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EPH. 2:11-20

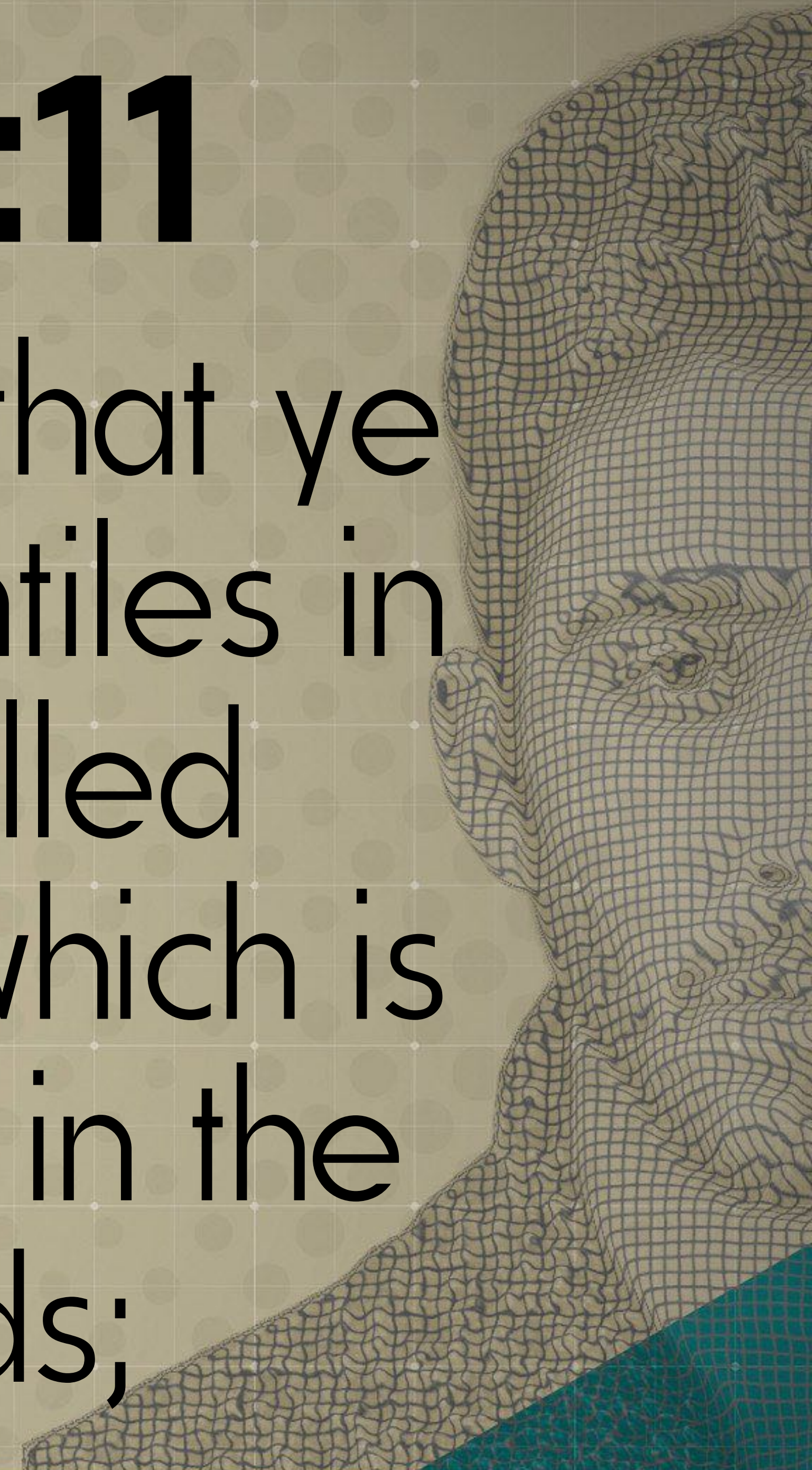
EPHESIANS 2:14

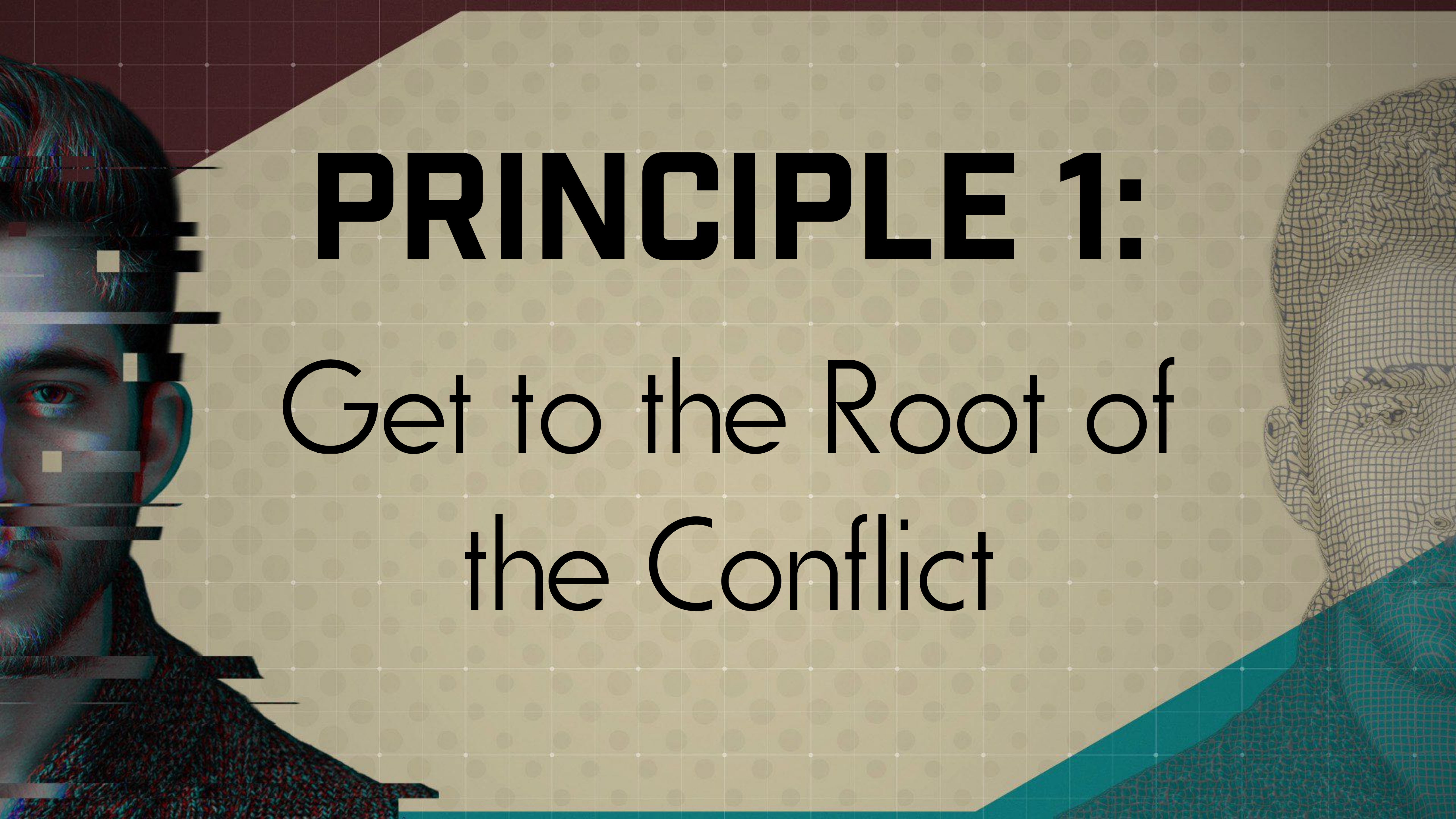
For he is our peace, who
hath made both one, and
hath broken down the middle
wall of partition [between us];



EPHESIANS 2:11

Wherefore remember, that ye
[being] in time past Gentiles in
the flesh, who are called
Uncircumcision by that which is
called the Circumcision in the
flesh made by hands;





PRINCIPLE 1:

Get to the Root of
the Conflict

A close-up of a man's face on the left side of the image, with digital glitch and pixelation effects overlaid. The background is a light beige color with a subtle grid pattern.

DEUTERONOMY 7:6

For you are a people holy to the
LORD your God. The LORD your
God has chosen you to be a
people for his treasured possession,
out of all the peoples who are on
the face of the earth





EPHESIANS 2:11

...who are called
Uncircumcision by that
which is called the
Circumcision...

EPHESIANS 2:12

That at that time ye
were without Christ,
being aliens from the
commonwealth of Israel



The background features a light beige field with a subtle grid of small dots. A dark maroon triangle is in the top-left corner, and a teal triangle is in the bottom-left corner. On the right side, a wireframe mesh of a human face is visible, looking towards the left.

EPHESIANS 2:14

...and hath broken
down the middle wall of
partition [between us];

EPHESIANS 2:12

That at that time ye were without Christ,
being aliens from the commonwealth
of Israel, and strangers from the
covenants of promise, having no hope,
and without God in the world:



A wireframe-style portrait of Jesus, rendered in a light blue/grey mesh, occupies the right side of the slide. It shows his head and shoulders, looking slightly to the left.

EPHESIANS 2:13

But now in Christ Jesus
ye who sometimes were
far off are made nigh by
the blood of Christ.

PRINCIPLE 2:

Seek for the
Reconciliation of
the Conflict



A close-up of a man's face on the left side of the image. The image has a digital glitch effect, with horizontal lines and color distortions (red, green, blue) across the face. The man has short brown hair and a beard.

EPHESIANS 2:14

For he is our peace, who hath
made both one, and hath
broken down the middle wall
of partition [between us];





**RECONCILIATION IN A
RELATIONSHIP LITERALLY
MEANS THAT TWO PEOPLE
OR TWO GROUPS OF
PEOPLE HAVE BEGUN TO
ACT AS ONE PERSON**



EPHESIANS 2:15

Having abolished in his flesh the enmity, [even] the law of commandments [contained] in ordinances; for to make in himself of twain one new man, [so] making peace;





MATTHEW 5:17

Think not that I am come
to destroy the law, or the
prophets: I am not come
to destroy, but to fulfil

EPHESIANS 2:14

For he is our peace, who
hath made both one, and
hath broken down the middle
wall of partition [between us];





Wall of Separation

Wall of Separation



EPHESIANS 2:14

...and hath broken down the
middle wall of partition
[between us];



A wireframe profile of a man's head, facing left, rendered in a light blue color. It is positioned on the right side of the slide, partially overlapping the text area.

EPHESIANS 2:18

For through him we both
have access by one
Spirit unto the Father.



EPHESIANS 2:13

But now in Christ Jesus ye
who sometimes were far
off are made nigh by the
blood of Christ.



A wireframe-style illustration of a man's head and shoulders, facing left, rendered in a light blue color. It is positioned on the right side of the slide, partially overlapping the text area.

HEBREWS 9:12

Neither by the blood of goats and calves, but by his own blood he entered in once into the holy place, having obtained eternal redemption [for us].

HEBREWS 10:21-22

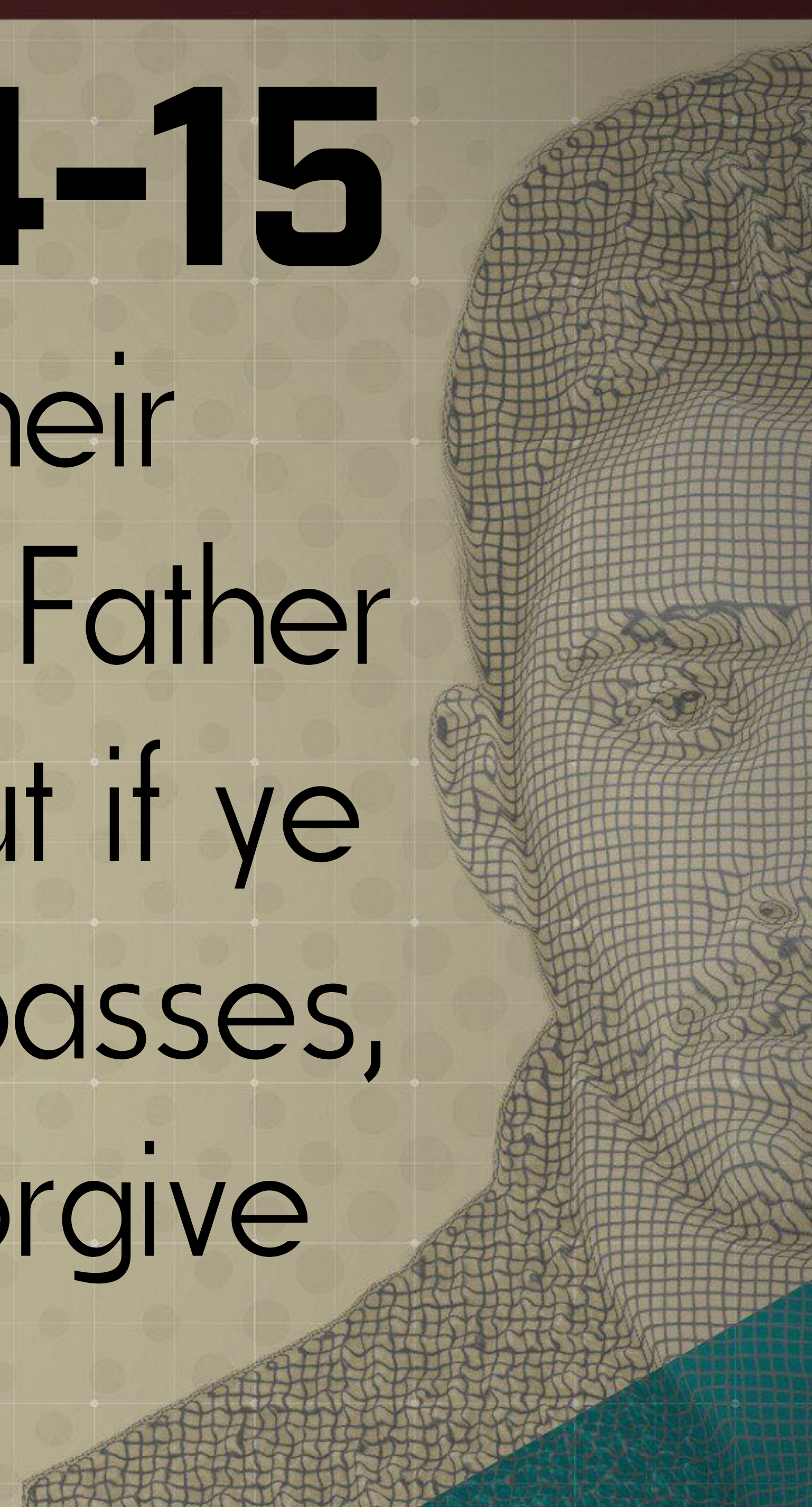
And [having] an high priest over the house of God; 22 Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water.





MATTHEW 6:14-15

For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you: 15 But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.



EPHESIANS 2:14

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hath made both one, and
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wall of partition [between us];



**JESUS IS NOT
JUST A GIVER OF
PEACE BUT HE IS
PEACE ITSELF**



PRINCIPLE 3:

Focus on the

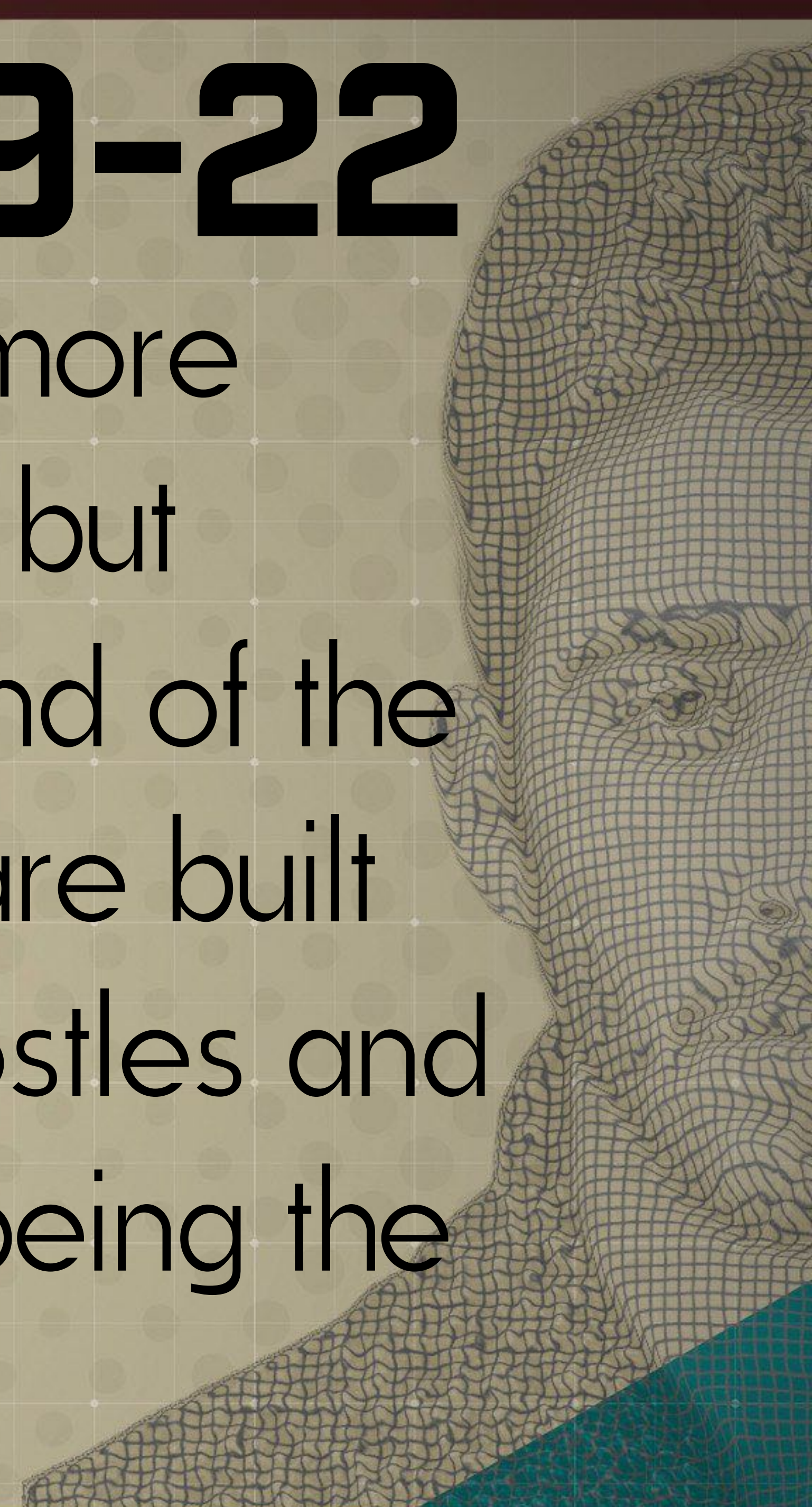
Results of

Reconciliation



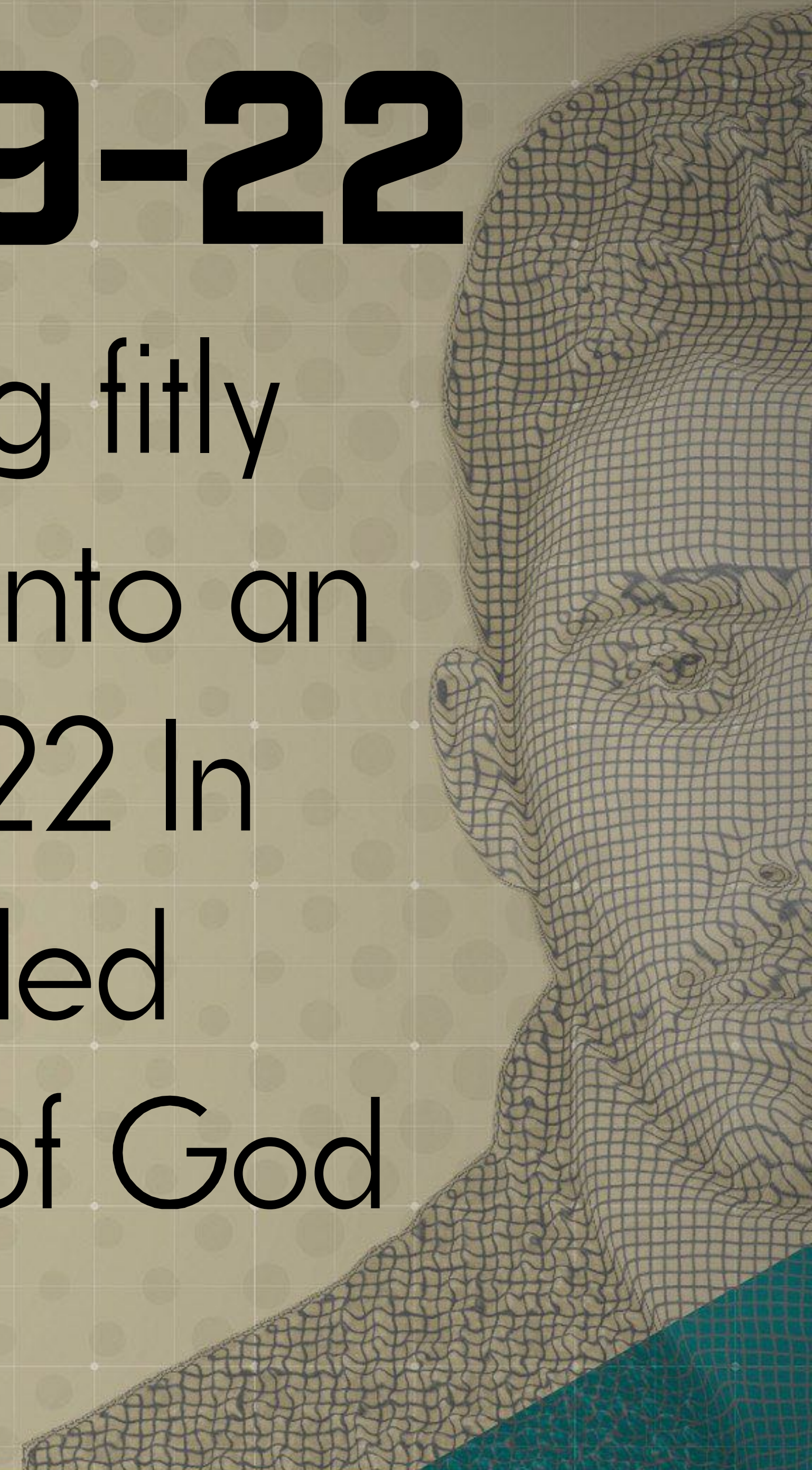
! EPHESIANS 2:19-22

Now therefore ye are no more
strangers and foreigners, but
fellowcitizens with the saints, and of the
household of God; 20 And are built
upon the foundation of the apostles and
prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the
chief corner [stone];



EPHESIANS 2:19-22

21 In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto an holy temple in the Lord: 22 In whom ye also are builded together for an habitation of God through the Spirit.



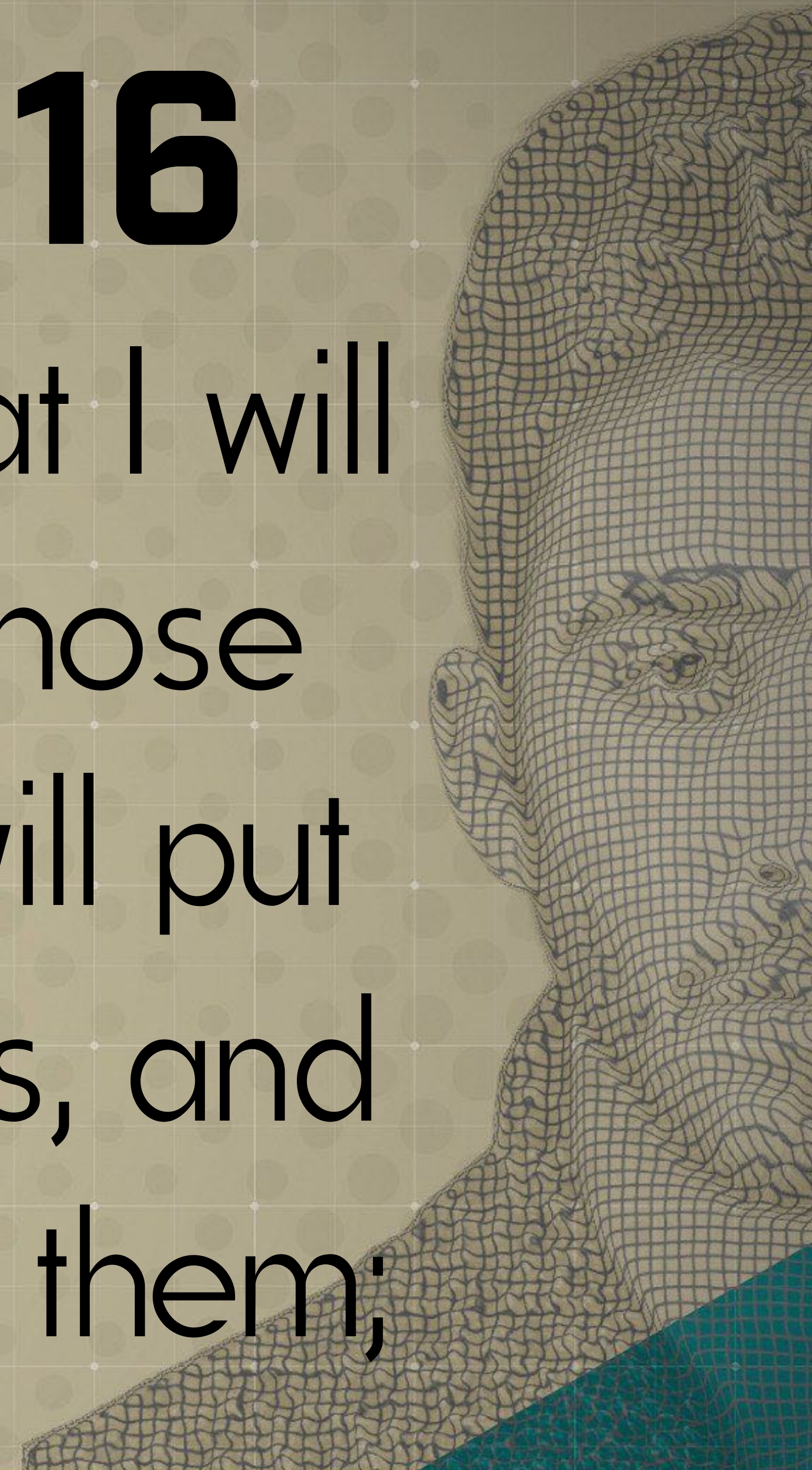
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HEBREWS 10:16

This [is] the covenant that I will make with them after those days, saith the Lord, I will put my laws into their hearts, and in their minds will I write them;



HEBREWS 8:6-7

But now hath he obtained a more excellent ministry, by how much also he is the mediator of a better covenant, which was established upon better promises. 7 For if that first [covenant] had been faultless, then should no place have been sought for the second



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