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**WELCOME**

WE'RE GLAD  
YOU'RE HERE





# GENESIS

the beginning

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# TODAY'S SCRIPTURES

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“I Am”

GENESIS 15:7-21





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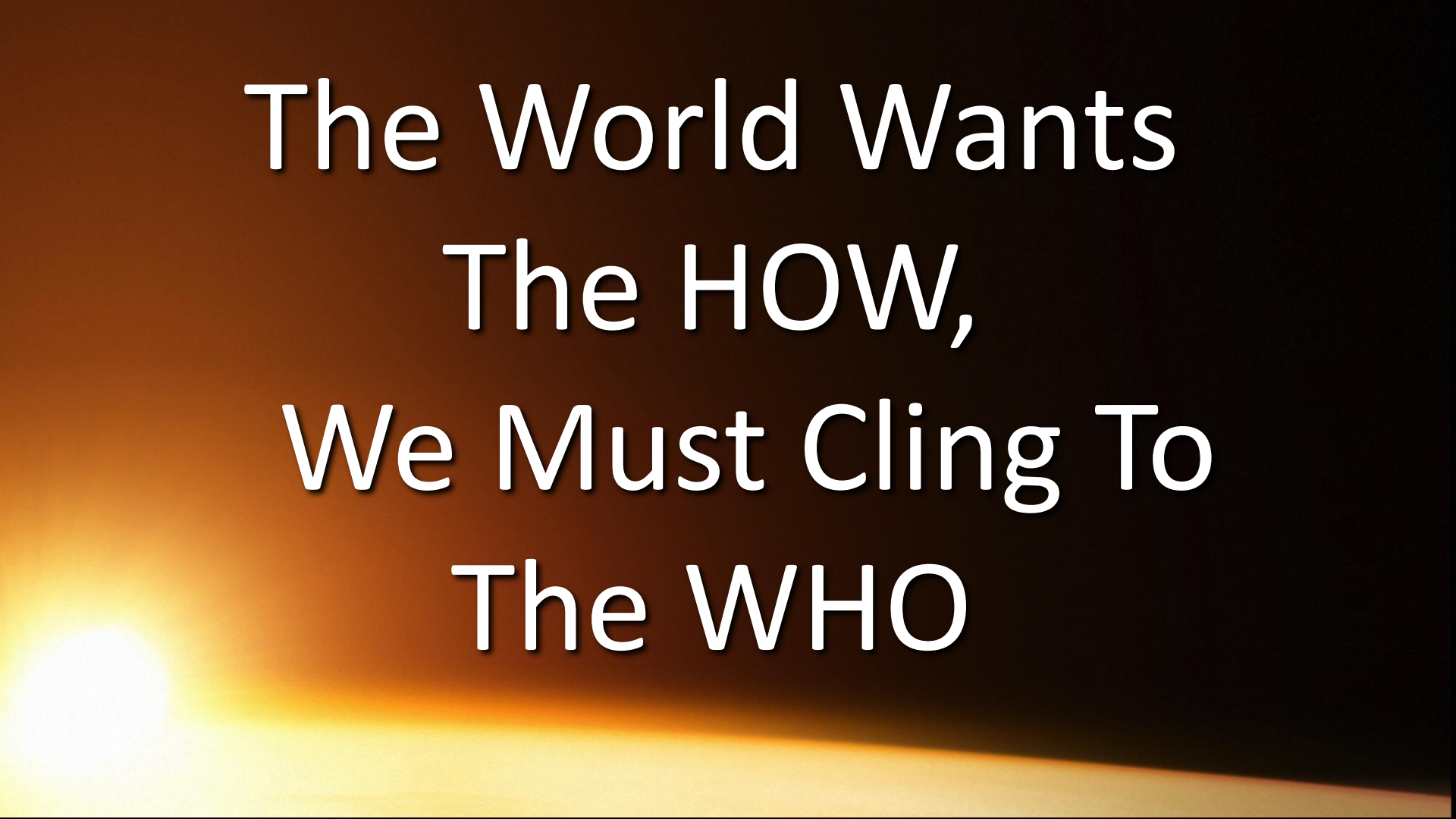
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“I am reminded that what every person ultimately desires is not something from the Lord, but simply more of the Lord.”

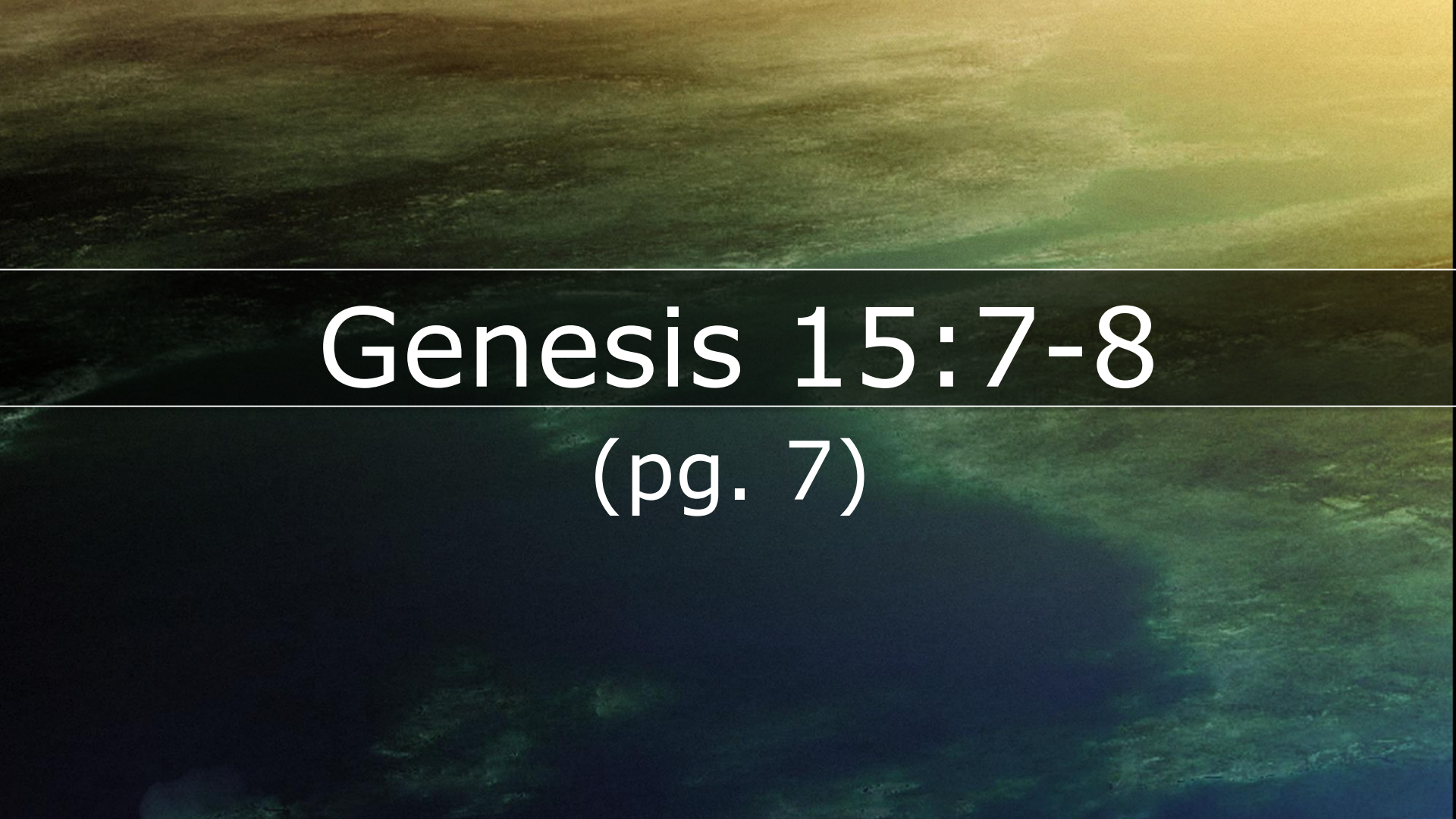
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The World Wants  
The HOW,  
We Must Cling To  
The WHO



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# Genesis 15:7-8

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# YHWH

## The Name of God





# Forgetting God?

- **What He's Done**

***"then take care lest  
you forget the Lord,  
who brought you out  
of the land of Egypt,  
out of the house of  
slavery"  
(Deuteronomy 6:12)***



# Forgetting God?

- What He's Done
- What He's Said

***"This is your lot, the portion I have measured out to you, declares the Lord, because you have forgotten me and trusted in lies"  
(Jeremiah 13:25)***



# Forgetting God?

- **What He's Done**
- **What He's Said**
- **What He Stands For**

***"And I will punish her for the feast days of the Baals when she burned offerings to them and adorned herself with her ring and jewelry, and went after her lovers and forgot me, declares the Lord"***

***(Hosea 2:13)***



# Forgetting God?

- What He's Done
- What He's Said
- What He Stands For
- What He's Given Us

***"but when they had grazed, they became full, they were filled, and their heart was lifted up; therefore they forgot me"  
(Hosea 13:6)***



*"...the only way we ever sin is by suppressing God, by forgetting, by tuning out his voice, switching channels, and listening to other voices. When you actually remember, you actually change. In fact, remembering is the first change."*

David Powlison



“Therefore I will always remind you about these things, even though you know them and are established in the truth you have. I consider it right, as long as I am in this bodily tent, to wake you up with a reminder...”

2<sup>nd</sup> Peter 1:12-13



“Nevertheless, I have written to remind you more boldly on some points because of the grace given me by God...”

Romans 15:15



*Lord God, how shall I know that I will  
inherit it?*

Genesis 15:7



# Abram's Doubt Resurfaces



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# Genesis 15:9-10

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# Jeremiah 34:18-20

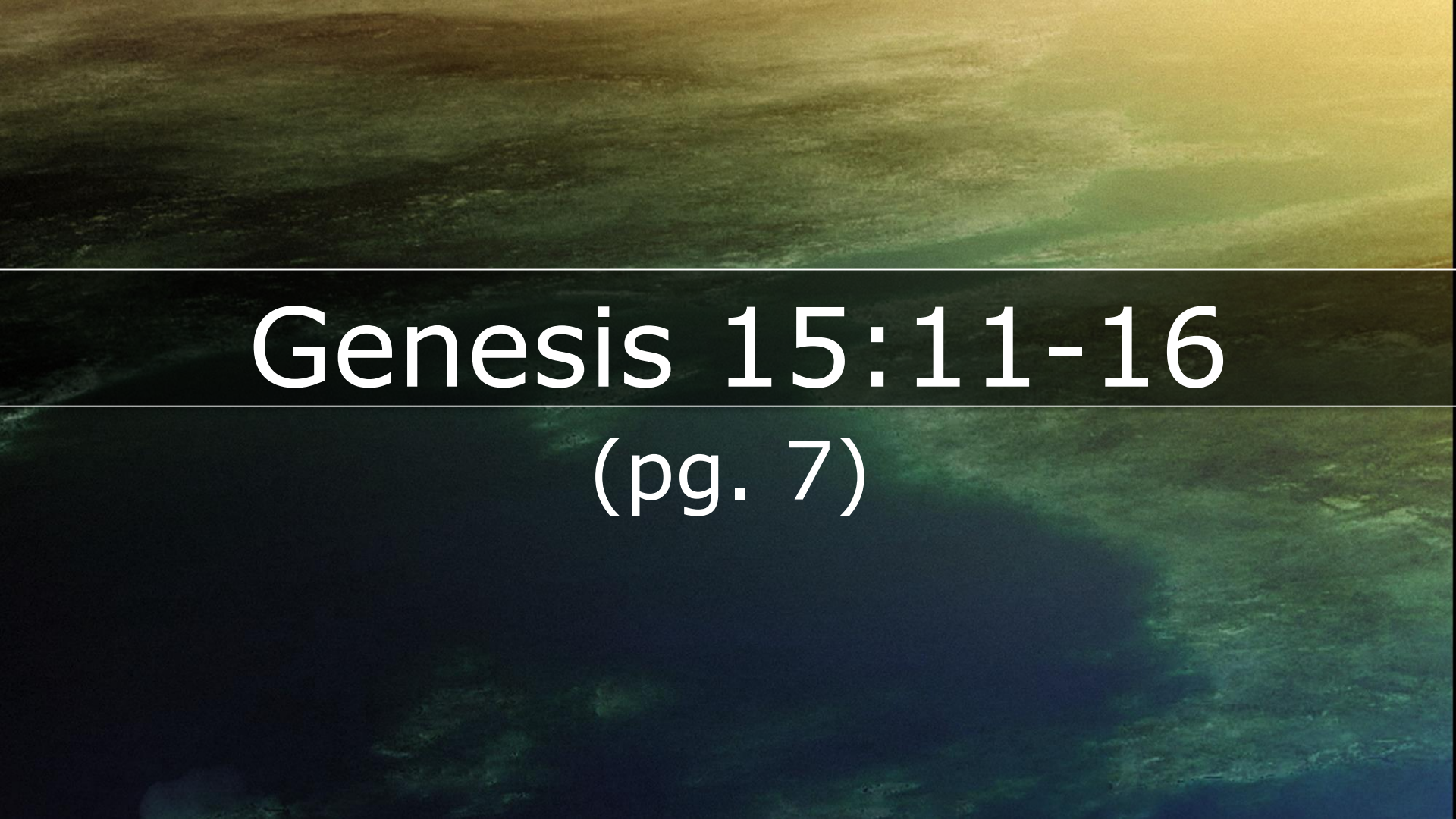
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God's Word Is As  
Good As A  
Contract



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# Genesis 15:11-16

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“Know this for certain: Your offspring will be foreigners in a land that does not belong to them; they will be enslaved and oppressed 400 years. However, I will judge the nation they serve, and afterward they will go out with many possessions. But you will go to your fathers in peace and be buried at a ripe old age. In the fourth generation they will return here, for the iniquity of the Amorites has not yet reached its full measure.”

Genesis 15:14-16



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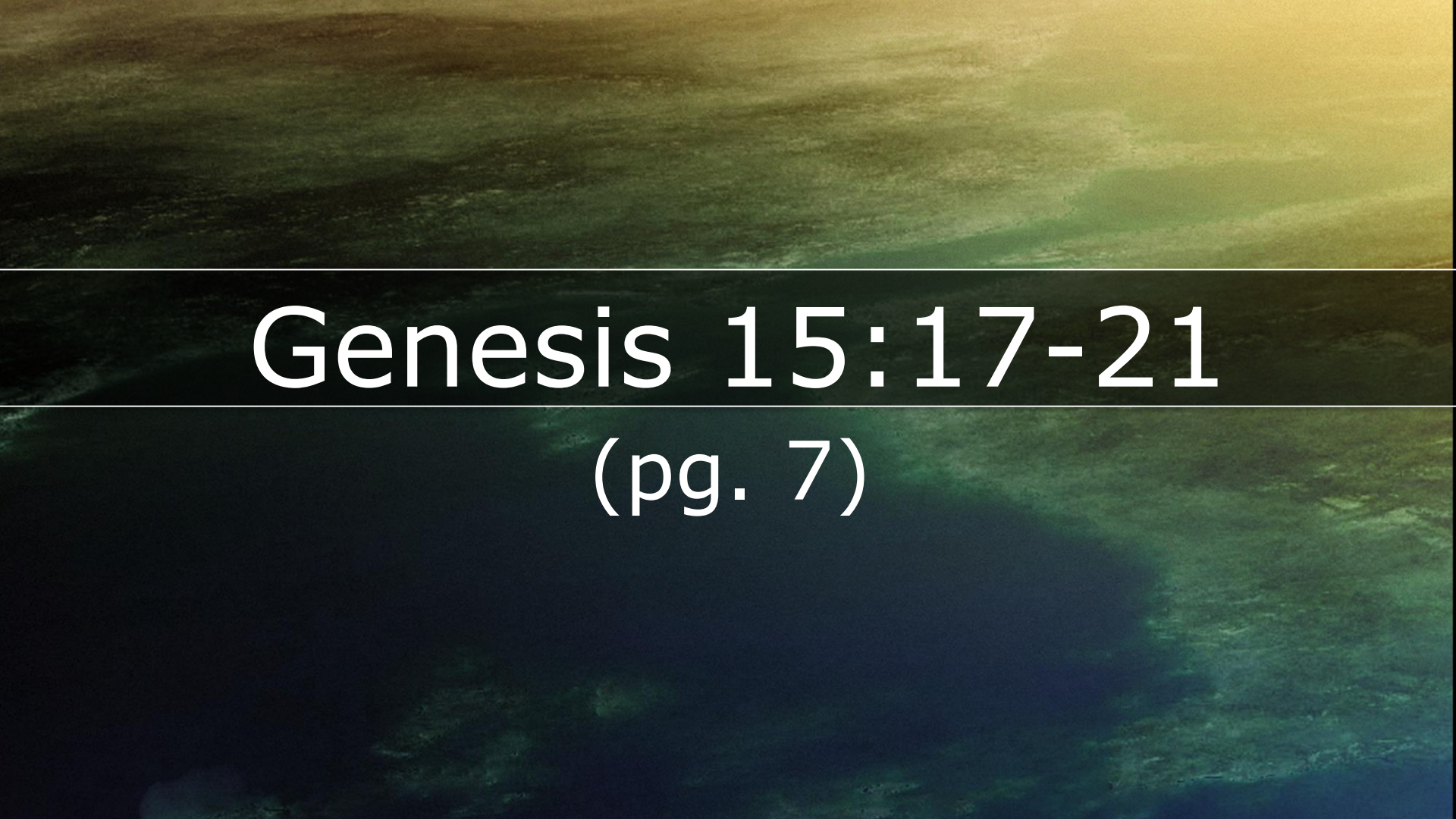


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# 2<sup>nd</sup> Peter 3:8-9

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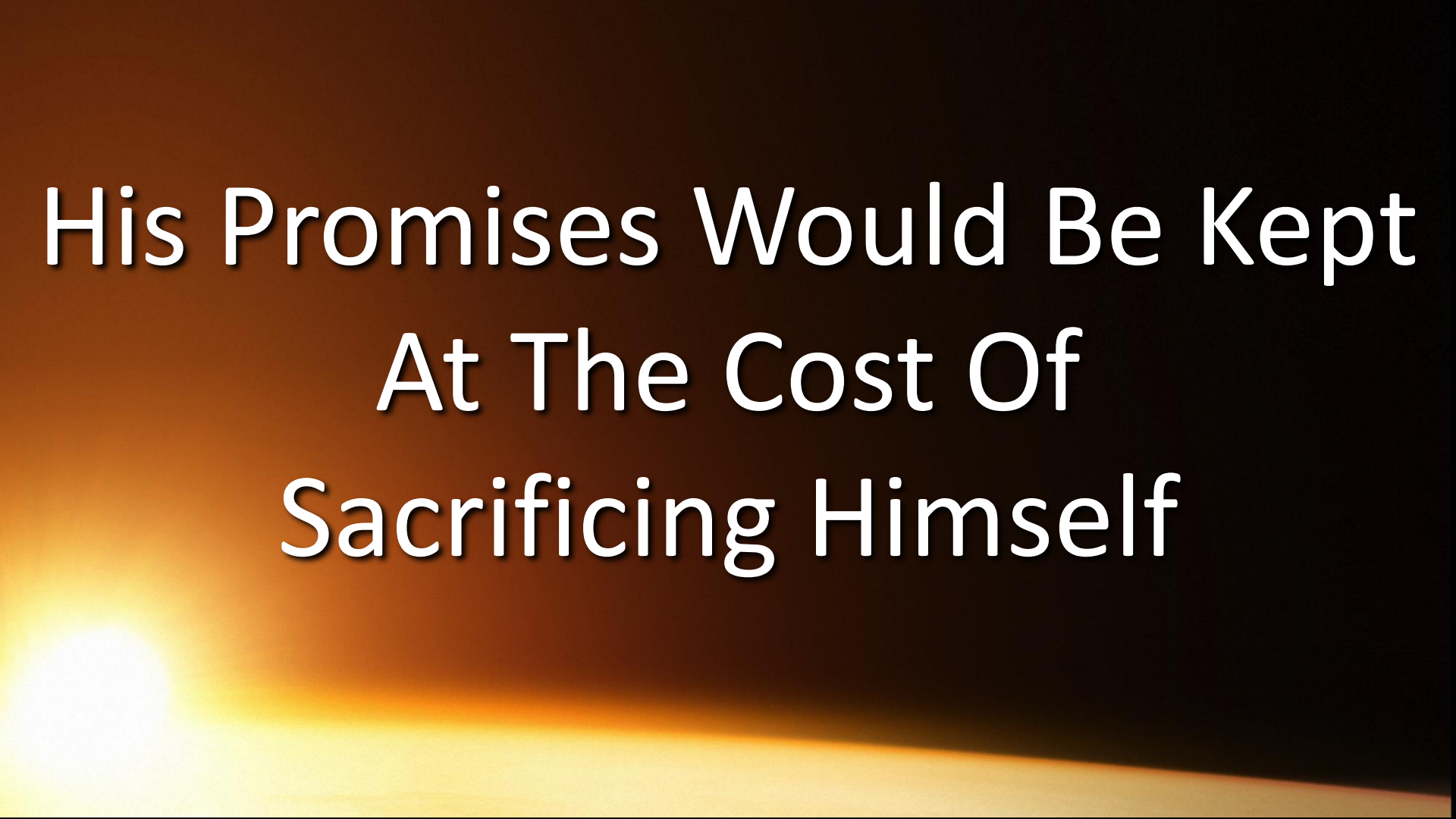


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# Genesis 15:17-21

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His Promises Would Be Kept  
At The Cost Of  
Sacrificing Himself





We Merely Enter Into The  
Covenant By Faith;  
We Don't Make The  
Covenant With God




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# 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 1:20

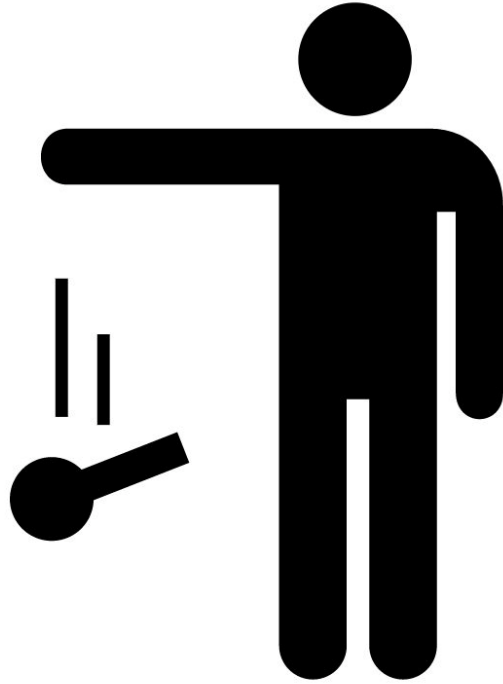
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This Covenant  
Could Not Fail,  
Because God  
Cannot Fail







“Jesus came on the scene and did what we were unable to do. He kept the covenant, the promises, the commandments. All of the promises of God are in Him and kept by Him. They’re fulfilled through Him and point to Him. What, then, is our part? Our part is not to stand in the midst of an animal cut in two—but to kneel at a Table, to hold in our hands a Body that for us was cut in two, and to remember Him”

Jon Courson



# God Spoke To Abram's Doubt With A Covenant







**THANK YOU**  
FOR COMING



