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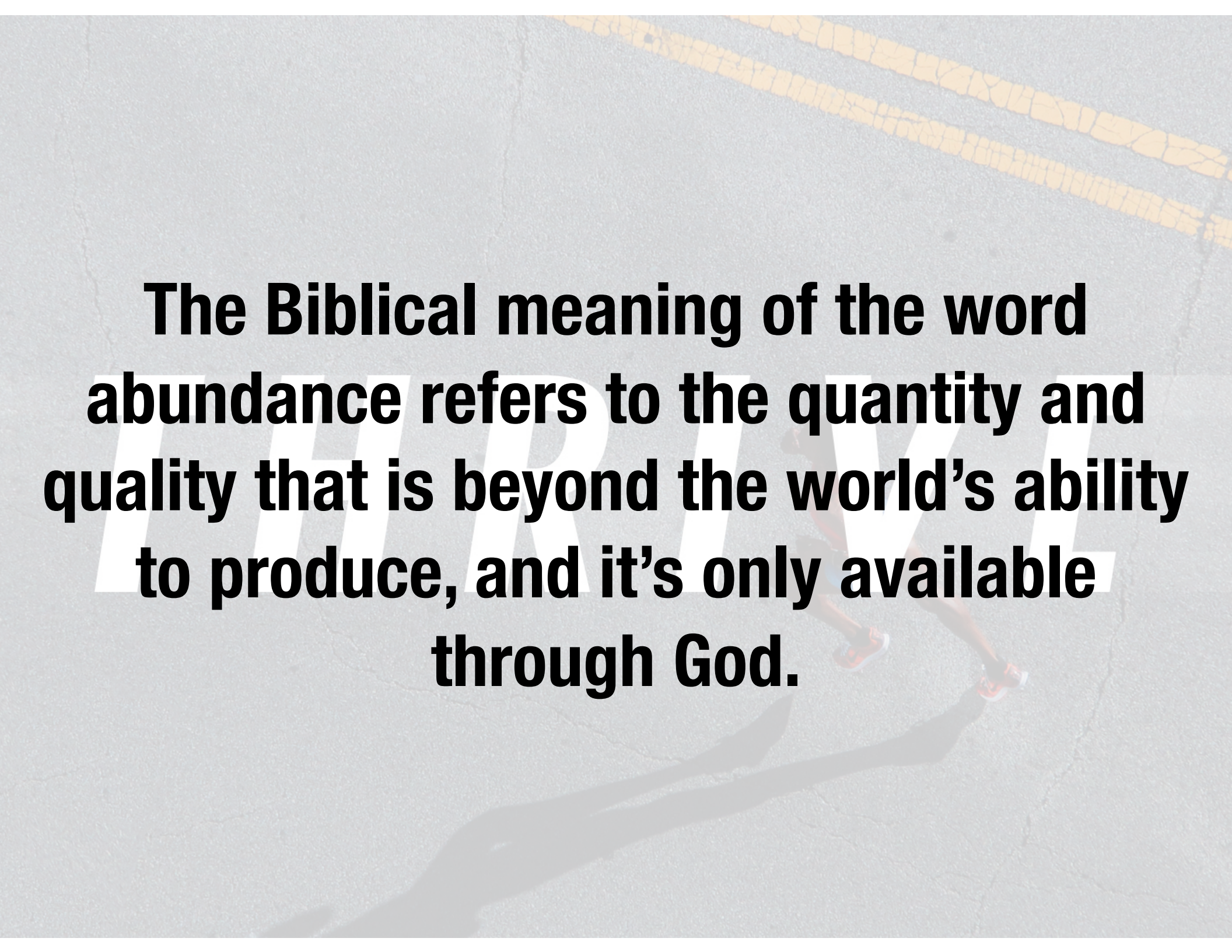
An Attitude of Abundance

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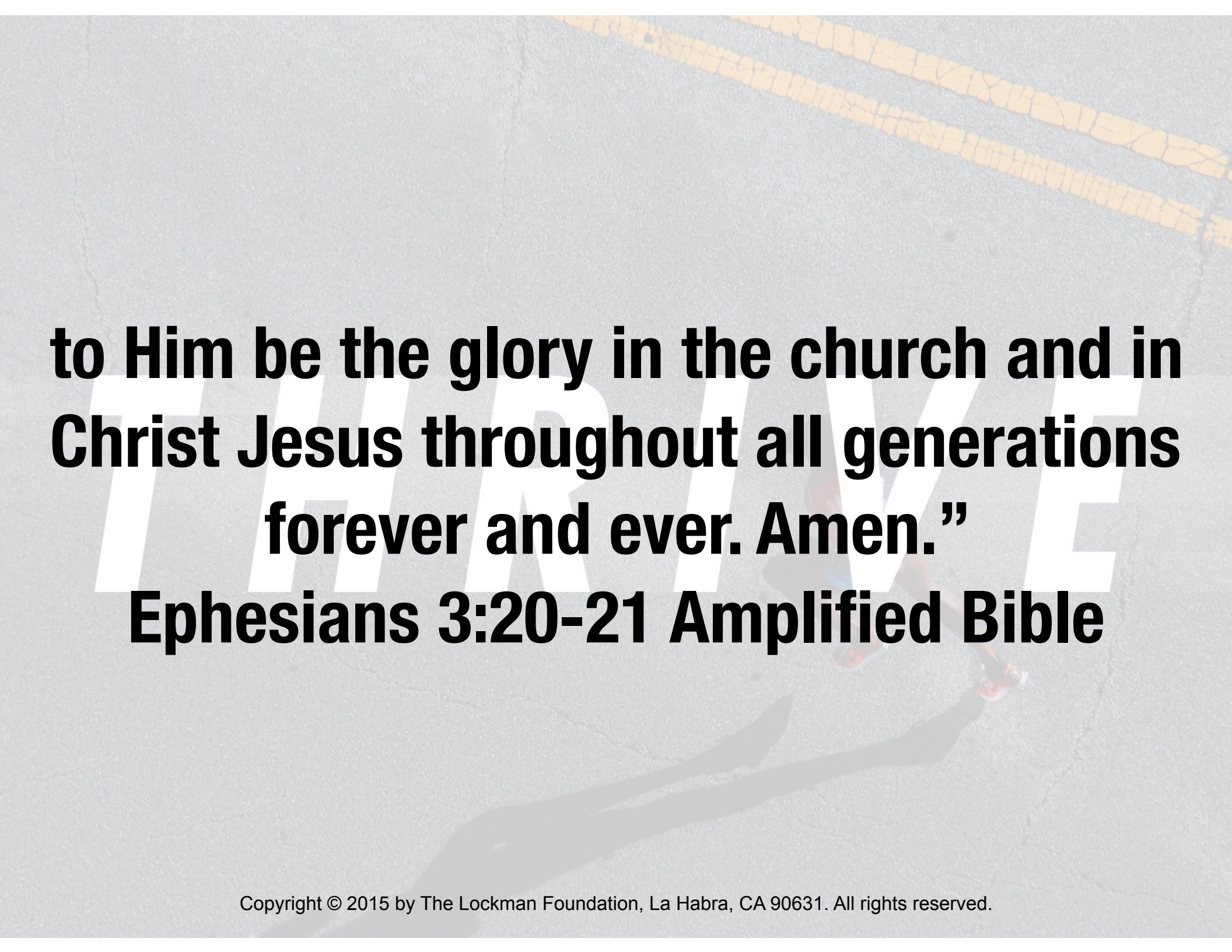
“Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.”

Ephesians 3:20-21 NASB

A runner is shown from a high-angle perspective on a grey track with yellow lane markings. The runner is wearing a dark top and shorts, and is in mid-stride. Overlaid on the image is the word "PERSIST" in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters. The text is centered and partially overlaps the runner's legs and the track.

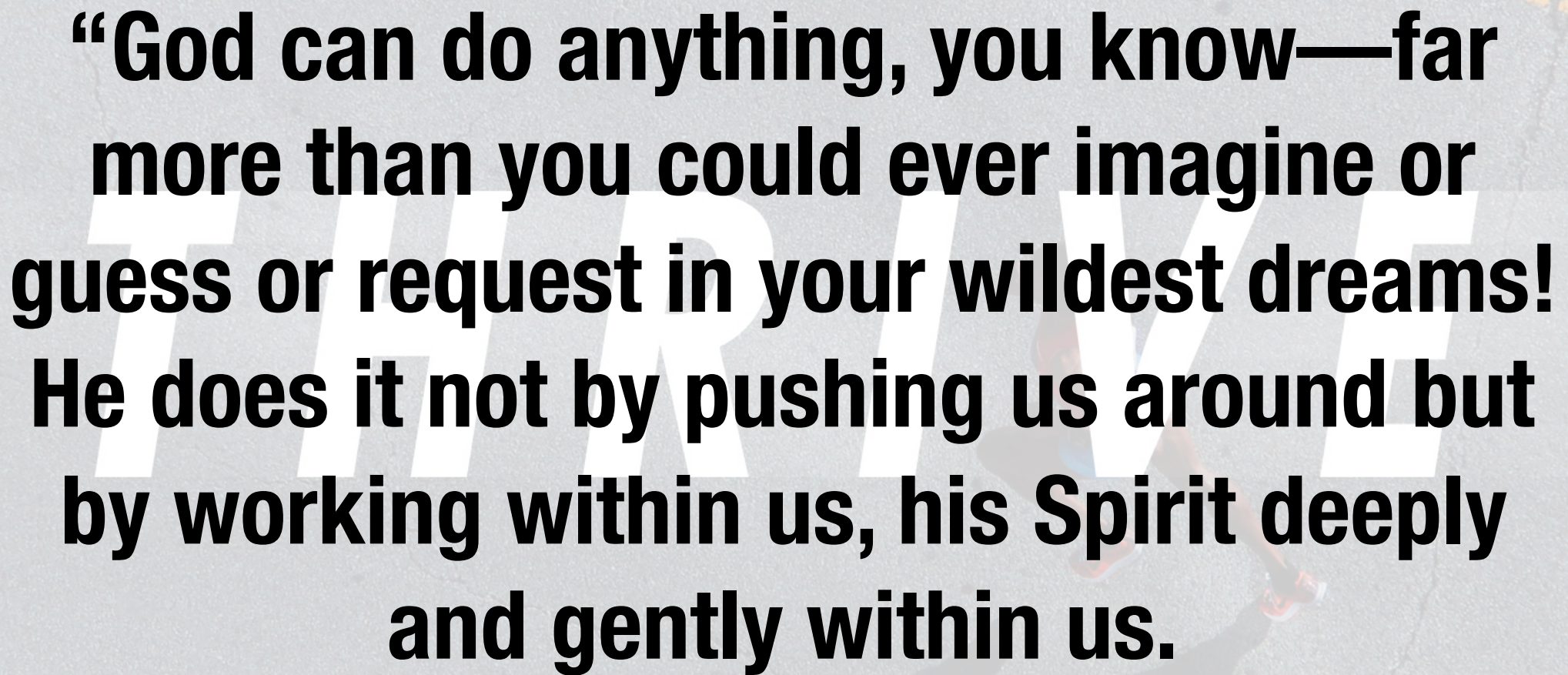
**The Biblical meaning of the word
abundance refers to the quantity and
quality that is beyond the world's ability
to produce, and it's only available
through God.**

“Now to Him who is able to [carry out His purpose and] do superabundantly more than all that we dare ask or think [infinitely beyond our greatest prayers, hopes, or dreams], according to His power that is at work within us,



**to Him be the glory in the church and in
Christ Jesus throughout all generations
forever and ever. Amen.”**

Ephesians 3:20-21 Amplified Bible

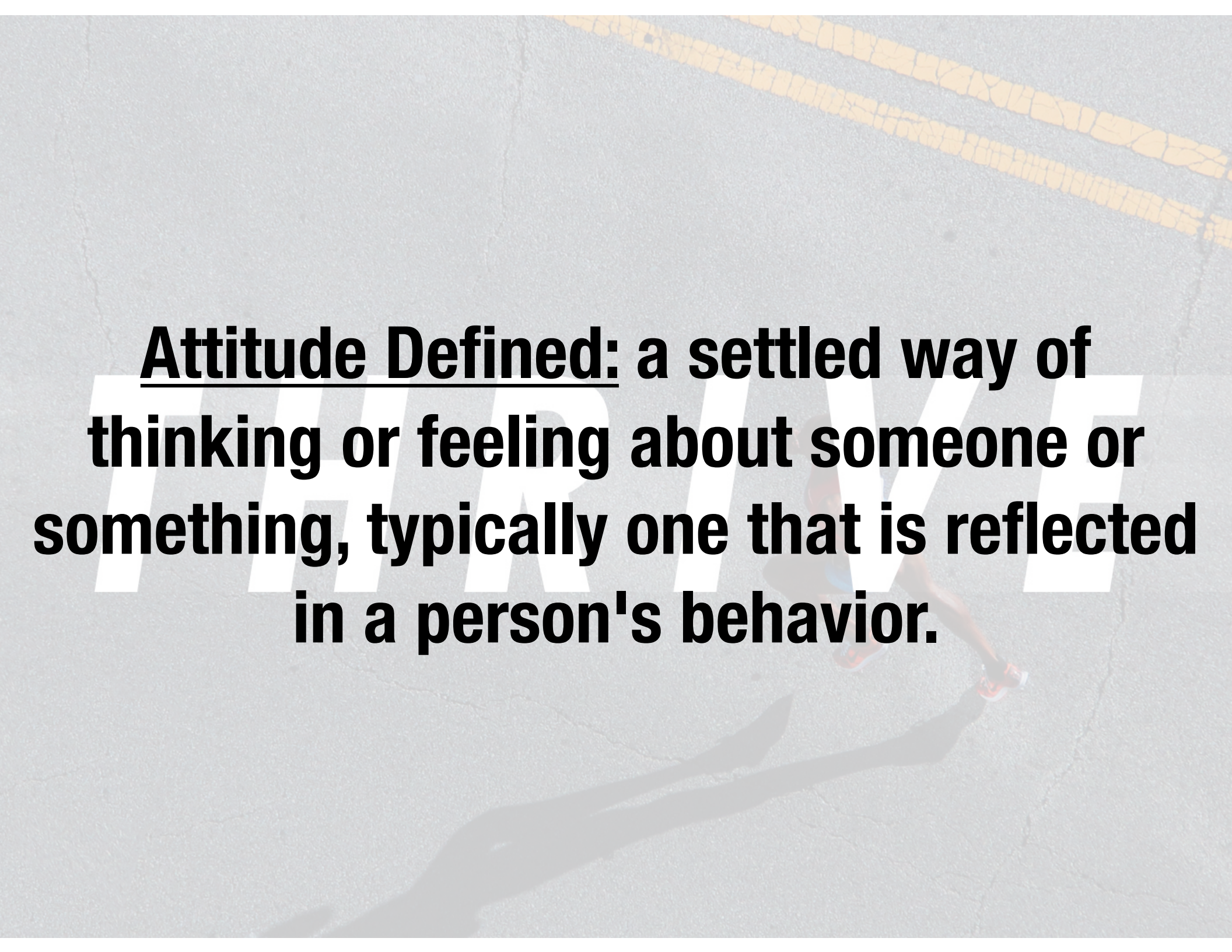
A person wearing a blue shirt and red shoes is walking on a paved path. The path is bordered by a yellow mosaic pattern. The background is a light gray, textured surface.

“God can do anything, you know—far more than you could ever imagine or guess or request in your wildest dreams! He does it not by pushing us around but by working within us, his Spirit deeply and gently within us.

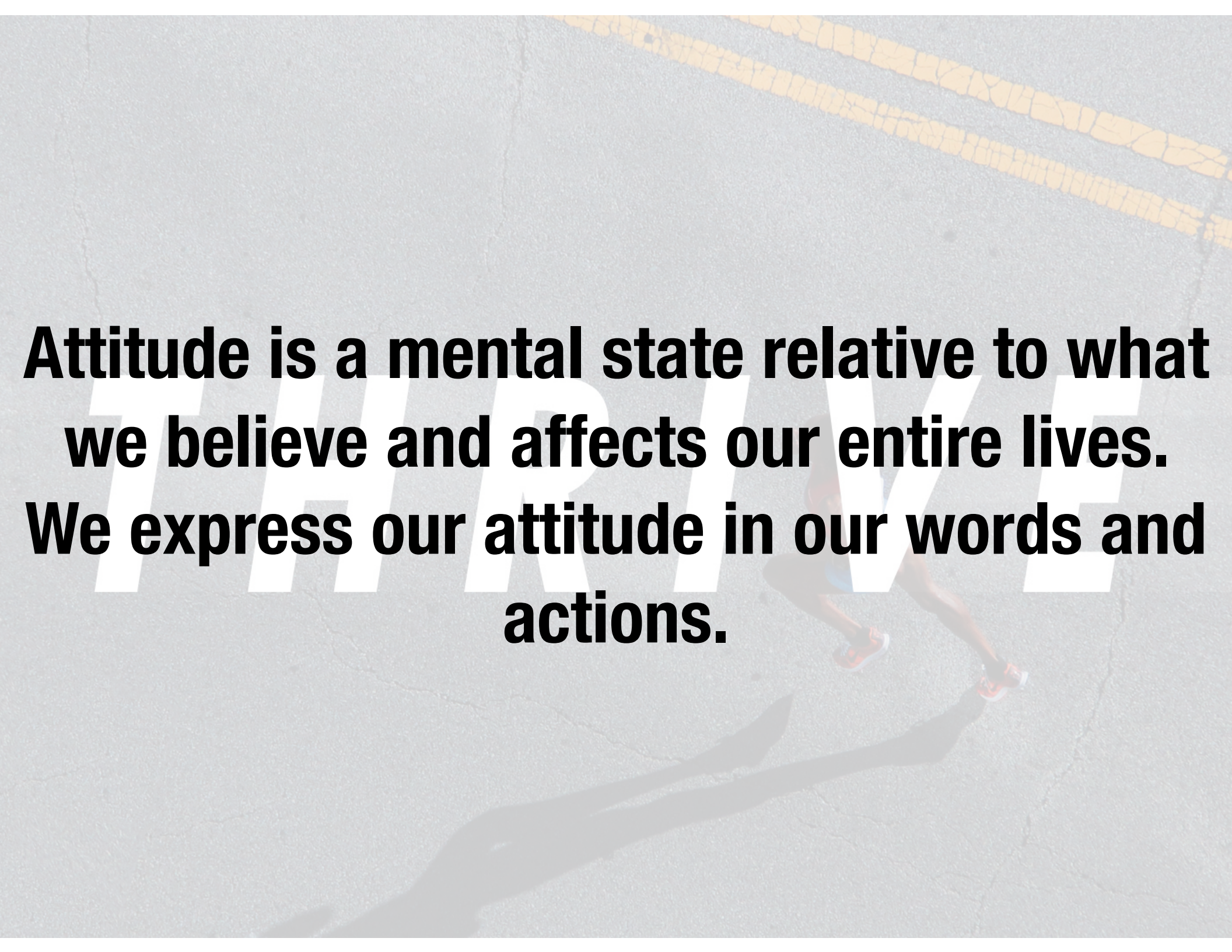
**Glory to God in the church!
Glory to God in the Messiah, in Jesus!
Glory down all the generations!
Glory through all millennia! Oh, yes!”
Ephesians 3:20-21 The Message**

**“Now all glory to God, who is able,
*through his mighty power at work
within us,* to accomplish infinitely more
than we might ask or think. Glory to him
in the church and in Christ Jesus through
all generations forever and ever! Amen.”**

Ephesians 3:20-21 NLT

A person is running on a paved path with a yellow curb. The image is semi-transparent, showing a white box with text overlaid on the scene. The text is in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The word 'HARVEST' is faintly visible in the background behind the text box.

Attitude Defined: a settled way of thinking or feeling about someone or something, typically one that is reflected in a person's behavior.

A runner in a blue and orange outfit is captured in mid-stride on a grey asphalt track. A long shadow of the runner is cast on the ground. In the background, the word 'THRIVE' is written in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters. A yellow lane line is visible at the top of the frame.

Attitude is a mental state relative to what we believe and affects our entire lives. We express our attitude in our words and actions.

A runner is captured in motion on a grey asphalt track, with a long shadow cast behind them. The word 'THRIVE' is written in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters across the middle of the image. A yellow lane line is visible at the top of the frame.

**“People may hear your words,
but they feel your attitude.”**

John Maxwell

A photograph of a runner in motion on a grey track, with a long shadow cast behind them. The word 'THRIVE' is written in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters across the middle of the image. The runner is wearing a red and blue athletic top and shorts, and is captured in a dynamic running pose. The background shows a yellow lane line on the track.

An Attitude of Abundance

- 1. Living**
- 2. Giving**

“Remember this—a farmer who plants only a few seeds will get a small crop. But the one who plants generously will get a generous crop. You must each decide in your heart how much to give. And don’t give reluctantly or in response to pressure. “For God loves a person who gives cheerfully.” And God will generously provide all you need. Then you will always have everything you need and plenty left over to share with others. As the Scriptures say,

“They share freely and give generously to the poor. Their good deeds will be remembered forever.” For God is the one who provides seed for the farmer and then bread to eat. In the same way, he will provide and increase your resources and then produce a great harvest of generosity in you. Yes, you will be enriched in every way so that you can always be generous. And when we take your gifts to those who need them, they will thank God.”

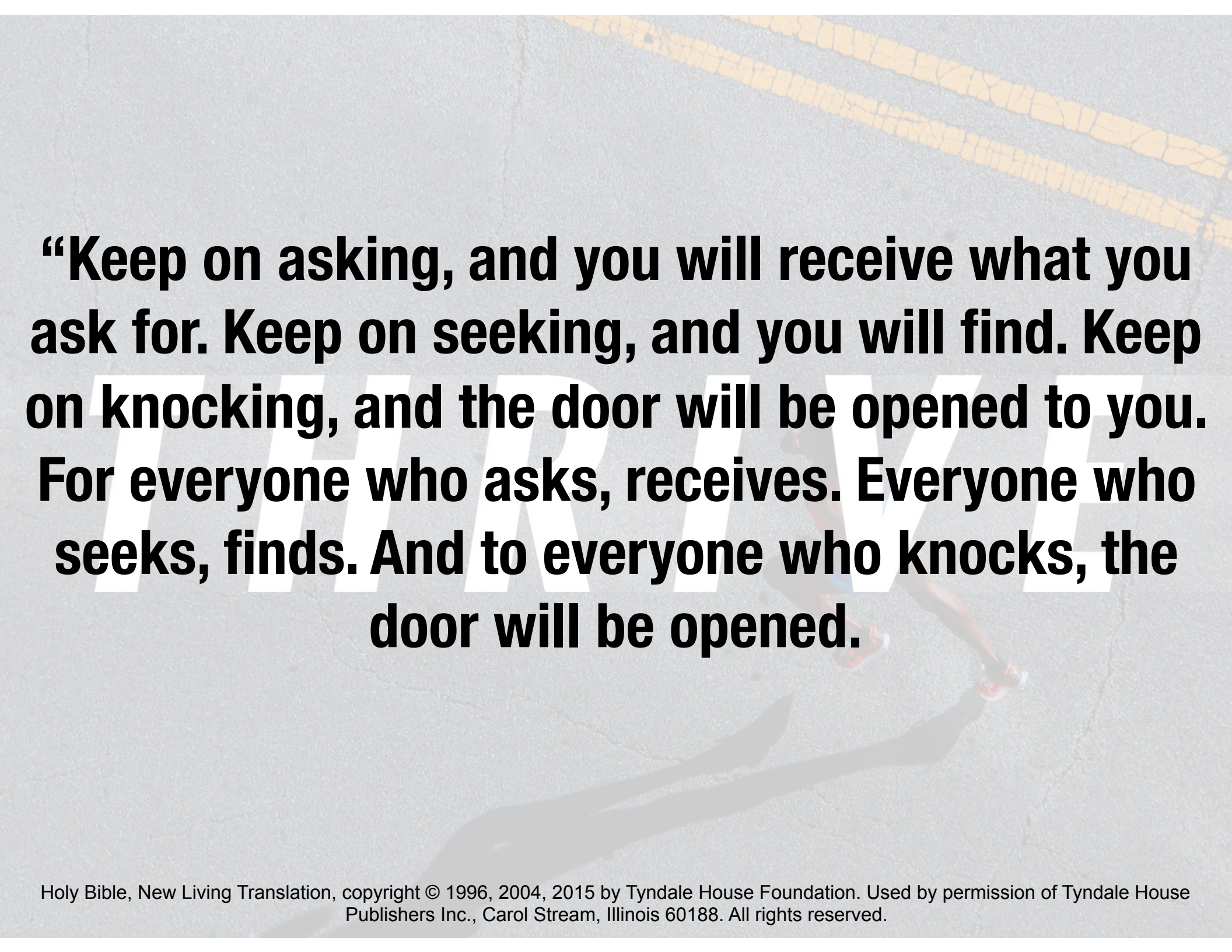
2 Corinthians 7:6-11 NLT

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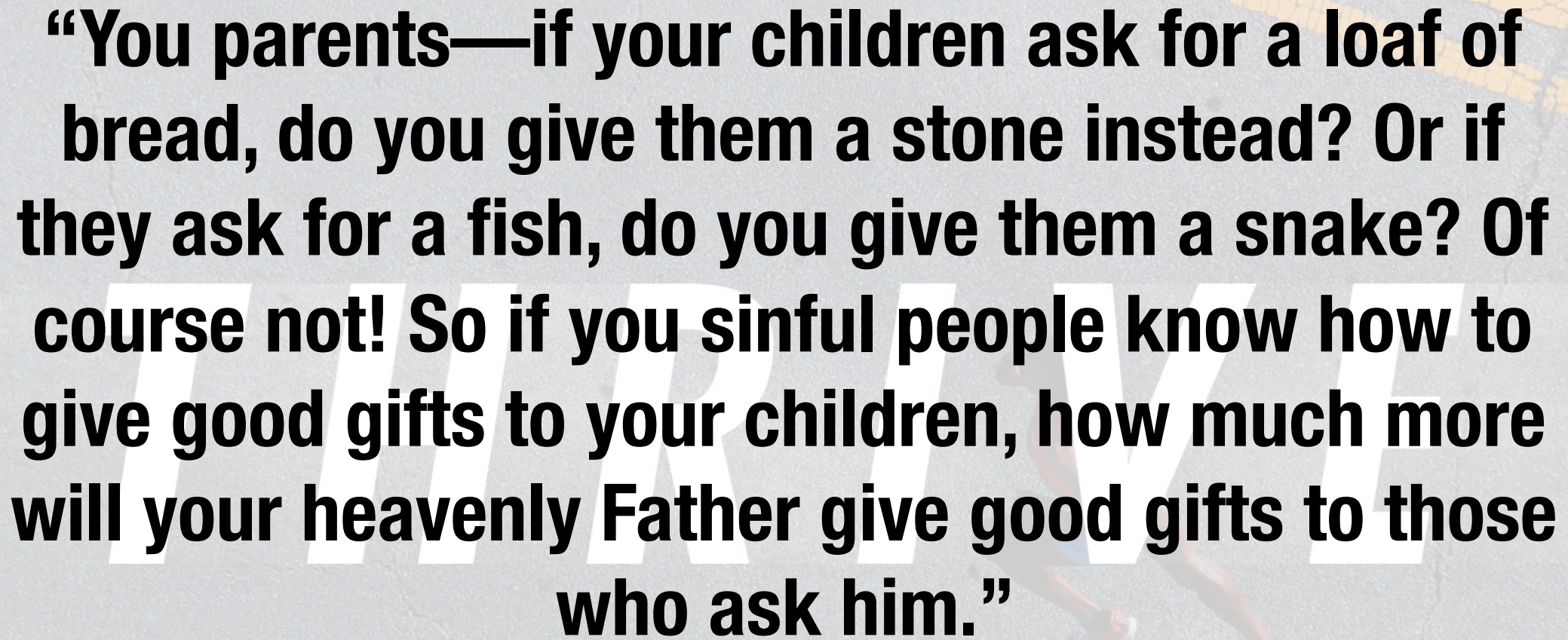
1. Living
2. Giving
3. Receiving

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A runner in a red shirt and blue shorts is captured in mid-stride on a paved path. A long, dark shadow is cast behind them, extending towards the bottom left. The word "THRIVE" is written in large, bold, white capital letters across the middle of the image, partially overlapping the runner and the path. The background is a light gray, textured surface, possibly asphalt or concrete, with a yellow curb visible in the upper right corner.

A person is running on a paved path. The path has a yellow mosaic border on the right side. The person is wearing a blue top and orange shoes. The background is a light gray pavement.

“Keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for. Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives. Everyone who seeks, finds. And to everyone who knocks, the door will be opened.”

A person is running on a paved path. The path has a yellow mosaic border on the right side. The person is wearing a blue shirt and orange shoes. The background is a light gray pavement.

“You parents—if your children ask for a loaf of bread, do you give them a stone instead? Or if they ask for a fish, do you give them a snake? Of course not! So if you sinful people know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give good gifts to those who ask him.”

Matthew 7:7-11

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