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# SUDDENLY: GODS INTERVENTION IN A WORLD OF VIOLENCE AND CONFUSION

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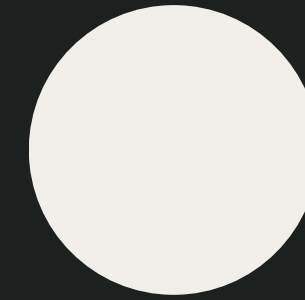
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# GOD USES SUDDENLY TO MARK GODS DECISIVE INTERVENTION

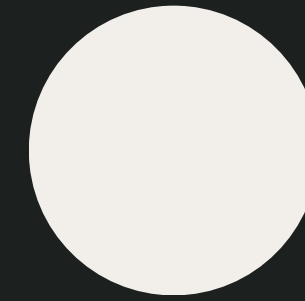
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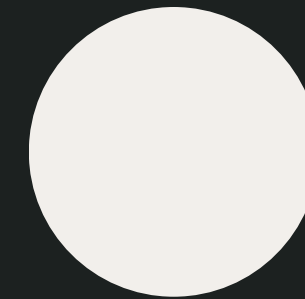
## **Divine Encounters**

Suddenly, God appears to Moses  
Suddenly, a light surrounds Saul



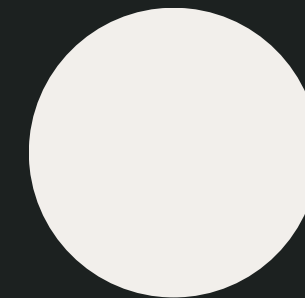
## **Outpourings of the Spirit**

Suddenly, a wind at the Pentecost  
Suddenly, an earthquake that freed Paul and Silas



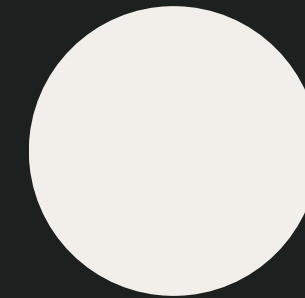
## **Judgment and Warning**

Suddenly, destruction to on fell on those who hardened their hearts



## **Fulfillment and Prophecy**

Suddenly, the Lord comes to his temple



## **Deliverance and Hope**

Suddenly, Angels announce Christs Birth  
Suddenly, Philip is carried away by a spirit

# DIVINE ENCOUNTERS

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**Exodus 3:2**



**Acts 9:3-4**



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# DIVINE ENCOUNTERS

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## Exodus 3:2

“<sup>2</sup>And the Angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire from the midst of a bush. So he looked, **and behold, the bush was burning with fire, but the bush was not consumed.**”



# DIVINE ENCOUNTERS

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## Acts 9:3-4

**“<sup>3</sup>As he journeyed he came near Damascus, and suddenly a light shone around him from heaven. <sup>4</sup>Then he fell to the ground, and heard a voice saying to him, “Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me?”**



# DIVINE ENCOUNTERS

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## Acts 22:6

“<sup>6</sup>Now it happened, as I journeyed and came near Damascus at about noon, suddenly a great light from heaven shone around me.”



# OUTPOURING OF THE SPIRIT

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**Acts 2:1-2**



**Acts 16:25-26**



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# OUTPOURING OF THE SPIRIT

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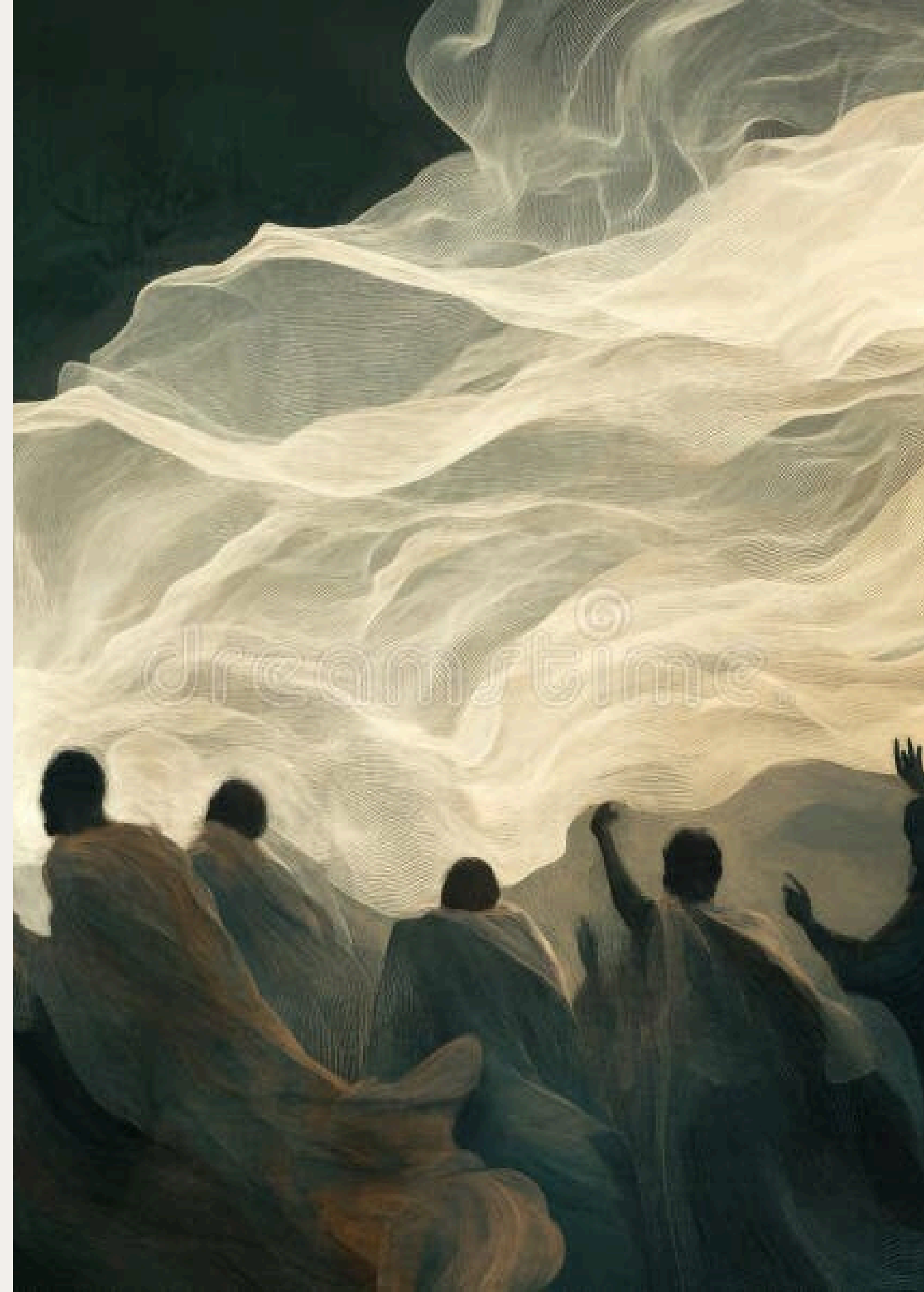
## ACTS 2:1-2

“<sup>1</sup>When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. <sup>2</sup>**And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind,** and it filled the whole house where they were sitting.”

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# OUTPOURING OF THE SPIRIT

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## ACTS 16:25-26

<sup>25</sup>“And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them. <sup>26</sup>**And suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken: and immediately all the doors were opened, and every one's bands were loosed.**”

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# JUDGEMENT AND WARNING

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## Numbers 12:10

“<sup>10</sup>And when the cloud departed from above the tabernacle, **suddenly Miriam became leprous, as white as snow.** Then Aaron turned toward Miriam, and there she was, a leper.”

# JUDGEMENT AND WARNING

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## Isaiah 29:5-6

“<sup>5</sup>Moreover the multitude of your foes shall be like fine dust, and the multitude of the terrible ones like chaff that passes away; **yes, it shall be in an instant, suddenly.** <sup>6</sup>You will be punished by the Lord of hosts with thunder and earthquake and great noise, with storm and tempest and the flame of devouring fire.



# JUDGEMENT AND WARNING

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## Proverbs 6:15

“<sup>15</sup>Therefore his calamity shall come suddenly;  
**Suddenly he shall be broken without remedy.**”

# JUDGEMENT AND WARNING

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## Proverbs 29:1

“<sup>1</sup>He who is often rebuked, and hardens his neck, will **suddenly be destroyed**, and that without remedy.”

# JUDGEMENT AND WARNING

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## Jeremiah 6:26

“<sup>26</sup>O daughter of my people, dress in sackcloth and roll about in ashes! Make mourning as for an only son, most bitter lamentation; **for the plunderer will suddenly come upon us.**”



# FUFILLMENT AND PROPHECY

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## MALACHI 3:1

“<sup>1</sup>Behold, I send My messenger, And he will prepare the way before Me. **And the Lord, whom you seek, Will suddenly come to His temple,** Even the Messenger of the covenant, In whom you delight. Behold, He is coming,’ Says the Lord of hosts.”

# FUFILLMENT AND PROPHECY

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## ISAIAH 48:3

“<sup>3</sup>I have declared the former things from the **beginning**; They went forth from My mouth, and I caused them to hear it. **Suddenly I did them, and they came to pass.**”

# DELIVERANCE AND HOPE

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## 2 kings 19:35

“<sup>35</sup>And it came to pass on a certain night that **the angel of the Lord went out, and killed in the camp of the Assyrians one hundred and eighty-five thousand;** and when people arose early in the morning, there were the corpses—all dead.”



# DELIVERANCE AND HOPE

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## Luke 2:8-13

“<sup>8</sup>Now there were in the same country shepherds living out in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. <sup>9</sup>And behold, an angel of the Lord stood before them,...<sup>10</sup>Then the angel said to them, “Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. <sup>11</sup>For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord...<sup>13</sup>**And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God”**

# DELIVERANCE AND HOPE

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## Acts 8:39

“<sup>39</sup>Now when they came up out of the water, **the Spirit of the Lord caught Philip away**, so that the eunuch saw him no more; and he went on his way rejoicing.”

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# JESUS: THE ULTIMATE EXAMPLE

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**HE STOOD  
BOLDY!**

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HE HEALED THE  
SICK



HE PREACHED THE  
KINGDOM



HE CONFRONTED  
HYPOCRISY



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# JESUS: THE ULTIMATE EXAMPLE

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## BUT WHAT HAPPENED?

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THE CROSS DID NOT  
END THE MESSAGE



THE CROSS BECAME  
THE MESSAGE



WHAT LOOKED LIKE  
DEFEAT BECAME THE  
GREATEST VICTORY

# STEPHEN: A BOLD WITNESS

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## Acts 6:8-10

**“<sup>8</sup>And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and signs among the people.** <sup>9</sup>Then there arose some from what is called the Synagogue of the Freedmen..., disputing with Stephen. <sup>10</sup>And they were not able to resist the wisdom and the Spirit by which he spoke.”

# STEPHEN: A BOLD WITNESS

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## Acts 6:11-13

<sup>11</sup>Then they secretly induced men to say, “We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses and God.” <sup>12</sup>**And they stirred up the people, the elders, and the scribes; and they came upon him, seized him,** and brought him to the council. <sup>13</sup>They also set up false witnesses who said, “This man does not cease to speak blasphemous words against this holy place and the law;”

# PAUL: THE TRANSFORMATION

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## ACTS 7:58

“<sup>58</sup>and they cast him out of the city and stoned him.  
**And the witnesses laid down their clothes at the  
feet of a young man named Saul.”**

# PAUL: THE TRANSFORMATION

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## ACTS 8:1

**“<sup>1</sup>Now Saul was consenting to his death.** At that time a great persecution arose against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, except the apostles.”



# PAUL: THE TRANSFORMATION

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## ACTS 8:3

“<sup>3</sup>As for Saul, he made havoc of the church,  
**entering every house, and dragging off men and women, committing them to prison.”**

# PAUL: THE TRANSFORMATION

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## ACTS 9:3

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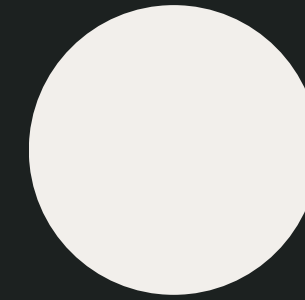
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# MODERN ECHO OF CHARLIE KIRK

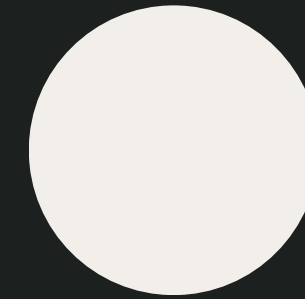
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IN OUR TIME WE SAW  
CHARLIE...

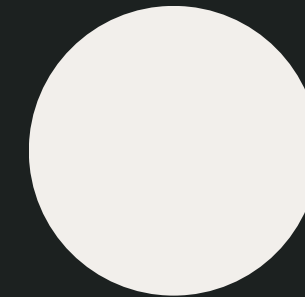
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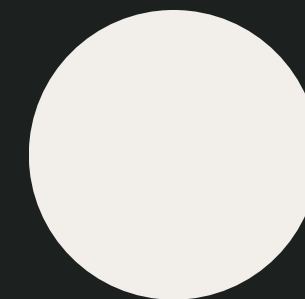
**STOOD BOLDY IN THE  
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**HE CONFRONT POWERFUL  
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**HE SPOKE TRUTH**



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OPPOSITION**

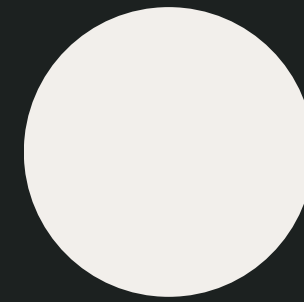
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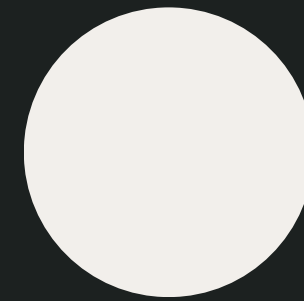
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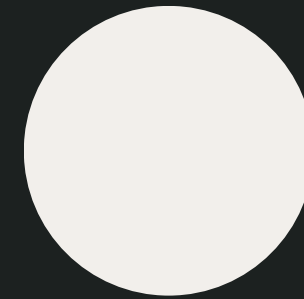
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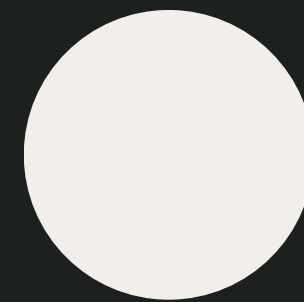
**FALSE ACCUSATIONS  
SWIRLED**



**HE WAS MISINTERPRETED**



**HE WAS MISQUOTED**



**WHEN WORDS COULD NOT  
SILENCE HIM...VIOLENCE  
DID**

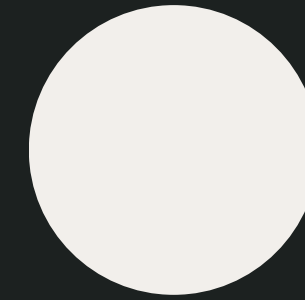
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# THE PATTERN OF PERSECUTION

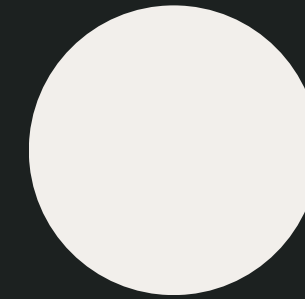
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**NOTICE THE PATTERN**

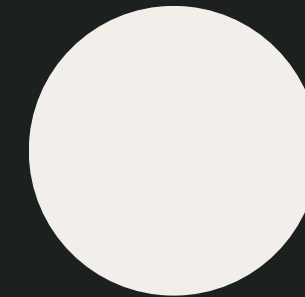
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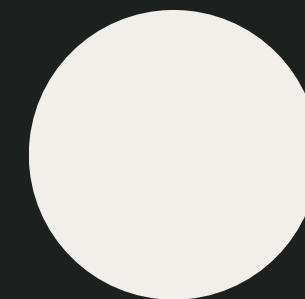
**THEY CRUCIFIED CHRIST**



**THEY STONED STEPHEN**



**THEY MOBBED PAUL**



**THEY ASSASINATED  
CHARLIE**



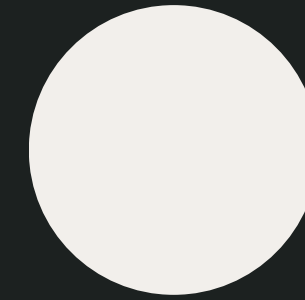
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# SPIRITUAL APPLICATION

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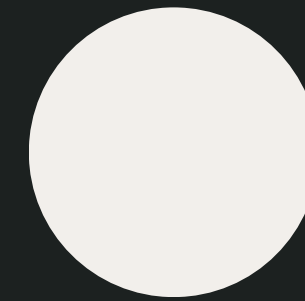
**SO WHAT DOES THIS MEAN  
FOR US?**

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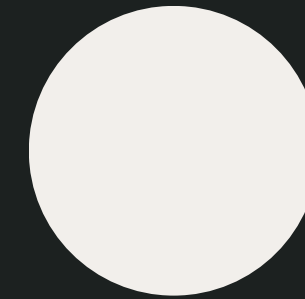
## **Stay spiritually watchful**

Christ will return...Suddenly like a thief in the night.



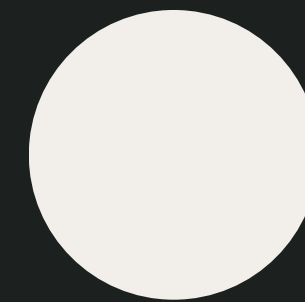
## **God can use anyone**

If He could turn a cross into salvation, and a bullet into a movement, then nothing is beyond His reach.



## **Weapons CANNOT stop the word**

Isaiah 54:17: "No weapon formed against you shall prosper."



## **The church MUST awake**

For too long the church has rested. Suddenly, we are being shaken awake. To shepherd new believers, disciple the wandering, and welcome modern-day Sauls into the family of God.

# END TIMES

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## 1 THESSALONIANS 5:2-3

“<sup>2</sup>For you yourselves know perfectly **that the day of the Lord so comes as a thief in the night.** <sup>3</sup>For when they say, “Peace and safety!” **then sudden destruction comes upon them,** as labor pains upon a pregnant woman. And they shall not escape.”

# END TIMES

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## LUKE 21:34

“<sup>34</sup>But take heed to yourselves, lest your hearts be weighed down with carousing, drunkenness, and cares of this life, and **that Day come on you unexpectedly.**”

# SCRIPTURE TO REFERENCE

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- **Exodus 3:2** – Suddenly the angel of the Lord appears in the burning bush to Moses.
- **Acts 9:3–4** – Saul on the Damascus road: “Suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him.”
- **Acts 22:6** – Paul recounts the same sudden encounter in testimony.
- **Acts 2:2** – Pentecost: “Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven...”
- **Acts 16:26** – Paul and Silas: “Suddenly there was such a violent earthquake... foundations were shaken.”
- **Numbers 12:10** – Miriam is struck with leprosy suddenly after opposing Moses.
- **Isaiah 29:5–6** – Judgment will come “suddenly, in an instant.”
- **Proverbs 6:15** – The wicked man’s calamity will come suddenly.
- **Proverbs 29:1** – The stubborn will be suddenly destroyed, without remedy.
- **Jeremiah 6:26** – Disaster comes suddenly upon the people.
- **Malachi 3:1** – “...the Lord whom you seek will suddenly come to his temple.”
- **Isaiah 48:3** – God declares events beforehand, then suddenly they came to pass.
- **2 Kings 19:35** – The angel of the Lord suddenly strikes down 185,000 Assyrians. • Luke 2:13 – At Christ’s birth: “Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared.”
- **Acts 8:39** – After Philip baptizes the eunuch, the Spirit of the Lord suddenly takes him away.
- **1 Thessalonians 5:2–3** – “The day of the Lord will come like a thief... destruction will come suddenly.”
- **Luke 21:34** – Jesus warns the last day will “come on you suddenly like a trap.”