A dramatic scene of a fire at night. In the center, a large, dark structure, possibly a tower or altar, is engulfed in flames. The fire is bright orange and yellow, with a thick plume of smoke rising into a dark, cloudy sky. The foreground is dark and appears to be a rocky or sandy area. Numerous glowing embers and sparks are falling from the fire, creating a sense of intense heat and destruction. The overall atmosphere is one of chaos and devastation.

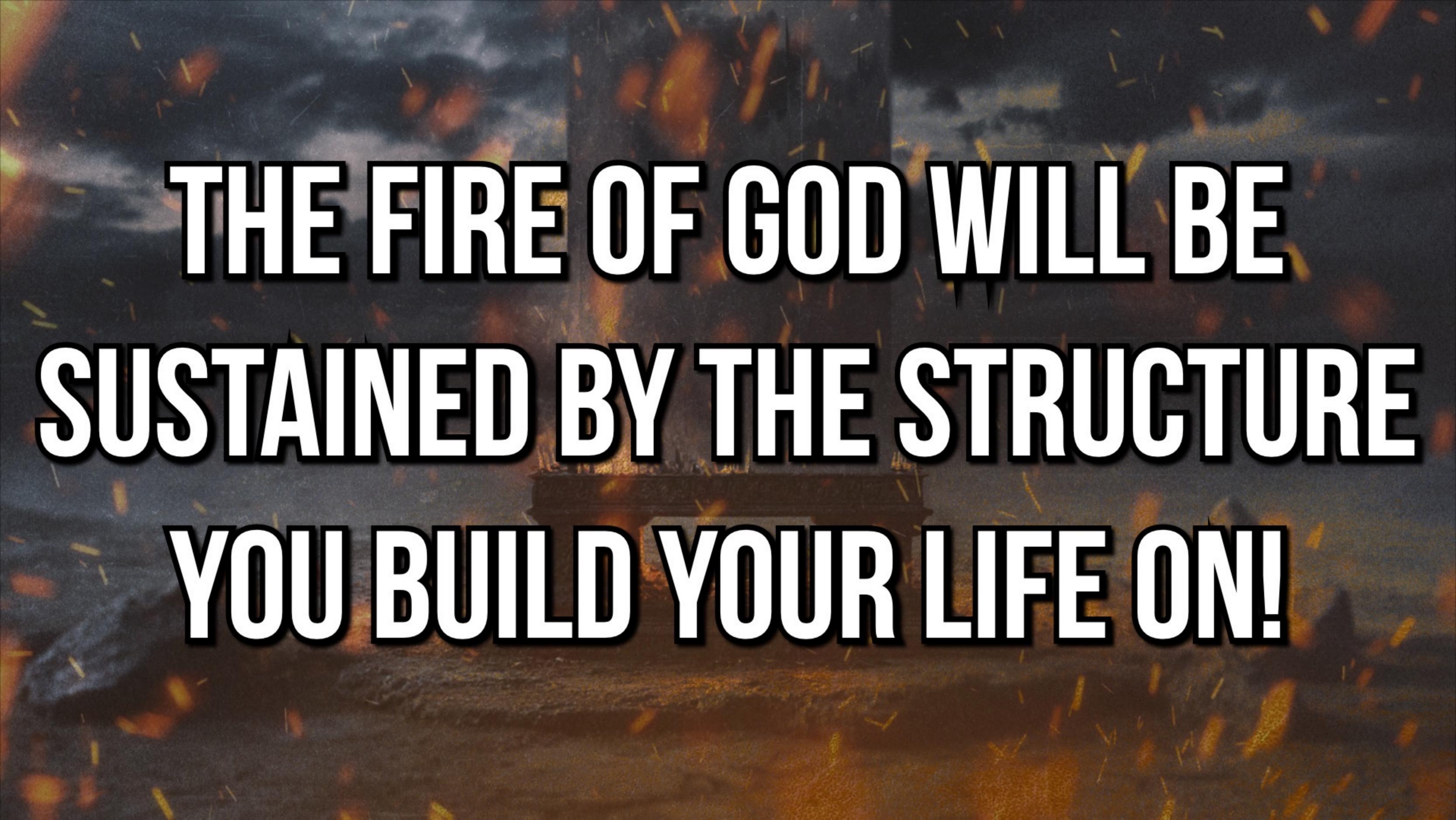
ALTARS
and
EMBERS

A dramatic scene of a building on fire. The sky is dark and filled with falling sparks and embers. The building is partially obscured by the fire and smoke.

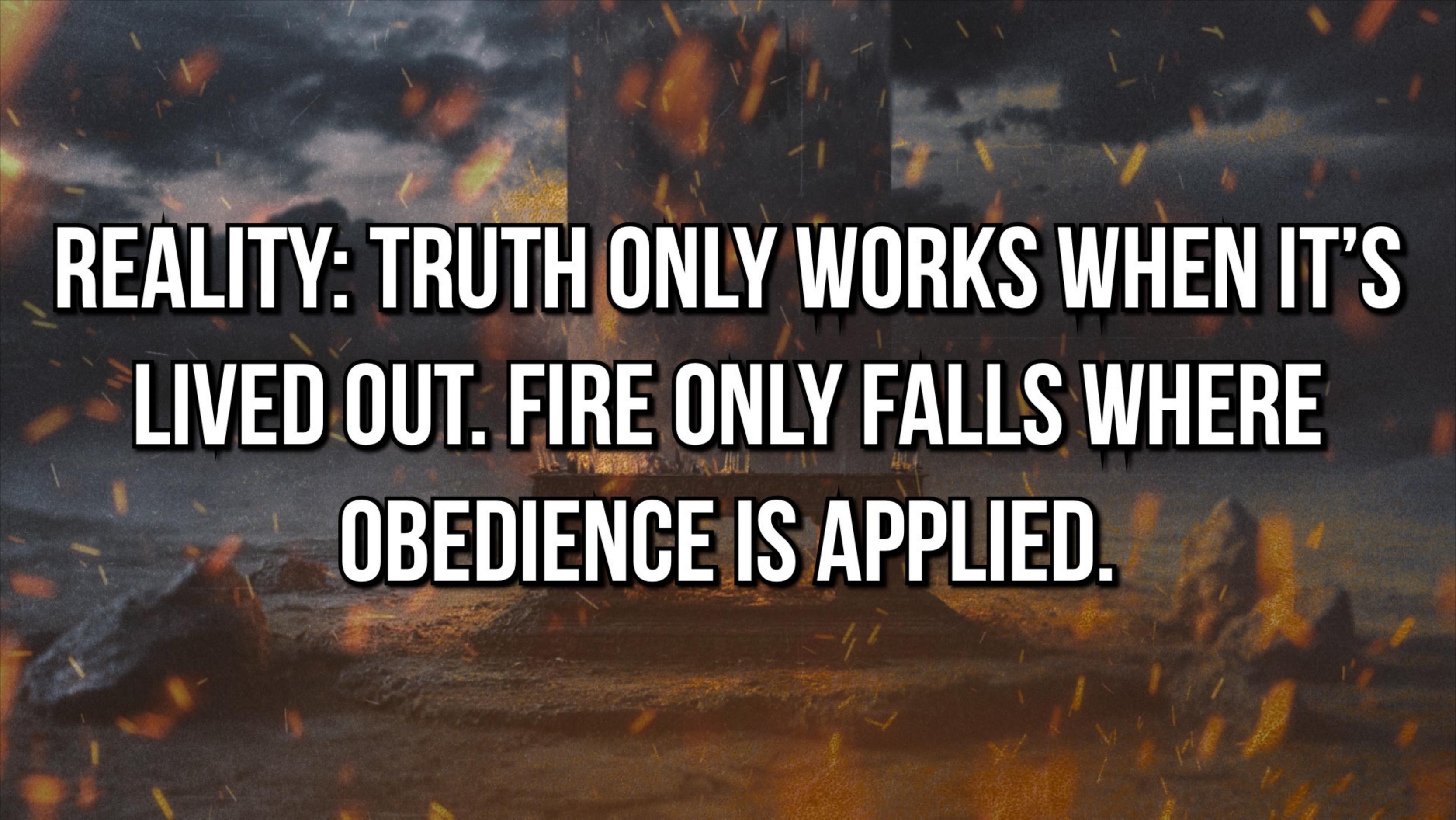
TRUTH:

NO FOUNDATION... NO ALTAR.

NO ALTAR... NO FIRE!



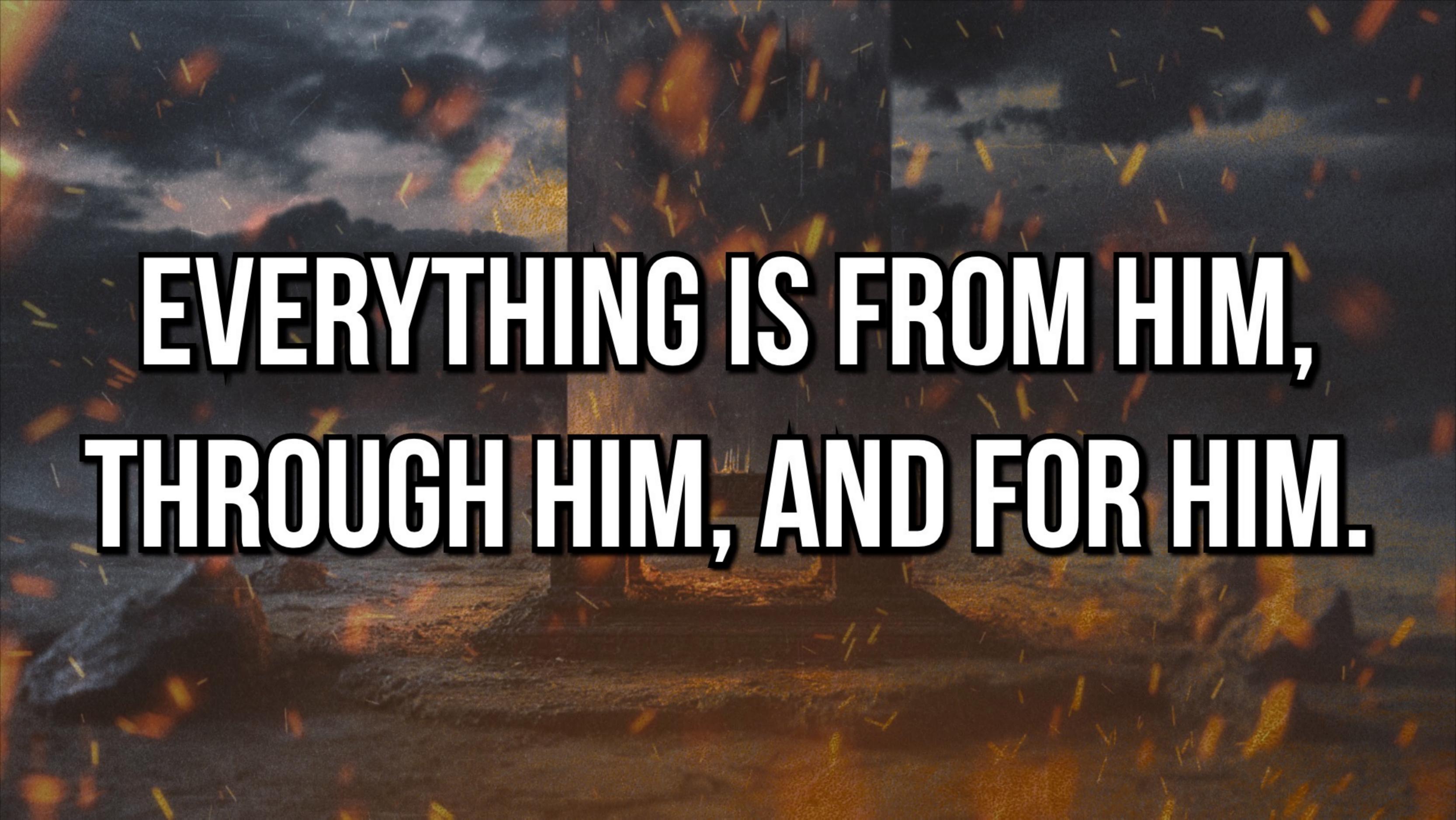
**THE FIRE OF GOD WILL BE
SUSTAINED BY THE STRUCTURE
YOU BUILD YOUR LIFE ON!**



**REALITY: TRUTH ONLY WORKS WHEN IT'S
LIVED OUT. FIRE ONLY FALLS WHERE
OBEDIENCE IS APPLIED.**

A dramatic scene of a stone structure, possibly a monument or a well, being destroyed by fire and falling debris. The structure is dark and appears to be made of stone or metal. It is surrounded by a large amount of falling debris, including large chunks of stone and smaller particles, all illuminated by a bright, orange-red fire. The background shows a dark, cloudy sky and a body of water in the distance. The overall atmosphere is one of intense destruction and chaos.

APPLY IT!!!



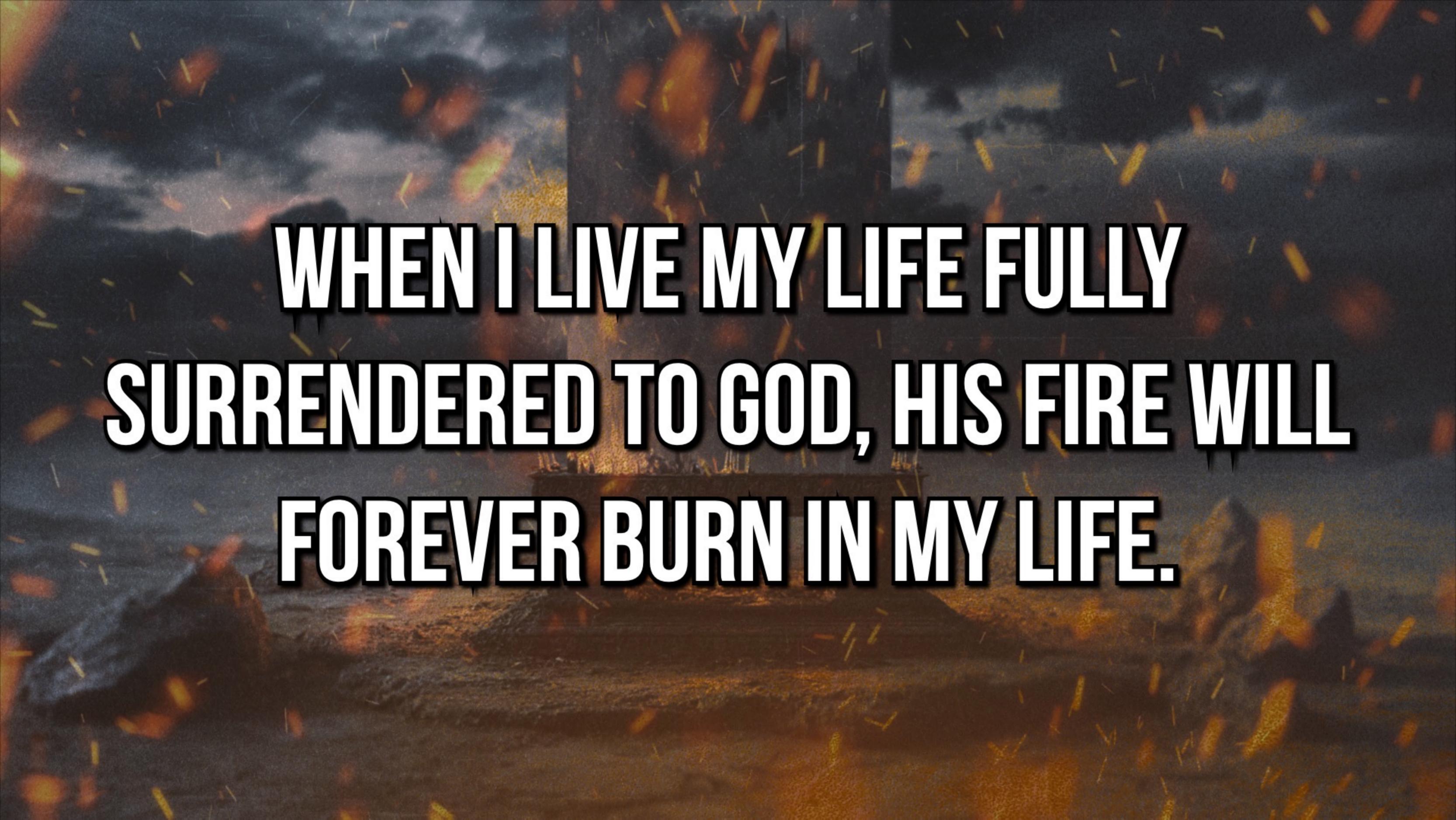
**EVERYTHING IS FROM HIM,
THROUGH HIM, AND FOR HIM.**

ROMANS 12:1-2 NLT

AND SO, DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS, I PLEAD WITH YOU TO GIVE YOUR BODIES TO GOD BECAUSE OF ALL HE HAS DONE FOR YOU. LET THEM BE A LIVING AND HOLY SACRIFICE, THE KIND HE WILL FIND ACCEPTABLE. THIS IS TRULY THE WAY TO WORSHIP HIM.

ROMANS 12:1-2 NLT

² **DON'T COPY THE BEHAVIOR AND CUSTOMS OF THIS WORLD, BUT LET GOD TRANSFORM YOU INTO A NEW PERSON BY CHANGING THE WAY YOU THINK. THEN YOU WILL LEARN TO KNOW GOD'S WILL FOR YOU, WHICH IS GOOD AND PLEASING AND PERFECT.**



**WHEN I LIVE MY LIFE FULLY
SURRENDERED TO GOD, HIS FIRE WILL
FOREVER BURN IN MY LIFE.**

HOW DO I GO FROM FLAME TO FINISH?

**1. I MUST KEEP THE RIGHT HEART
AND ATTITUDE.**

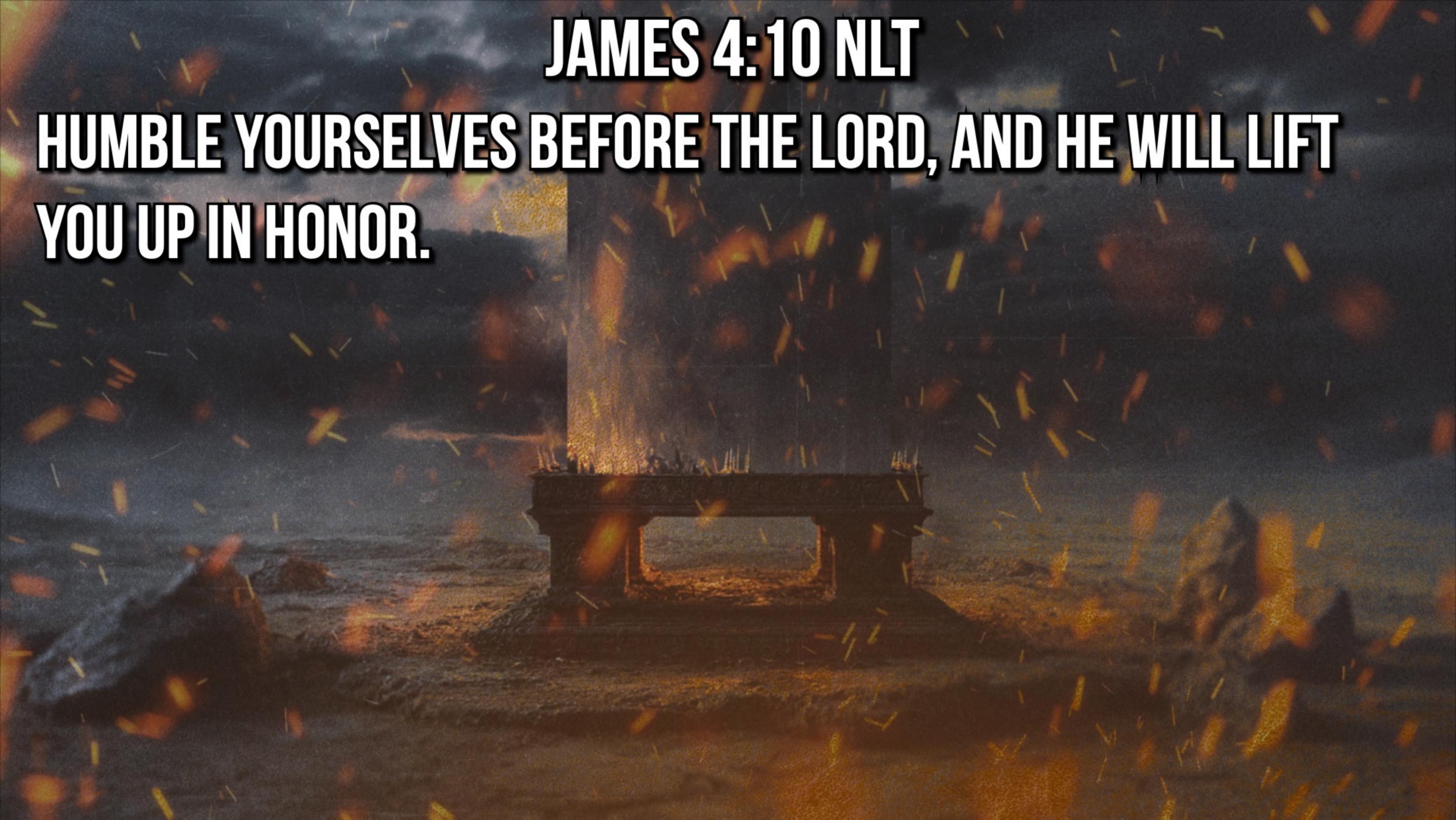
JAMES 4:6 NLT

GOD OPPOSES THE PROUD, BUT GIVES GRACE TO THE HUMBLE.



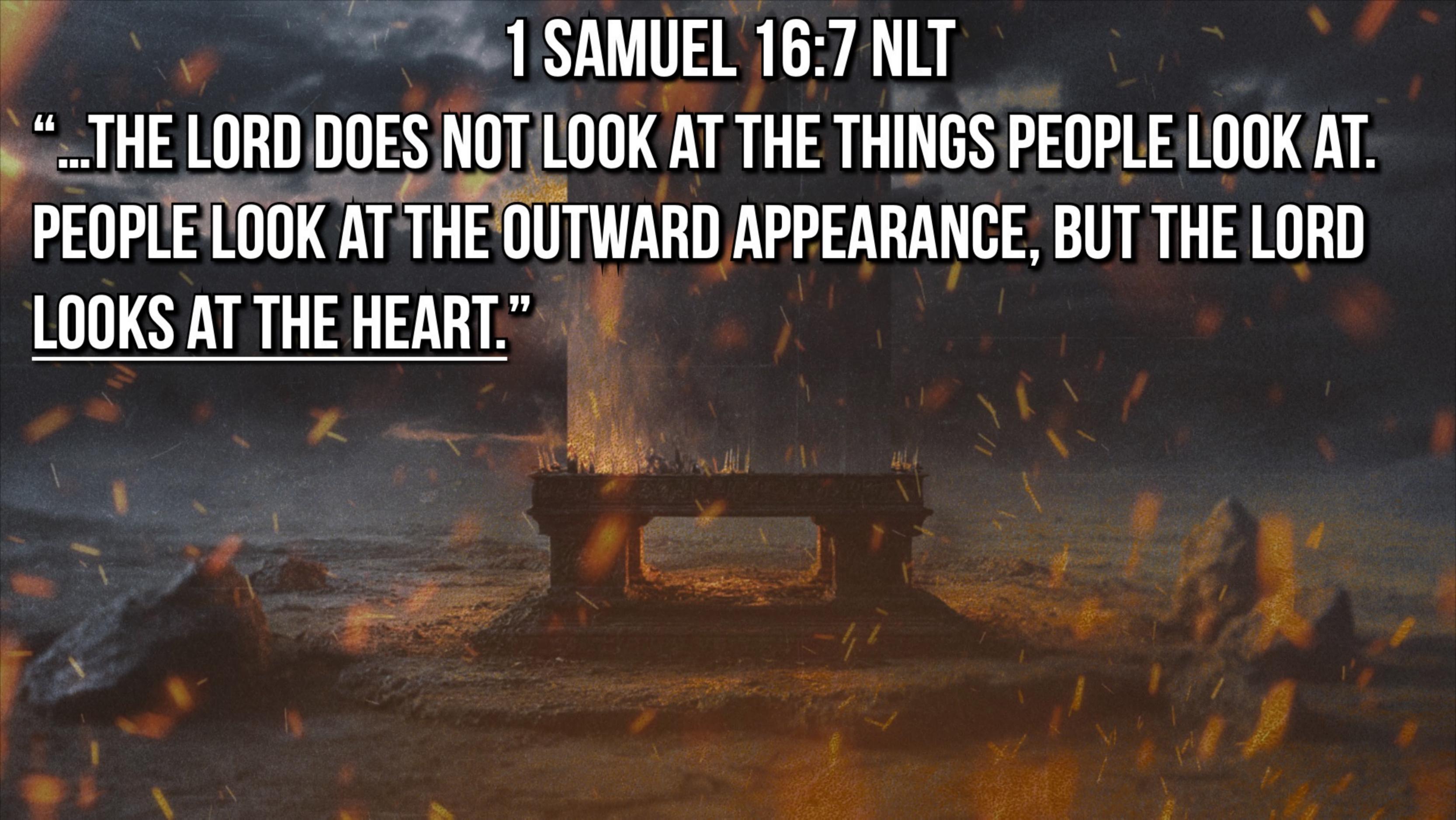
JAMES 4:10 NLT

**HUMBLE YOURSELVES BEFORE THE LORD, AND HE WILL LIFT
YOU UP IN HONOR.**



1 SAMUEL 16:7 NLT

“...THE LORD DOES NOT LOOK AT THE THINGS PEOPLE LOOK AT. PEOPLE LOOK AT THE OUTWARD APPEARANCE, BUT THE LORD LOOKS AT THE HEART.”





HOW DO I GO FROM FLAME TO FINISH?

2. STAY HUNGRY FOR GOD'S PLAN.

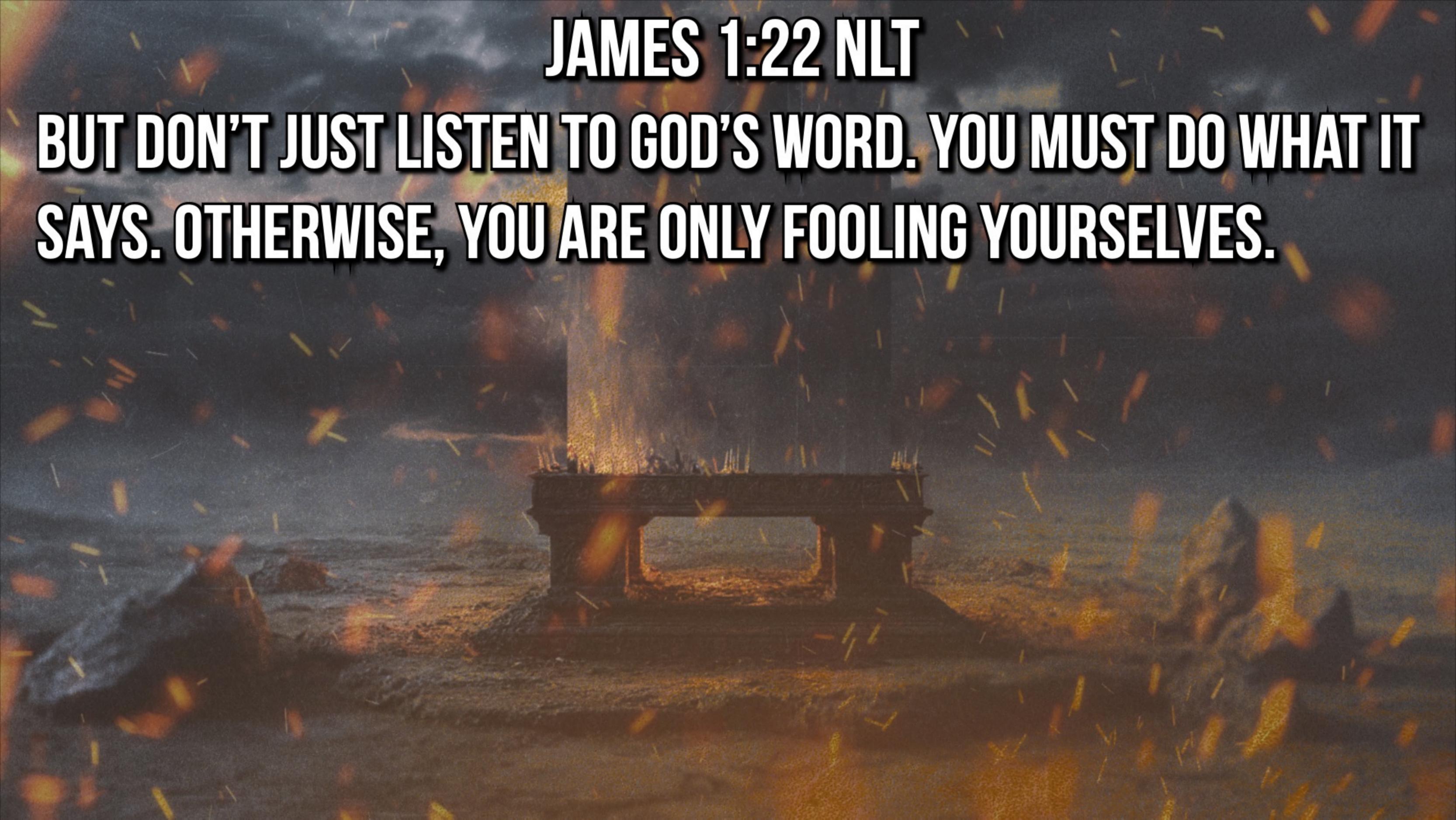
ROMANS 12:2 NLT

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JAMES 1:22 NLT

BUT DON'T JUST LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD. YOU MUST DO WHAT IT SAYS. OTHERWISE, YOU ARE ONLY FOOLING YOURSELVES.



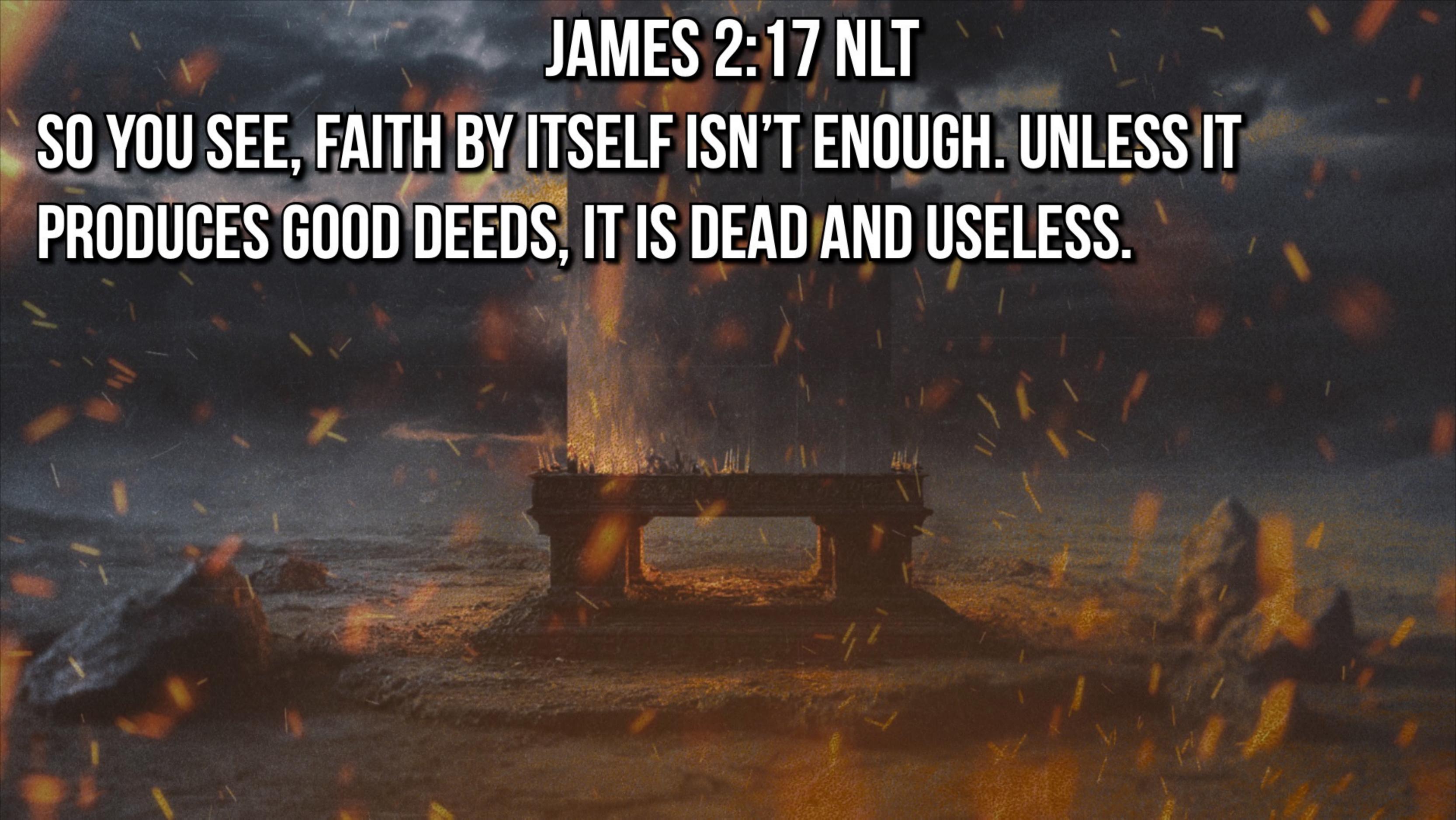
A dramatic scene of a building's interior being destroyed by fire and falling debris. The background is dark and smoky, with bright orange and yellow sparks and embers falling from above. The overall atmosphere is one of intense destruction and chaos.

HOW DO I GO FROM FLAME TO FINISH?

3. I MUST PUT MY FAITH INTO MOTION!

JAMES 2:17 NLT

**SO YOU SEE, FAITH BY ITSELF ISN'T ENOUGH. UNLESS IT
PRODUCES GOOD DEEDS, IT IS DEAD AND USELESS.**



LUKE 6:46 NLT

**SO WHY DO YOU KEEP CALLING ME 'LORD, LORD!' WHEN YOU
DON'T DO WHAT I SAY?**



MATTHEW 7:24 NLT

ANYONE WHO LISTENS TO MY TEACHING AND FOLLOWS IT IS WISE, LIKE A PERSON WHO BUILDS A HOUSE ON SOLID ROCK.





REALITY: AT SOME POINT...

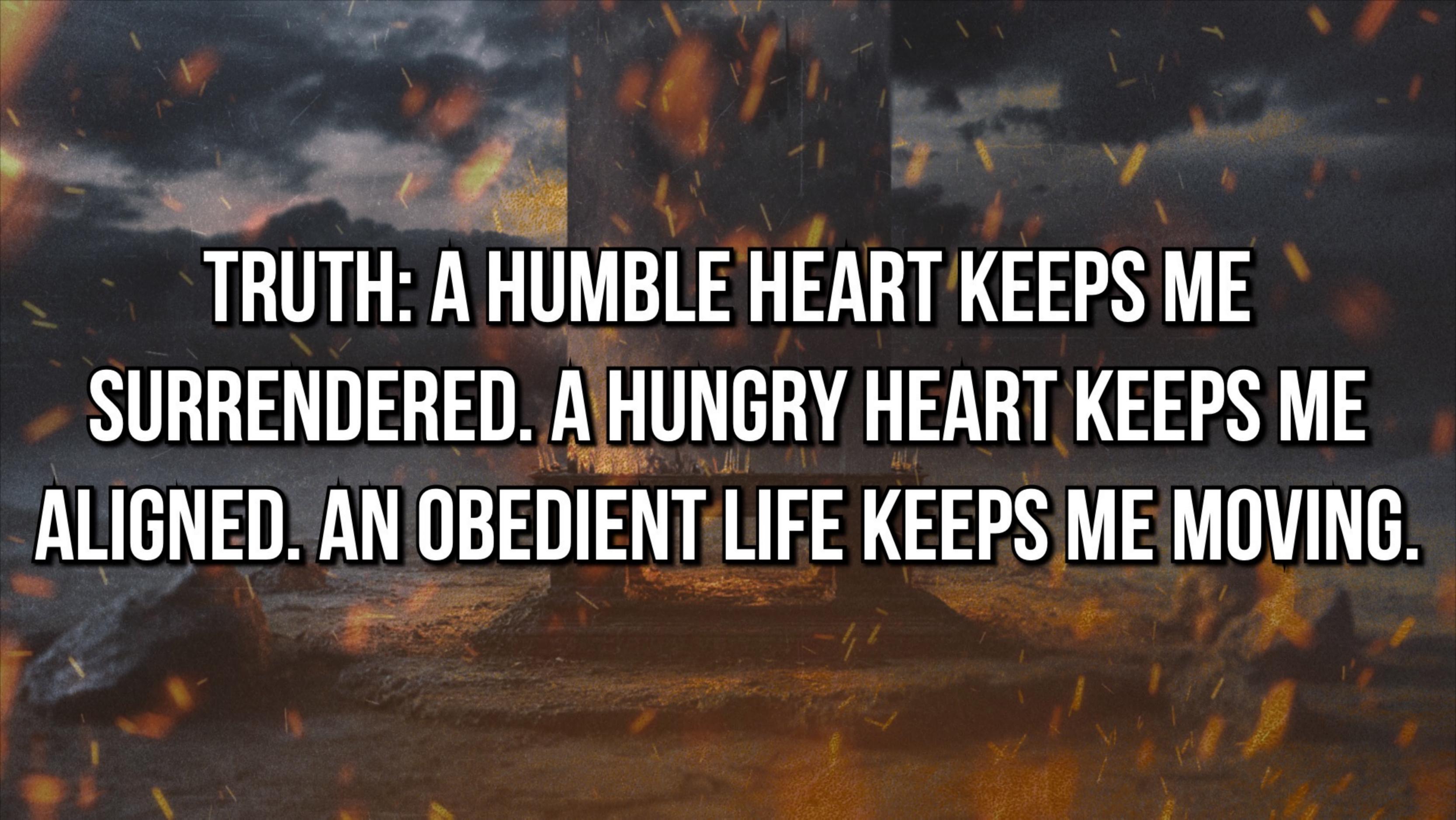
YOU'VE GOTTA COOK!!!



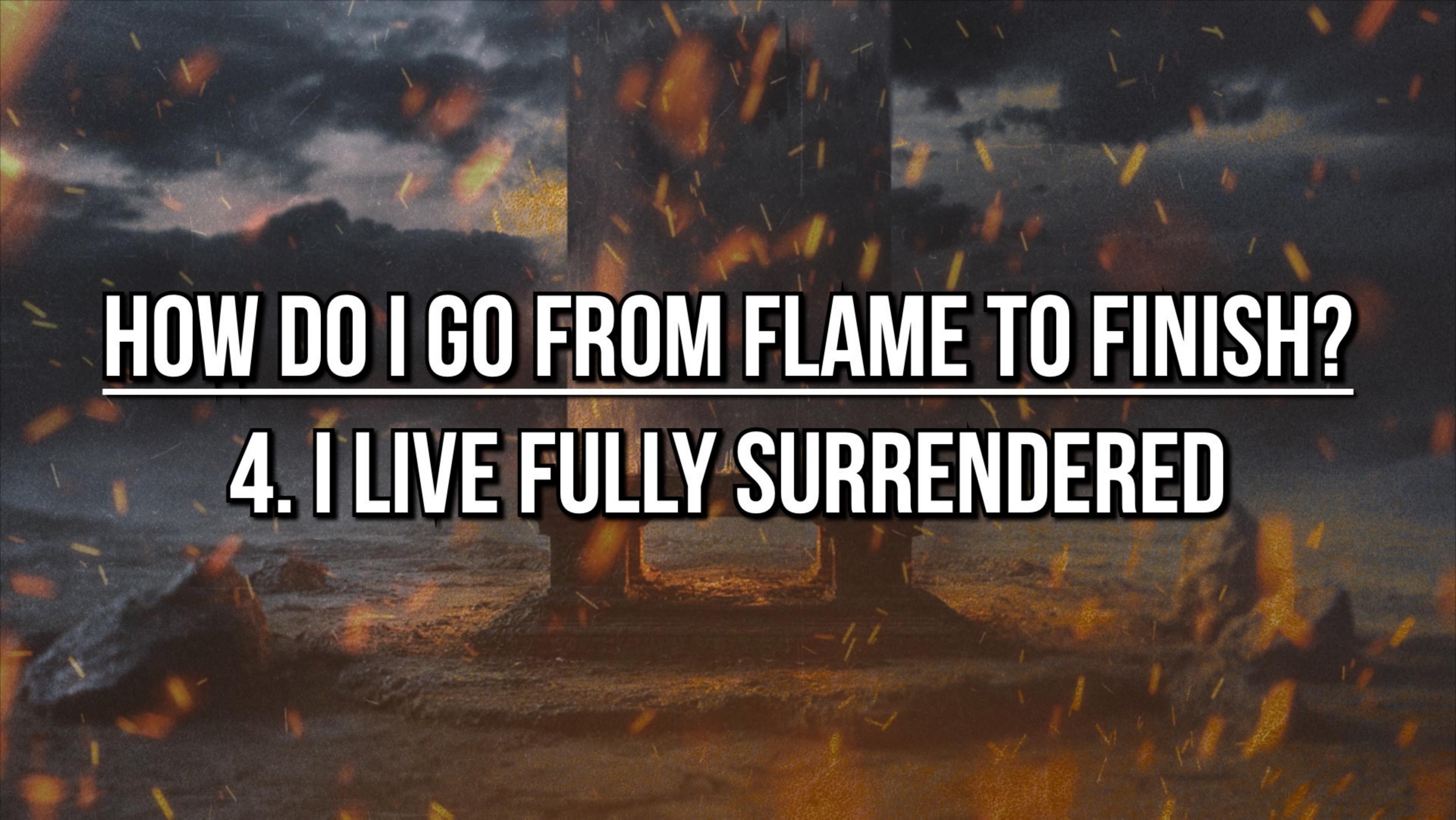
**TRUTH:
TRANSFORMATION DOESN'T
COME FROM INFORMATION,
IT COMES FROM APPLICATION!**

A dramatic scene with a dark, stormy sky, a large structure, and falling sparks. The text is overlaid on the center of the image.

**FAITH THAT NEVER
MOVES WILL NEVER MATURE!!!**



**TRUTH: A HUMBLE HEART KEEPS ME
SURRENDERED. A HUNGRY HEART KEEPS ME
ALIGNED. AN OBEDIENT LIFE KEEPS ME MOVING.**



HOW DO I GO FROM FLAME TO FINISH?

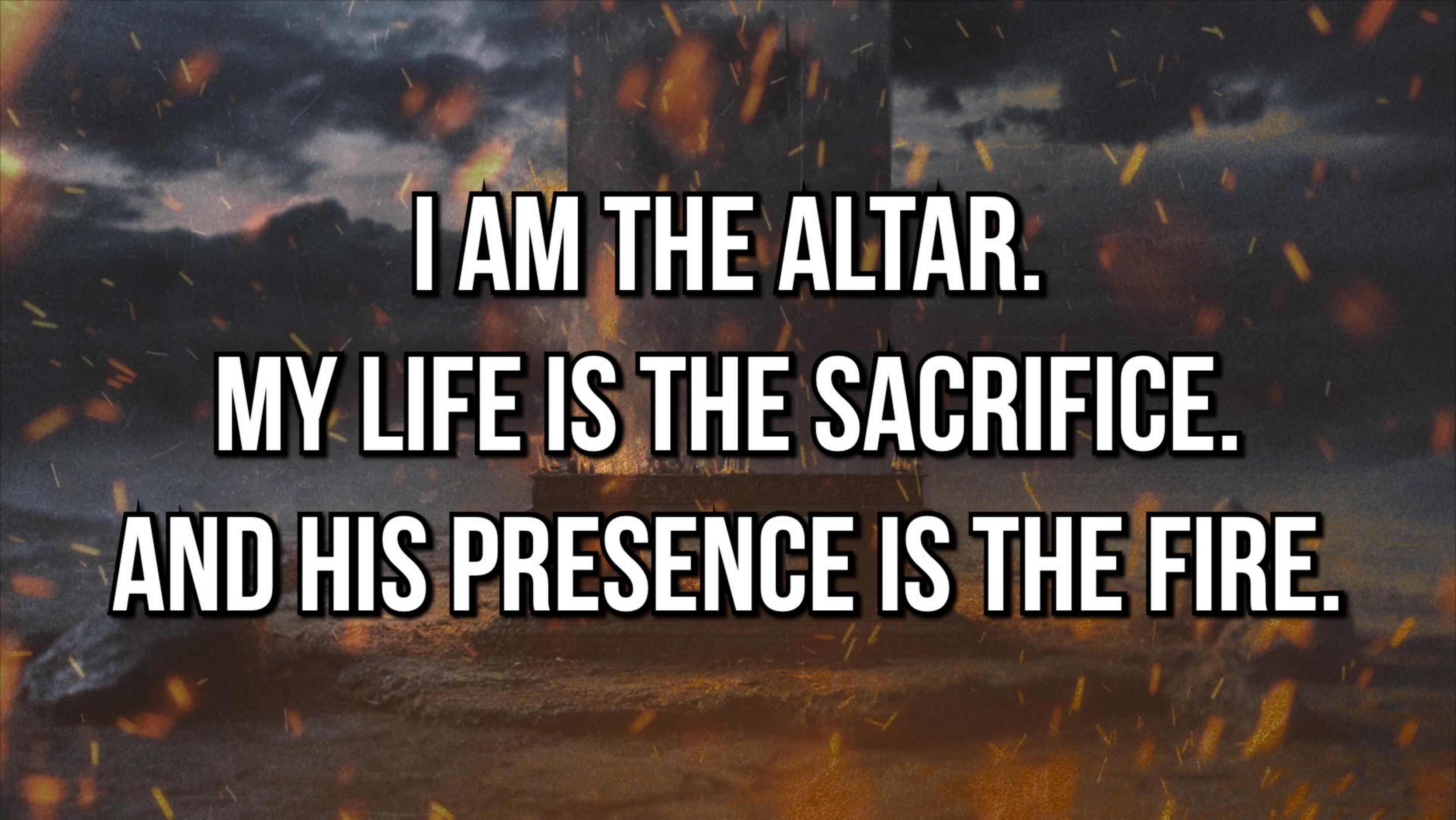
4. I LIVE FULLY SURRENDERED

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A dramatic scene of a volcanic eruption. A large, dark plume of smoke and ash rises into a dark, stormy sky. In the foreground, a dark, rocky landscape is visible, with a large, dark, jagged rock formation on the left. The ground is covered in a thick layer of ash and small, glowing orange and yellow particles, suggesting a recent eruption. The overall atmosphere is dark and intense.

**THE ALTAR ISN'T A PLACE WE VISIT;
THIS IS THE LIFE WE LIVE.**



I AM THE ALTAR.

MY LIFE IS THE SACRIFICE.

AND HIS PRESENCE IS THE FIRE.

I AM THE **ALTAR**.

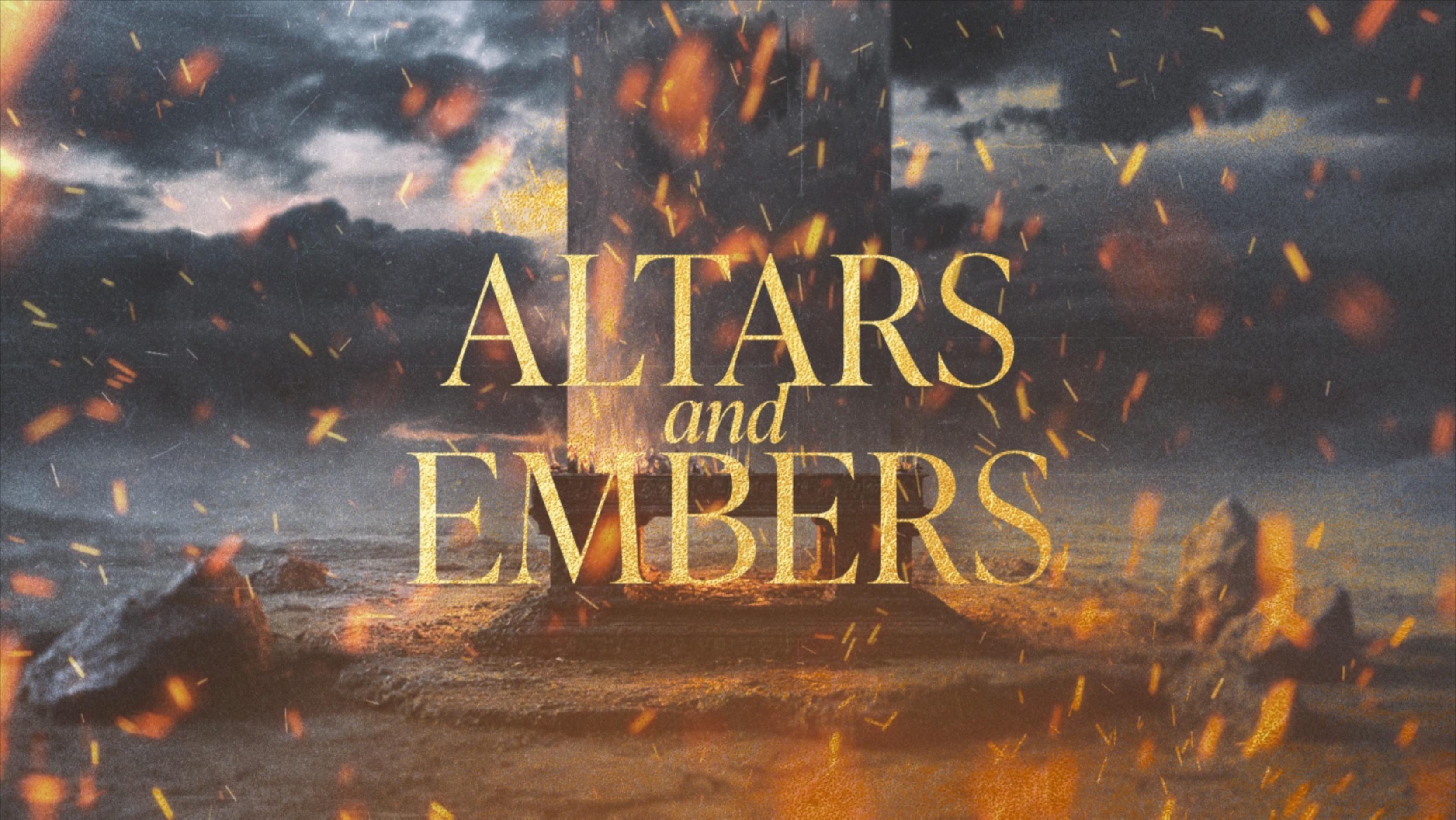
MY LIFE IS THE **SACRIFICE**.

HIS PRESENCE IS MY **FIRE**.

I WILL NOT **BURN** OUT.

I WILL CARRY HIS **FIRE**.

FROM **FLAME** TO FINISH!!!



ALTARS
and
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