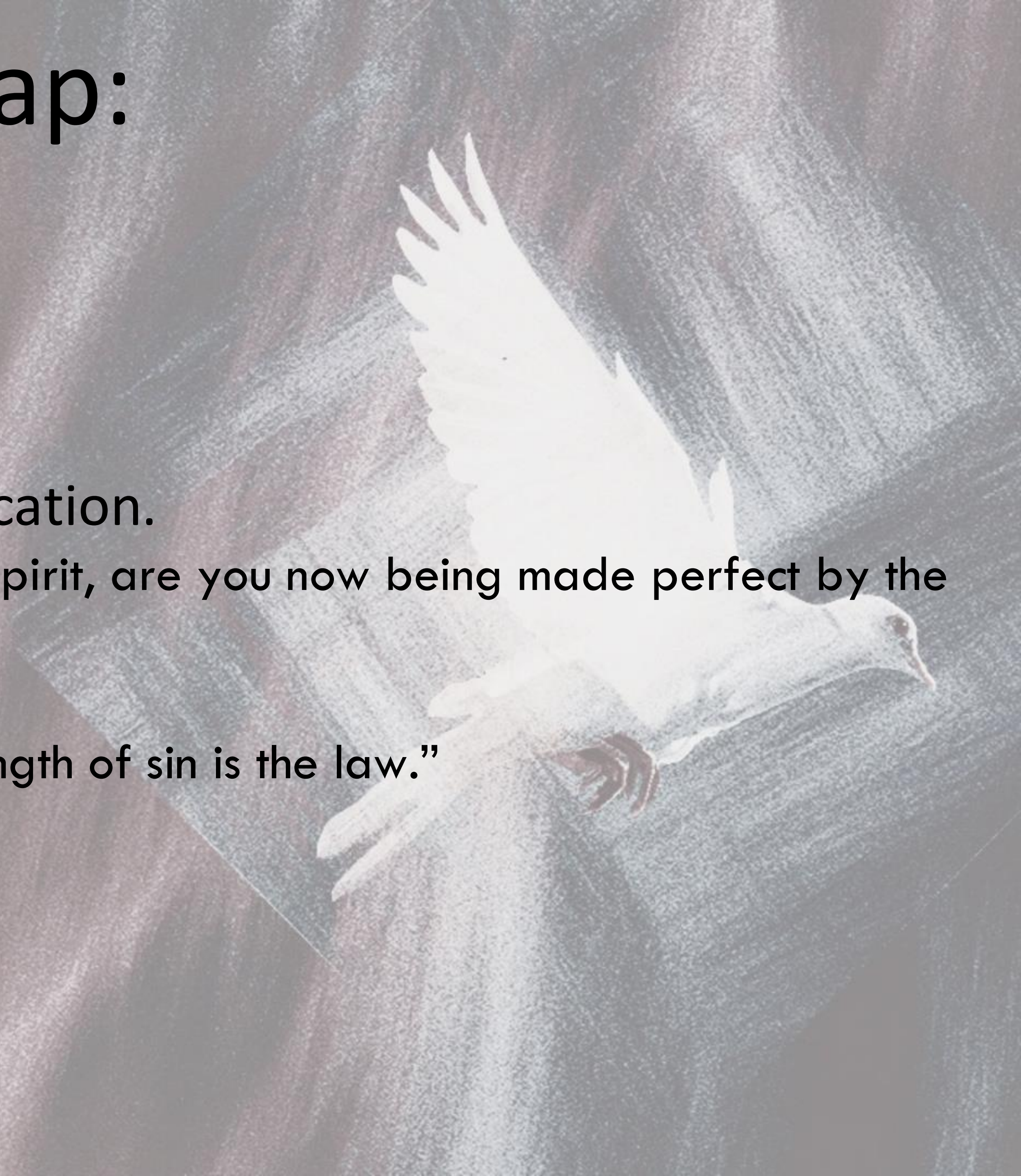


Recap:

- The law also does not empower sanctification.

Gal 3:3, “Are you so foolish? Having begun in the Spirit, are you now being made perfect by the flesh?”

1 Cor 15:56, "The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law."

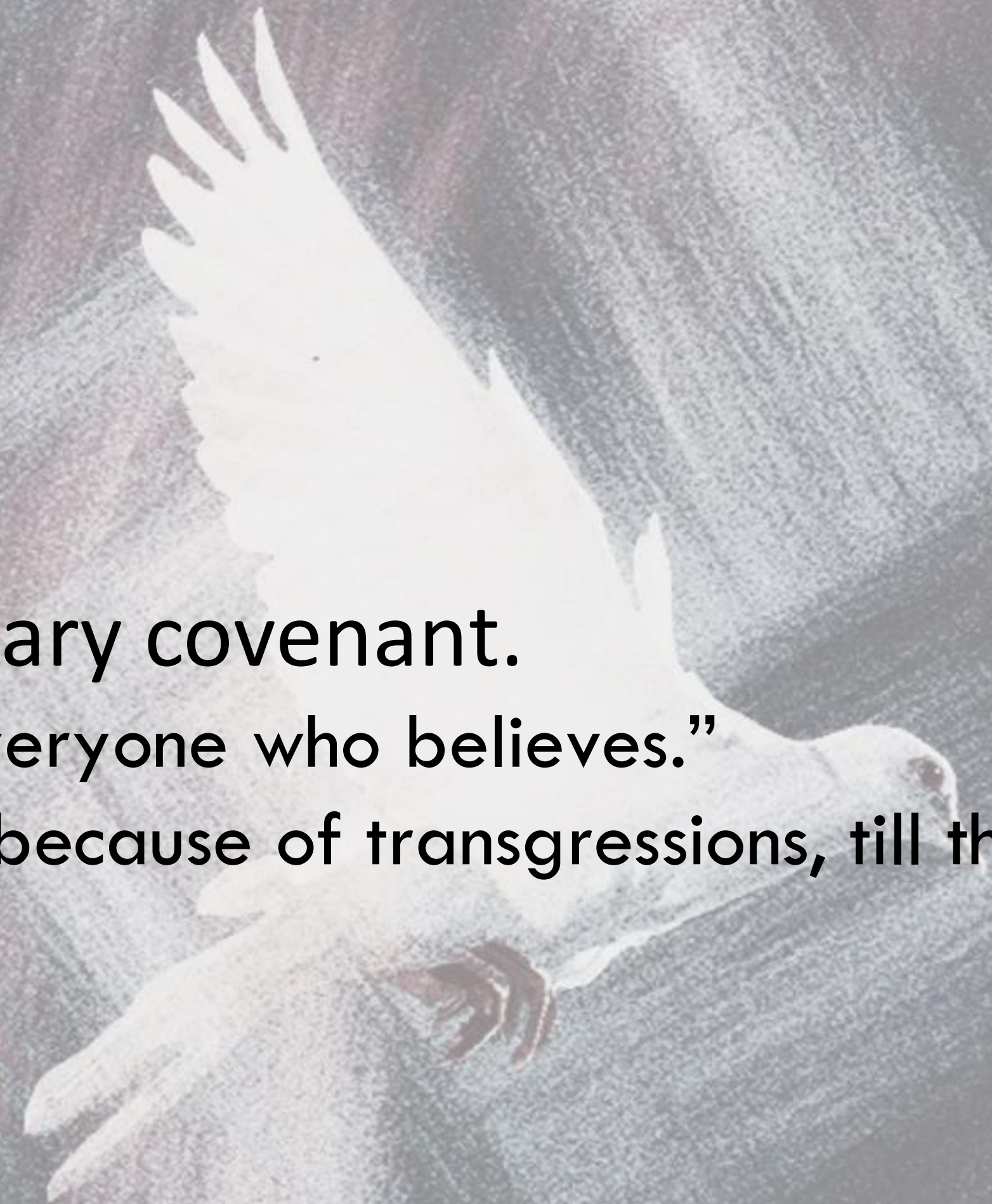


Recap:

- Christ is the end of the law, as the law was a temporary covenant.

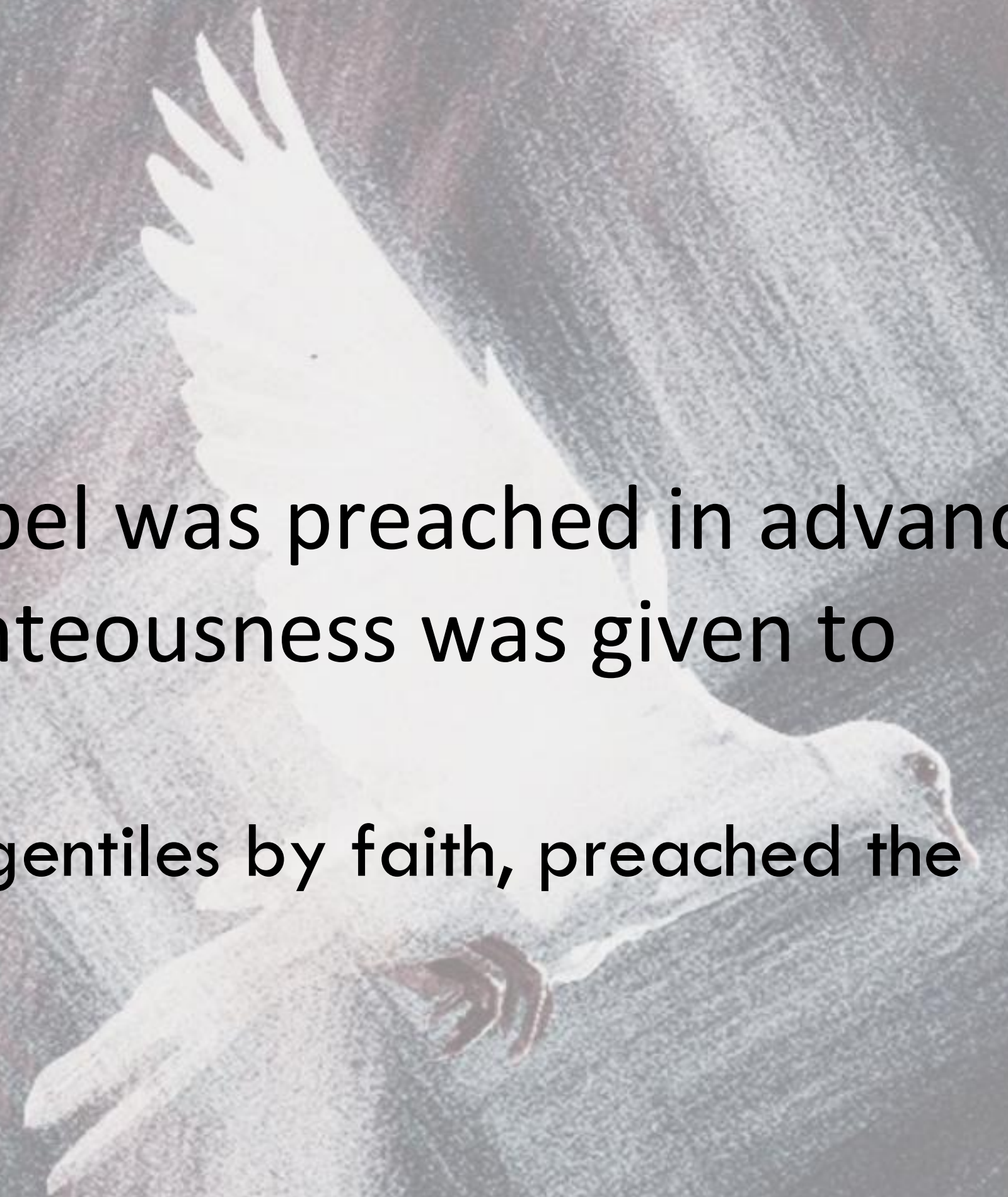
Rom 10:4, “For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to everyone who believes.”

Gal 3:19, "What purpose then does the law serve? It was added because of transgressions, till the Seed should come to whom the promise was made..."



Recap:

- The gospel and the law are not compatible. The gospel was preached in advance to Abraham 430 years before the law came, and righteousness was given to Abraham as a gift due to belief!
- Gal 3:8, 'The Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the gentiles by faith, preached the gospel to Abraham beforehand.'
- Gal 3:15 - 19



Recap:

- You were born a sinner, because of the disobedience of the one man. This is why you sinned, because you were following the nature you were born with. You were born 'again' righteous because of the obedience of the one man (Jesus Christ), and this is what empowers righteous actions and holy living, because you were given a new nature.

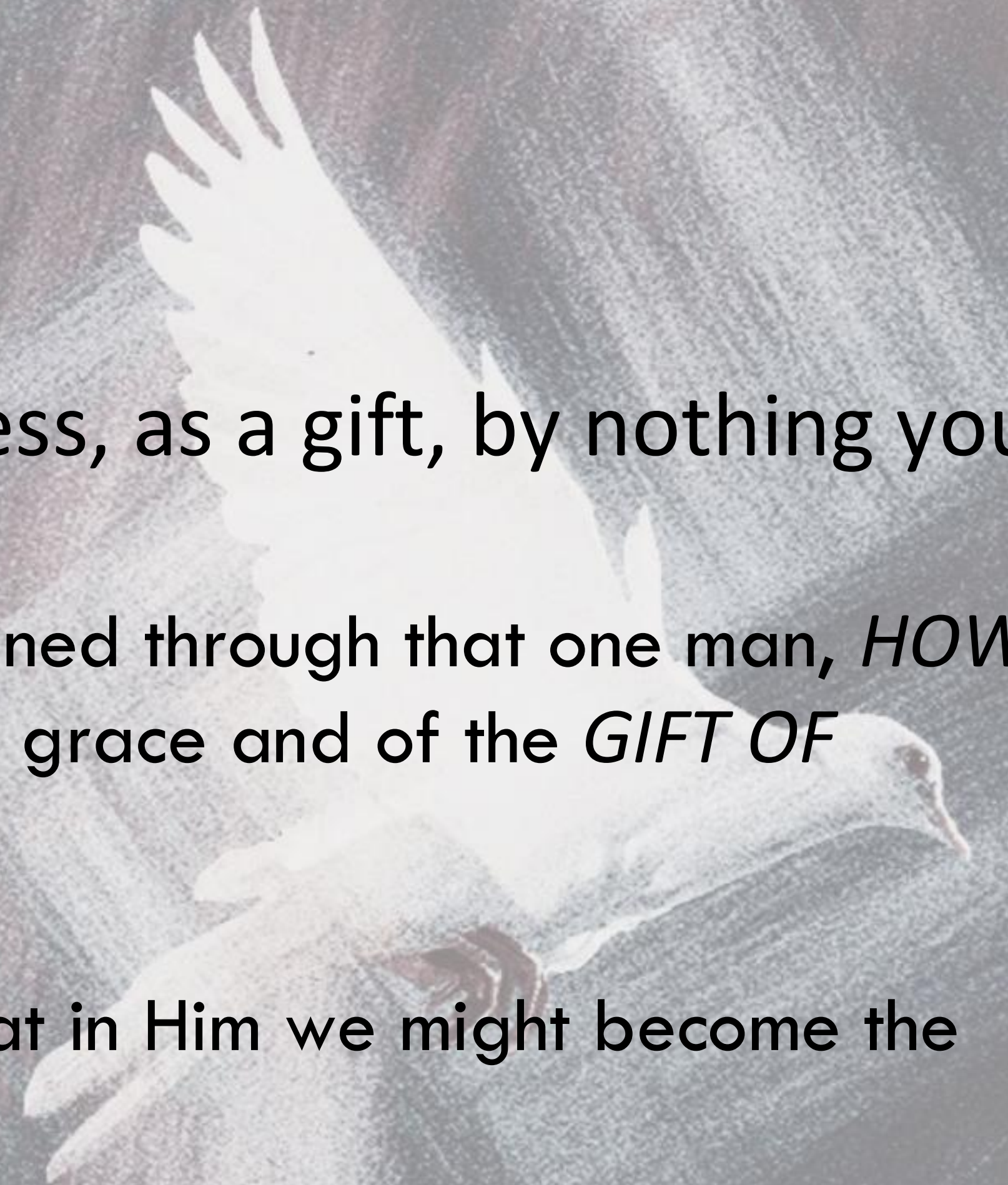
Rom 5:19, "For just as through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners, so also through the obedience of the one man the many will be made righteous."

Recap:

- You are made righteous with God's own righteousness, as a gift, by nothing you did or could do.

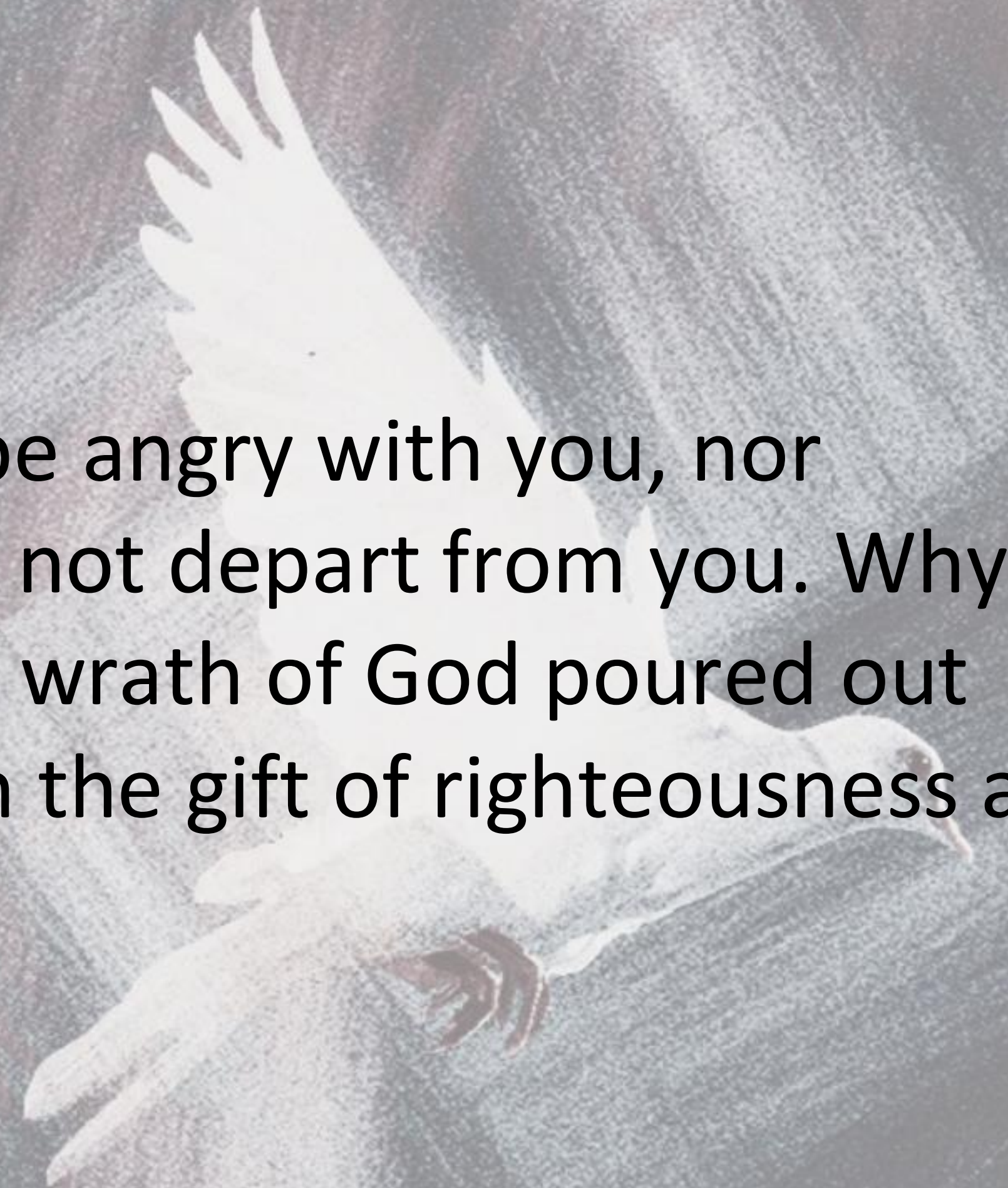
Rom 5:17 - 19, "For if, by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through that one man, *HOW MUCH MORE* will those who receive God's abundant provision of grace and of the *GIFT OF RIGHTEOUSNESS* reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ!"

2 Cor 5:21, "God made Him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God."



Recap:

- God took an oath that in this Covenant, He will not be angry with you, nor remove His covenant of peace, and His kindness will not depart from you. Why? Because Christ became sin, meaning, He took all the wrath of God poured out on sin, so we could not just be forgiven, but be given the gift of righteousness as a permanent standing before God.
 - Is 54:9 - 10
 - 2 Cor 5:21

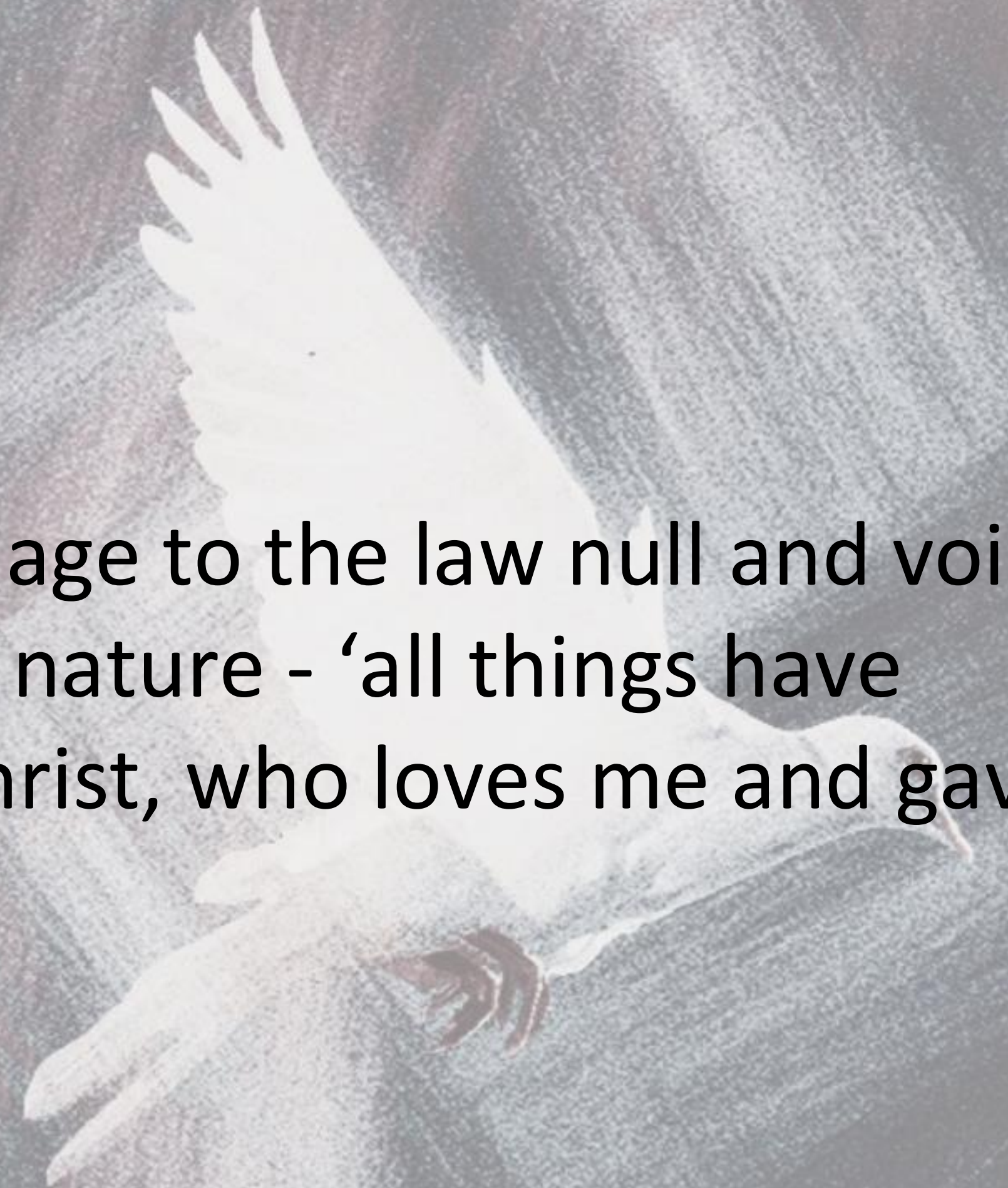


Recap:

- You can fall from Grace, not meaning you lose your salvation, but rather that we move off of the foundation of Christ's performance on my behalf, and I go back to self effort for the purpose of being transformed into the image of Christ, we move back to the law as a means of finding my way back to God when I feel far from him. Falling from grace is what makes 'Christ of no value' - meaning, I am not living in the benefits of what Christ paid for.
- Gal 5:1 - 7

Recap:

- I died to the law, when I got saved, making my marriage to the law null and void through the cross, and I am raised to life with a new nature - 'all things have been made new', and I am married to another, to Christ, who loves me and gave His life for me.
- Rom 7:1 - 6



The Crucified Life

Five deaths / crucifixions in Galatians:

- *Gal 3:1* - Christ is crucified
- *Gal 2:20* - I have been crucified with Christ.
- *Gal 5:24* - Crucified the flesh with its passion and desires
- *Gal 6:15* - The world has been crucified to me
- *Gal 6:15* - And I (have been crucified) to the world.

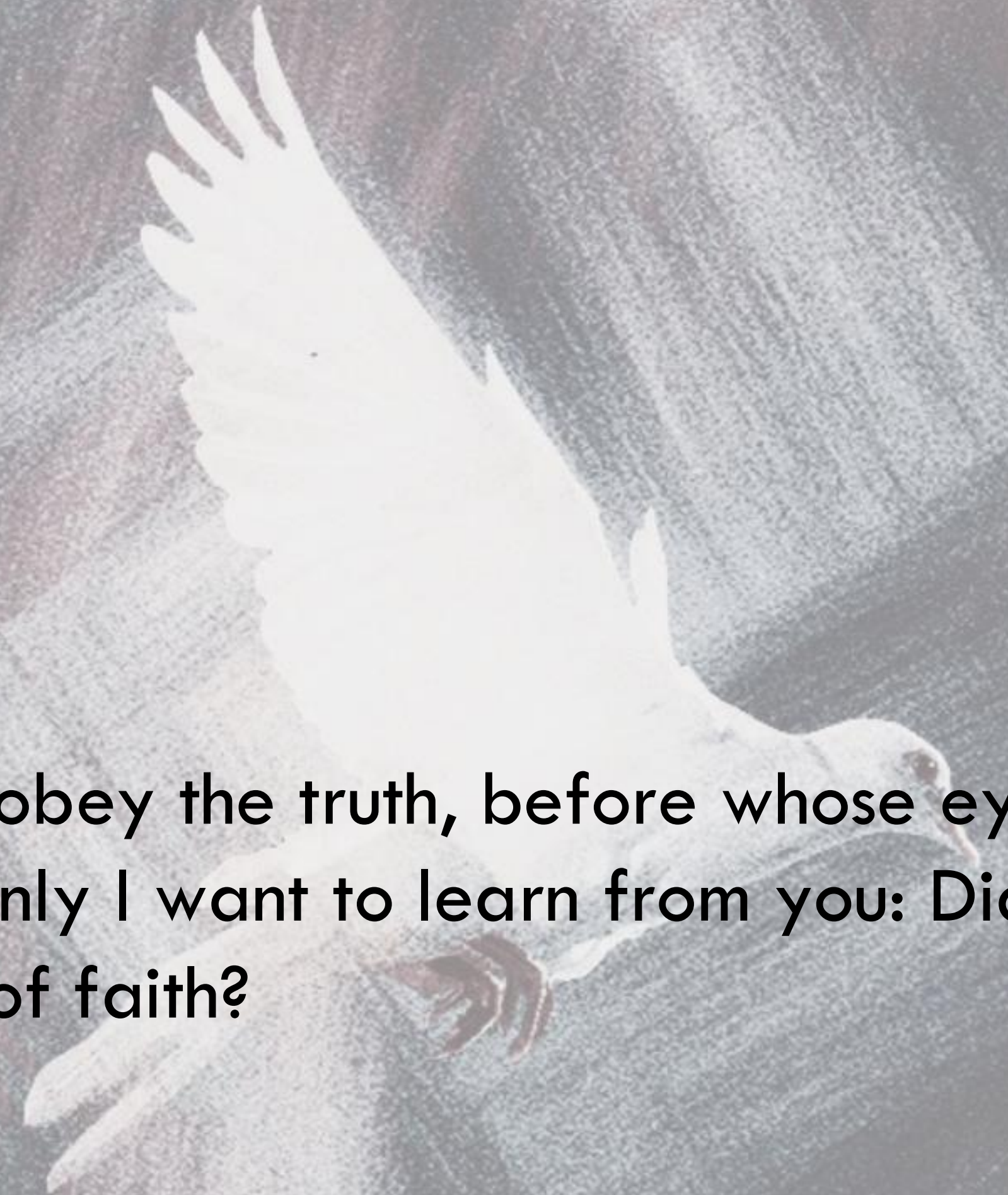


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1. Christ is crucified.

Gal 3:1 - 2

O foolish Galatians! Who has bewitched you that you should not obey the truth, before whose eyes Jesus Christ was clearly portrayed among you as crucified? This only I want to learn from you: Did you receive the Spirit by the works of the law, or by the hearing of faith?

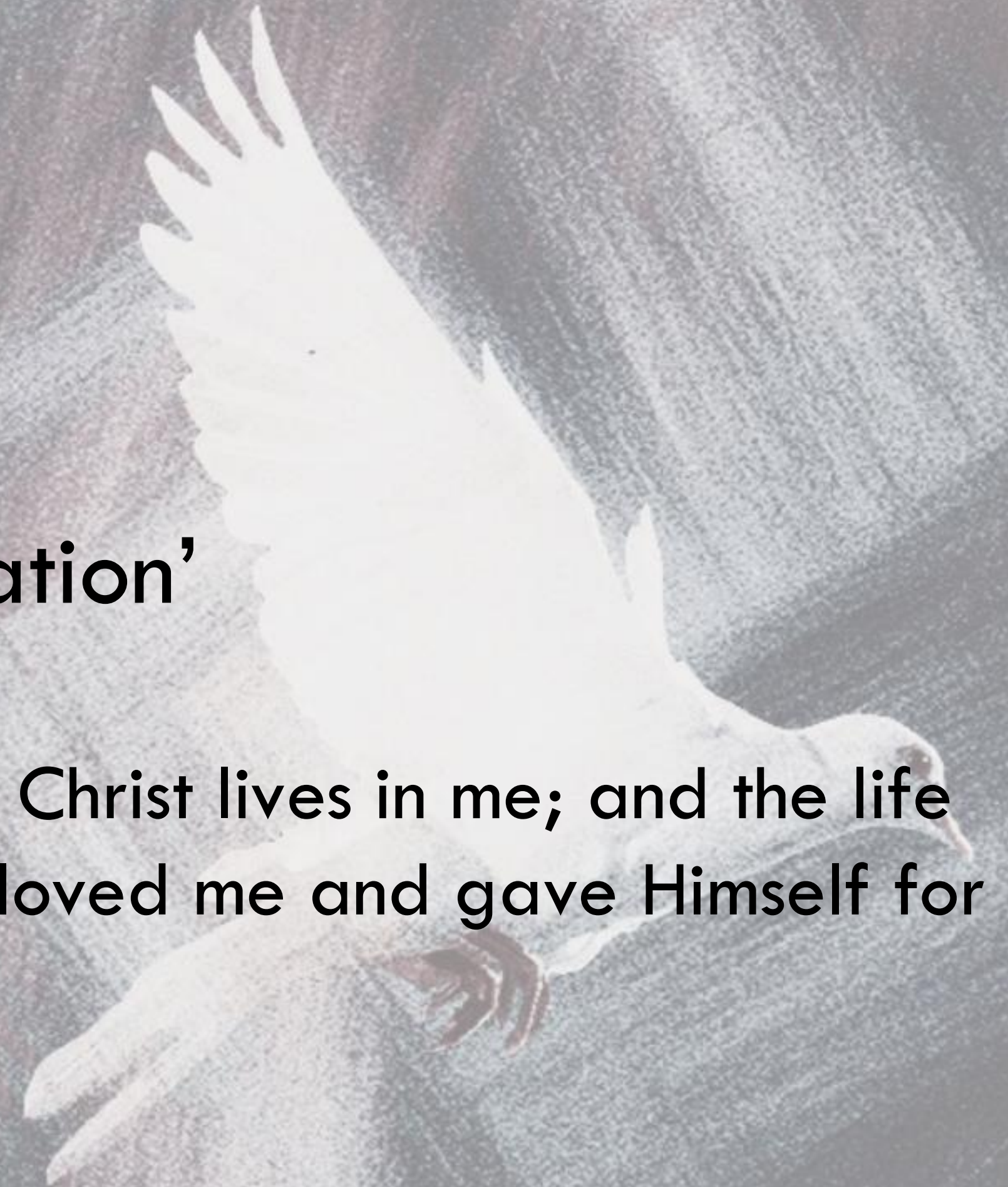


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2. I am crucified with Christ 'the death of identification'

Gal 2:20

"I HAVE BEEN CRUCIFIED with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.



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At the moment of New Birth:

- I died to the law. Gal 2:19
- I received a new husband. Rom 7:4
- I was made righteous with God's righteousness. 2 Cor 5:21
- I was broken out of slavery to sin. Rom 6:6
- I was made alive with the life of God. Rom 6:8 - 11
- I became a partaker of the divine nature. 2 Pet 1:4
- I was born again with an incorruptible seed. 1 Pet 1:23
- I received a seal, the Holy Spirit of Promise. Eph 1:13
- I became part of an unconditional covenant.
- I was redeemed from sin, and its penalty, death. Eph 1:7
- I was redeemed from the law, and its penalty, curse. Gal 3:13
- I became a son, a child of promise. Gal 4:4 - 7



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Gal 2:19 - 21

19 For through the law I died to the law *SO THAT I MIGHT LIVE FOR GOD*. 20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. 21 *I DO NOT SET ASIDE THE GRACE OF GOD, FOR IF RIGHTEOUSNESS COULD BE GAINED THROUGH THE LAW, CHRIST DIED FOR NOTHING!"*

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Rom 6:5 - 11

5 For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection, 6 knowing this, *that our old man was crucified with Him*, that the body of sin (body ruled by sin NIV) might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin. 7 *For he who has died has been FREED from sin.* 8 Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him, 9 knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, dies no more. Death no longer has dominion over Him. 10 For the death that He died, He died to sin once for all; but the life that He lives, He lives to God. 11 Likewise you also, *RECKON* yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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3. Crucifying the flesh 'the death we choose'

Gal 5:24

And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. *(NKJV)*

And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts. *(KJV)*

'Now the works of the flesh are evident...' Gal 5:19

'But the fruit of the Spirit is...' Gal 5:22



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Rom 6:12 - 14

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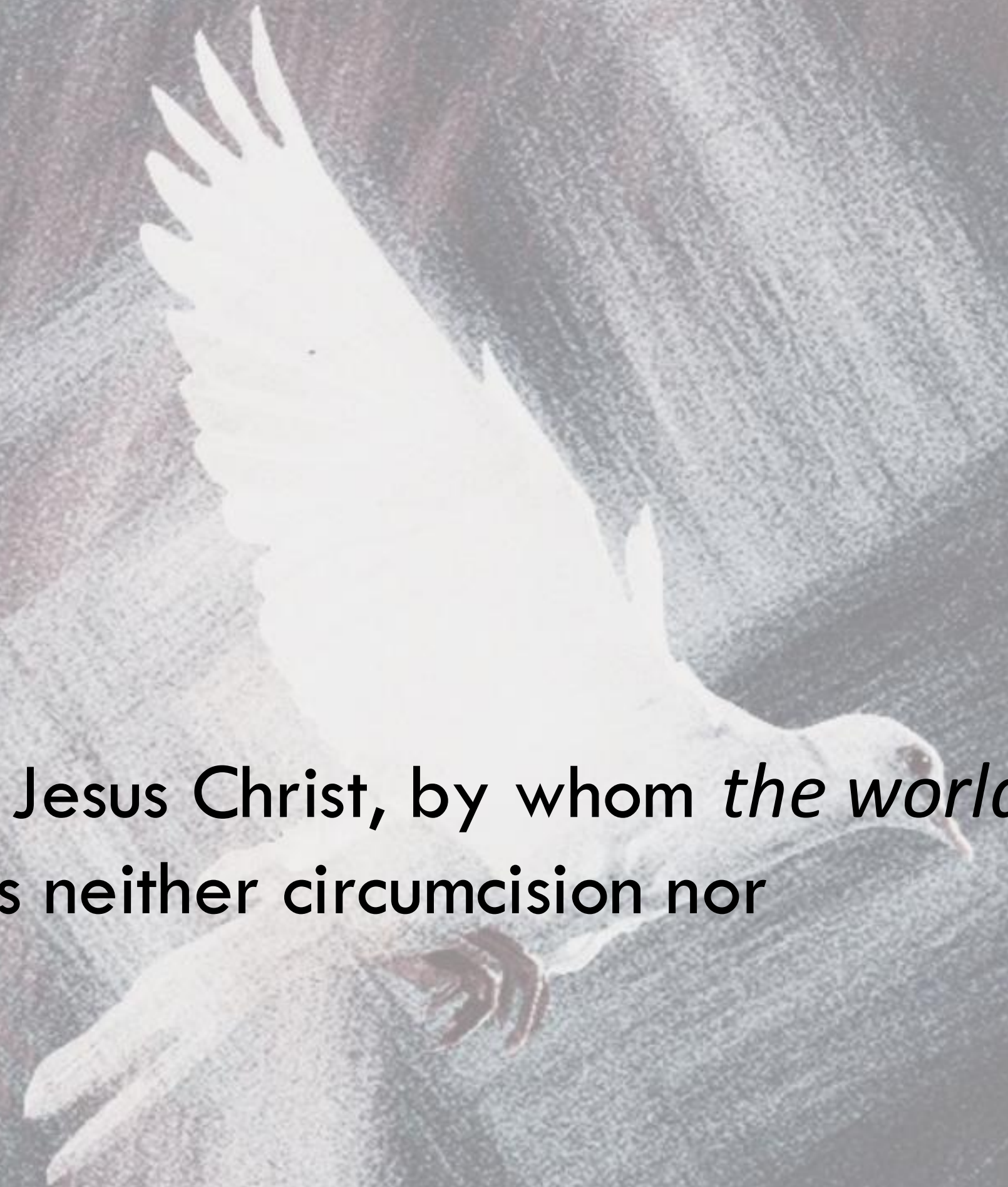
12 *THEREFORE* do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its *lusts*. 13 And do not present your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin, but present yourselves to God as being alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God. 14 For sin shall not have dominion over you, for you are not under law but under grace.

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4. The world is crucified to me

Gal 6:14 - 15

But God forbid that I should boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom *the world has been crucified to me*, and I to the world. 15 For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but a new creation.

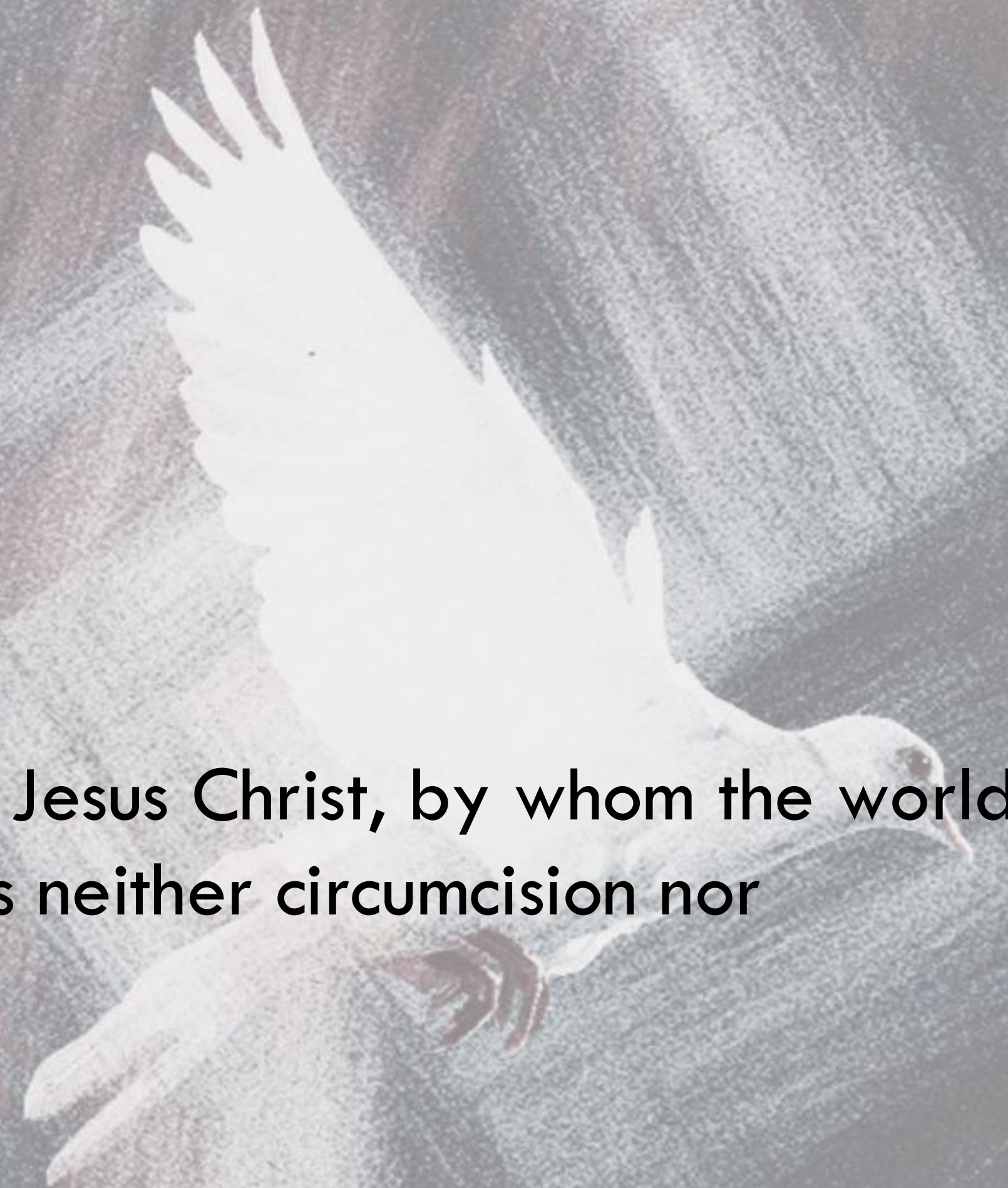


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5. I have been crucified to the world.

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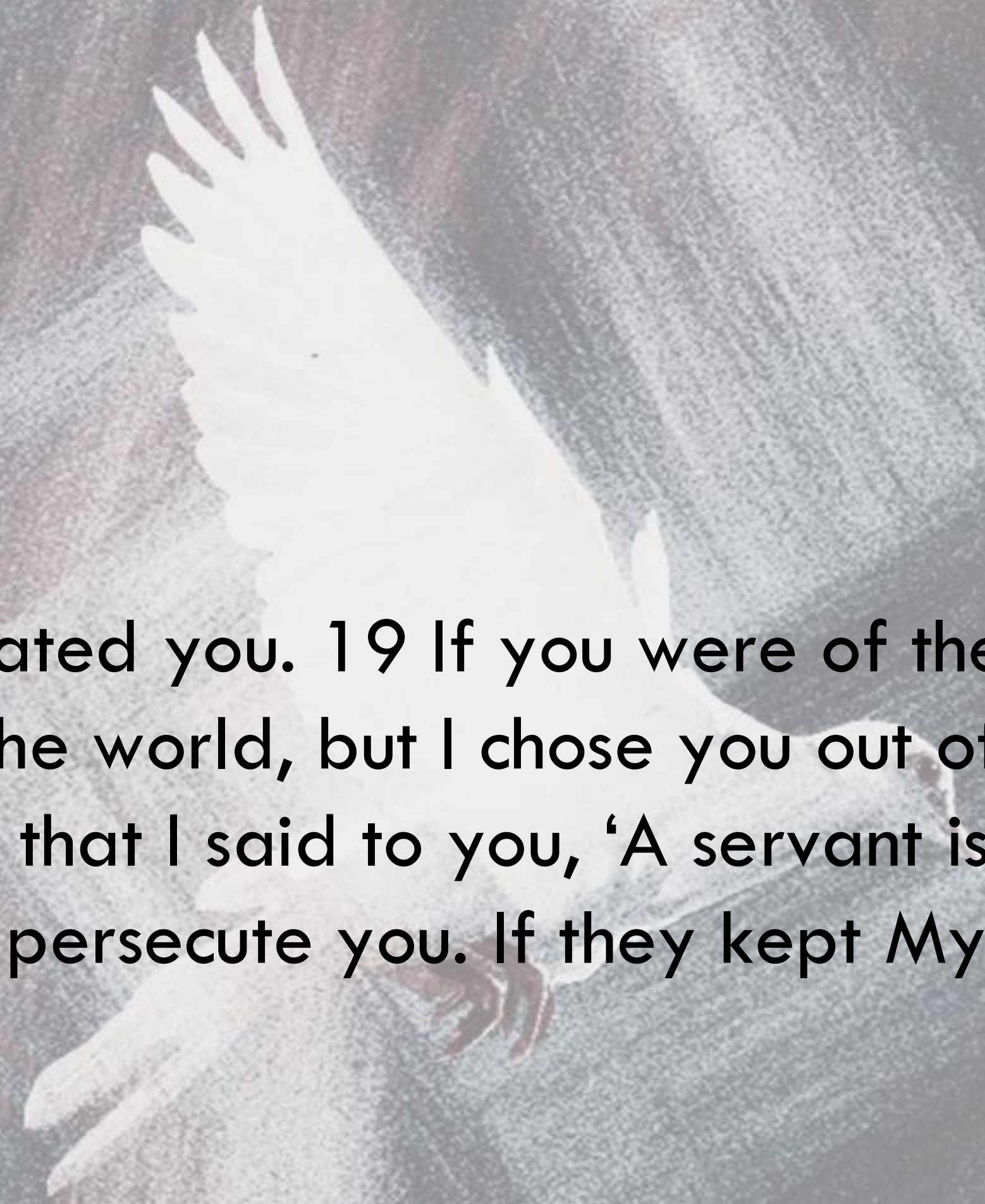
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John 15:18 - 20

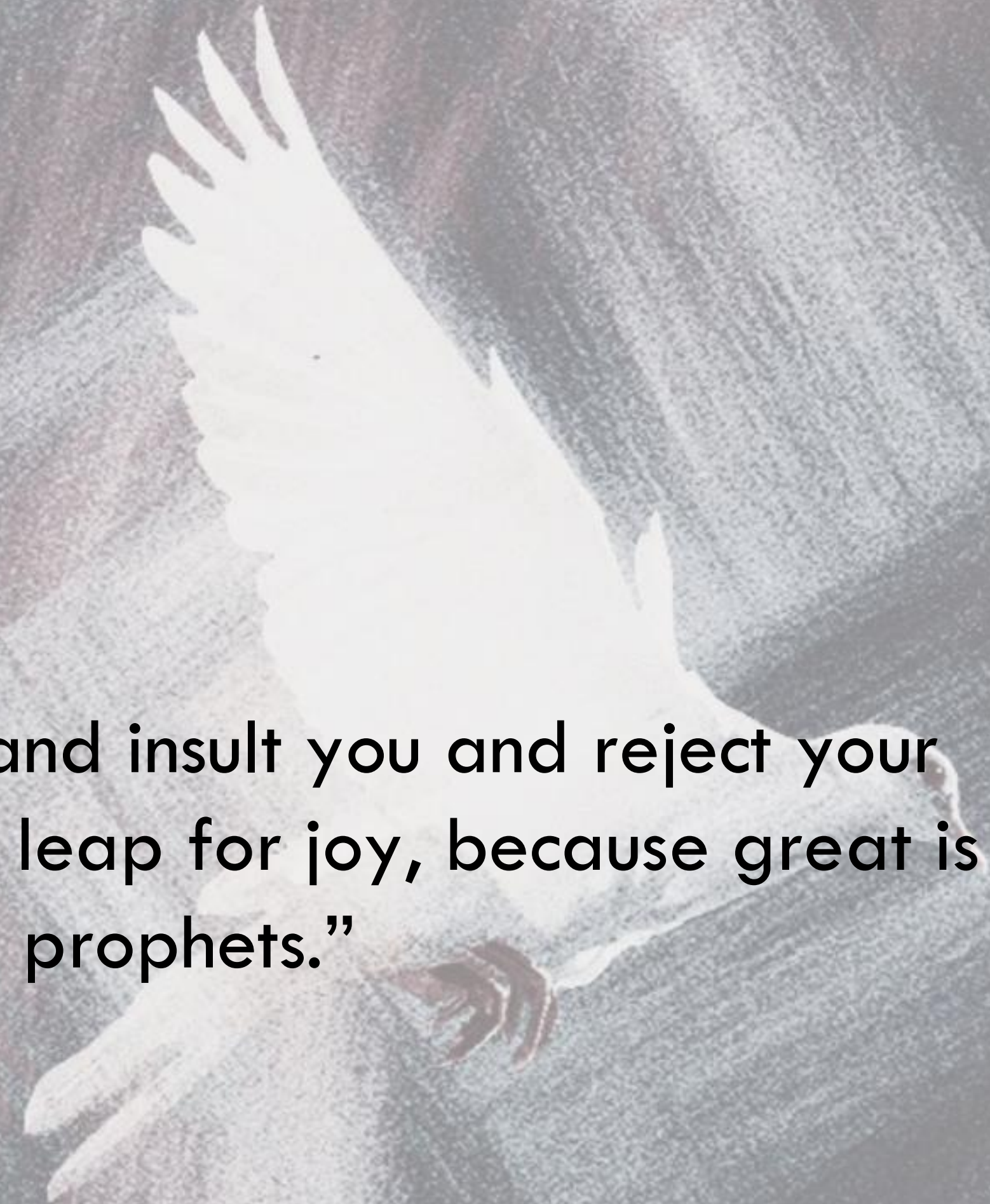
18 “If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me before it hated you. 19 If you were of the world, the world would love its own. Yet because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. 20 Remember the word that I said to you, ‘A servant is not greater than his master.’ If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you. If they kept My word, they will keep yours also.



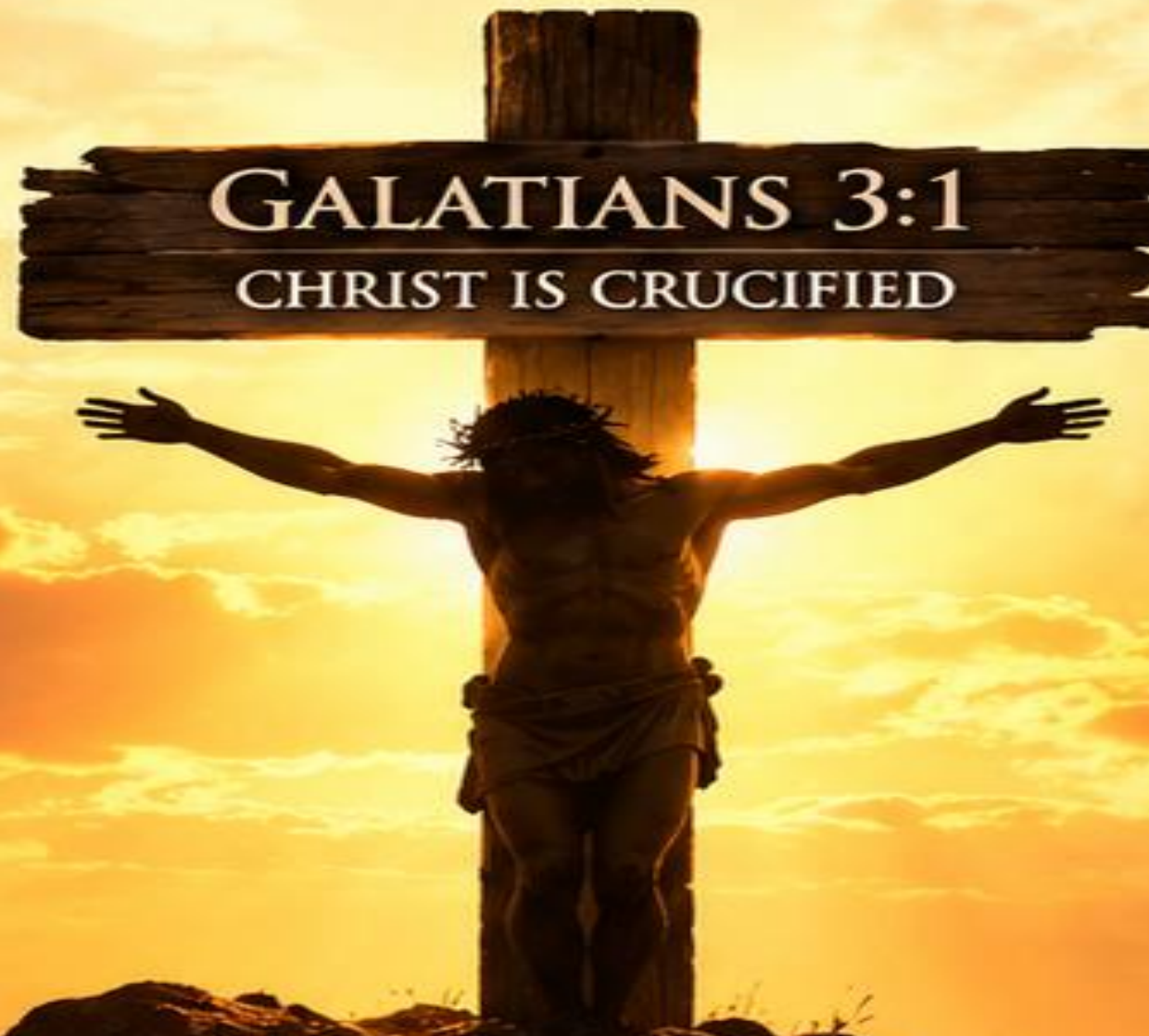
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Luke 6:22 - 23

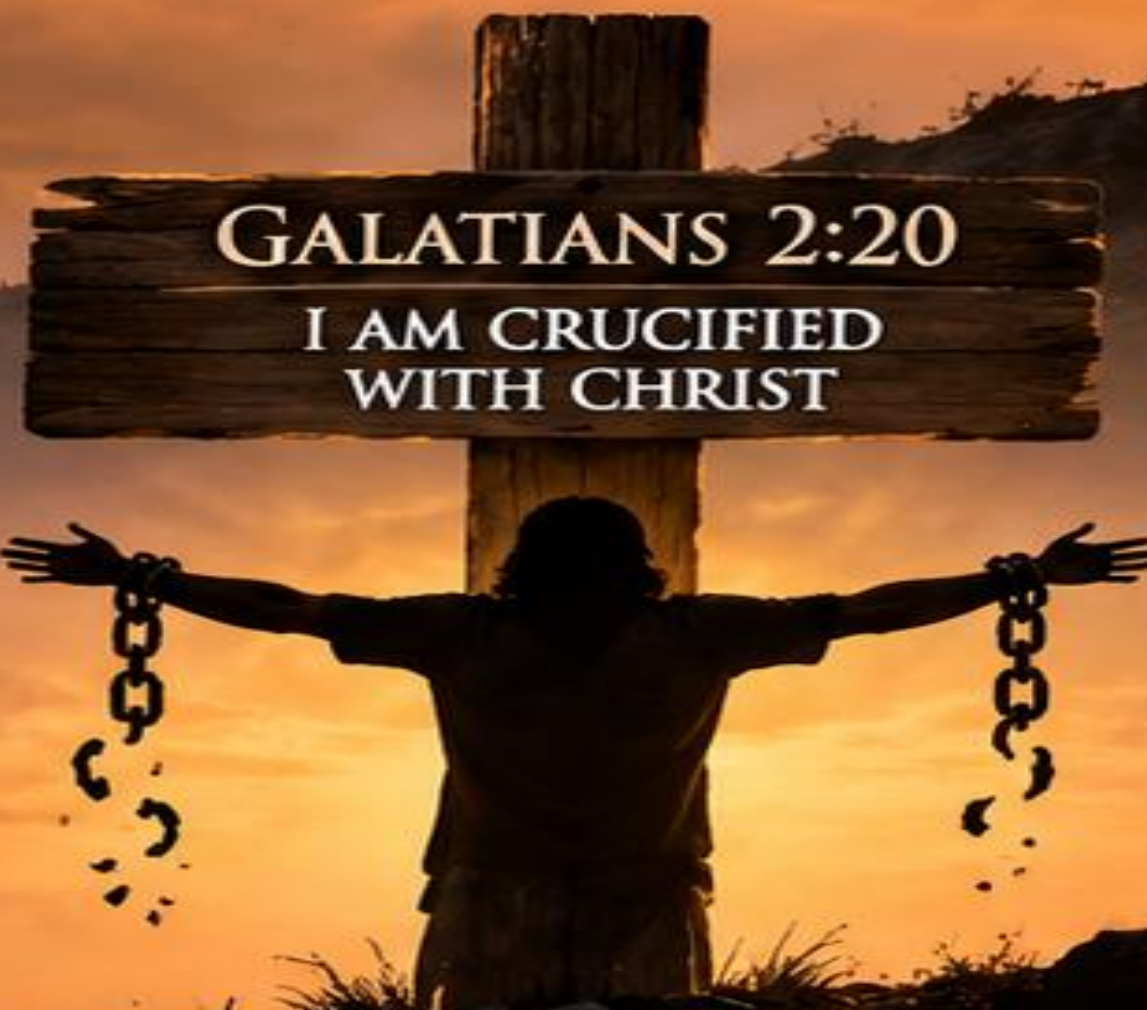
“Blessed are you when people hate you, when they exclude you and insult you and reject your name as evil, because of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, because great is your reward in heaven. For that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.”



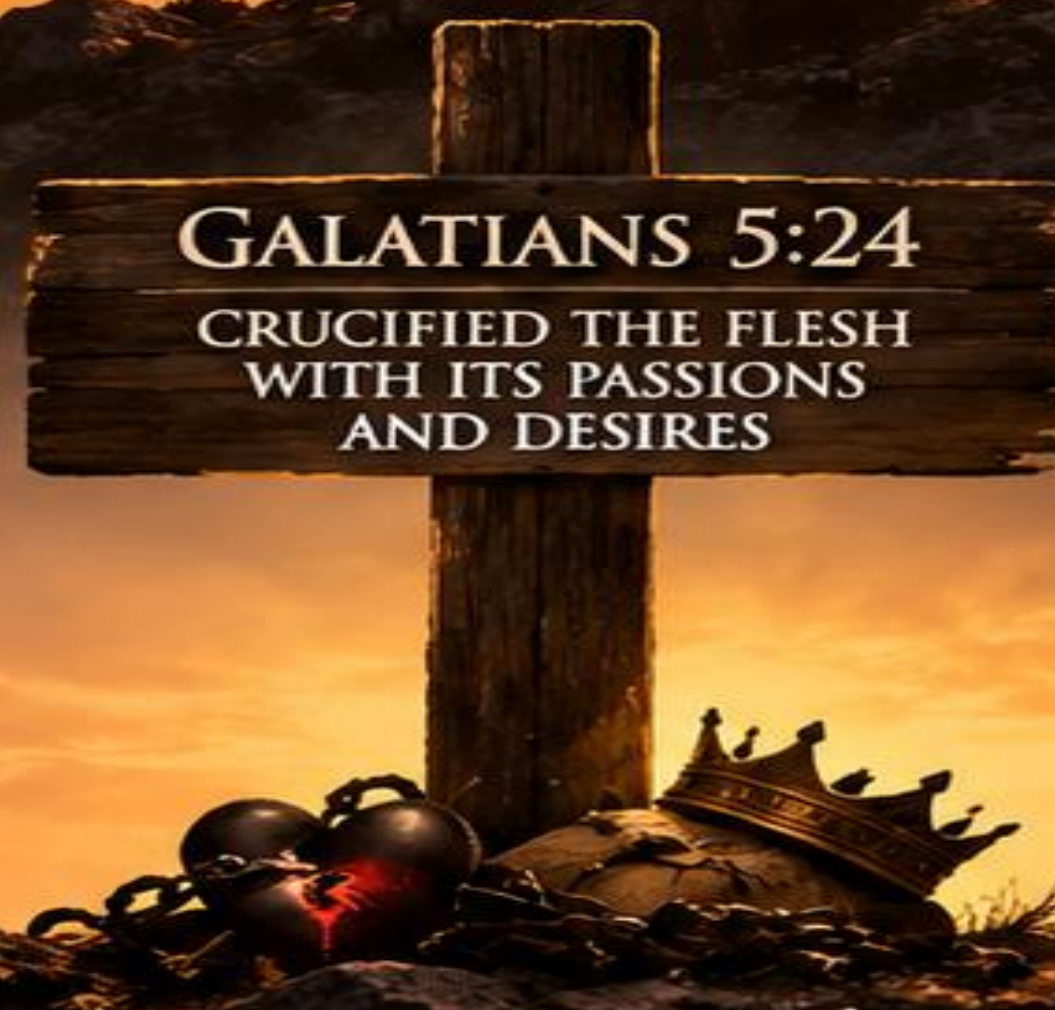
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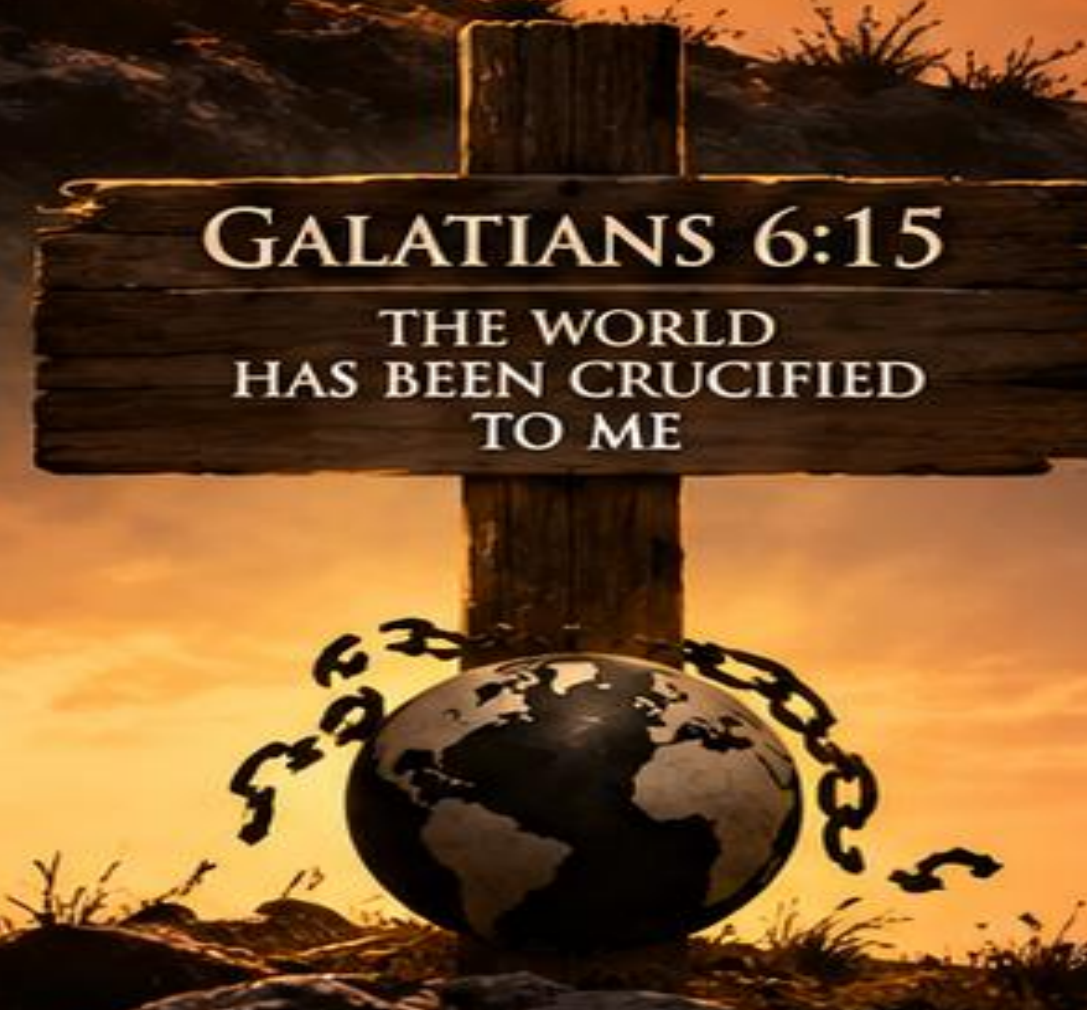
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CHRIST IS CRUCIFIED



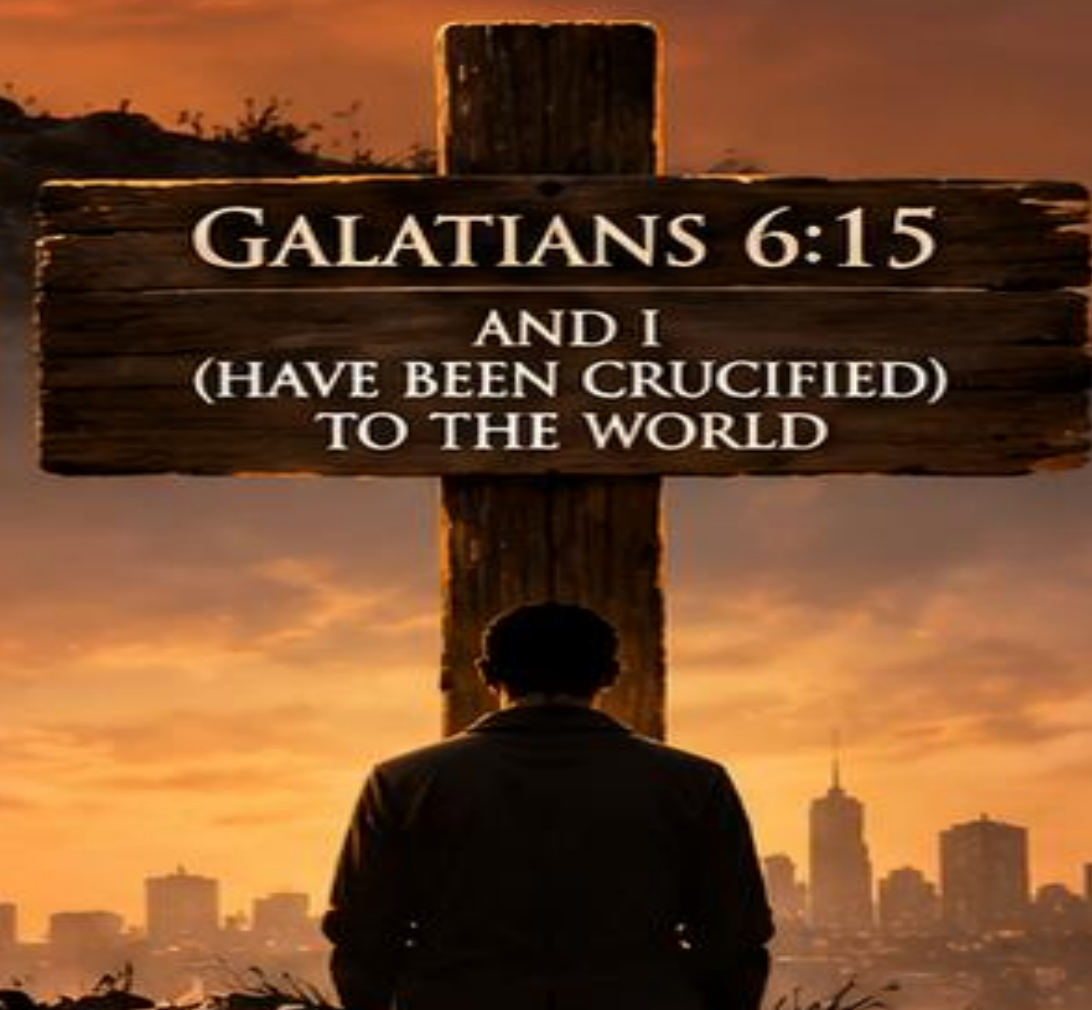
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