



SIGN OF THE TIMES

ACTS 2:17 | MAY 27

COUNTERFEIT
SPIRITUALITY EXISTS ONLY
BECAUSE GENUINE
SPIRITUAL REALITY EXISTS



Ecclesiastes 3:11

HE HAS MADE EVERYTHING
BEAUTIFUL IN ITS TIME. ALSO,
HE HAS PUT ETERNITY INTO
MAN'S HEART, YET SO THAT
HE CANNOT FIND OUT WHAT
GOD HAS DONE FROM THE
BEGINNING TO THE END.

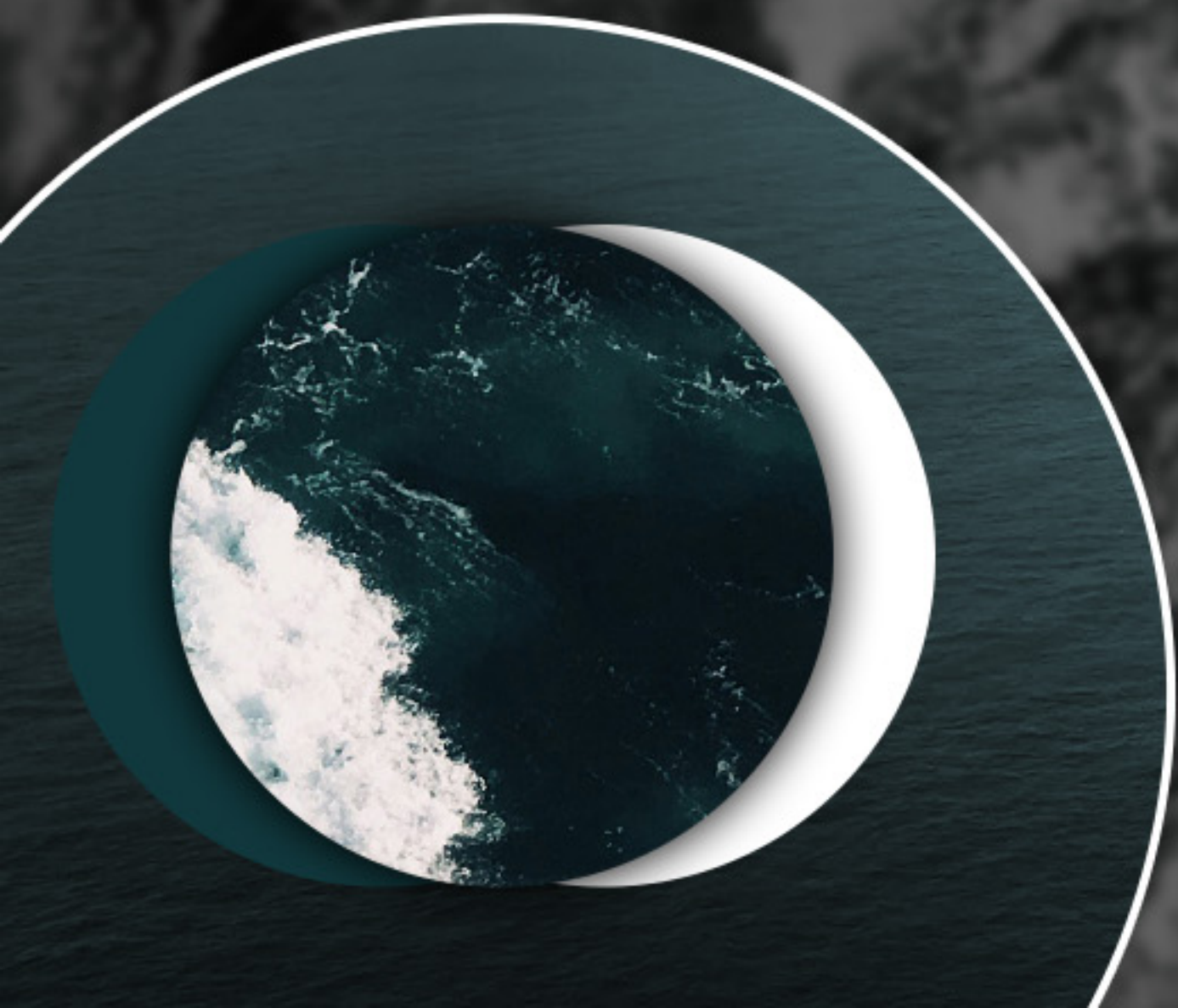


IT IS NOT A QUESTION OF
WHETHER PEOPLE WILL SEEK
SPIRITUAL ANSWERS – IT IS ONLY
A QUESTION OF WHERE THEY
WILL SEEK FOR THOSE ANSWERS



Acts 17:27

THAT THEY SHOULD
SEEK THE LORD, IF HAPLY
THEY MIGHT FEEL AFTER
HIM, AND FIND HIM,
THOUGH HE BE NOT FAR
FROM EVERY ONE OF US:



Acts 2:17

AND IT SHALL COME TO PASS IN
THE LAST DAYS, SAITH GOD, I WILL
POUR OUT OF MY SPIRIT UPON ALL
FLESH: AND YOUR SONS AND YOUR
DAUGHTERS SHALL PROPHECY, AND
YOUR YOUNG MEN SHALL SEE
VISIONS, AND YOUR OLD MEN
SHALL DREAM DREAMS



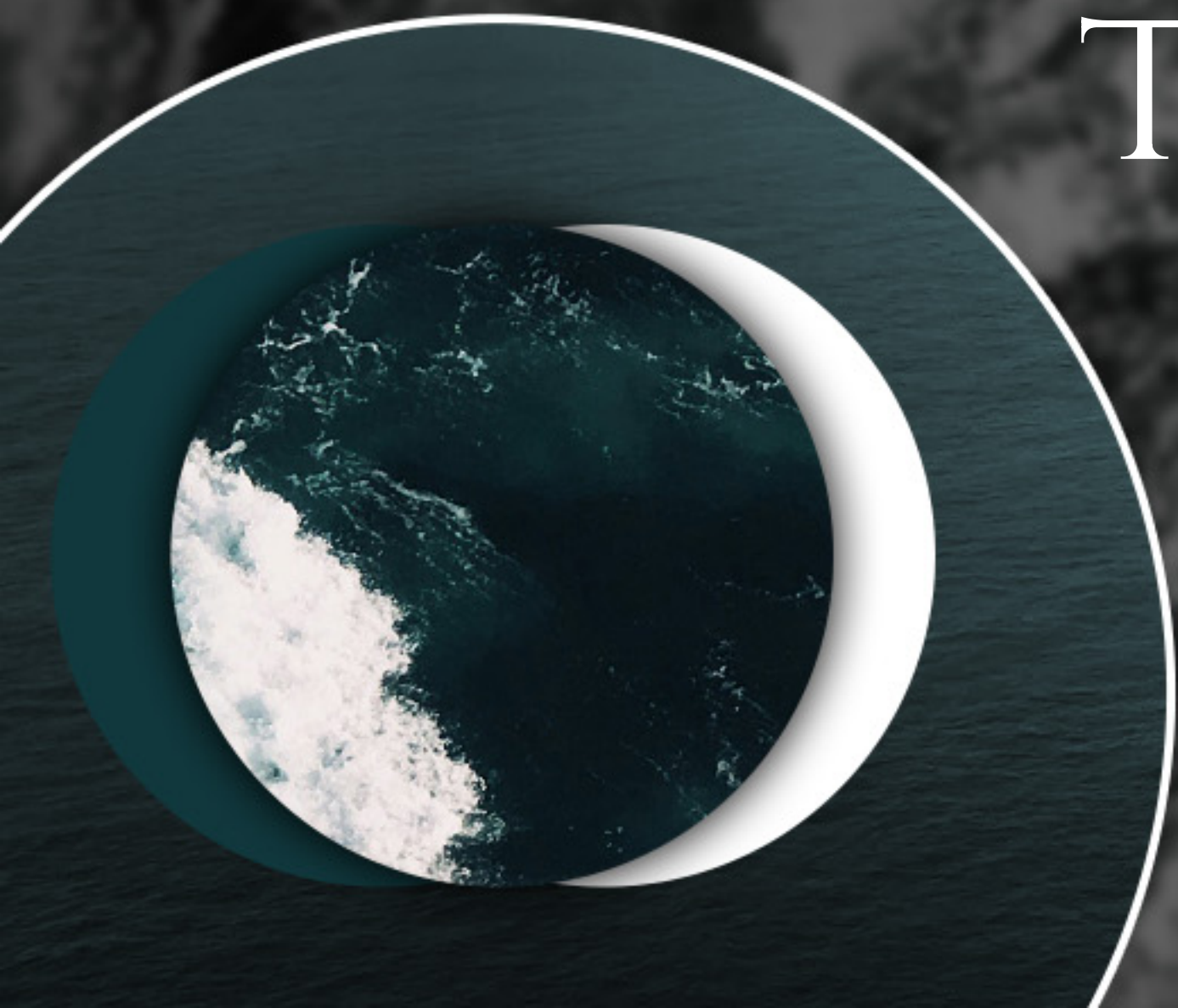
Principle 1:

GOD HAS ALWAYS SPOKEN
THROUGH DREAMS AND VISIONS



Genesis 28:11-12

AND HE LIGHTED UPON A CERTAIN PLACE, AND TARRIED THERE ALL NIGHT, BECAUSE THE SUN WAS SET; AND HE TOOK OF THE STONES OF THAT PLACE, AND PUT [THEM FOR] HIS PILLOWS, AND LAY DOWN IN THAT PLACE TO SLEEP.



Genesis 28:11-12

12 AND HE DREAMED, AND
BEHOLD A LADDER SET UP ON
THE EARTH, AND THE TOP OF
IT REACHED TO HEAVEN:
AND BEHOLD THE ANGELS OF
GOD ASCENDING AND
DESCENDING ON IT



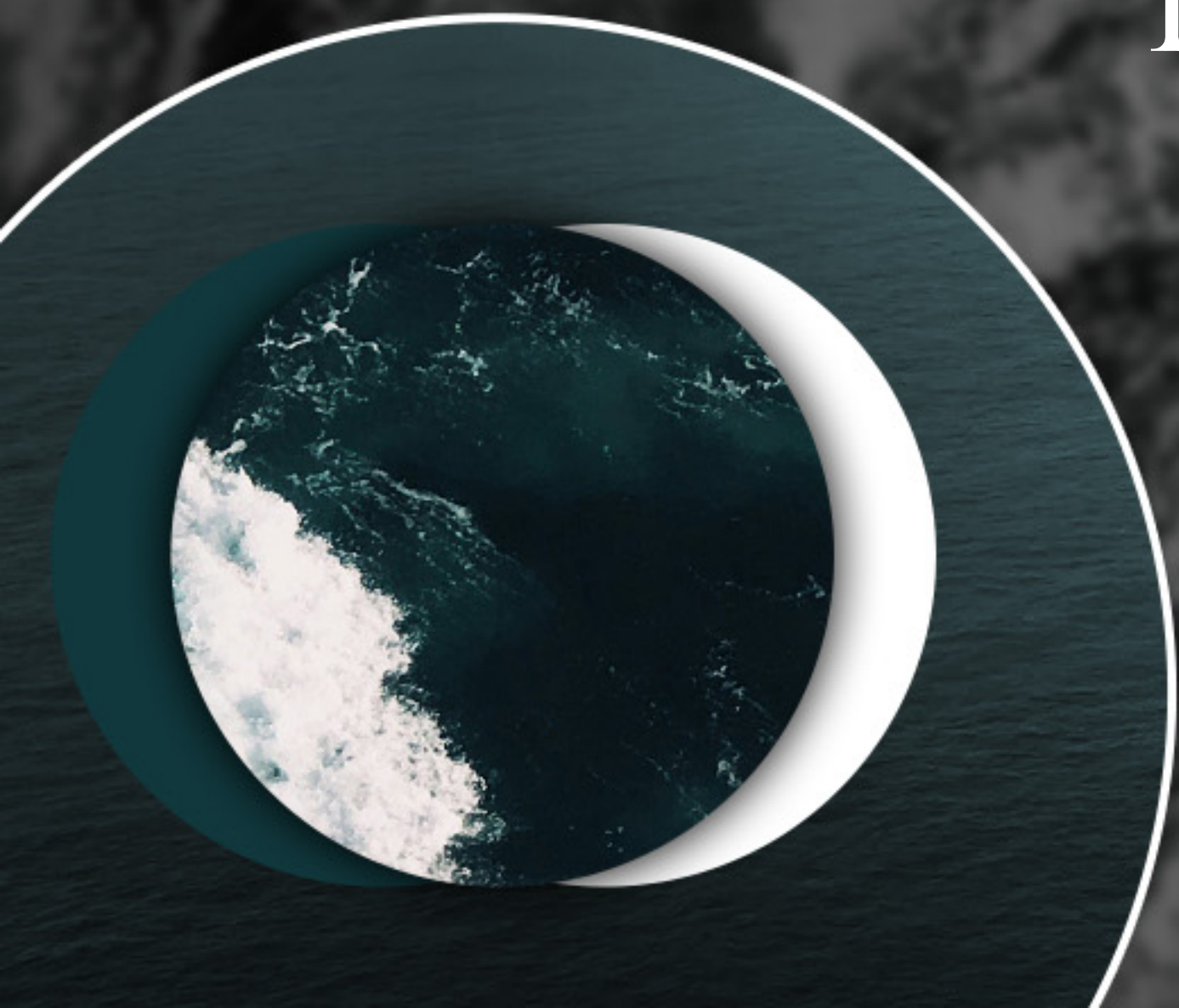
1 Kings 3:5

IN GIBEON THE LORD
APPEARED TO
SOLOMON IN A DREAM
BY NIGHT: AND GOD
SAID, ASK WHAT I
SHALL GIVE THEE



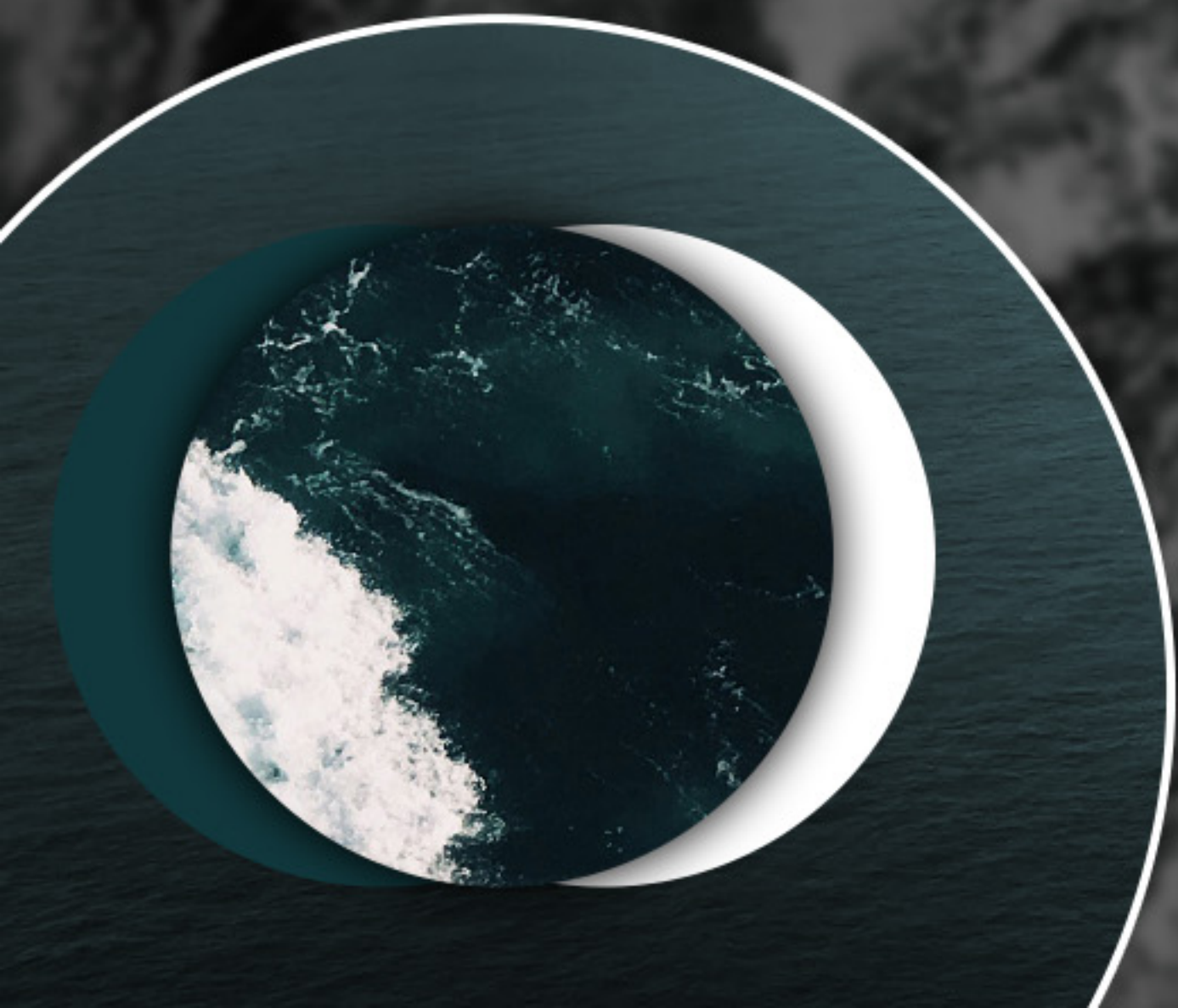
1 Kings 3:11, 13

AND GOD SAID UNTO HIM,
BECAUSE THOU HAST ASKED THIS
THING, AND HAST NOT ASKED
FOR THYSELF LONG LIFE; NEITHER
HAST ASKED RICHES FOR THYSELF,
NOR HAST ASKED THE LIFE OF
THINE ENEMIES; BUT HAST ASKED
FOR THYSELF UNDERSTANDING
TO DISCERN JUDGMENT;



1 Kings 3:11, 13

13 AND I HAVE ALSO GIVEN
THEE THAT WHICH THOU HAST
NOT ASKED, BOTH RICHES, AND
HONOUR: SO THAT THERE
SHALL NOT BE ANY AMONG
THE KINGS LIKE UNTO THEE
ALL THY DAYS



YOU ARE ONE REVELATION
AWAY FROM YOUR ENTIRE
LIFE CHANGING IN A
MOMENT OF TIME



Acts 10:9-15

ON THE MORROW, AS
THEY WENT ON THEIR
JOURNEY, AND DREW
NIGH UNTO THE CITY,
PETER WENT UP UPON
THE HOUSETOP TO PRAY
ABOUT THE SIXTH HOUR:



Acts 10:9-15

10 AND HE BECAME VERY HUNGRY,
AND WOULD HAVE EATEN: BUT
WHILE THEY MADE READY, HE FELL
INTO A TRANCE, 11 AND SAW
HEAVEN OPENED, AND A CERTAIN
VESSEL DESCENDING UNTO HIM, AS
IT HAD BEEN A GREAT SHEET KNIT
AT THE FOUR CORNERS, AND LET
DOWN TO THE EARTH:



Acts 10:9-15

12 WHEREIN WERE ALL
MANNER OF FOURFOOTED
BEASTS OF THE EARTH,
AND WILD BEASTS, AND
CREEPING THINGS, AND
FOWLS OF THE AIR.



Acts 10:9-15

3 AND THERE CAME A VOICE TO HIM, RISE, PETER; KILL, AND EAT. 14 BUT PETER SAID, NOT SO, LORD; FOR I HAVE NEVER EATEN ANY THING THAT IS COMMON OR UNCLEAN. 15 AND THE VOICE [SPAKE] UNTO HIM AGAIN THE SECOND TIME, WHAT GOD HATH CLEANSED, [THAT] CALL NOT THOU COMMON.



THE ISSUE IS NOT WHETHER GOD HAS
SPOKEN THROUGH DREAMS AND
VISIONS – THE ISSUE IS WHETHER WE
HAVE BECOME SPIRITUALLY SENSITIVE
ENOUGH TO RECOGNIZE HIS VOICE



Principle 2:

WHY WE DO NOT
HEAR GOD IN DREAMS
AND VISIONS



Job 33:14-16

FOR GOD SPEAKETH ONCE, YEA
TWICE, [YET MAN] PERCEIVETH
IT NOT. 15 IN A DREAM, IN A
VISION OF THE NIGHT, WHEN
DEEP SLEEP FALLETH UPON
MEN, IN SLUMBERINGS UPON
THE BED; 16 THEN HE OPENETH
THE EARS OF MEN, AND
SEALETH THEIR INSTRUCTION,



Job 33:14-16

IN A DREAM, IN A
VISION OF THE NIGHT,
WHEN DEEP SLEEP
FALLETH UPON MEN,
IN SLUMBERINGS
UPON THE BED



SOMETIMES PEOPLE ASK GOD TO
SPEAK WHILE SIMULTANEOUSLY
REJECTING THE VERY METHODS
HE CHOOSES TO USE



1 Kings 19:11-12

AND HE SAID, GO FORTH, AND
STAND UPON THE MOUNT
BEFORE THE LORD. AND, BEHOLD,
THE LORD PASSED BY, AND A
GREAT AND STRONG WIND RENT
THE MOUNTAINS, AND BRAKE IN
PIECES THE ROCKS BEFORE THE
LORD; [BUT] THE LORD [WAS]
NOT IN THE WIND:



1 Kings 19:11-12

AND AFTER THE WIND AN
EARTHQUAKE; [BUT] THE LORD
[WAS] NOT IN THE
EARTHQUAKE: 12 AND AFTER
THE EARTHQUAKE A FIRE; [BUT]
THE LORD [WAS] NOT IN THE
FIRE: AND AFTER THE FIRE A
STILL SMALL VOICE



Principle 3:

HOW TO PREPARE YOURSELF
TO RECEIVE DREAMS AND
VISIONS FROM GOD

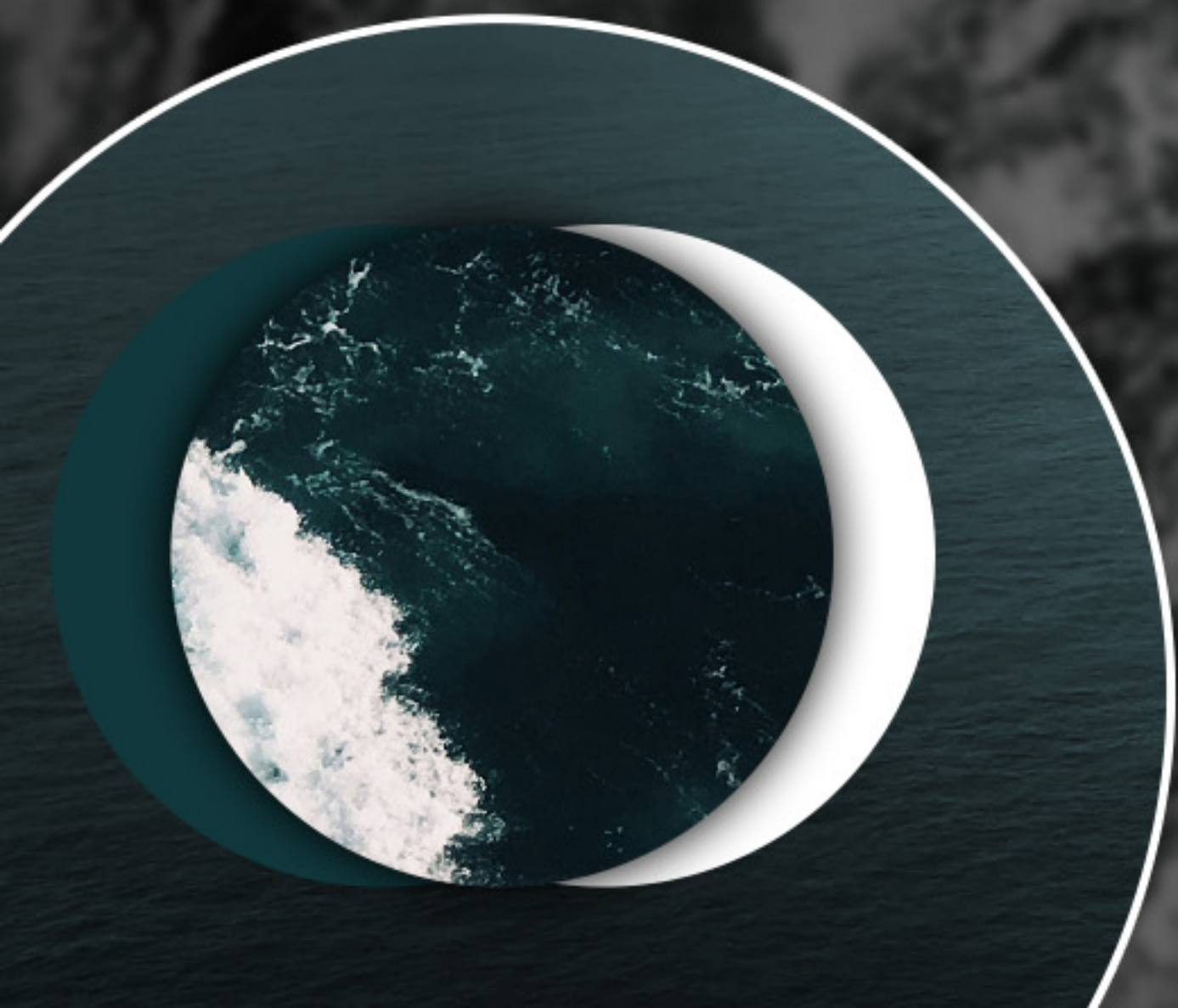


THE LAST THING YOU FEED
YOUR SPIRIT BEFORE YOU
GO TO BED MATTERS DEEPLY



Psalm 4:8

I WILL BOTH LAY ME
DOWN IN PEACE, AND
SLEEP: FOR THOU,
LORD, ONLY MAKEST
ME DWELL IN SAFETY.



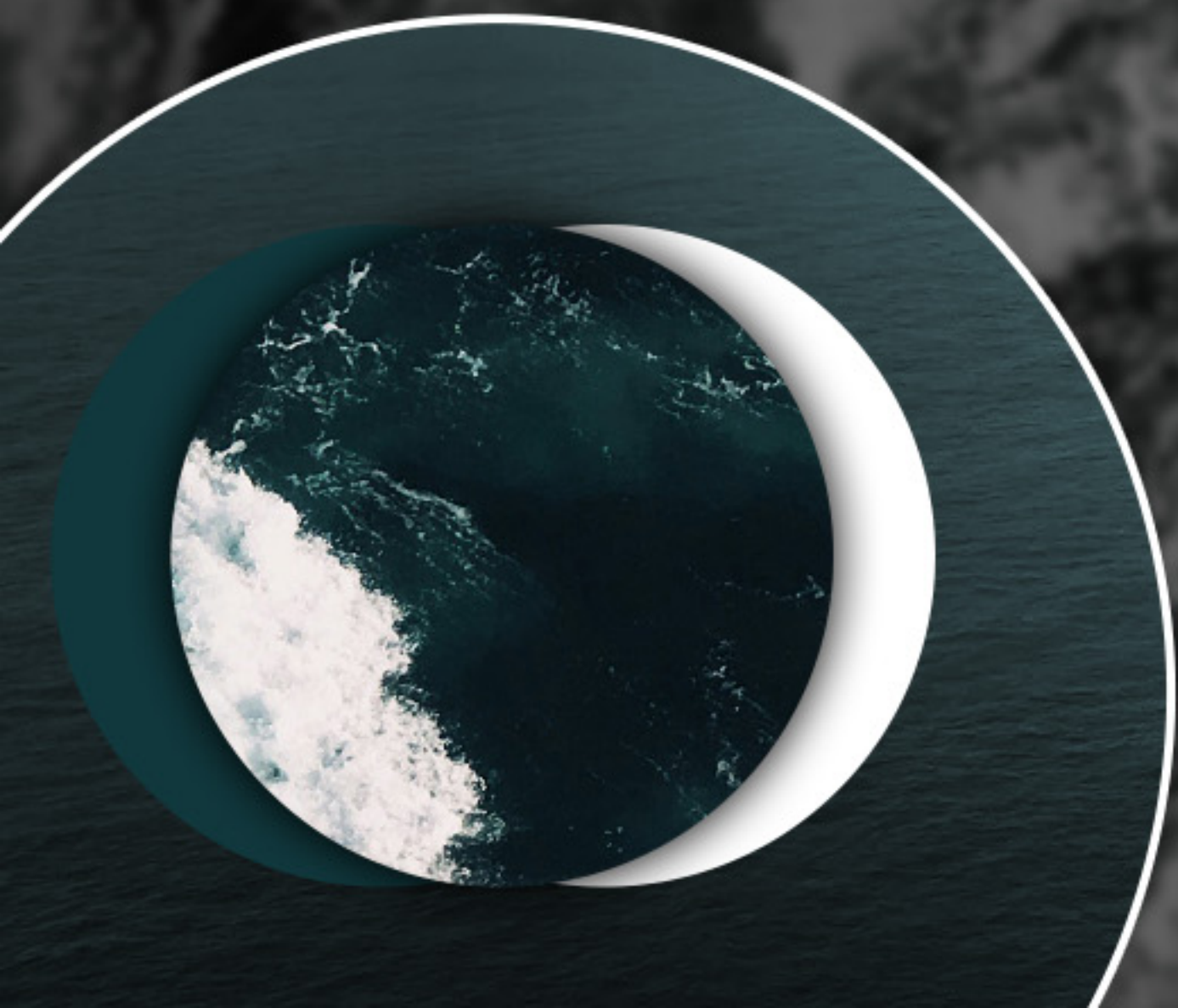
Ephesians 4:26

BE YE ANGRY, AND
SIN NOT: LET NOT
THE SUN GO
DOWN UPON
YOUR WRATH:



Habakkuk 2:2

AND THE LORD
ANSWERED ME, AND SAID,
WRITE THE VISION, AND
MAKE [IT] PLAIN UPON
TABLES, THAT HE MAY
RUN THAT READETH IT.



Principle 4:

HOW DO YOU KNOW IF
A DREAM IS FROM GOD?



A DREAM FROM GOD
WILL NEVER
CONTRADICT SCRIPTURE



2 Timothy 3:16

ALL SCRIPTURE [IS] GIVEN
BY INSPIRATION OF GOD,
AND [IS] PROFITABLE FOR
DOCTRINE, FOR REPROOF,
FOR CORRECTION, FOR
INSTRUCTION IN
RIGHTEOUSNESS:



DREAMS FROM GOD
USUALLY CARRY
SPIRITUAL WEIGHT



A DREAM FROM GOD
PRODUCES FRUIT –
NOT CONFUSION



1 Corinthians 14:33

FOR GOD IS NOT
[THE AUTHOR] OF
CONFUSION, BUT
OF PEACE, AS IN
ALL CHURCHES OF
THE SAINTS.



GOD OFTEN
CONFIRMS IMPORTANT
DREAMS



DREAMS FROM GOD OFTEN
REVEAL WHAT WE COULD
NOT KNOW NATURALLY



Proverbs 11:14

WHERE NO COUNSEL
[IS], THE PEOPLE FALL:
BUT IN THE
MULTITUDE OF
COUNSELLORS [THERE
IS] SAFETY.





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