
FOUR-PART SERMON SERIES
ARE YOU
READY
FOR THE
END?
ETERNAL TRUTHS IN UNCERTAIN LIVING
OCT 10/11 TO OCT 31/NOV 1

MEMORY VERSE

Dear friends, do not believe every spirit,
but test the spirits to see whether they are
from God, because many false prophets
have gone out into the world.

1 JOHN 4:1 NIV

WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL

ABOUT THE BIBLE?

PART 1/4



- The Bible is God's revelation to us
- The Bible is trustworthy
- The Bible is our authority

WHY IS

SALVATION IMPORTANT?

PART 2 / 4



- Salvation **rescues us from the problem of sin**
- Salvation **crucifies our old self**
- Salvation **unites us with Christ**
- Salvation **calls us to live under the Lordship of Christ**

WHAT HAPPENS

IN THE END?

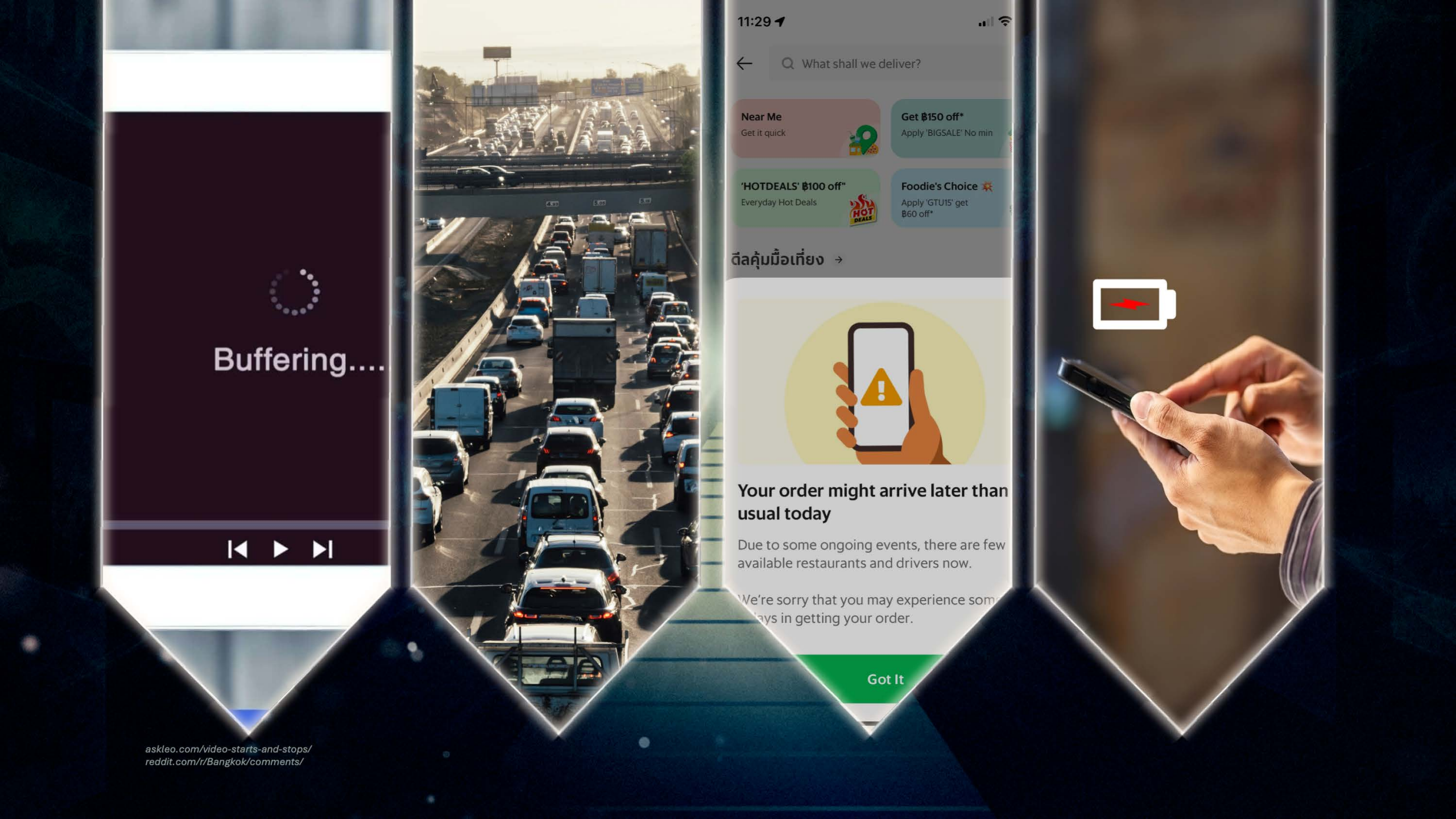
MATTHEW 24:1-51

- The **Certainty** of His Return
- The **Realities** before His Return
- The **Finality** of His Return

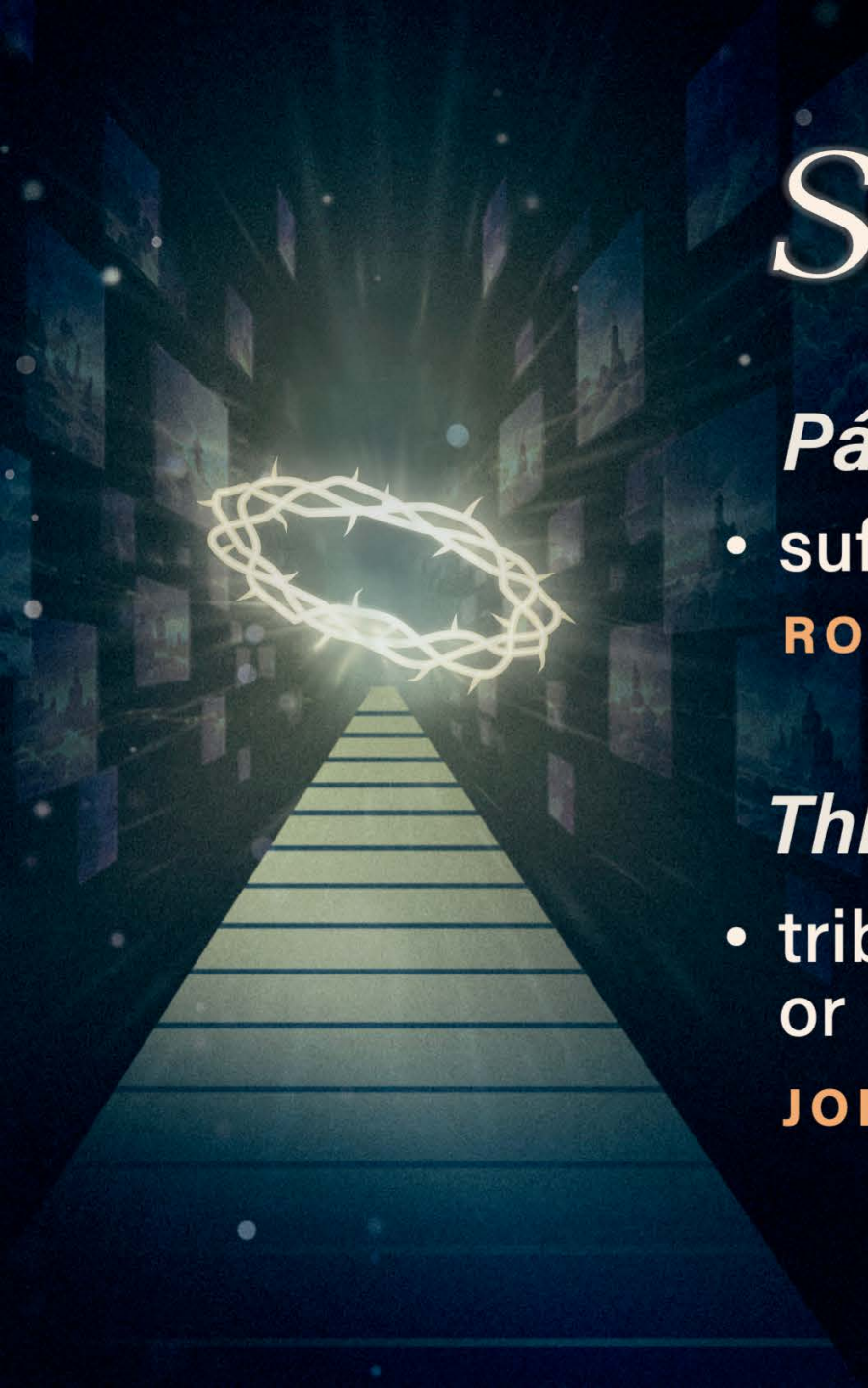


PART 3/4


HOW DO WE
DEAL WITH
SUFFERING?
PART 4/4



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SUFFERING

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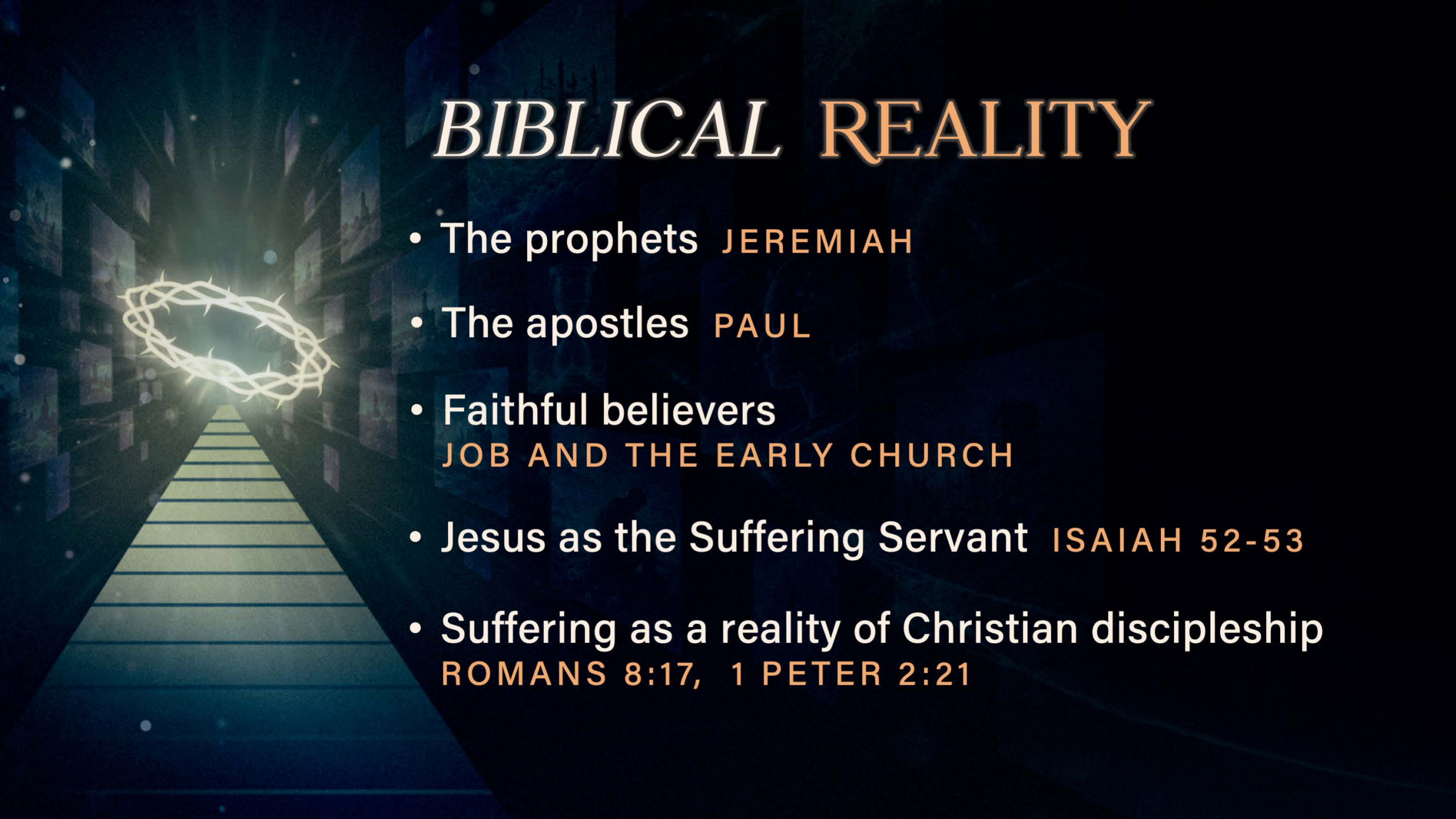
- suffering, hardship, affliction [earthly trials]

ROMANS 8:18; 1 PETER 4:13

Thlipsik / thlípsis

- tribulation, affliction, distress, oppression, or pressure

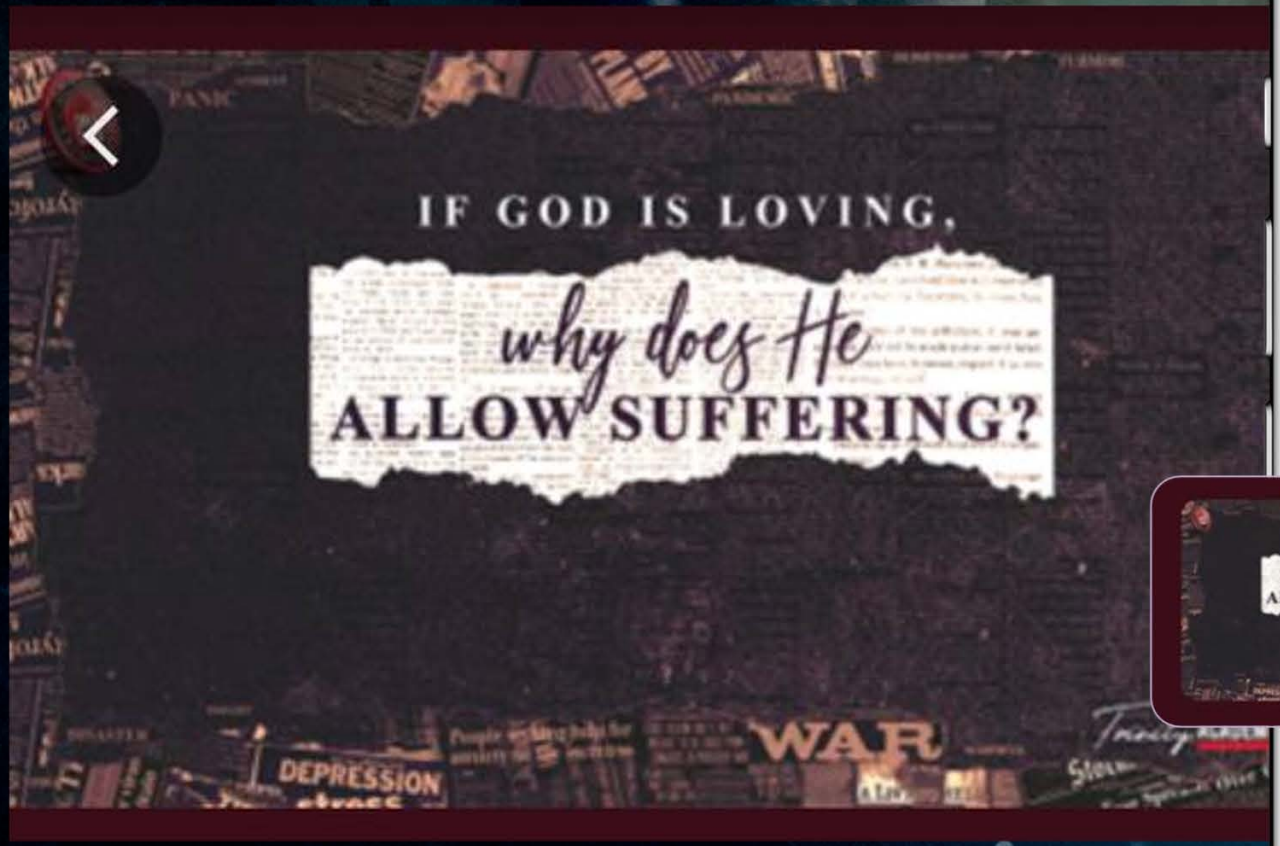
JOHN 16:33; ROMANS 5:3



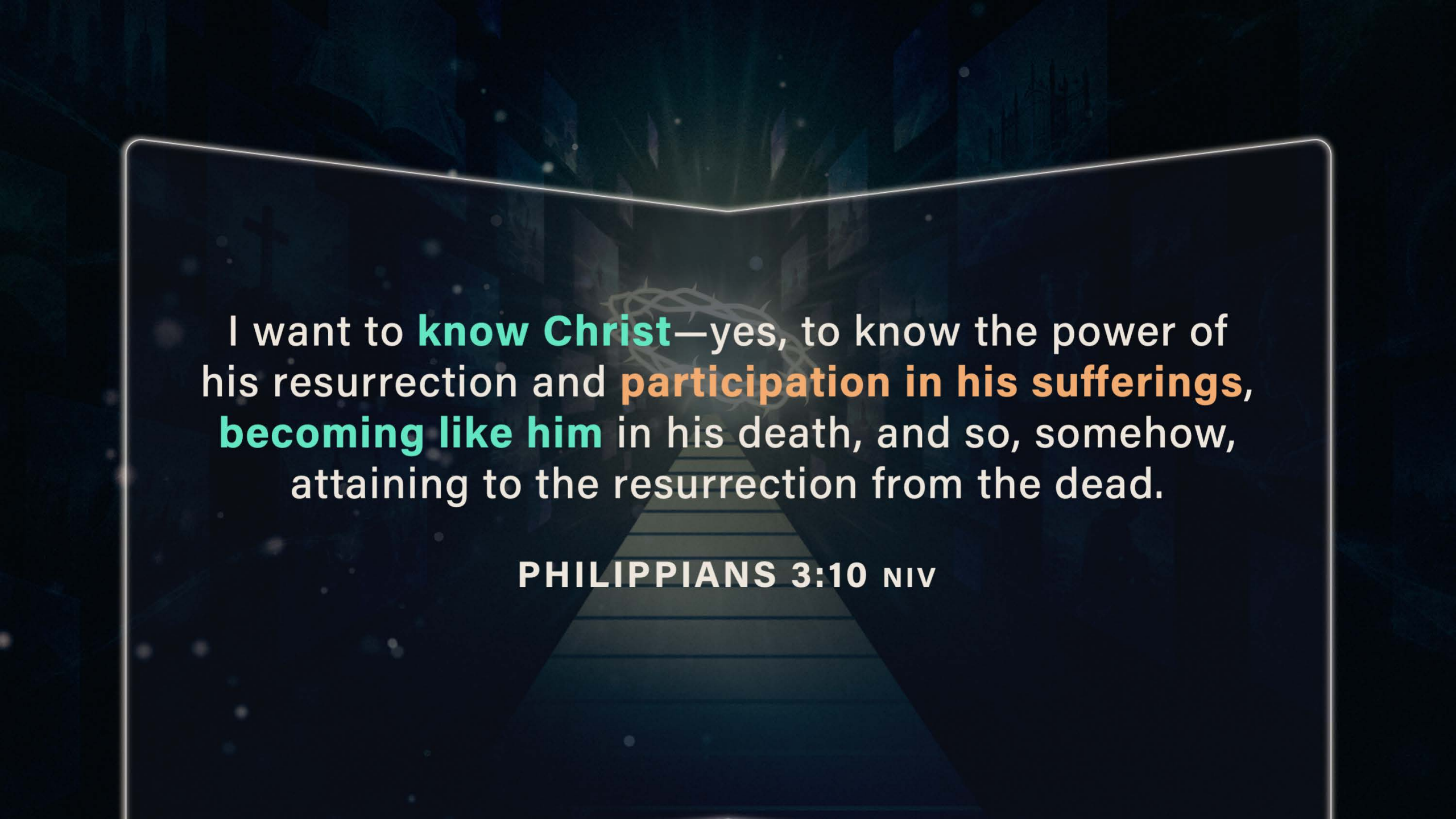
BIBLICAL REALITY

- The prophets JEREMIAH
- The apostles PAUL
- Faithful believers
  JOB AND THE EARLY CHURCH
- Jesus as the Suffering Servant ISAIAH 52-53
- Suffering as a reality of Christian discipleship
  ROMANS 8:17, 1 PETER 2:21

TRINITY ACADEMY ON-THE-GO






I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of
his resurrection and participation in his sufferings,
becoming like him in his death, and so, somehow,
attaining to the resurrection from the dead.
PHILIPPIANS 3:10 NIV



ENCOUNTER GOD

IN THE MIDST OF SUFFERING

Encounter His Manifest Presence

Even though I walk
through the darkest valley,
I will fear no evil,
for **you are with me**;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.

PSALM 23:4 NIV


HEBREWS 4:14-16

Experience the formative work of the Holy Spirit in our lives

Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that **suffering produces** perseverance; **perseverance**, character; and **character**, hope. And **hope** does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

ROMANS 5:3-5

Embrace Eternal Hope



REVELATION 21:3-4

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For our light and momentary troubles
are achieving for us **an eternal glory**
that far outweighs them all.

2 CORINTHIANS 4:17 NIV



ROMANS 8:18-38

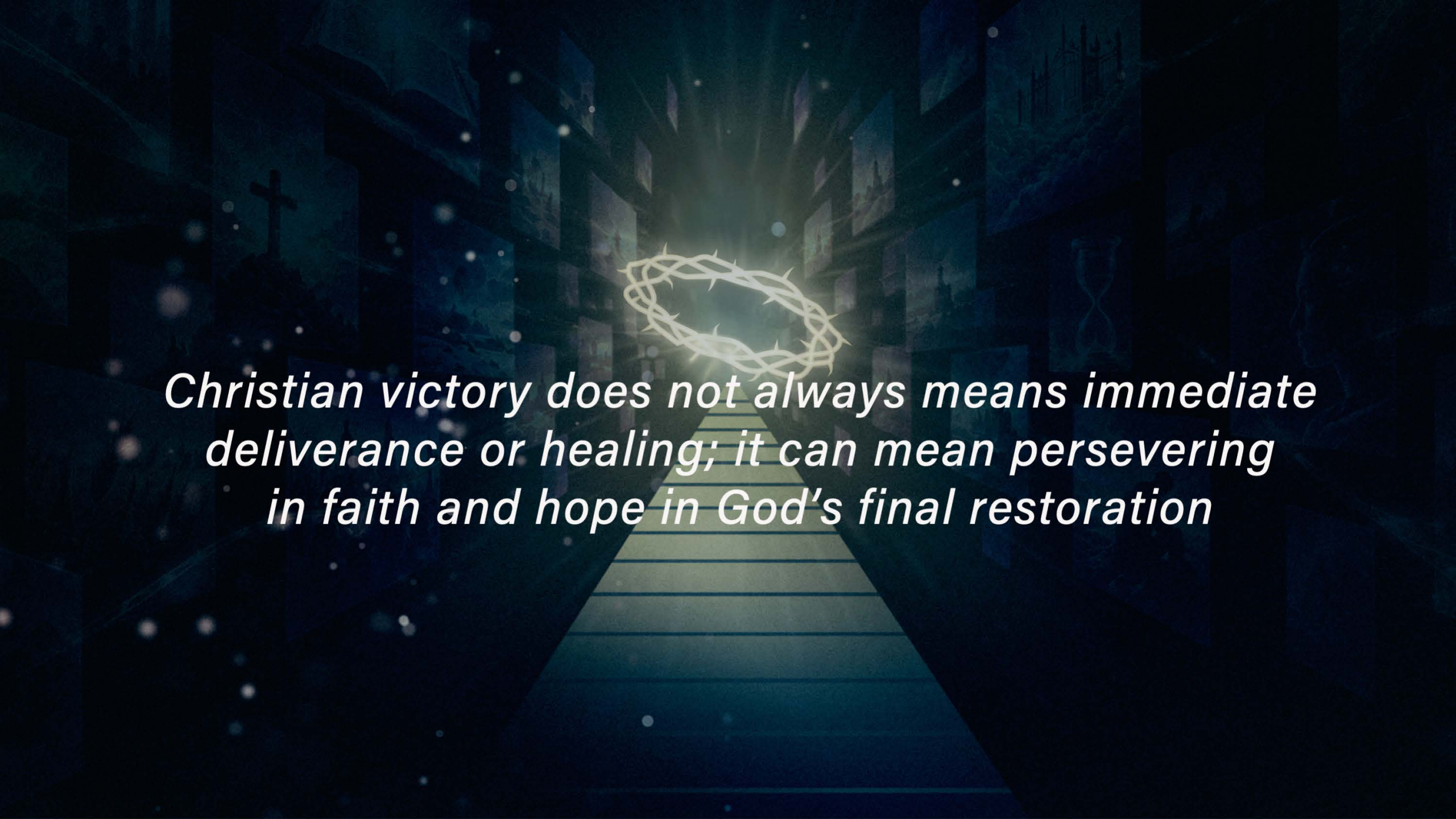

Future glory outweighs present sufferings
God has planned something better for us

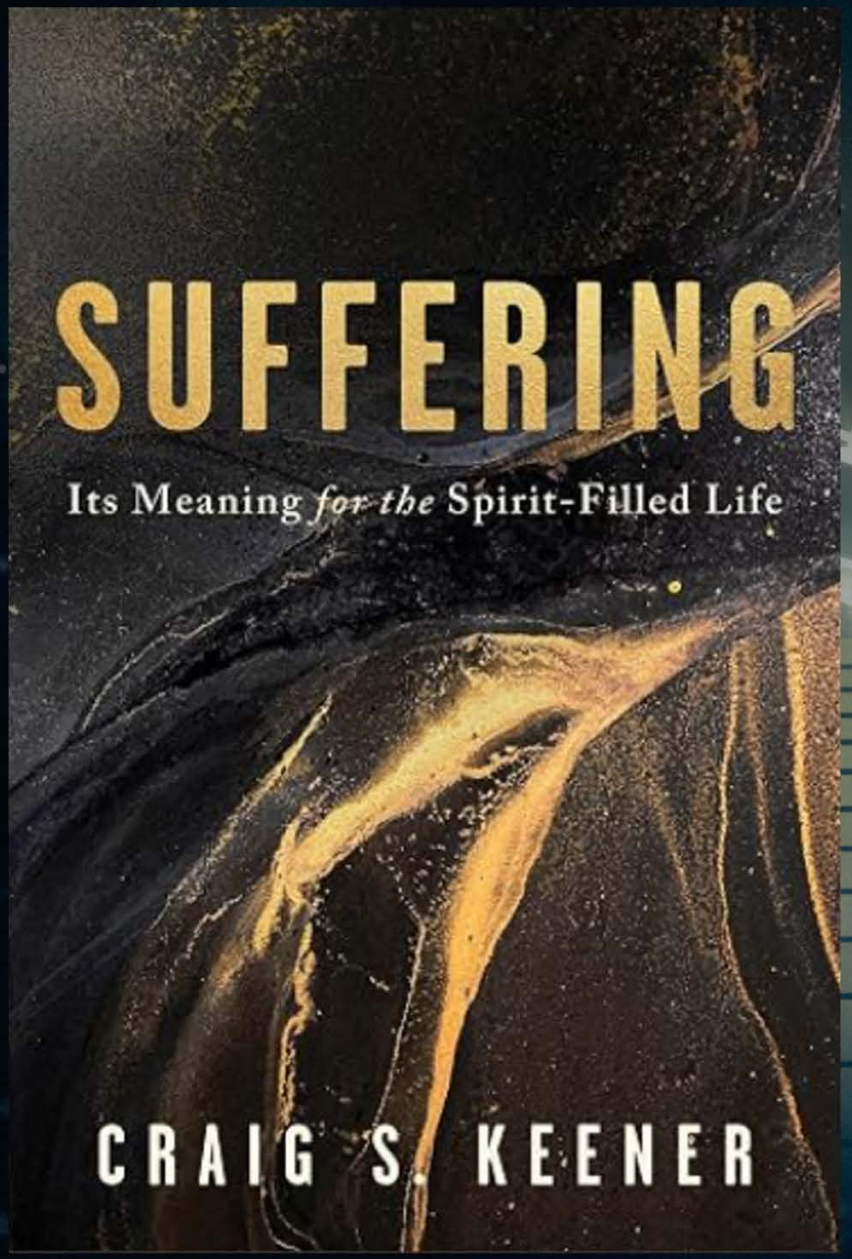


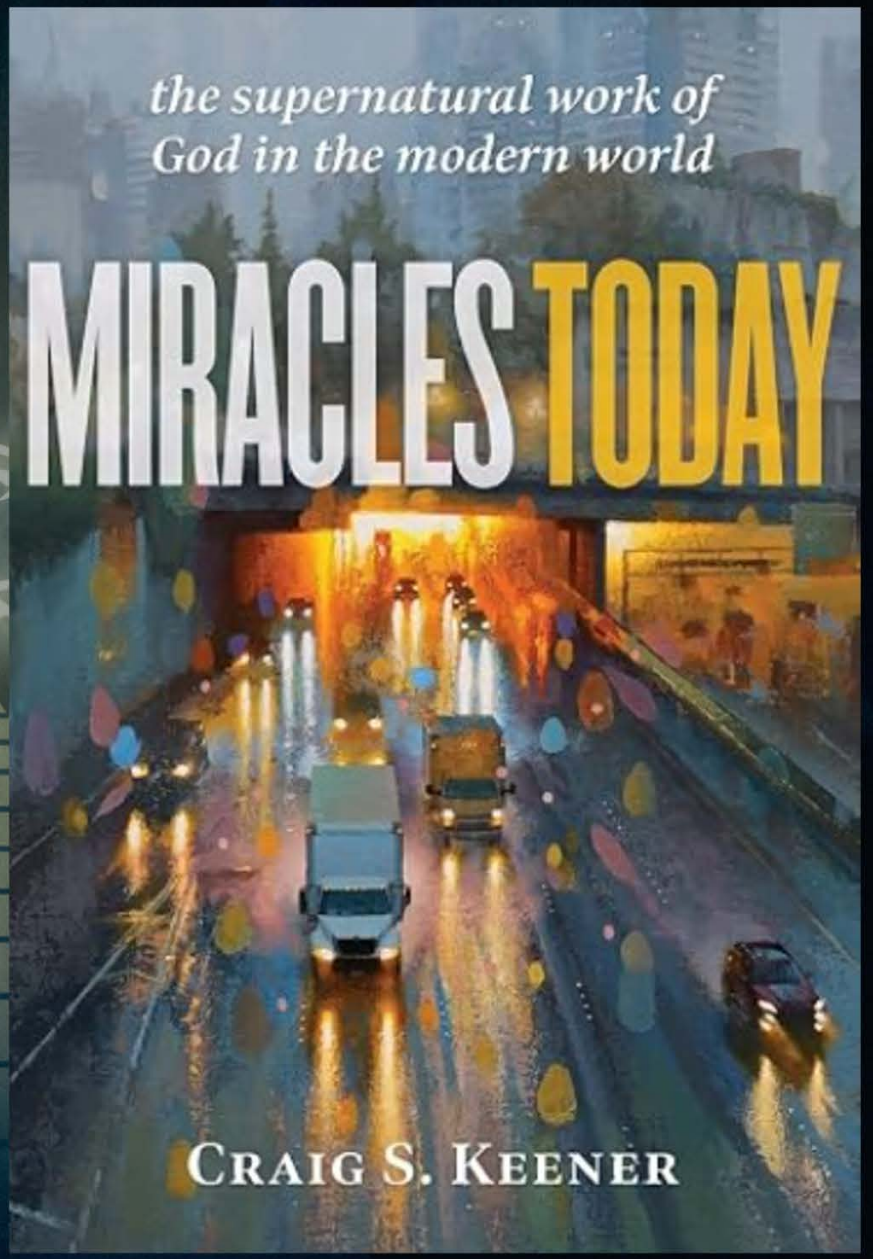


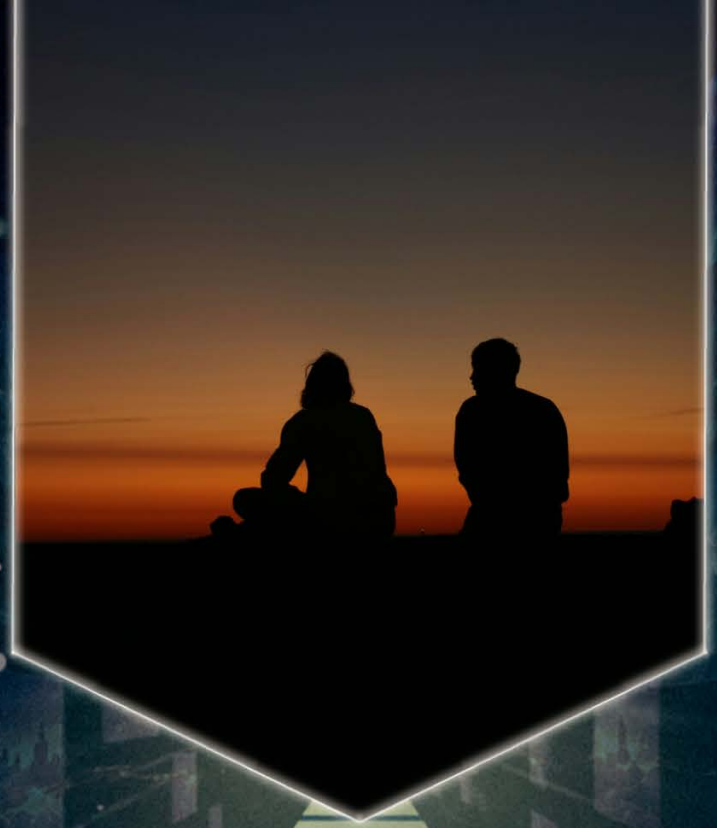


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Christian victory does not always means immediate deliverance or healing; it can mean persevering in faith and hope in God's final restoration


SUFFERING
Its Meaning *for the* Spirit-Filled Life
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the supernatural work of God in the modern world
MIRACLES TODAY
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EMBODY CHRIST

TO THOSE WHO ARE SUFFERING



Comfort others with God's comfort

2 CORINTHIANS 1:3-7



Be fully present

JOHN 11:33-36



Stop trying to fix suffering!
Practice the ministry of

PRESENCE

Enhanced Pastoral Care
from Jan 2026

LET'S STAY in TOUCH

- Provide support for Trinitarians with terminal illnesses or will be going through major operations





Demonstrate love through practical help

1 JOHN 3:16-18



Pray for persecuted believers worldwide

HEBREWS 13:3

1 PETER 5:8-9

HOW DO WE

DEAL WITH SUFFERING?

Encounter God in the midst of suffering

- Encounter His Manifest Presence
- Experience His formative work of the Holy Spirit
- Embrace Eternal Hope

Embody Christ to those who are suffering

- Comfort others with God's comfort
- Be fully present
- Demonstrate love through practical help
- Pray for persecuted believers worldwide



ARE YOU READY FOR THE END?

- Bitter
- Abandon God
- Shocked





- Better
- Faithful to the end
- Be ready

DECLARE TOGETHER

[17]If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to deliver us from it, and he will deliver us from Your Majesty's hand. [18]But even if he does not, we want you to know, Your Majesty, that we will not serve your gods or worship the image of gold you have set up."

DANIEL 3:17-18 NIV