

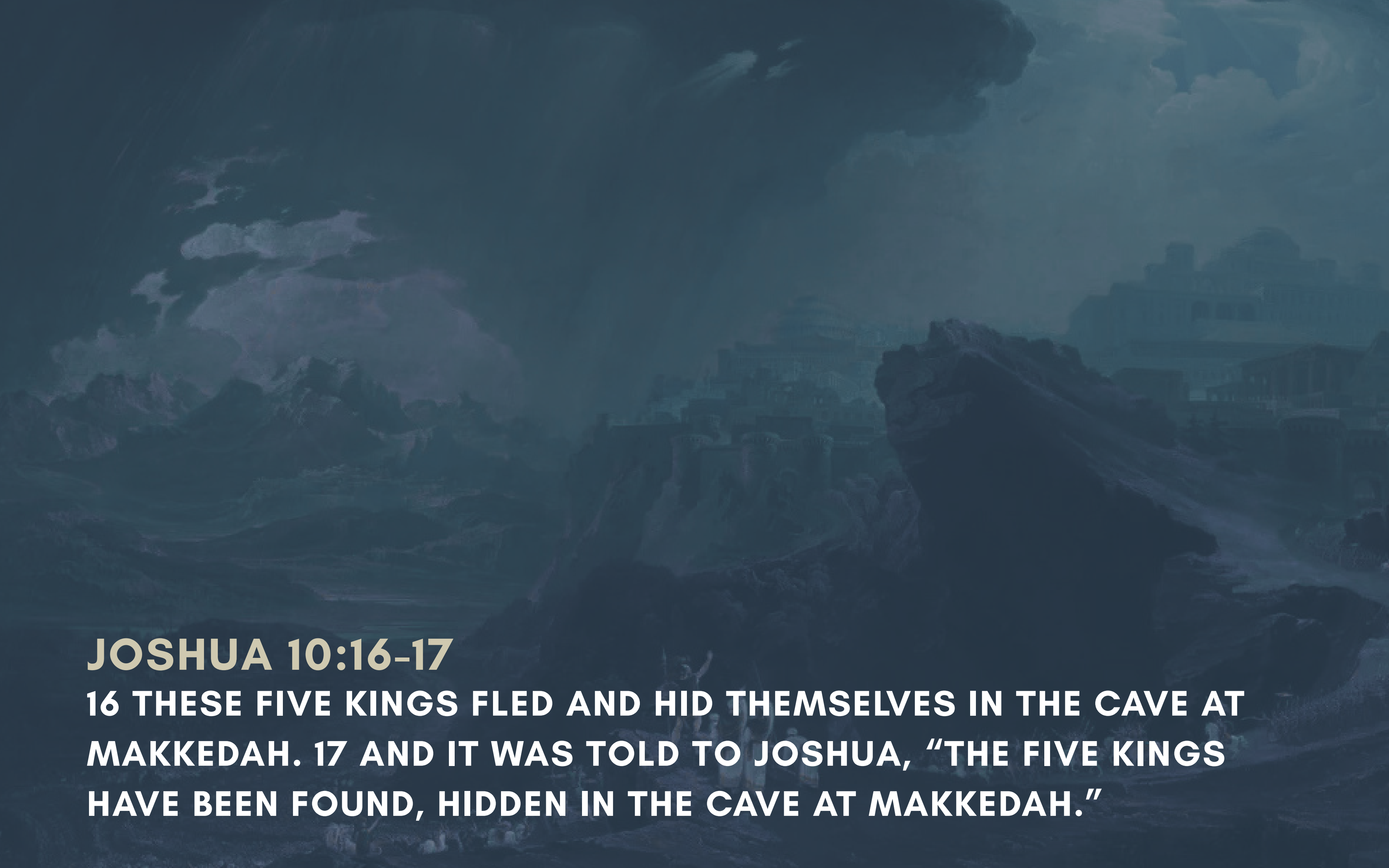


JOSHUA

BATTLES FOUGHT

10:16–27

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The background is a dark, atmospheric painting of a mountainous landscape. In the foreground, a large, dark, jagged rock formation dominates the right side. The middle ground shows rolling hills and valleys, with some distant structures visible on a hillside. The sky is filled with heavy, dark clouds, and a bright light source, possibly the sun or moon, is visible on the right, casting a glow over the scene. The overall mood is dramatic and somber.

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ROMANS 8:38-39

38 FOR I AM SURE THAT NEITHER DEATH NOR LIFE, NOR ANGELS NOR RULERS, NOR THINGS PRESENT NOR THINGS TO COME, NOR POWERS, 39 NOR HEIGHT NOR DEPTH, NOR ANYTHING ELSE IN ALL CREATION, WILL BE ABLE TO SEPARATE US FROM THE LOVE OF GOD IN CHRIST JESUS OUR LORD.

Christian's Privilege



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HEBREWS 4:16

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JOSHUA 10:20-21

20 WHEN JOSHUA AND THE SONS OF ISRAEL HAD FINISHED STRIKING THEM WITH A GREAT BLOW UNTIL THEY WERE WIPE OUT, AND WHEN THE REMNANT THAT REMAINED OF THEM HAD ENTERED INTO THE FORTIFIED CITIES, 21 THEN ALL THE PEOPLE RETURNED SAFE TO JOSHUA IN THE CAMP AT MAKKEDAH. NOT A MAN MOVED HIS TONGUE AGAINST ANY OF THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL.

Victory, But Not Yet

JOSHUA 10:22-23

22 THEN JOSHUA SAID, "OPEN THE MOUTH OF THE CAVE AND BRING THOSE FIVE KINGS OUT TO ME FROM THE CAVE." 23 AND THEY DID SO, AND BROUGHT THOSE FIVE KINGS OUT TO HIM FROM THE CAVE, THE KING OF JERUSALEM, THE KING OF HEBRON, THE KING OF JARMUTH, THE KING OF LACHISH, AND THE KING OF EGLON.

Victory, But Not Yet

JOSHUA 10:24-25

24 AND WHEN THEY BROUGHT THOSE KINGS OUT TO JOSHUA, JOSHUA SUMMONED ALL THE MEN OF ISRAEL AND SAID TO THE CHIEFS OF THE MEN OF WAR WHO HAD GONE WITH HIM, "COME NEAR; PUT YOUR FEET ON THE NECKS OF THESE KINGS." THEN THEY CAME NEAR AND PUT THEIR FEET ON THEIR NECKS. 25 AND JOSHUA SAID TO THEM, "DO NOT BE AFRAID OR DISMAYED; BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS. FOR THUS THE LORD WILL DO TO ALL YOUR ENEMIES AGAINST WHOM YOU FIGHT."

Victory, But Not Yet

1 CORINTHIANS 15:25-26

25 FOR HE MUST REIGN UNTIL HE HAS PUT ALL HIS ENEMIES UNDER HIS FEET. 26 THE LAST ENEMY TO BE DESTROYED IS DEATH.

Victory, But Not Yet

JOSHUA 10:26-27

26 AND AFTERWARD JOSHUA STRUCK THEM AND PUT THEM TO DEATH, AND HE HANGED THEM ON FIVE TREES. AND THEY HUNG ON THE TREES UNTIL EVENING. 27 BUT AT THE TIME OF THE GOING DOWN OF THE SUN, JOSHUA COMMANDED, AND THEY TOOK THEM DOWN FROM THE TREES AND THREW THEM INTO THE CAVE WHERE THEY HAD HIDDEN THEMSELVES, AND THEY SET LARGE STONES AGAINST THE MOUTH OF THE CAVE, WHICH REMAIN TO THIS VERY DAY.

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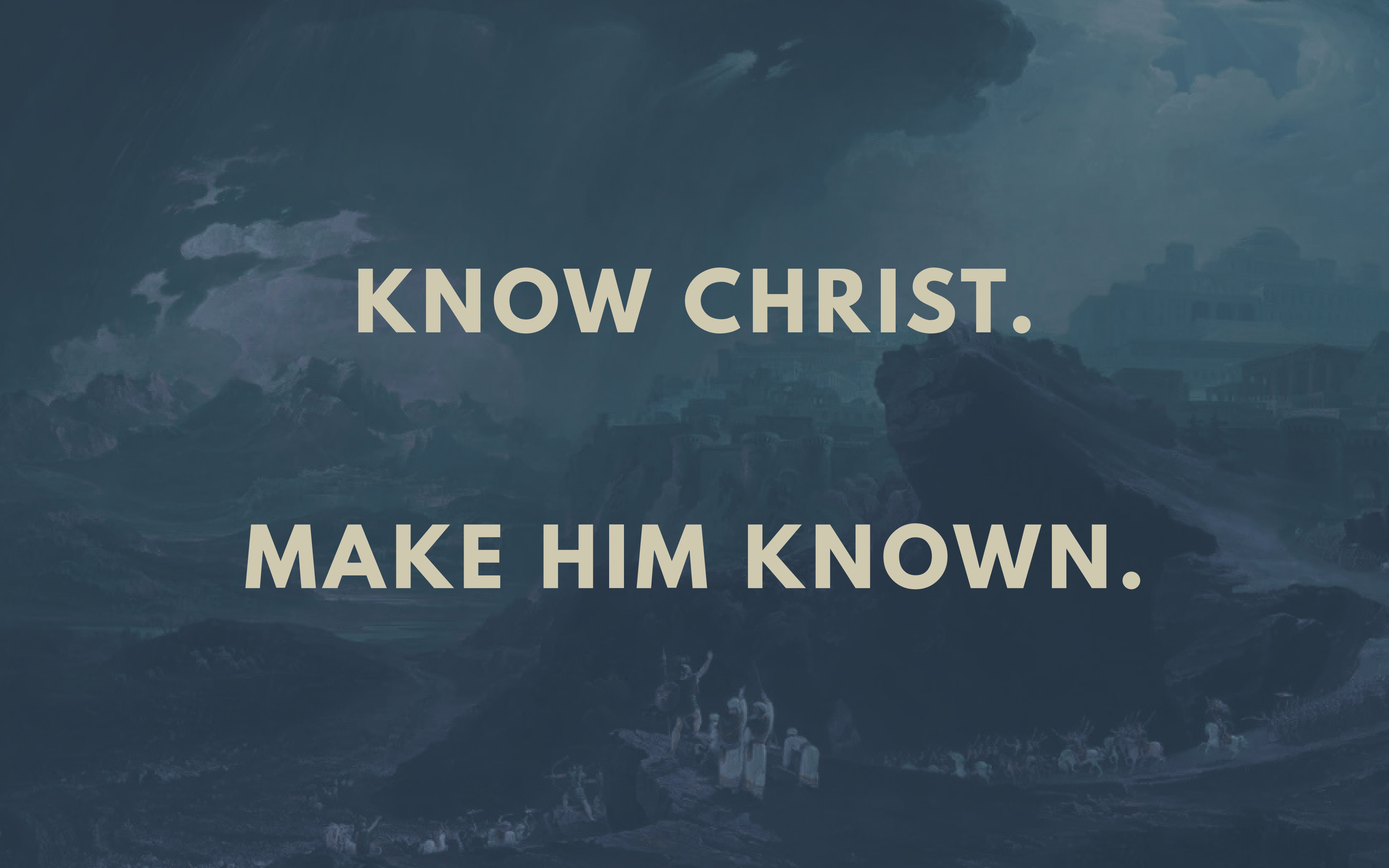
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KNOW CHRIST.



The background is a dark, atmospheric painting. It depicts a rugged, mountainous landscape under a heavy, cloudy sky. In the distance, a city with domes and spires is visible, partially obscured by the haze. In the foreground, a group of figures, possibly pilgrims or soldiers, are gathered on a rocky outcrop, looking towards the city. The overall tone is somber and dramatic, with a color palette dominated by dark blues, greys, and muted earth tones.

KNOW CHRIST.

MAKE HIM KNOWN.

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