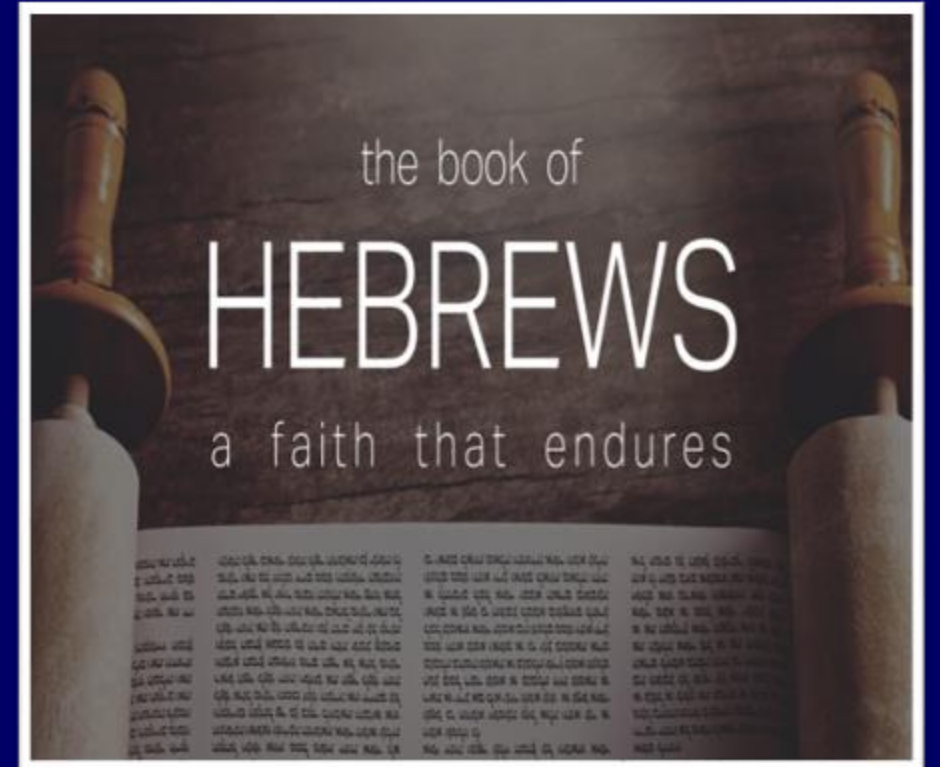


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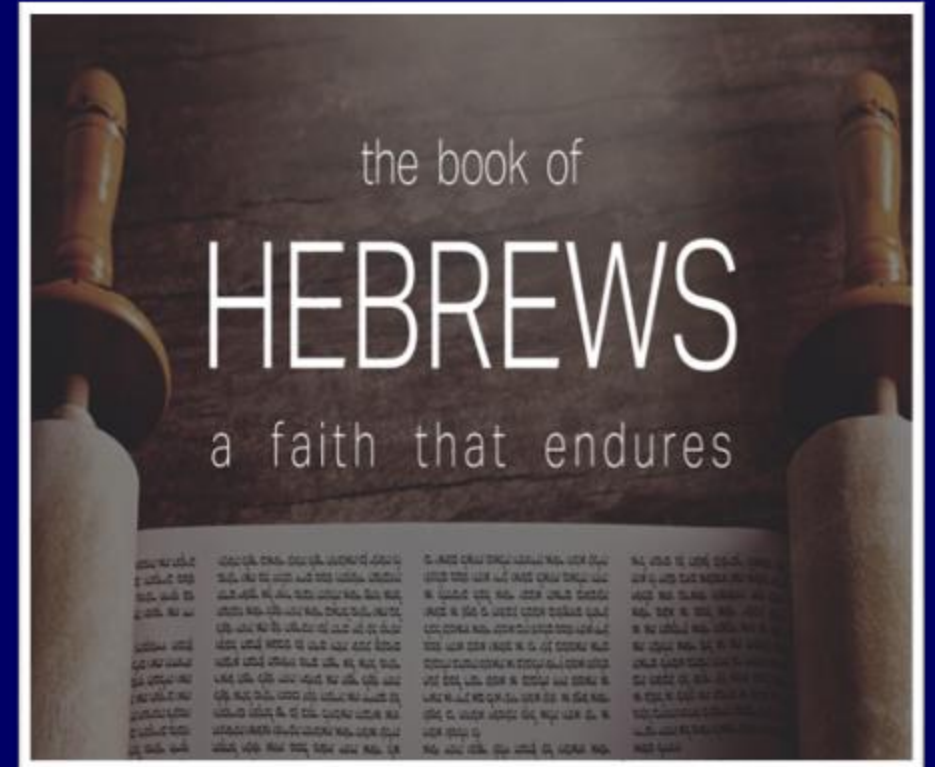
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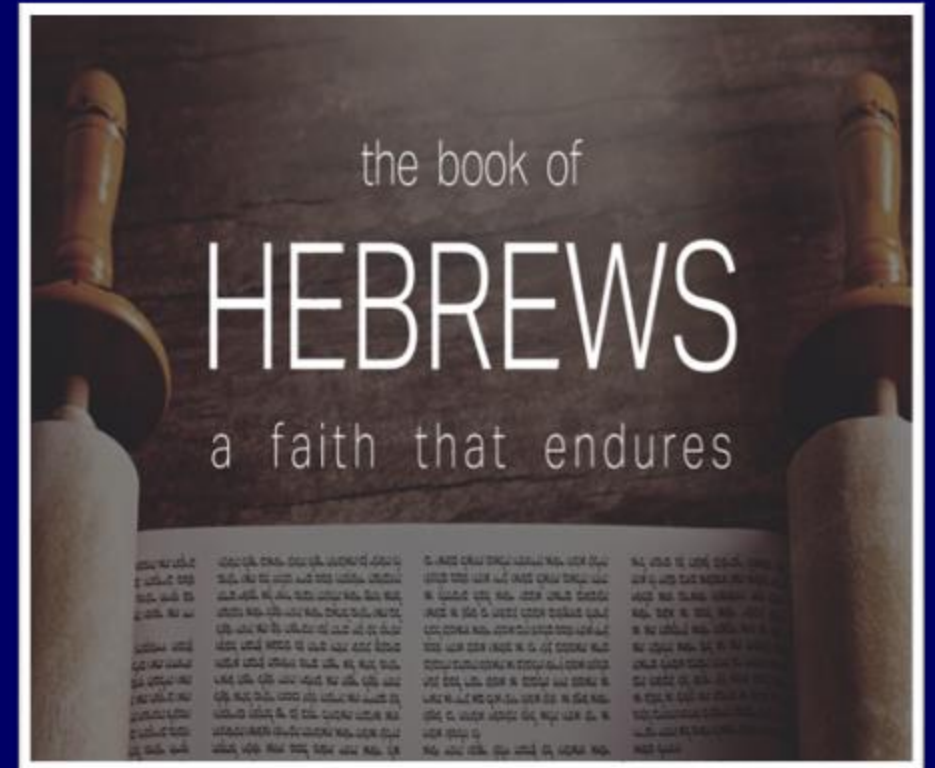
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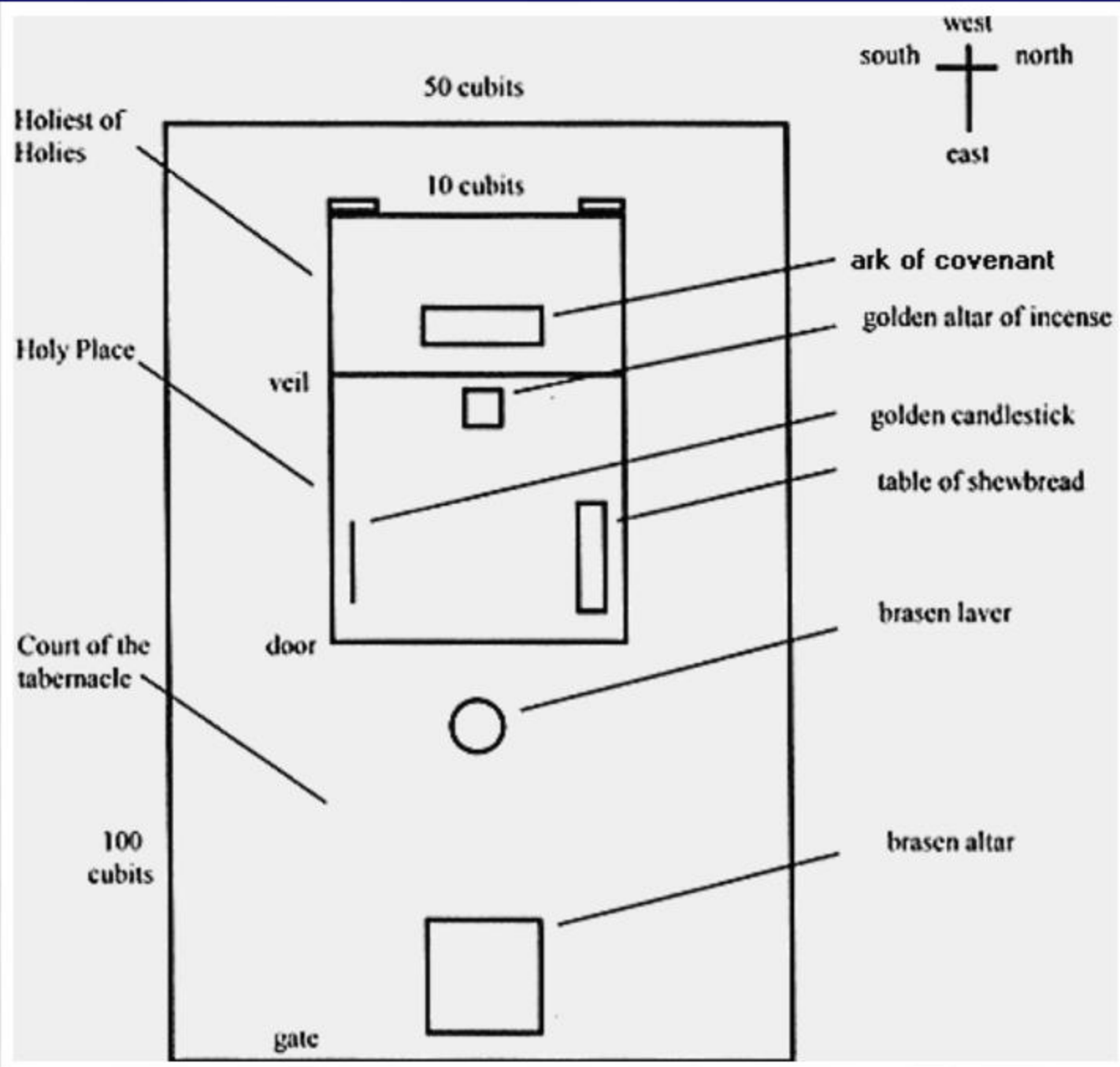
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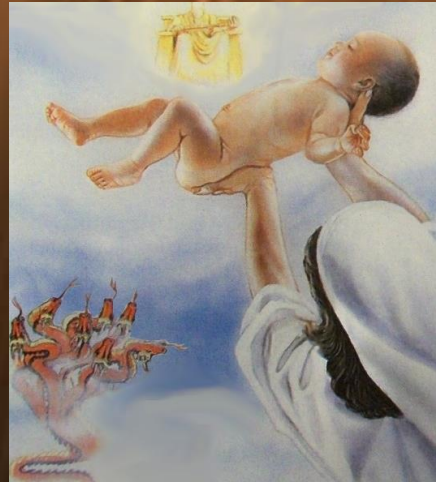
PROMISE TO THE OVERCOMERS

“He who overcomes, I will grant [future tense of *didōmi*] to him to sit down with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down [aorist tense of *kathizō*] with My Father on His throne.”

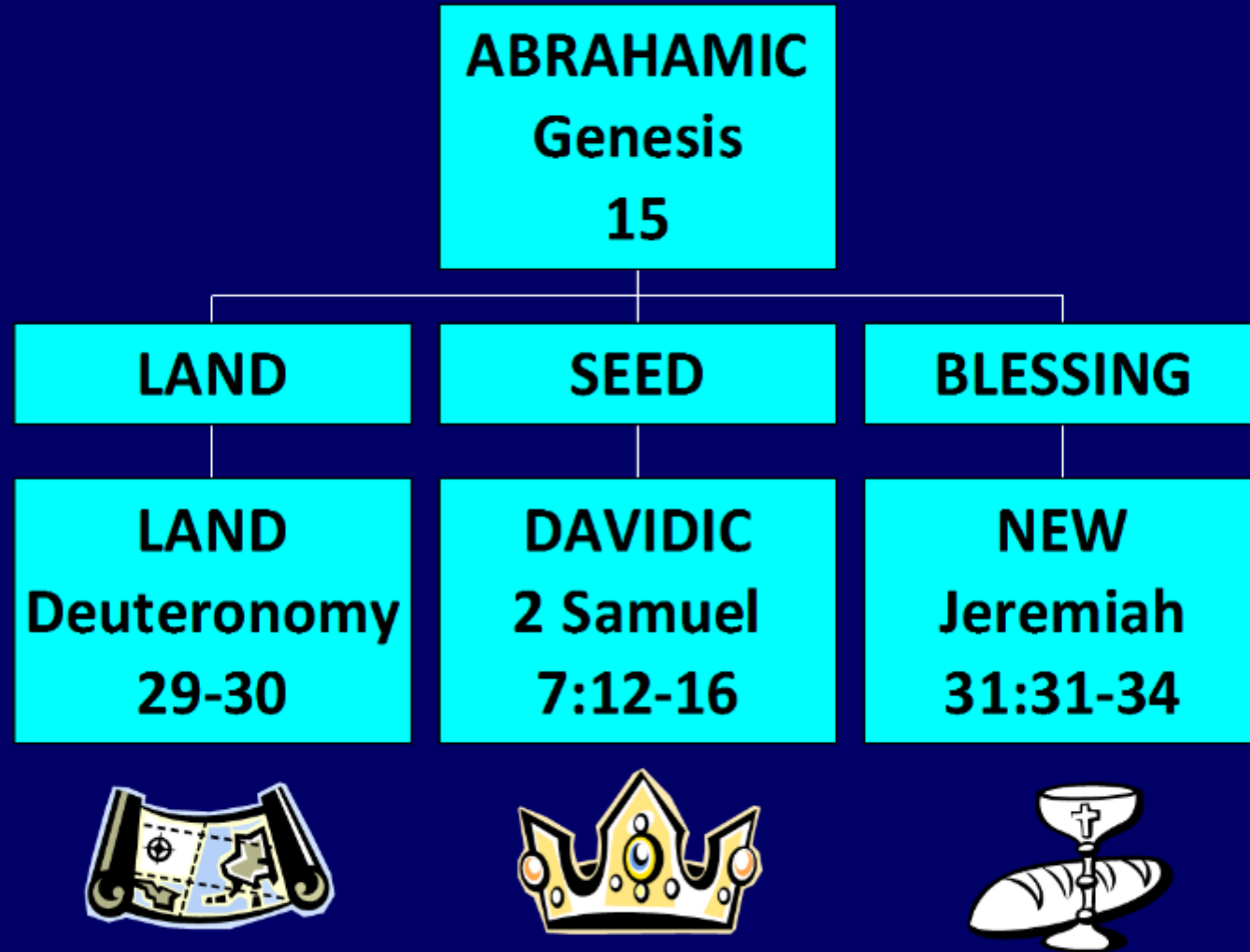


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“And she gave birth to a son, a male *child*, who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron; and her child was caught up to God and to His throne.”

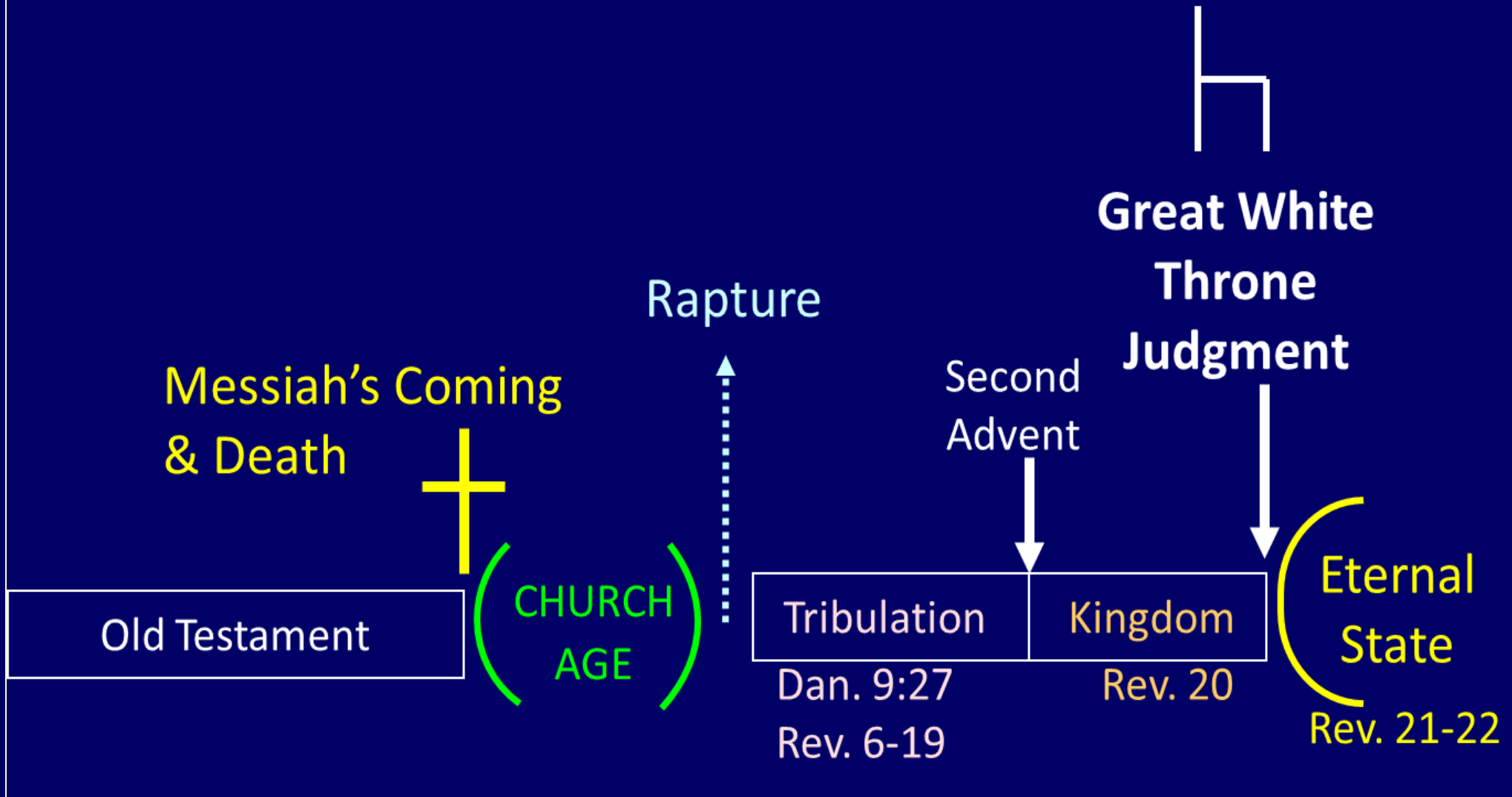


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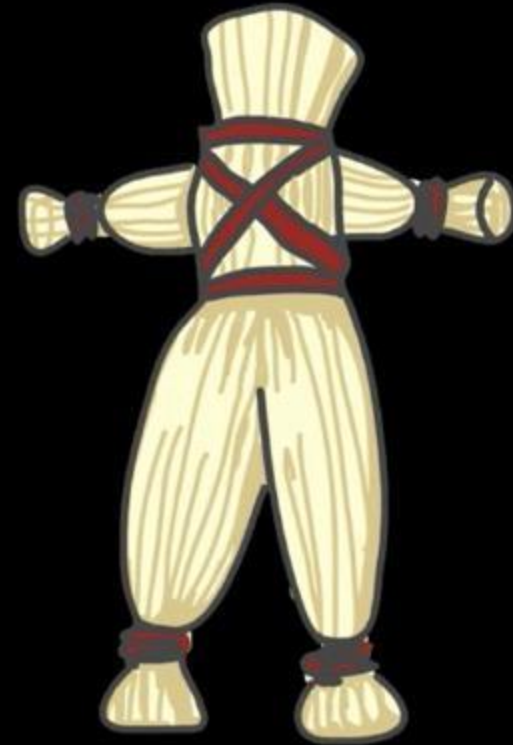


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STRAW MAN FALLACY





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1. Sustains creation (Col. 1:16-17)	7. Keeps the Saints (John 10:27-29; 1 Pet. 1:5)
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5. Bestowal of Spiritual Gifts (Eph. 4:7-12)	11. Disciplines His children (Heb. 12:5-13)
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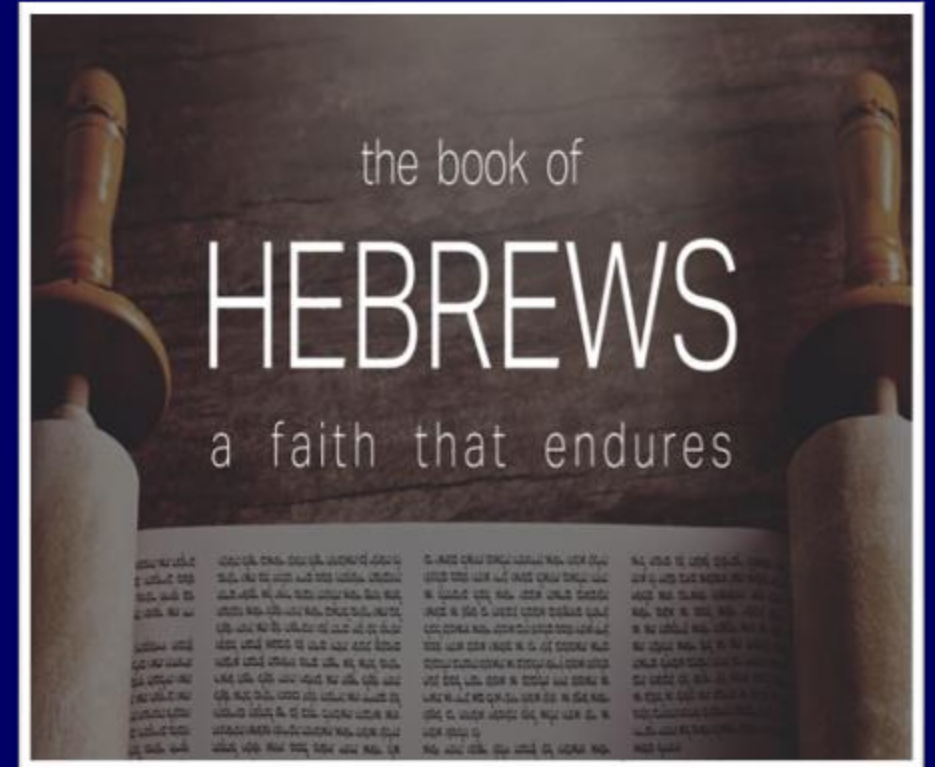
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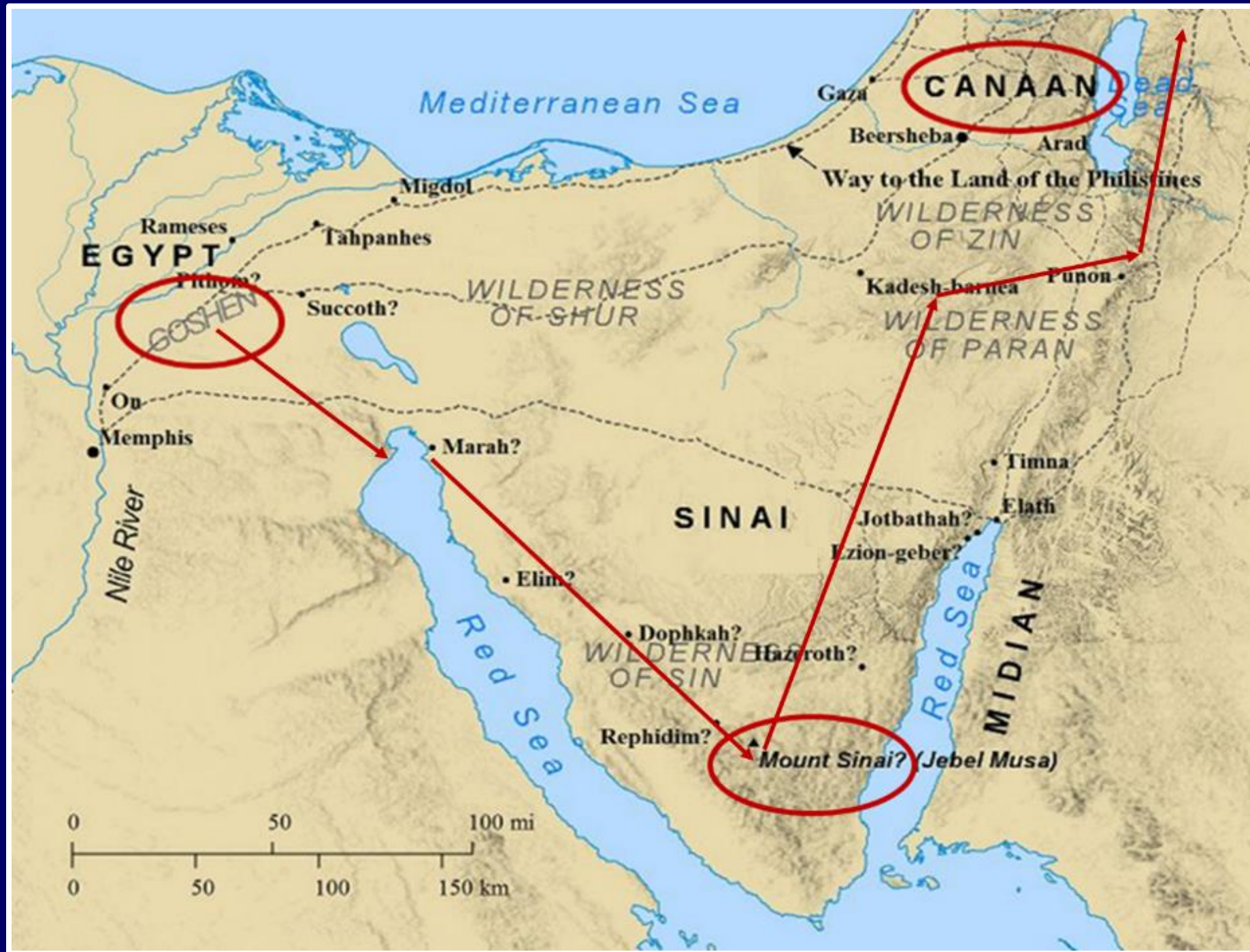
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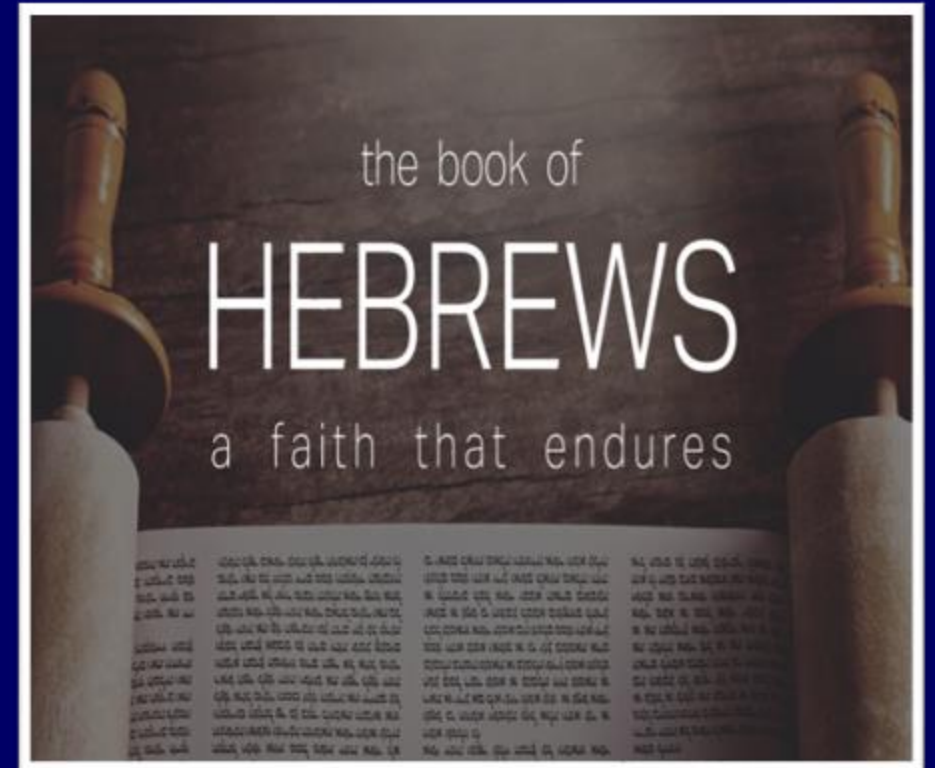




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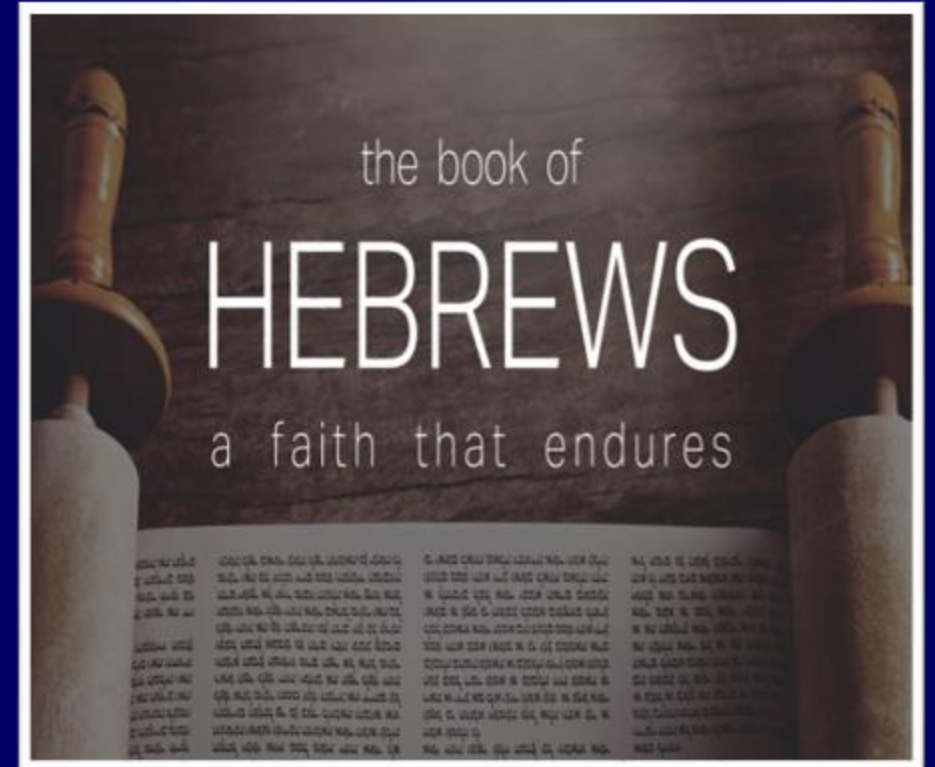
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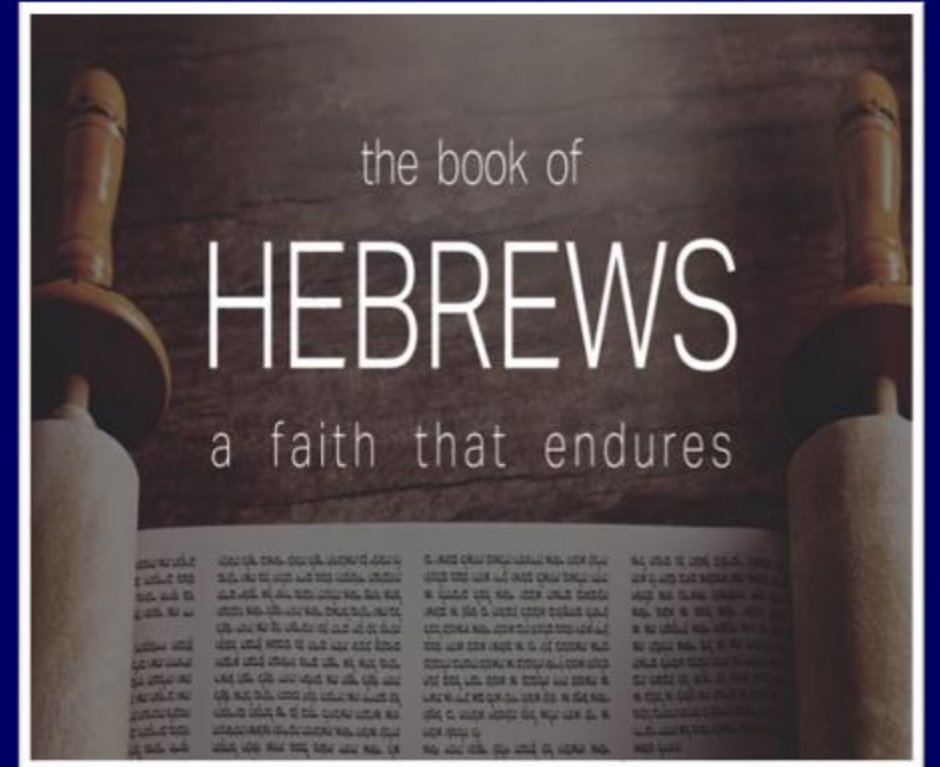
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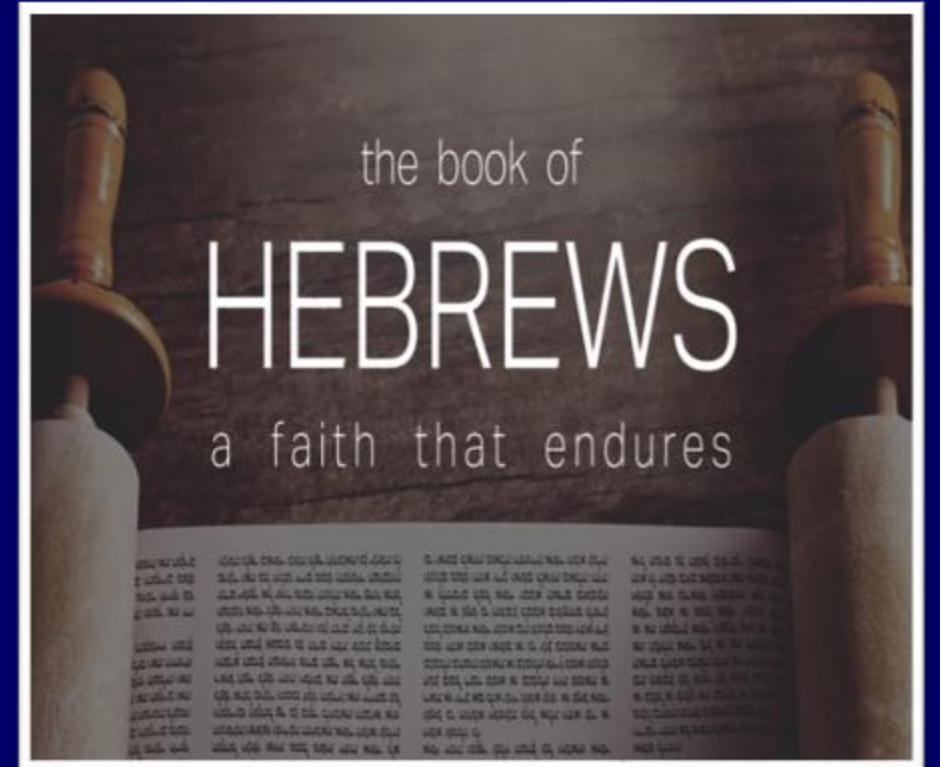
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Galatians 4:7

“Therefore you are no longer a slave, but a son; and if a son, then an heir through God.”

INHERITANCE



Nicene Creed (AD 325)

“I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; **BEGOTTEN, NOT MADE**, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made. Who, for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of Life; who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.”

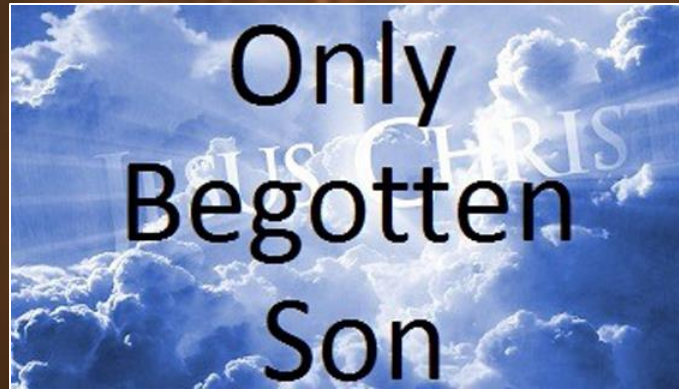
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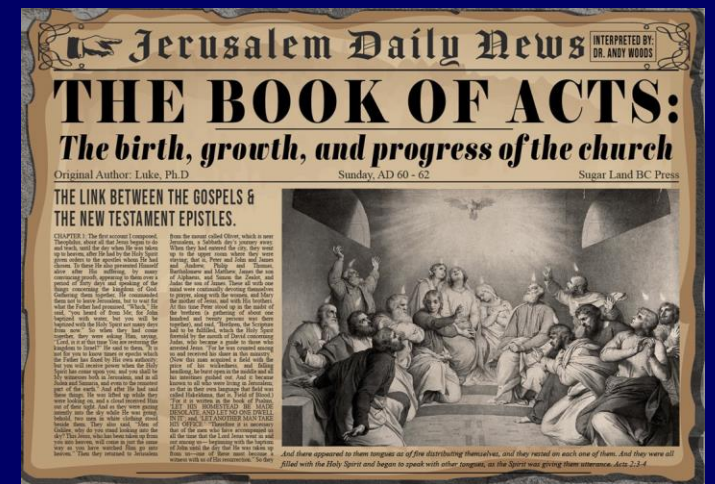
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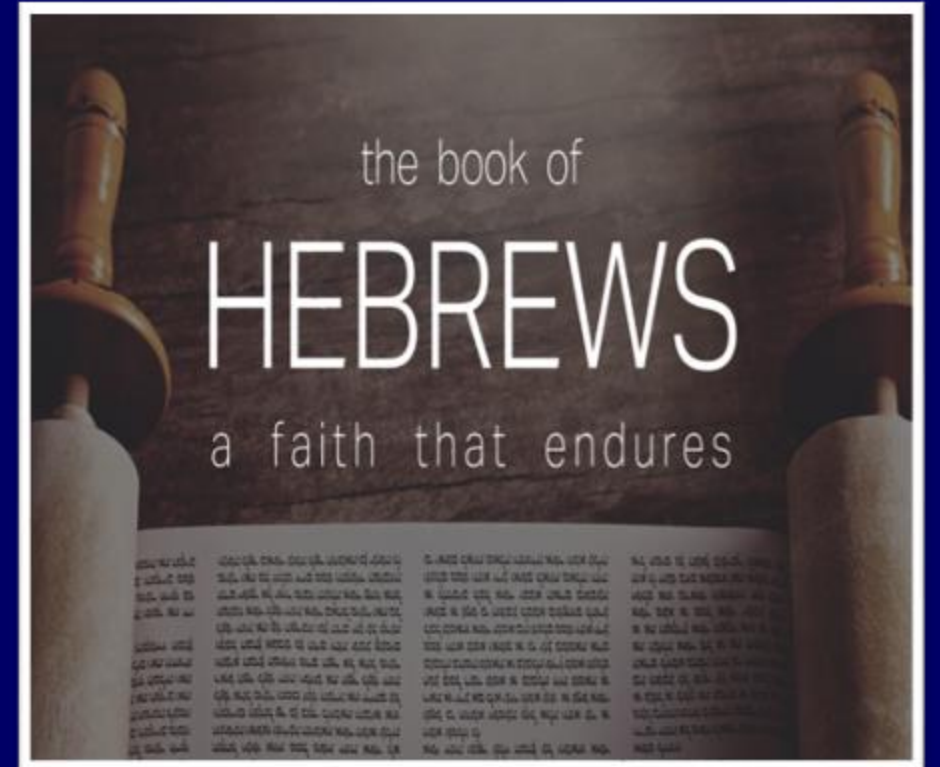
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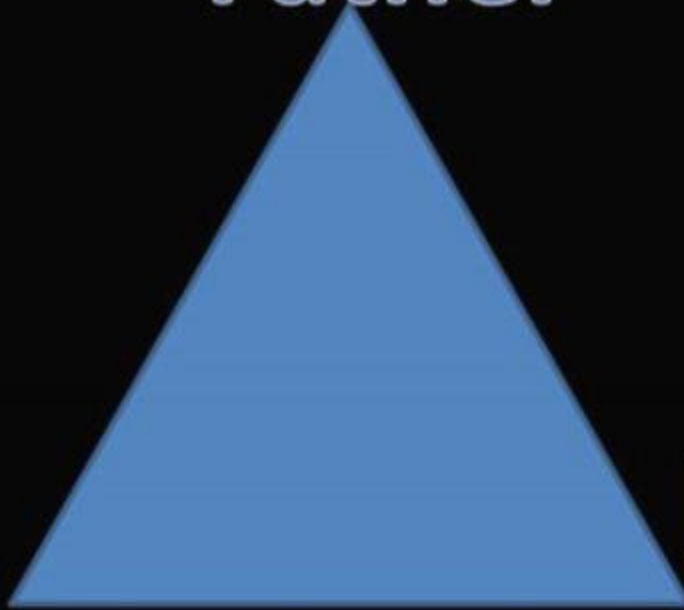


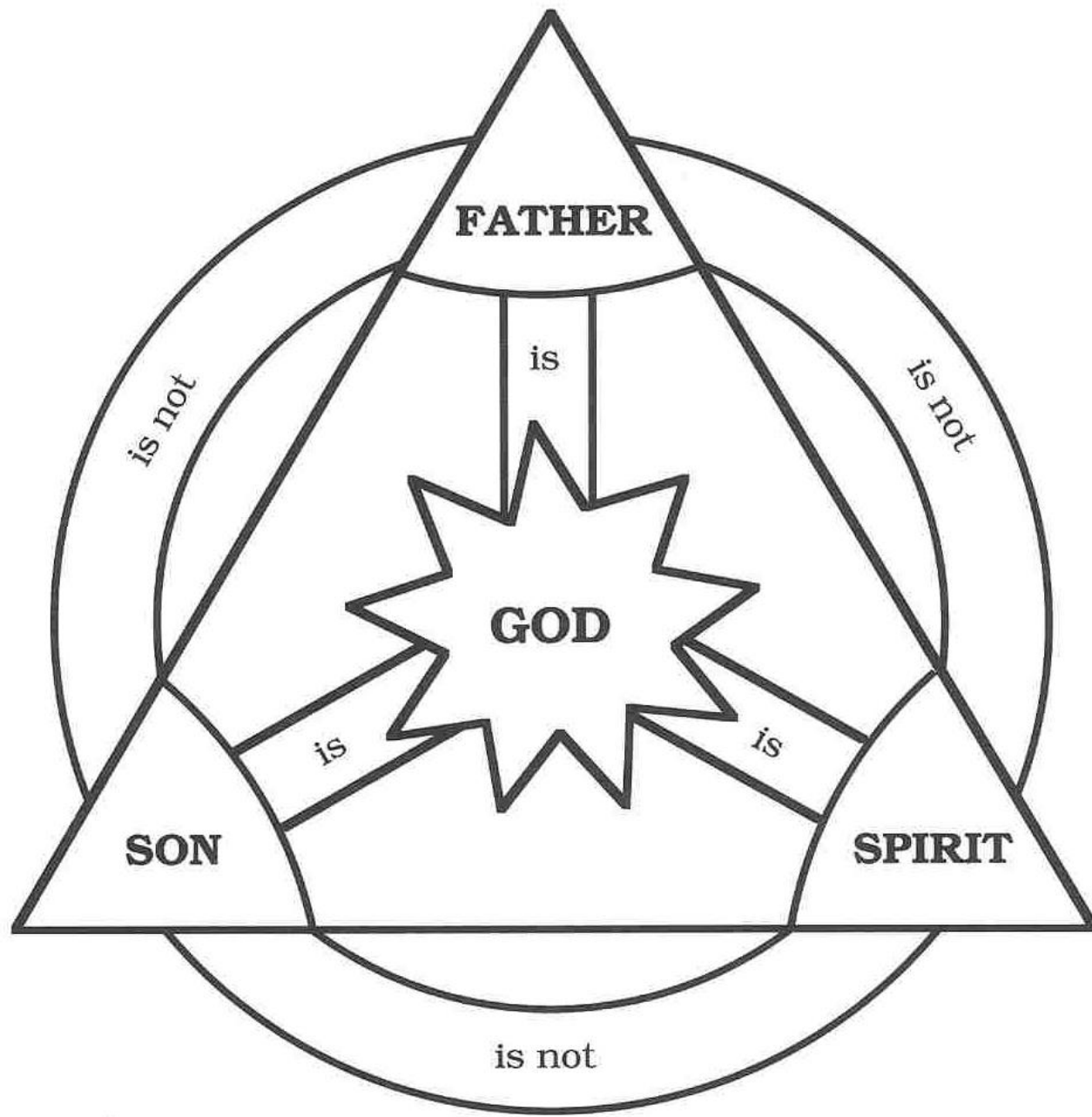
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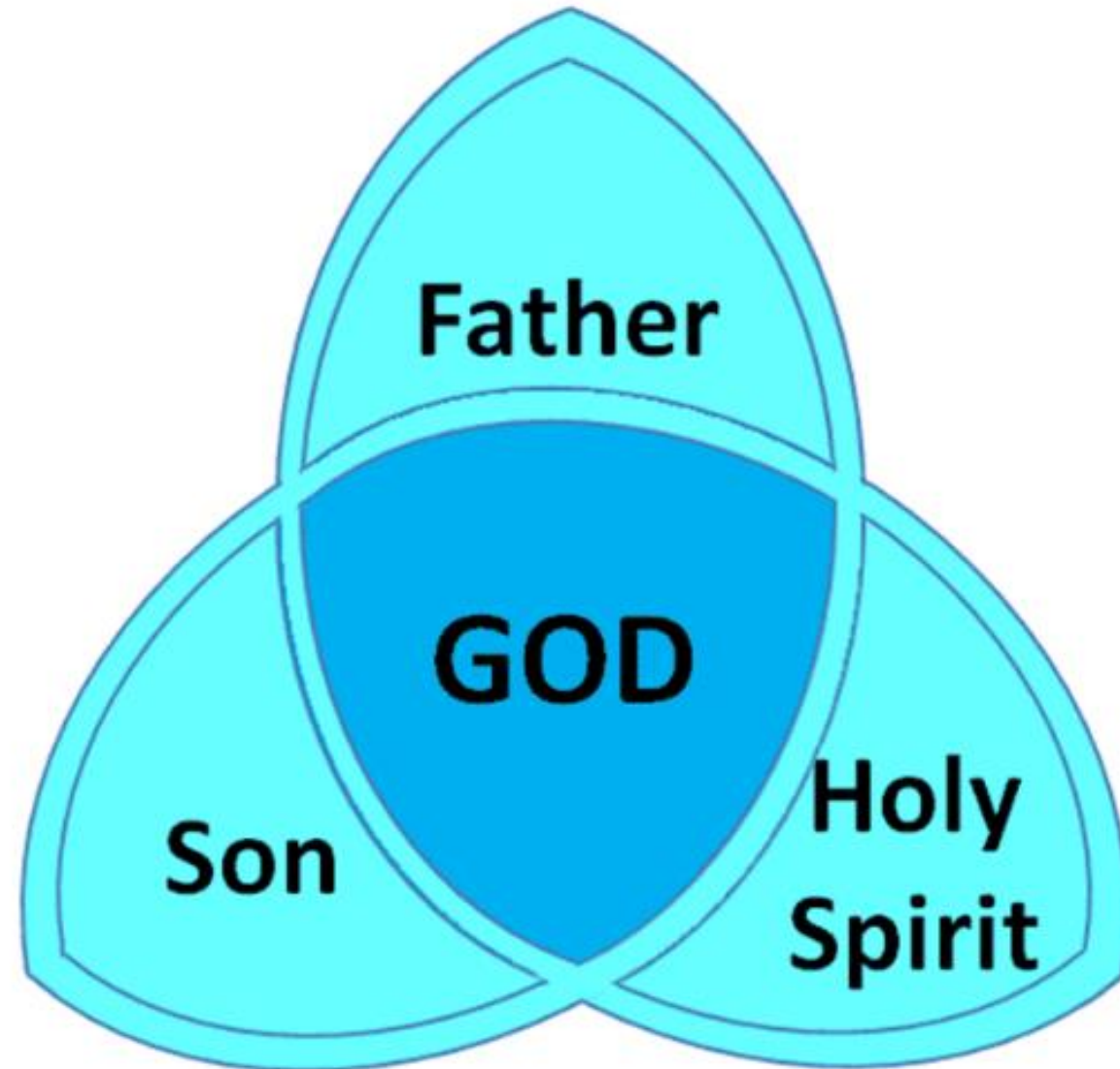
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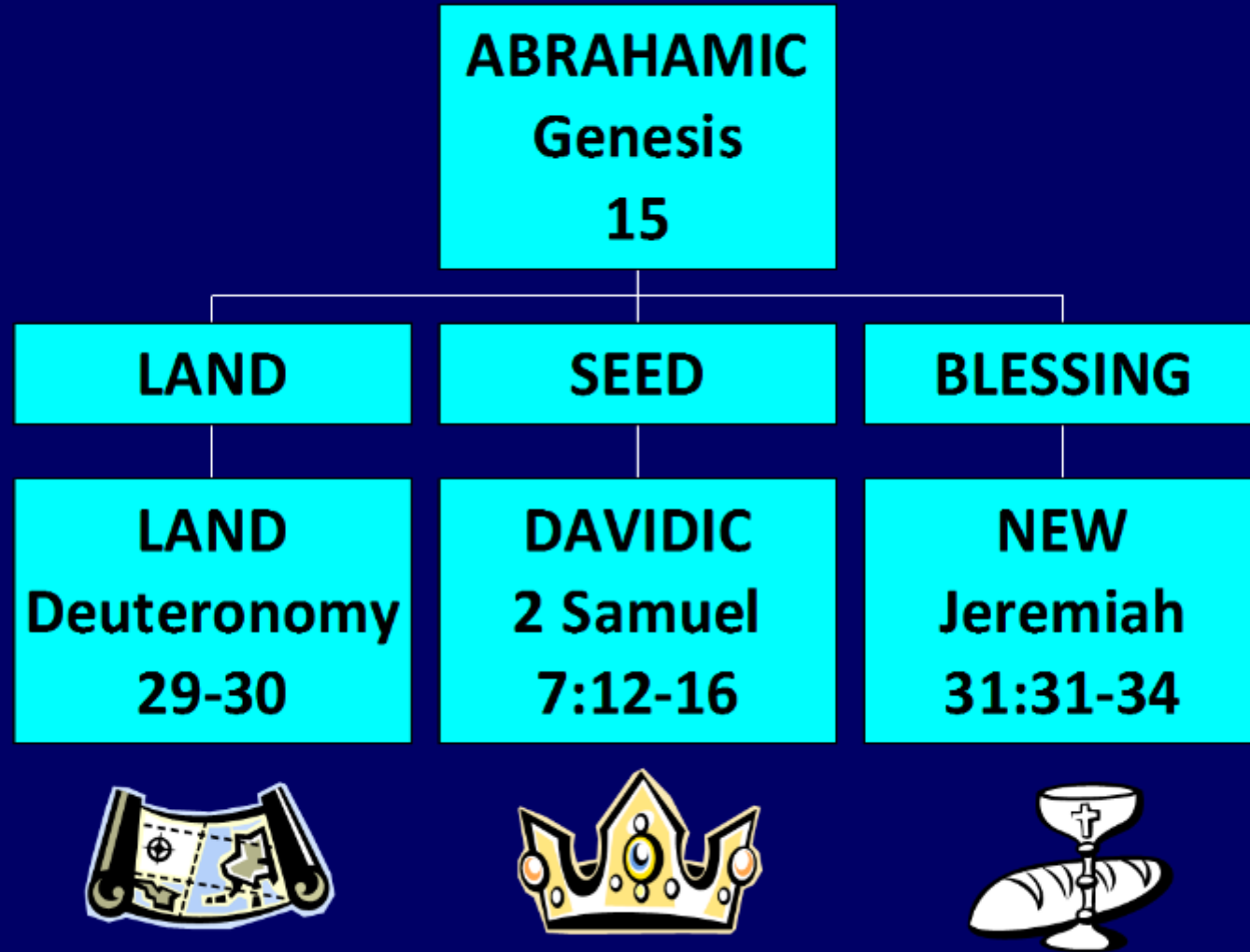




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2 Samuel 7:8, 16

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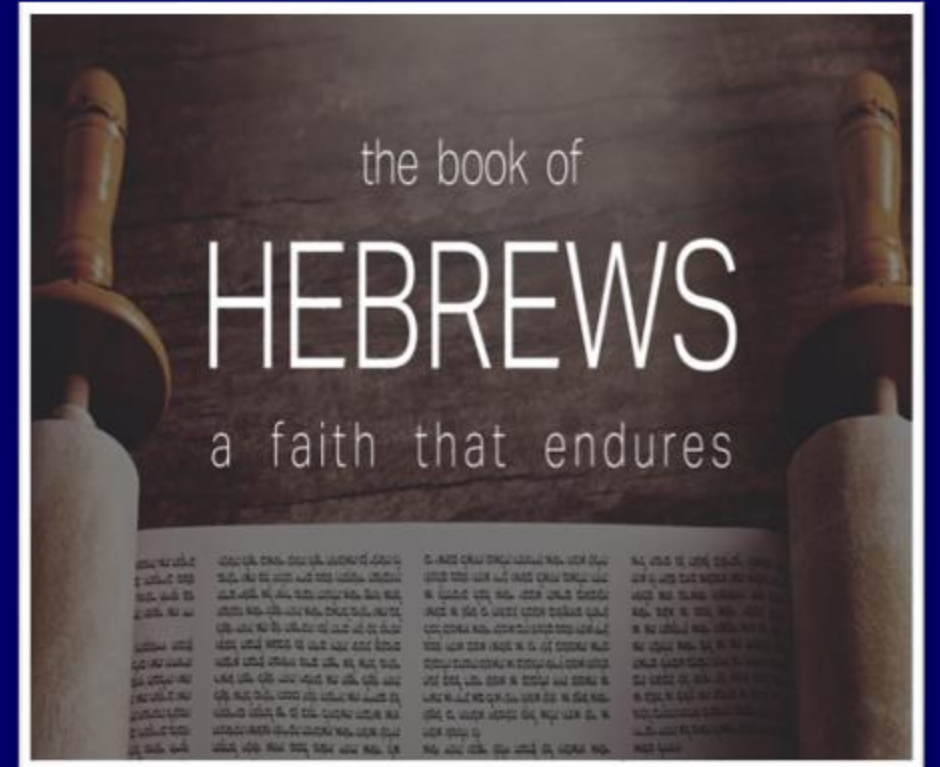


Jesus Genealogy According to Matthew

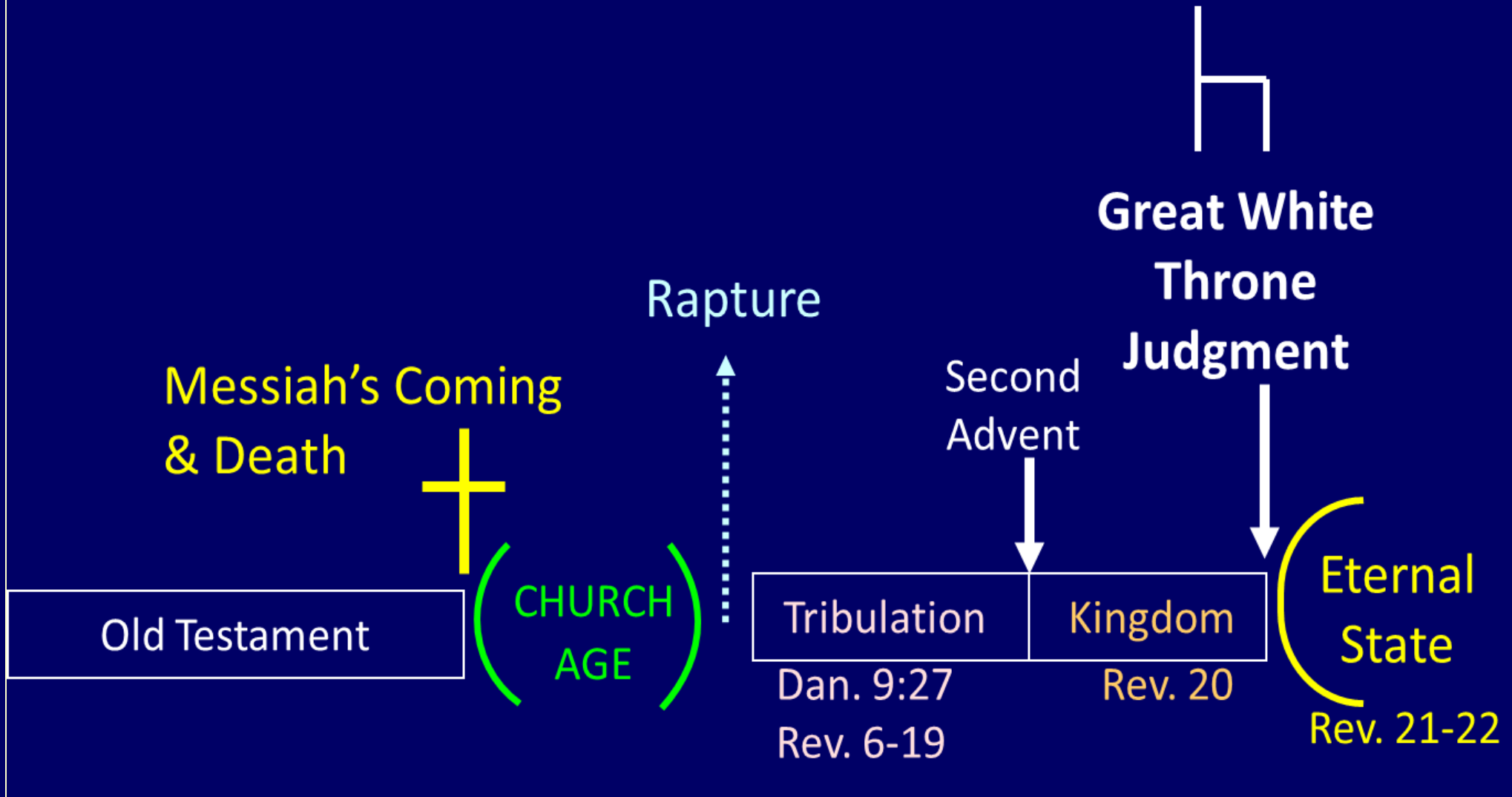
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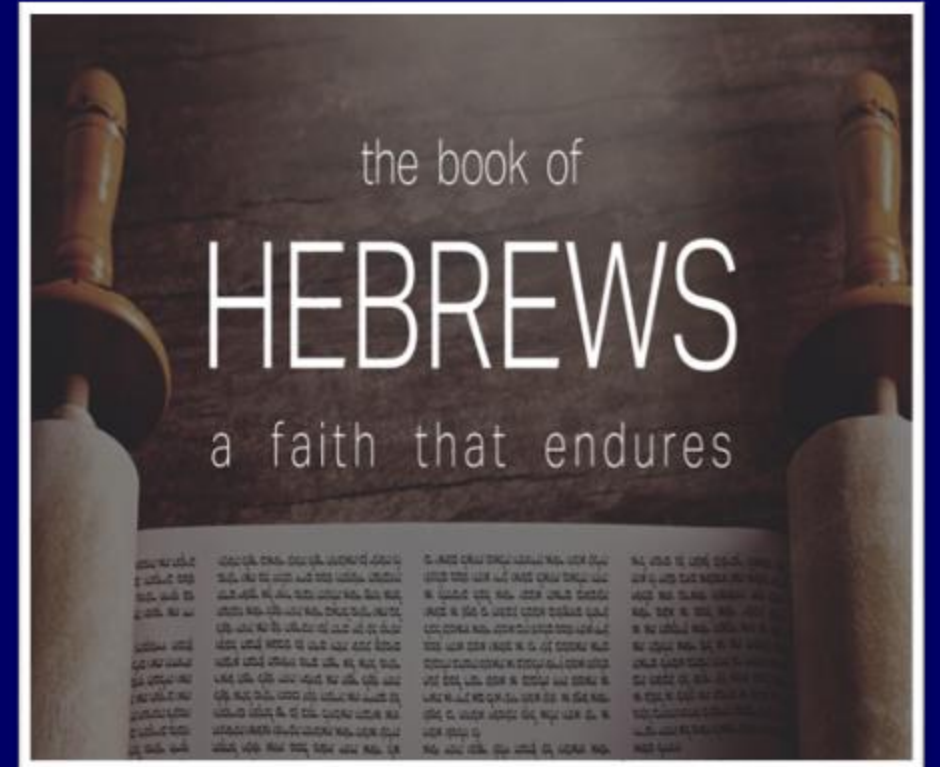


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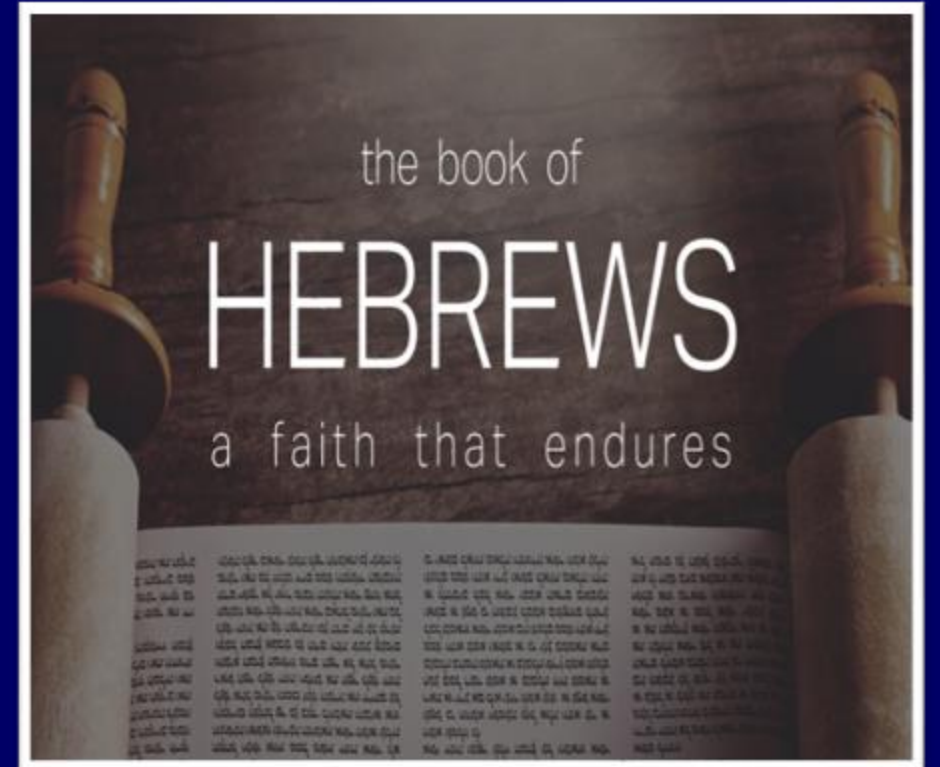
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Psalm 90:2

“Before the mountains were born Or You gave birth to the earth and the world, Even from everlasting (olam) to everlasting (olam), You are God.”

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Olam - Eternity



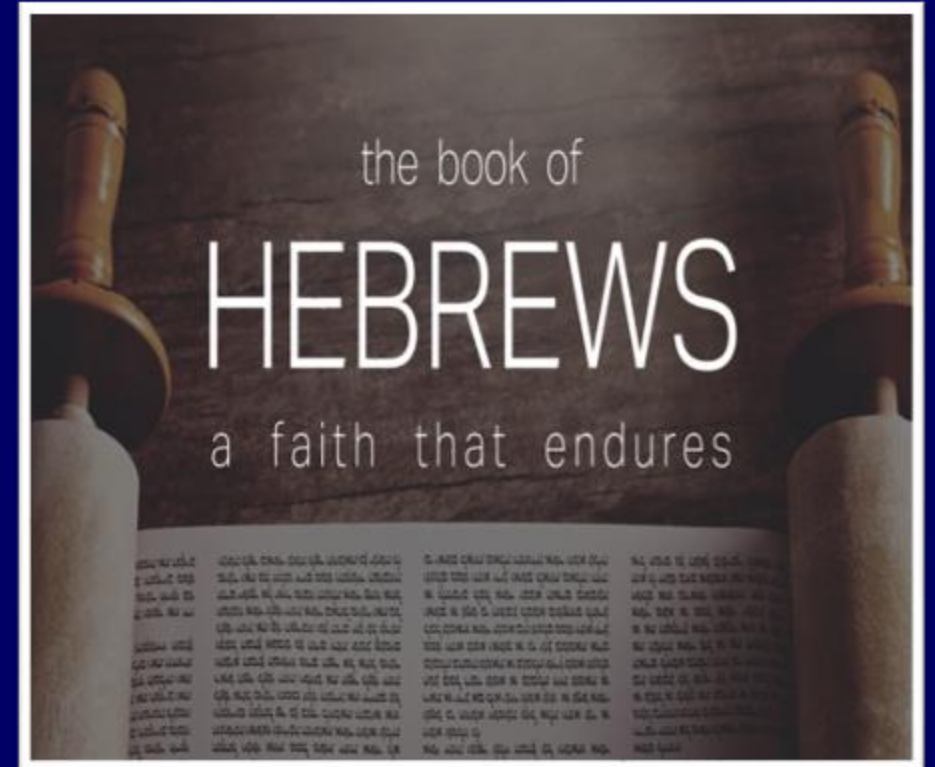
Micah 5:2

“But as for you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, *Too little to be among the clans of Judah, From you One will go forth for Me to be ruler in Israel. His goings forth are from long ago, From the days of eternity (olam).*”



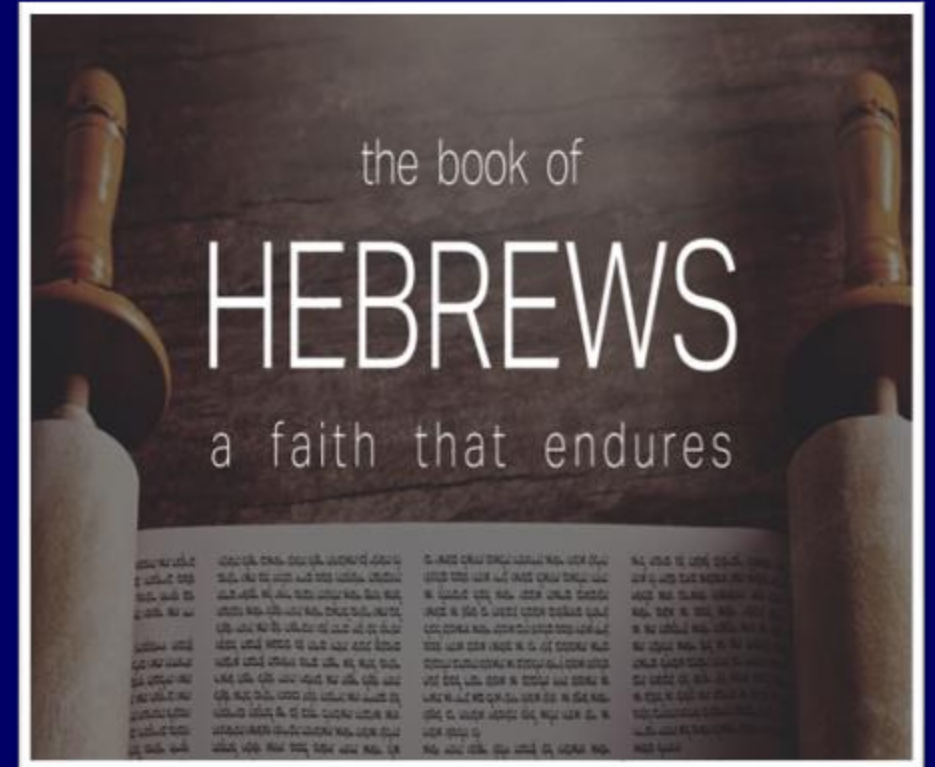
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Matthew 5:18; 24:35

“5:18 For truly I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or stroke shall pass from the Law until all is accomplished. . . .^{24:35} Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will not pass away.”



TRUE GLOBAL WARMING IS COMING TO PLANET EARTH!

2 Peter 3:10

**But the day of the Lord will come like a thief,
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roar and the elements will be destroyed with
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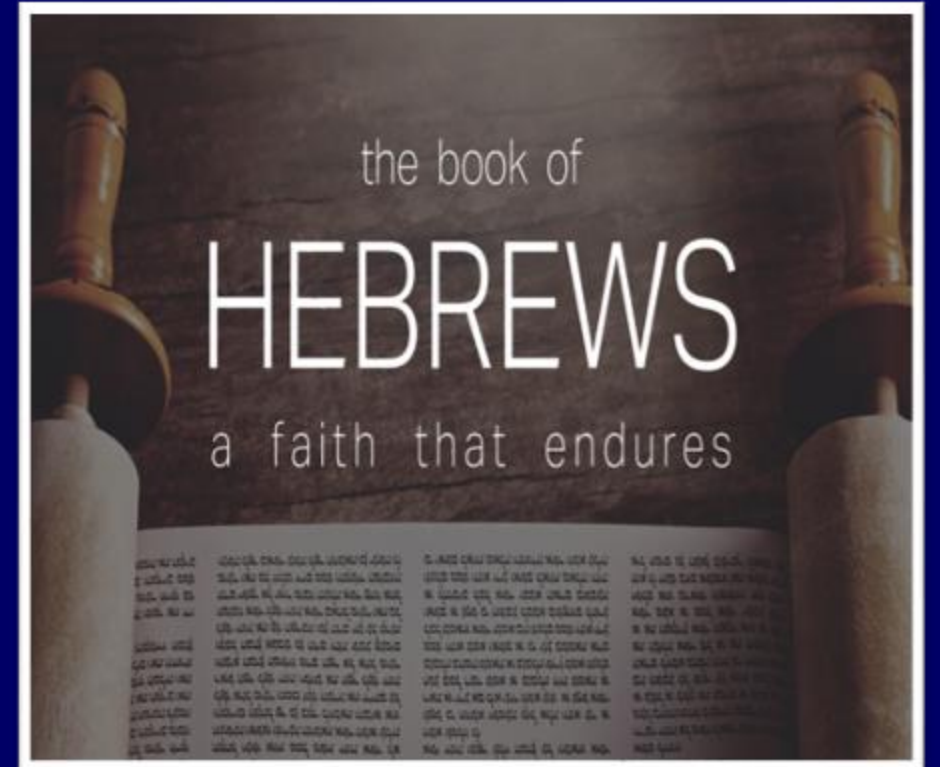
Revelation 21:1, 4

¹ Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth passed away [*apérchomai*], and there is no longer *any* sea...⁴ and He will wipe away every tear from their eyes; and there will no longer be *any* death; there will no longer be *any* mourning, or crying, or pain; the first things have passed away [*apérchomai*].



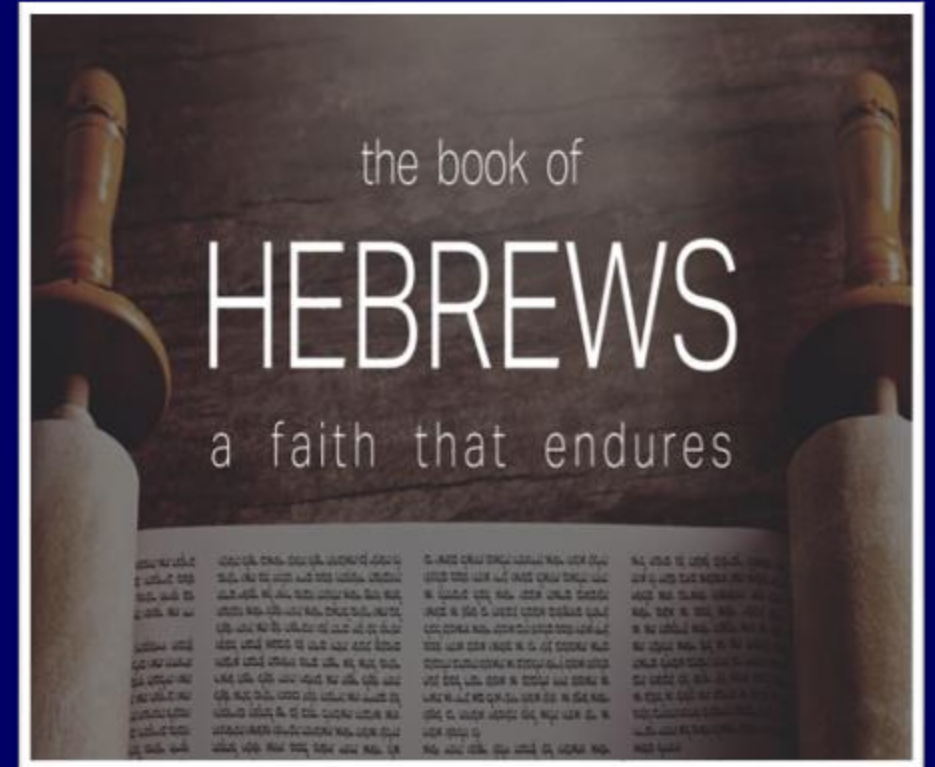
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John 17:5

“Now, Father, glorify Me together with Yourself, with the glory which I had with You before the world was.”



Names & Titles Demonstrating Satan's Post-Fall, Earthly Authority

(Job 1:7; 2:2; Luke 4:5-8; Rom. 8:19-22)



- Prince of this world (John 12:31; 14:30; 16:11)
- God of this world (2 Cor. 4:4)
- Prince and power of the air (Eph. 2:2)
- Who the believer wrestles with (Eph. 6:12)
- Roaring lion (1 Pet. 5:8)
- Whole world lies in his power (1 John 5:19)



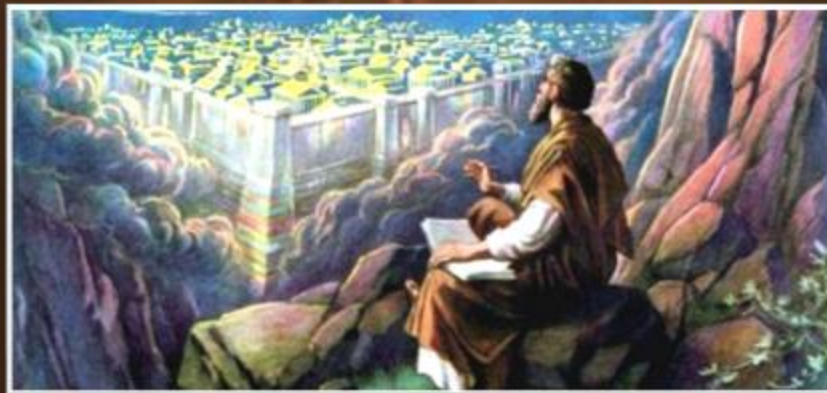
Ultimate Exodus

(Rev 11:15)

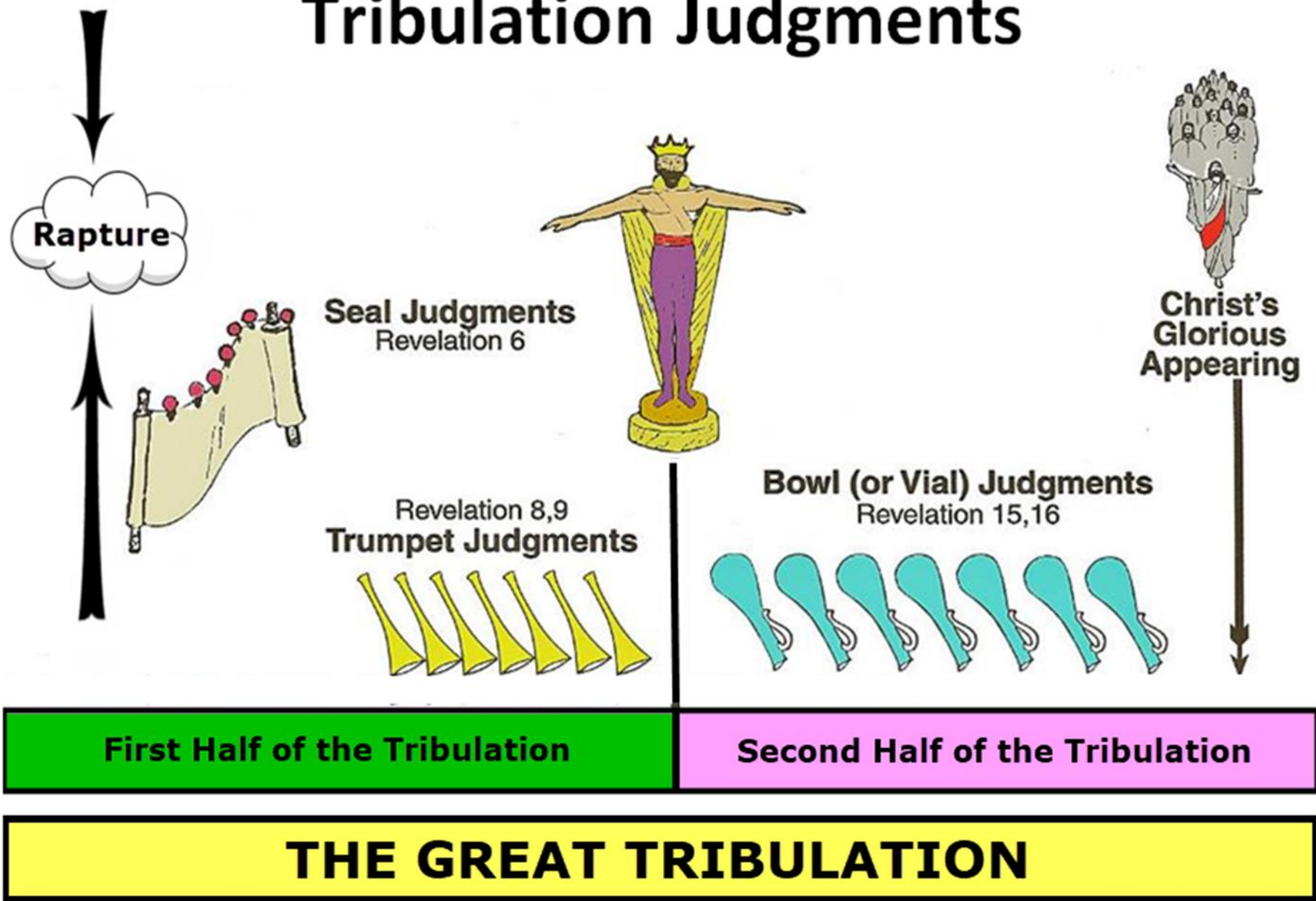
- Sores: 6th plague (Ex 9:8-12), 1st bowl (Rev 16:1-2)
- Rivers to blood: 1st plague (Ex 7:19-21), 3rd bowl (Rev 16:4-7)
- Darkness: 9th plague (Ex 10:21-23), 5th bowl (Rev 16:10-11)
- Frogs: 2nd plague (Ex 7:25–8:15), 6th bowl (Rev 16:13)
- Hail: 7th plague (Ex 9:22-26), 7th bowl (Rev 16:17-21)

Revelation 11:15

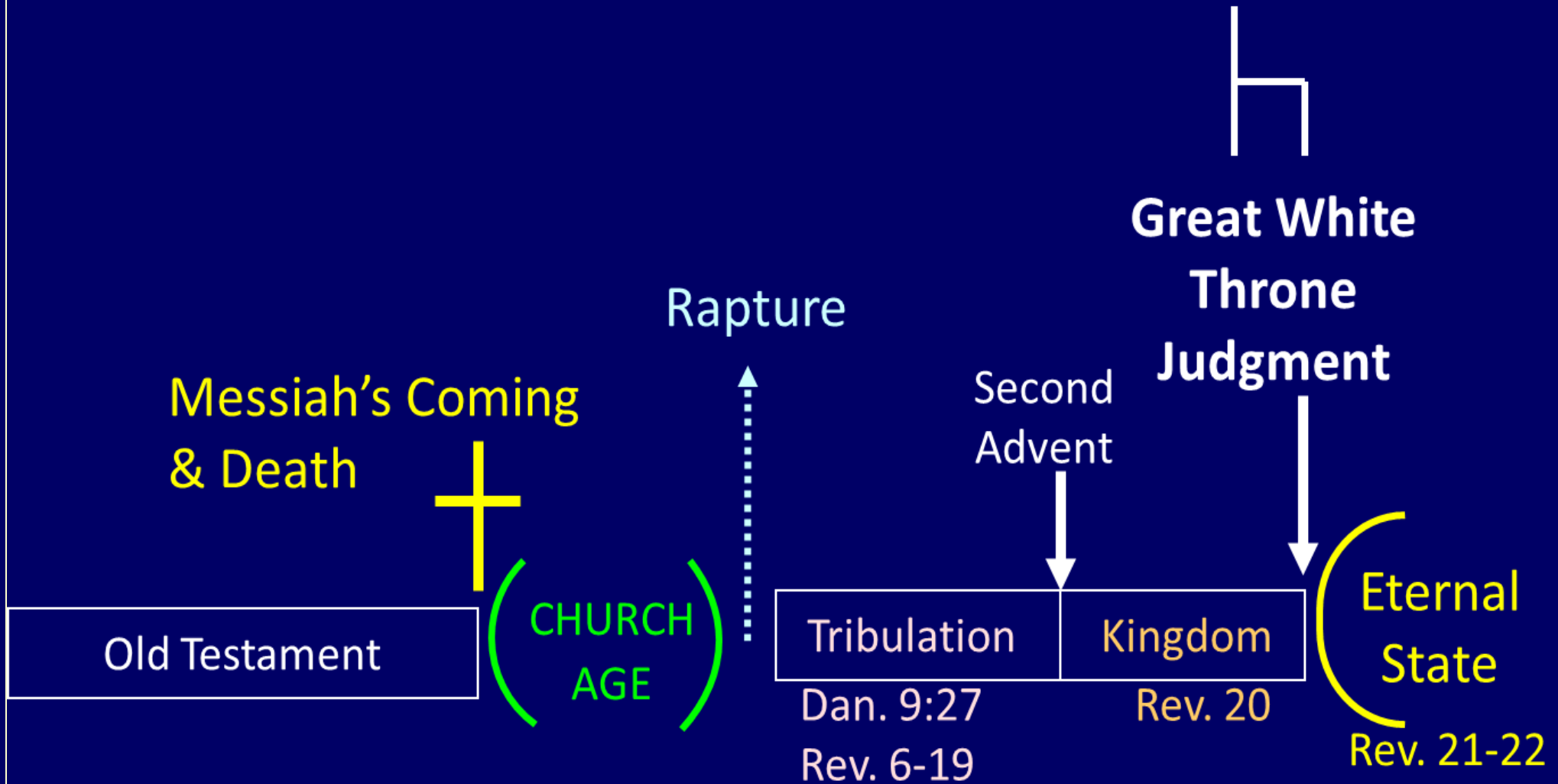
¹⁵ “Then the seventh angel sounded; and there were loud voices in heaven, saying, ‘The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ; and He will reign forever and ever.’”



Tribulation Judgments



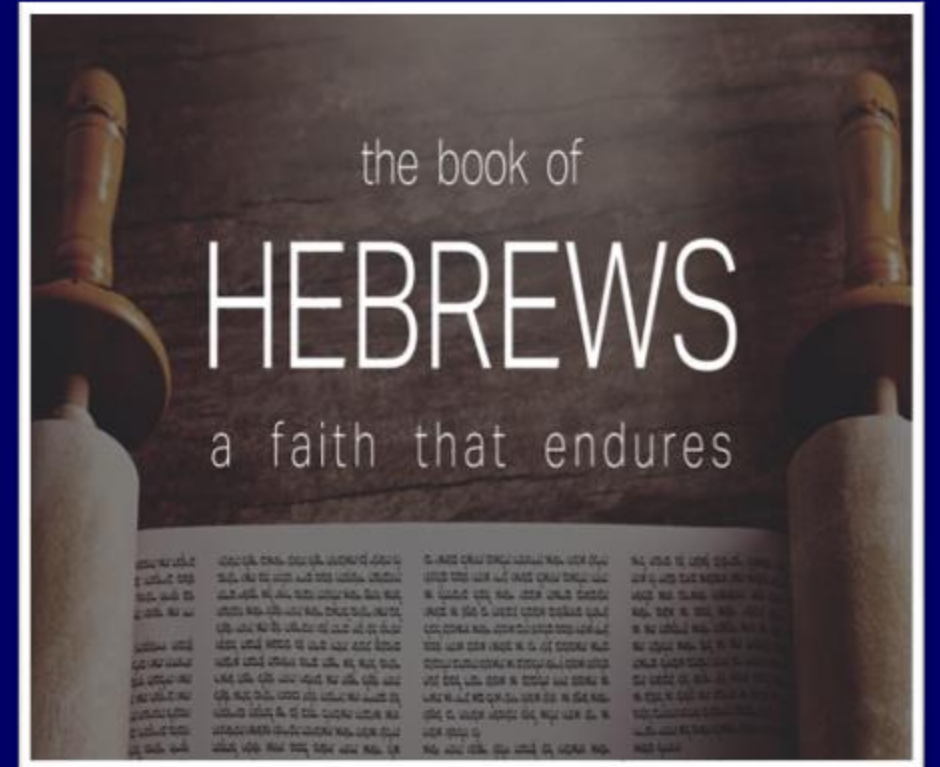
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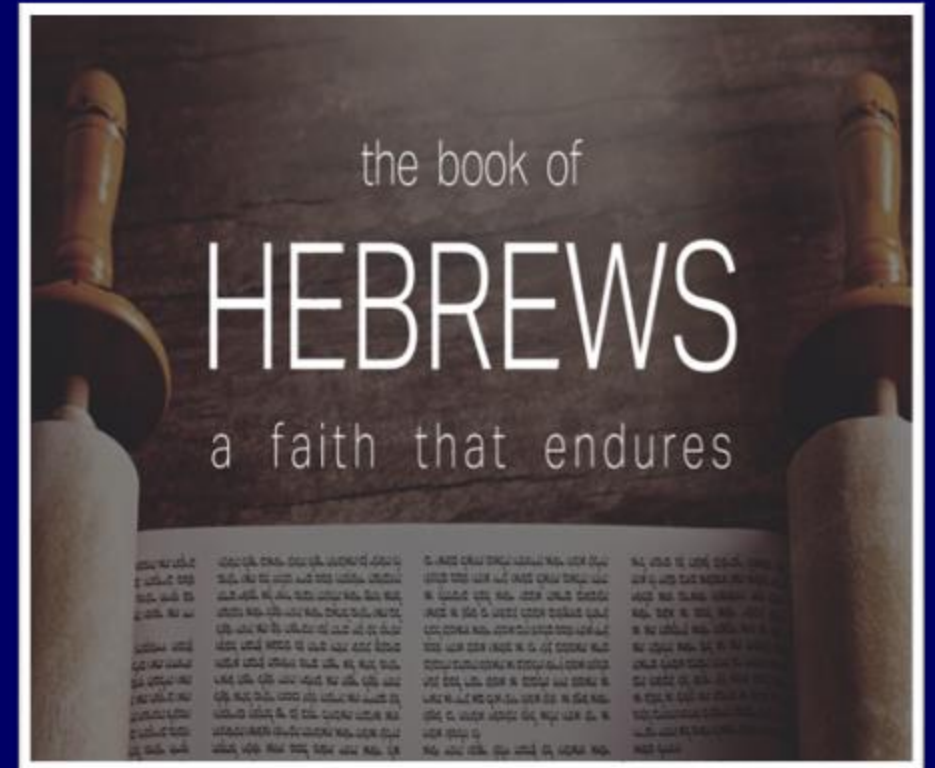
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