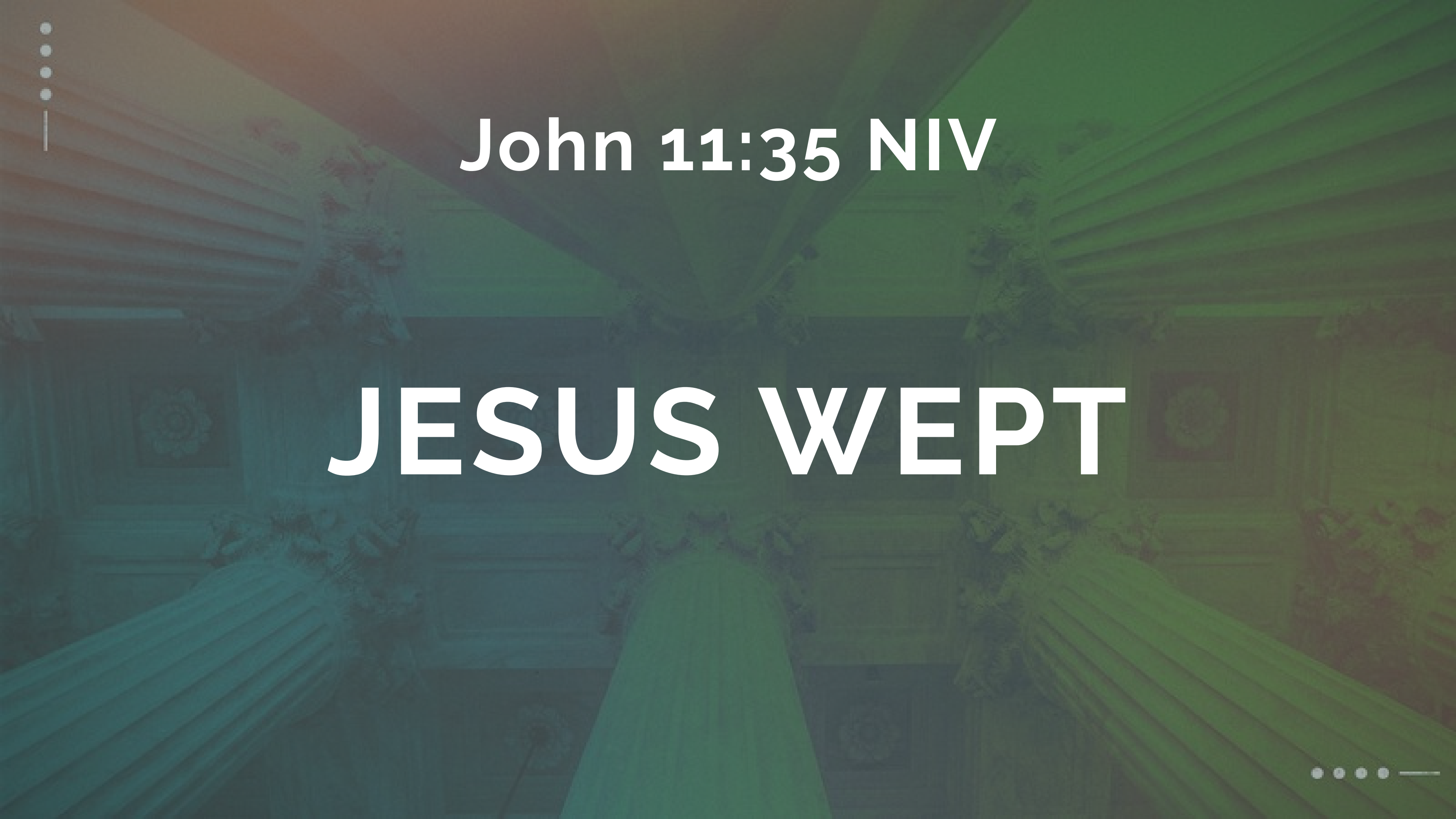




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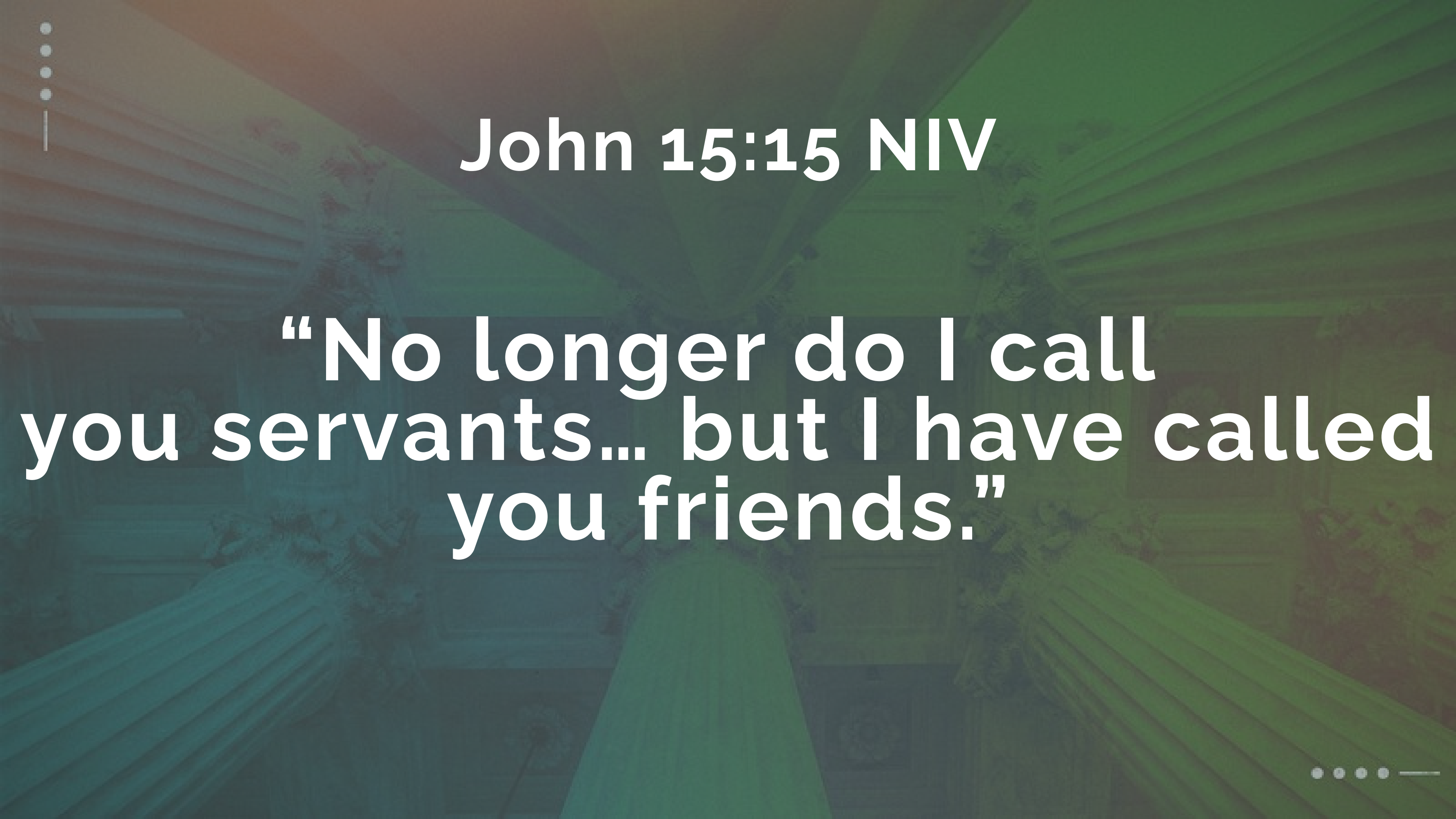
WHO'S WALKING WITH YOU?





John 11:35 NIV

JESUS WEPT



John 15:15 NIV

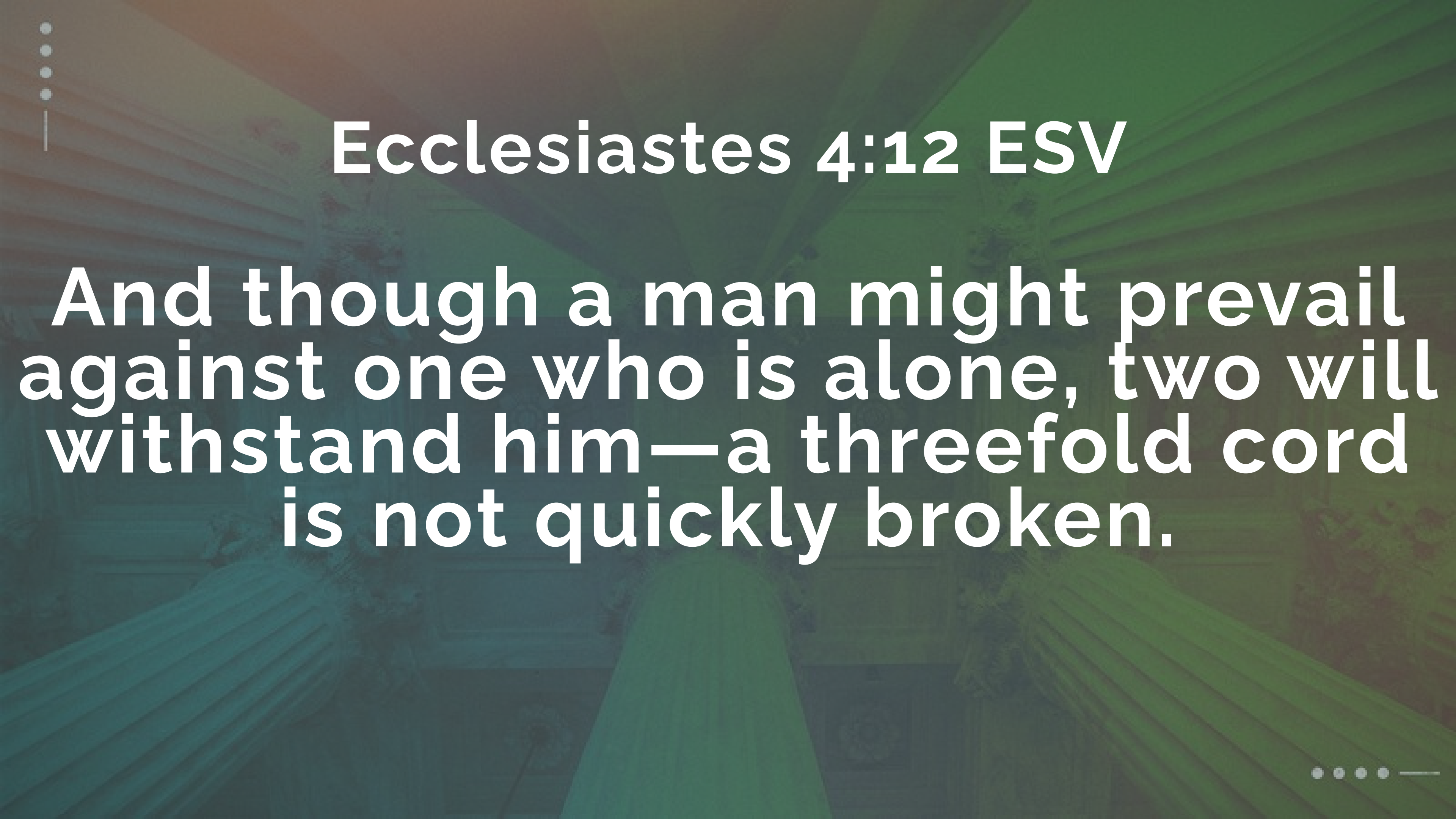
“No longer do I call
you servants... but I have called
you friends.”

Point 1

We Need Friends

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10 ESV

Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil. For if they fall, one will lift up his fellow. But woe to him who is alone when he falls and has not another to lift him up!



Ecclesiastes 4:12 ESV

And though a man might prevail
against one who is alone, two will
withstand him—a threefold cord
is not quickly broken.



Psalm 133:1

Behold, how good and
pleasant it is when brothers
dwell in unity!

Point 2

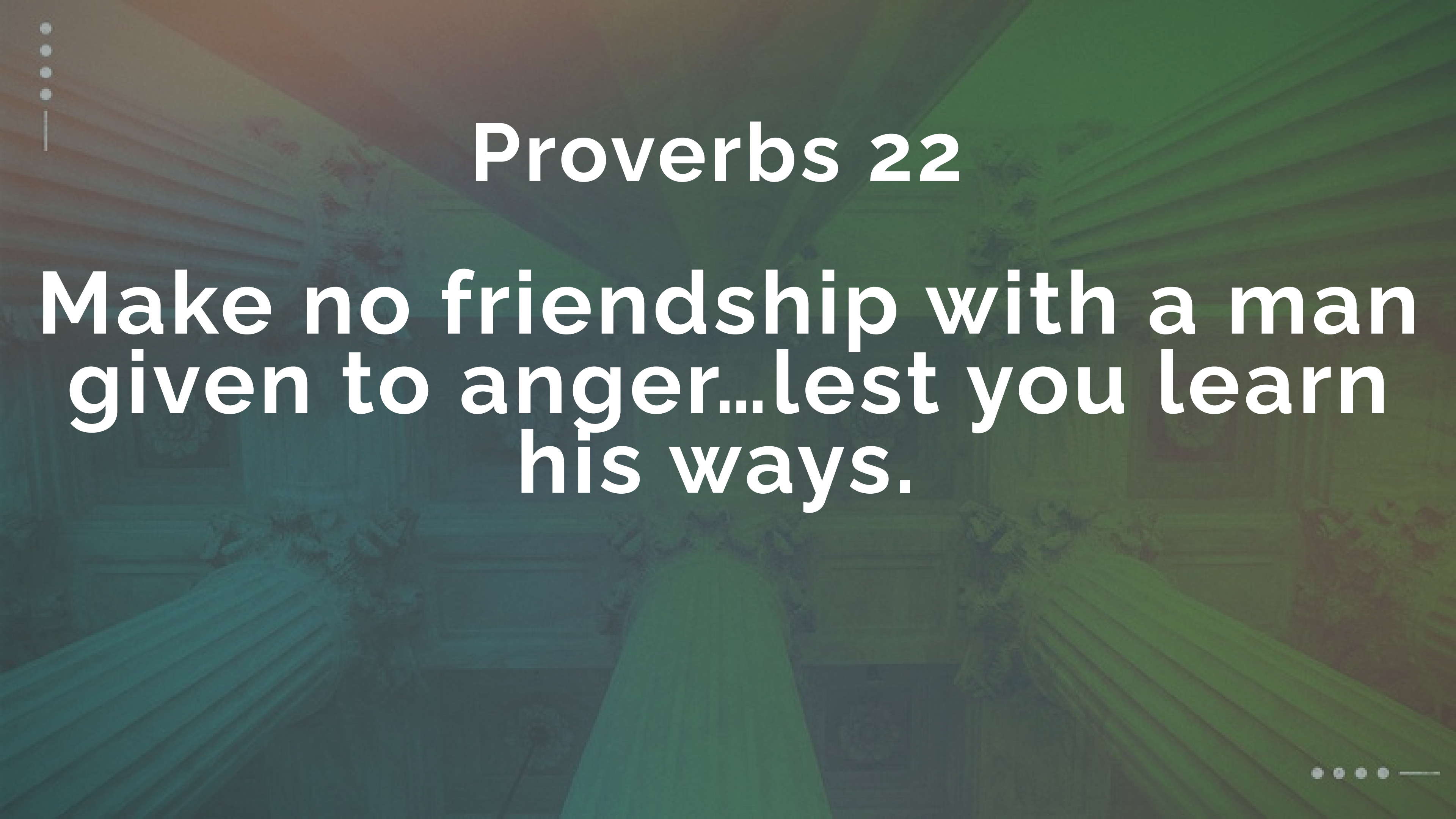
Choose Your Friends
Carefully

Proverbs 13:20 ESV

Whoever walks with the wise
becomes wise, but the
companion of fools will suffer
harm.

Proverbs 12:26

One who is righteous is a guide
to his neighbor, but the way of
the wicked leads them astray



Proverbs 22

Make no friendship with a man
given to anger...lest you learn
his ways.

Point 3

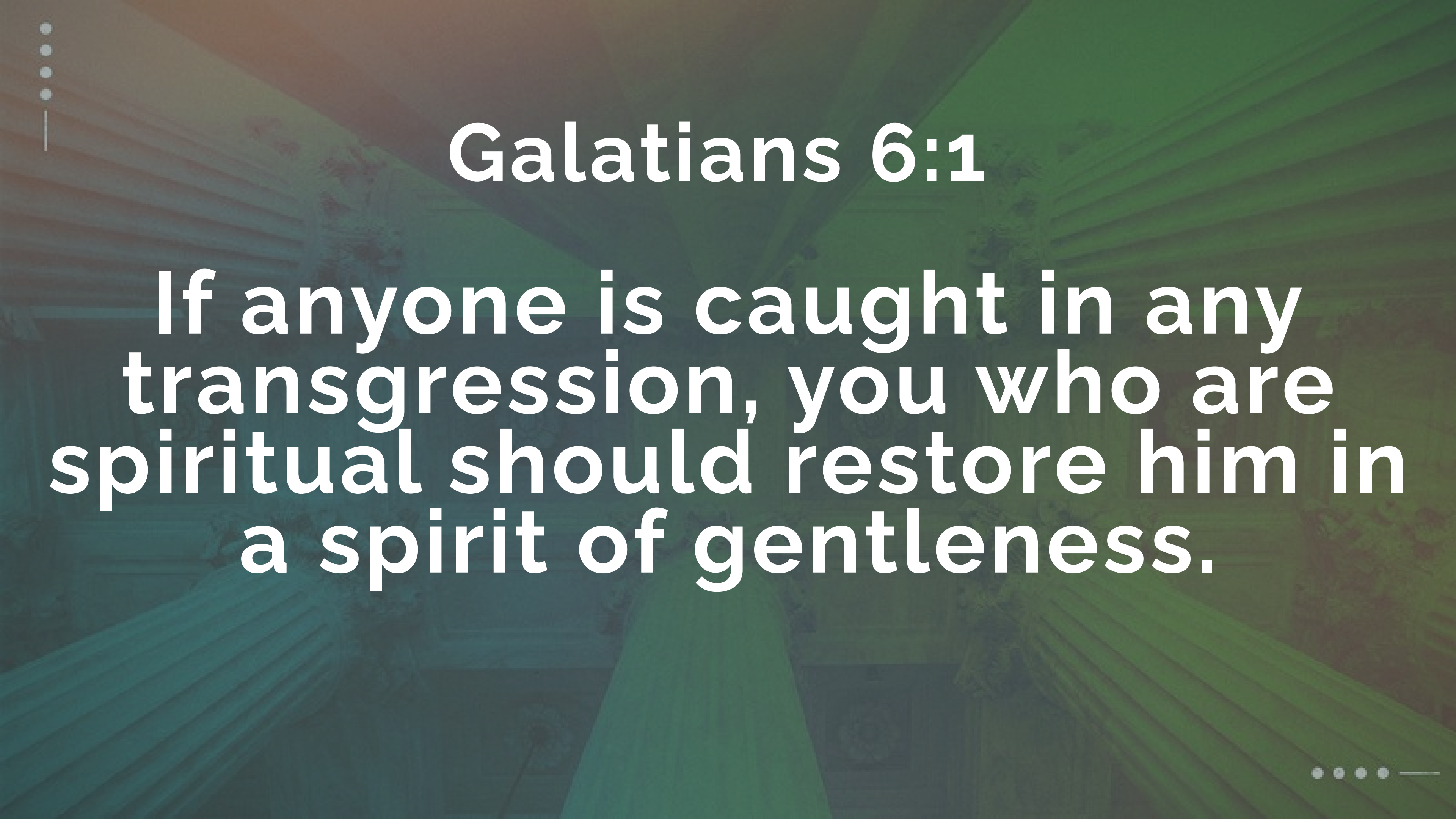
Friends Sharpen
Each Other

Proverbs 27:17 ESV

Iron sharpens iron, and one
man sharpens another.

Proverbs 27:6 ESV

Faithful are the wounds of a
friend; profuse are the kisses
of an enemy.

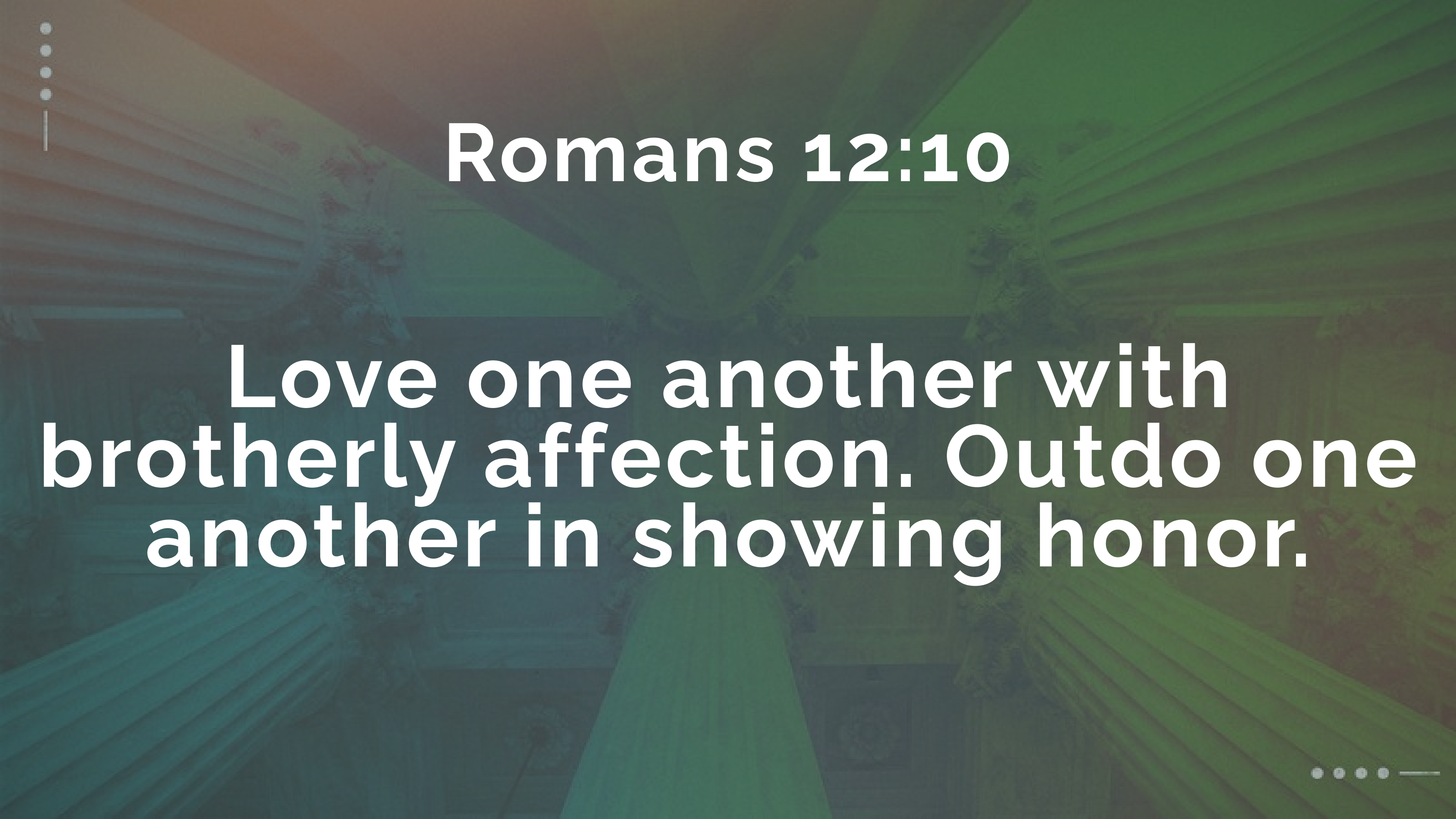


Galatians 6:1

If anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness.

Point 4

Be A Good Friend—
Don't Just Look For
One



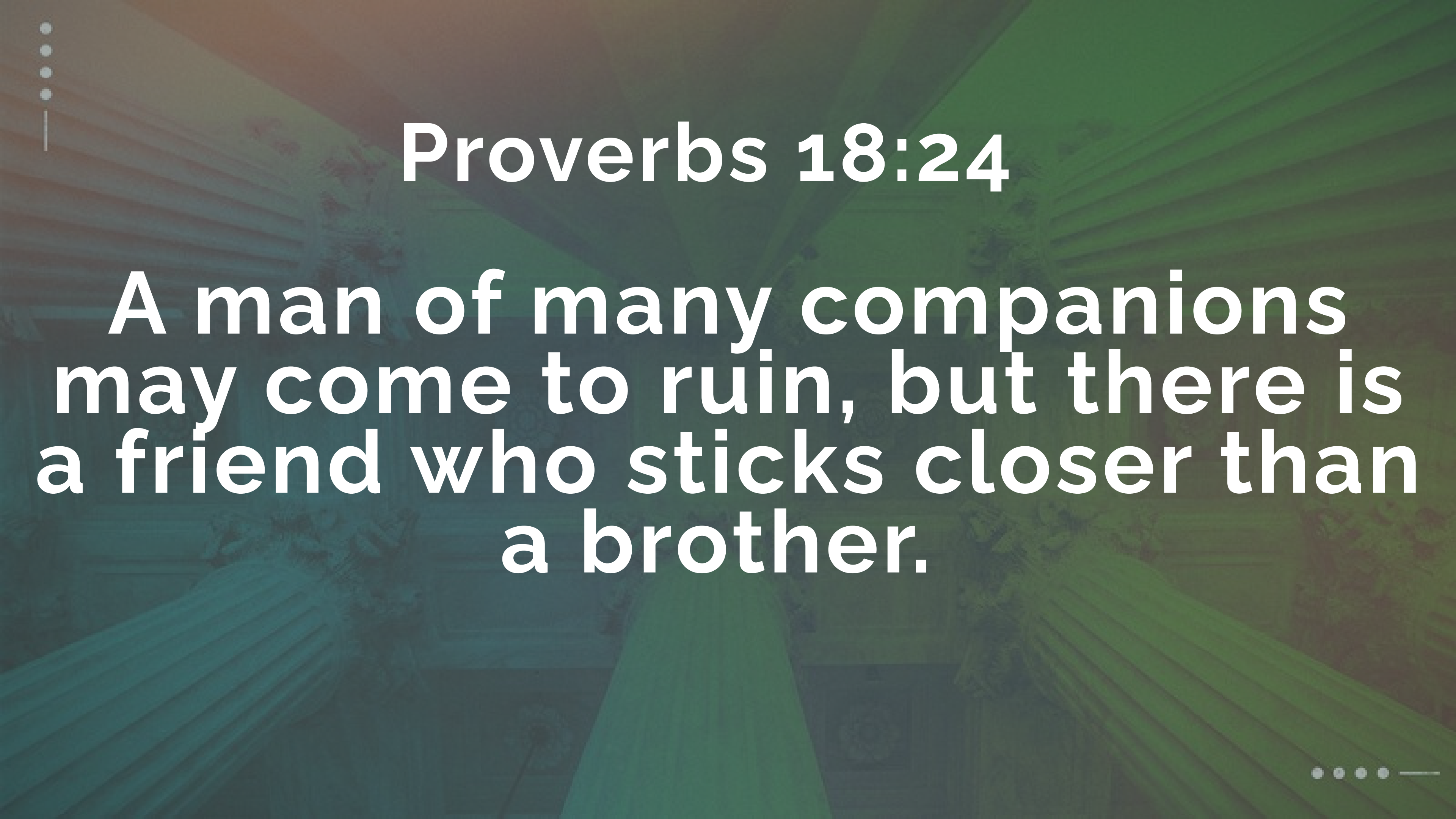
Romans 12:10

Love one another with
brotherly affection. Outdo one
another in showing honor.



Ephesians 4:32

Be kind to one another,
tenderhearted, forgiving one
another, as God in Christ
forgave you.



Proverbs 18:24

A man of many companions
may come to ruin, but there is
a friend who sticks closer than
a brother.

Point 5

The Friend Who Never Leaves

John 15:13

Greater love has no one than
this, that someone lay down
his life for his friends