



4TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

STORIES OF **REDEMPTION**





**WALKING IN A
MANNER WORTHY OF
OUR CALLING**

EPHESIANS 4:1-3

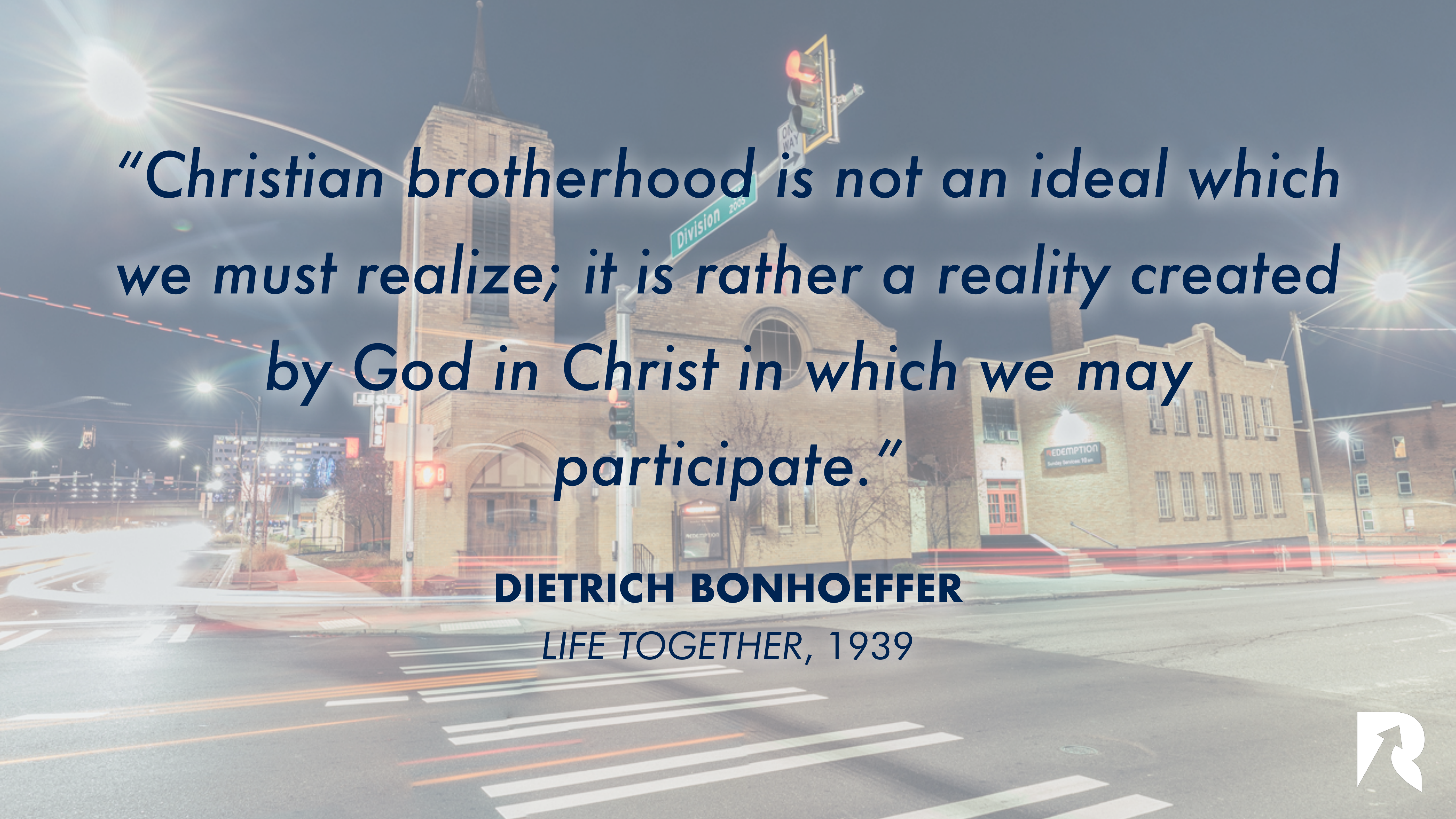


EPHESIANS 4:1-3

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.







“Christian brotherhood is not an ideal which we must realize; it is rather a reality created by God in Christ in which we may participate.”

DIETRICH BONHOEFFER

LIFE TOGETHER, 1939





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1 PETER 2:9

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.



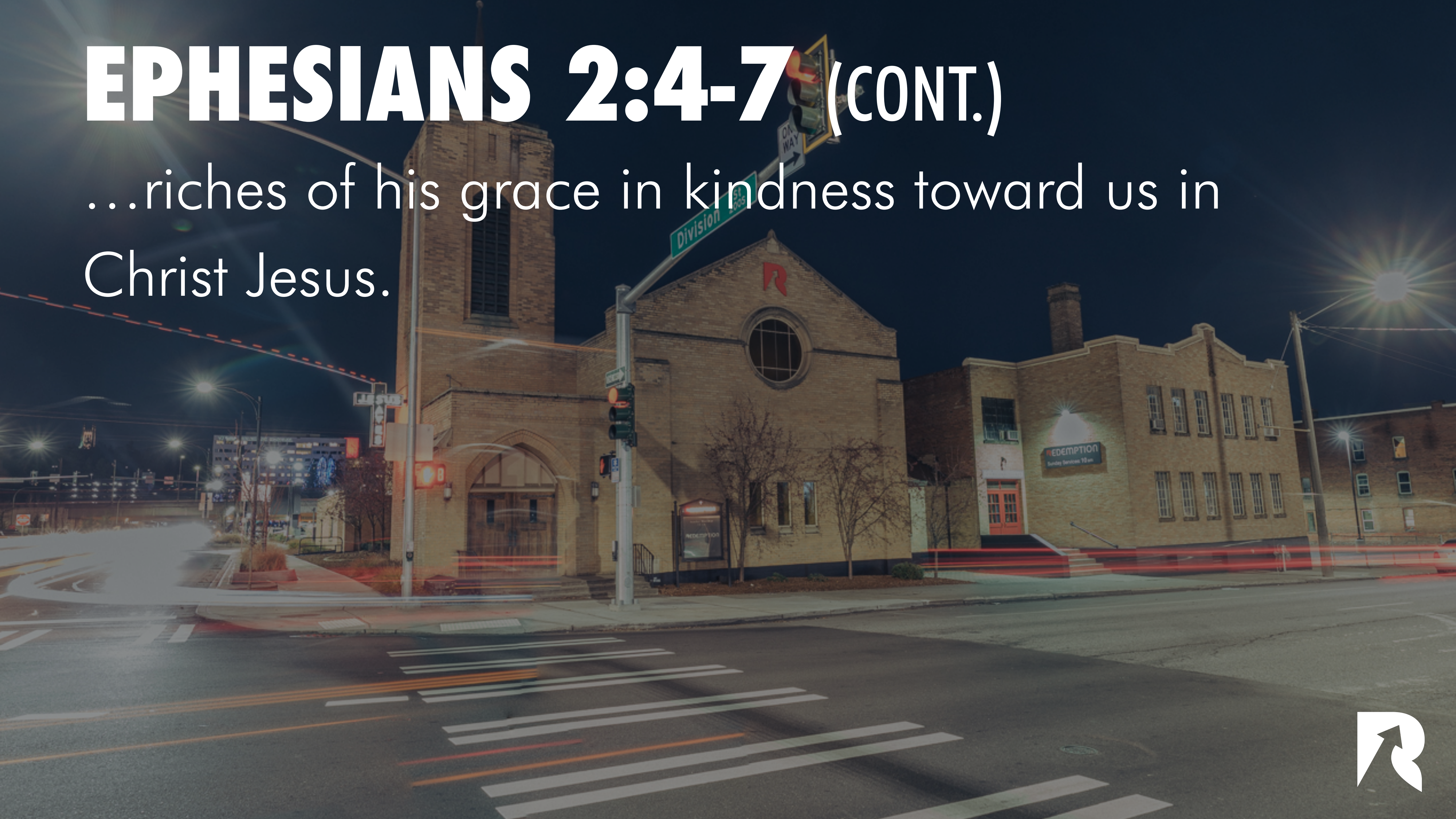
EPHESIANS 2:4-7

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable...



EPHESIANS 2:4-7 (CONT.)

...riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.





CHARACTERISTICS

OF WORTHY

WALKING



EPHESIANS 4:2-3

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CHARACTERISTICS OF WORTHY WALKING:

1. With all **HUMILITY**



EPHESIANS 2:8-9

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.



PHILIPPIANS 2:3

Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.



CHARACTERISTICS OF WORTHY WALKING:

1. With all **HUMILITY**
2. With all **GENTLENESS**



NUMBERS 12:3

Now the man Moses was very meek, more than all people who were on the face of the earth.



MATTHEW 11:28-30

“Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”



HEBREWS 12:2b-3a

...who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself.....



CHARACTERISTICS OF WORTHY WALKING:

1. With all **HUMILITY**
2. With all **GENTLENESS**
3. With all **PATIENCE**



ROMANS 5:3-4

Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope.



JAMES 1:2-3

Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness.



CHARACTERISTICS OF WORTHY WALKING:

1. With all **HUMILITY**
2. With all **GENTLENESS**
3. With all **PATIENCE**
4. **BEARING WITH ONE ANOTHER IN LOVE**



PROVERBS 19:11

Good sense makes one slow to anger, and it is his glory to overlook an offense.



EPHESIANS 4:32

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



1 CORINTHIANS 13:7

Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.





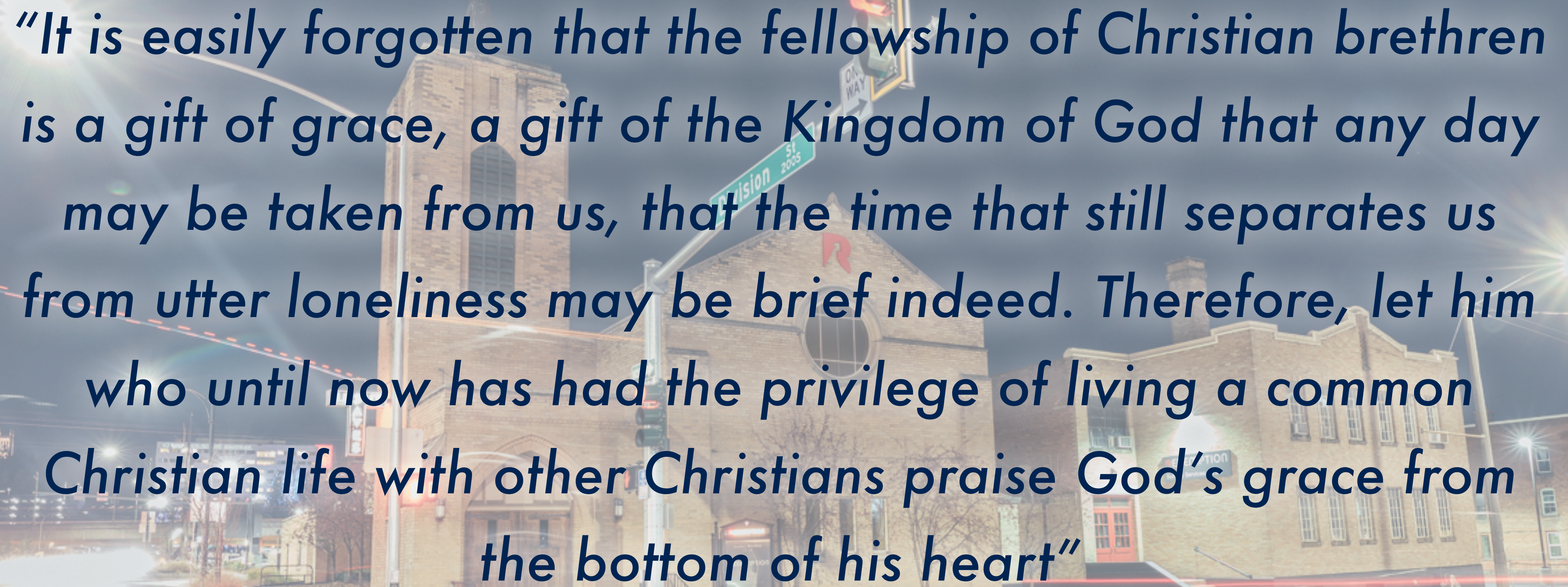
UNITY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT



EPHESIANS 4:3

...eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.





“It is easily forgotten that the fellowship of Christian brethren is a gift of grace, a gift of the Kingdom of God that any day may be taken from us, that the time that still separates us from utter loneliness may be brief indeed. Therefore, let him who until now has had the privilege of living a common Christian life with other Christians praise God’s grace from the bottom of his heart”

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