



# PHILIPPIANS

## HEARTS AND MINDS IN SUBMISSION TO JESUS

Philippians 4:2–9

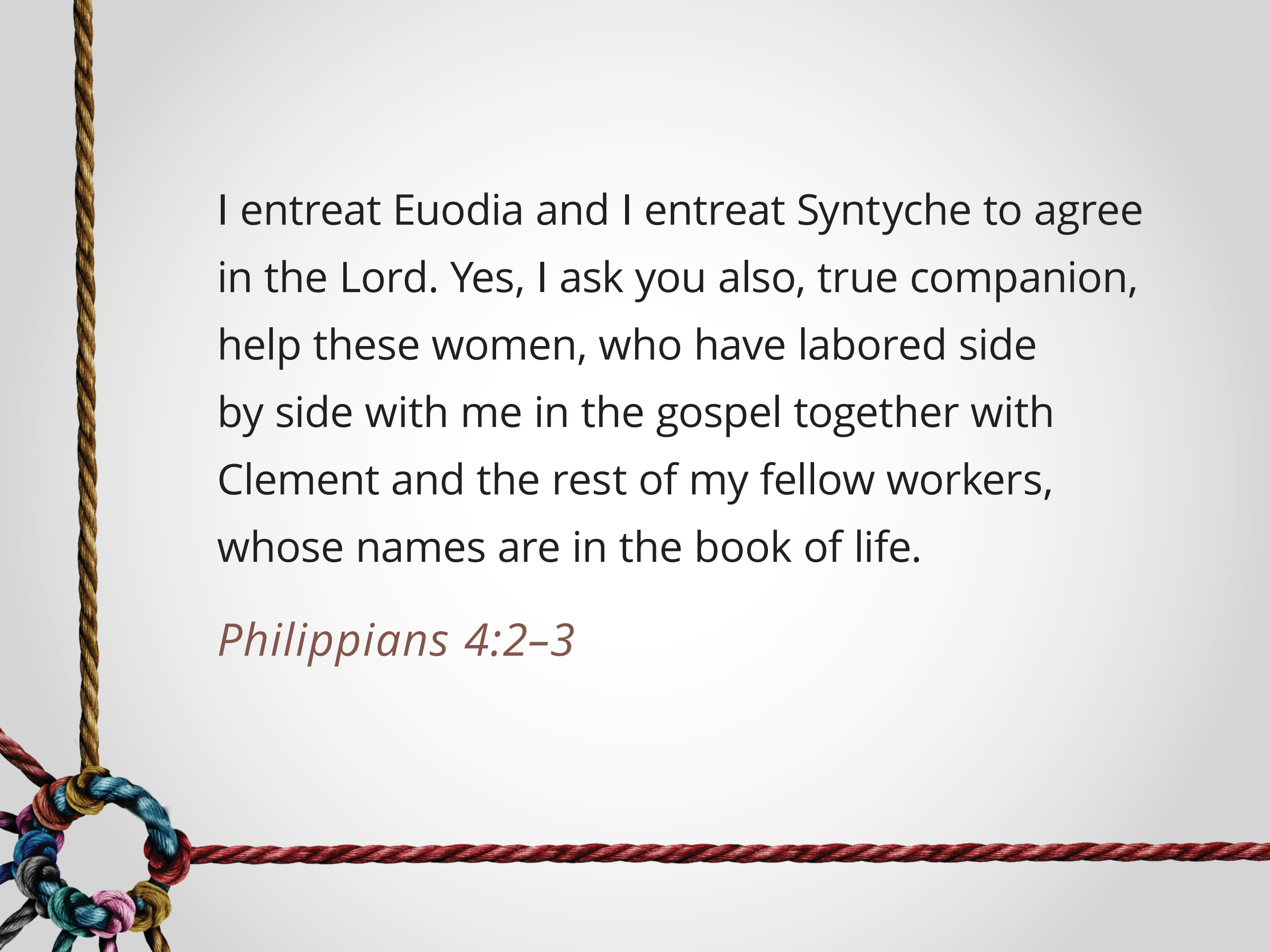


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**4:2-3** **Overcome Division** In the Lord


**4:4-7** **Pray with Purpose** The Peace of God

**4:8-9** **Think and Act** The God of Peace



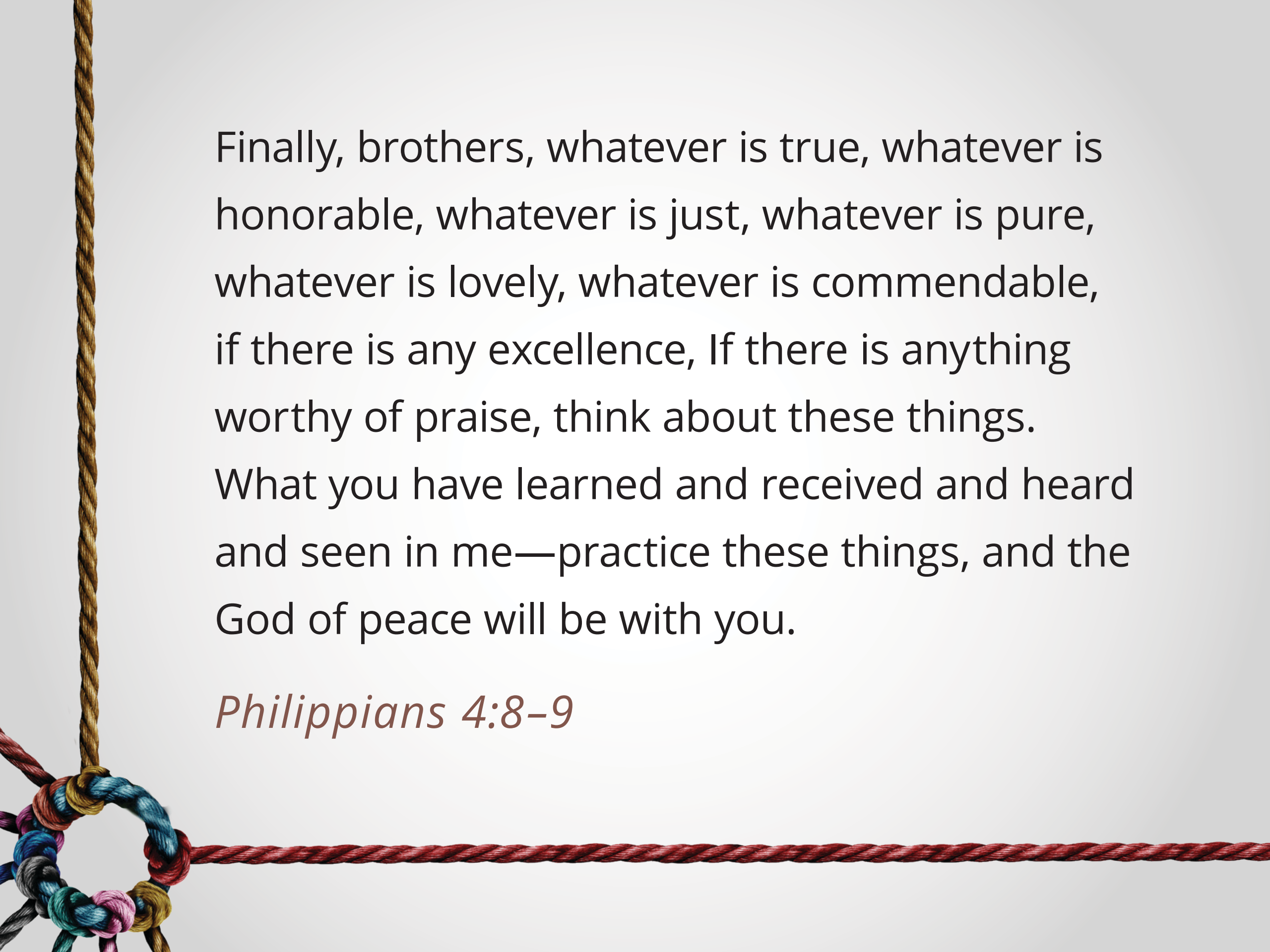
I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord. Yes, I ask you also, true companion, help these women, who have labored side by side with me in the gospel together with Clement and the rest of my fellow workers, whose names are in the book of life.

*Philippians 4:2-3*

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Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

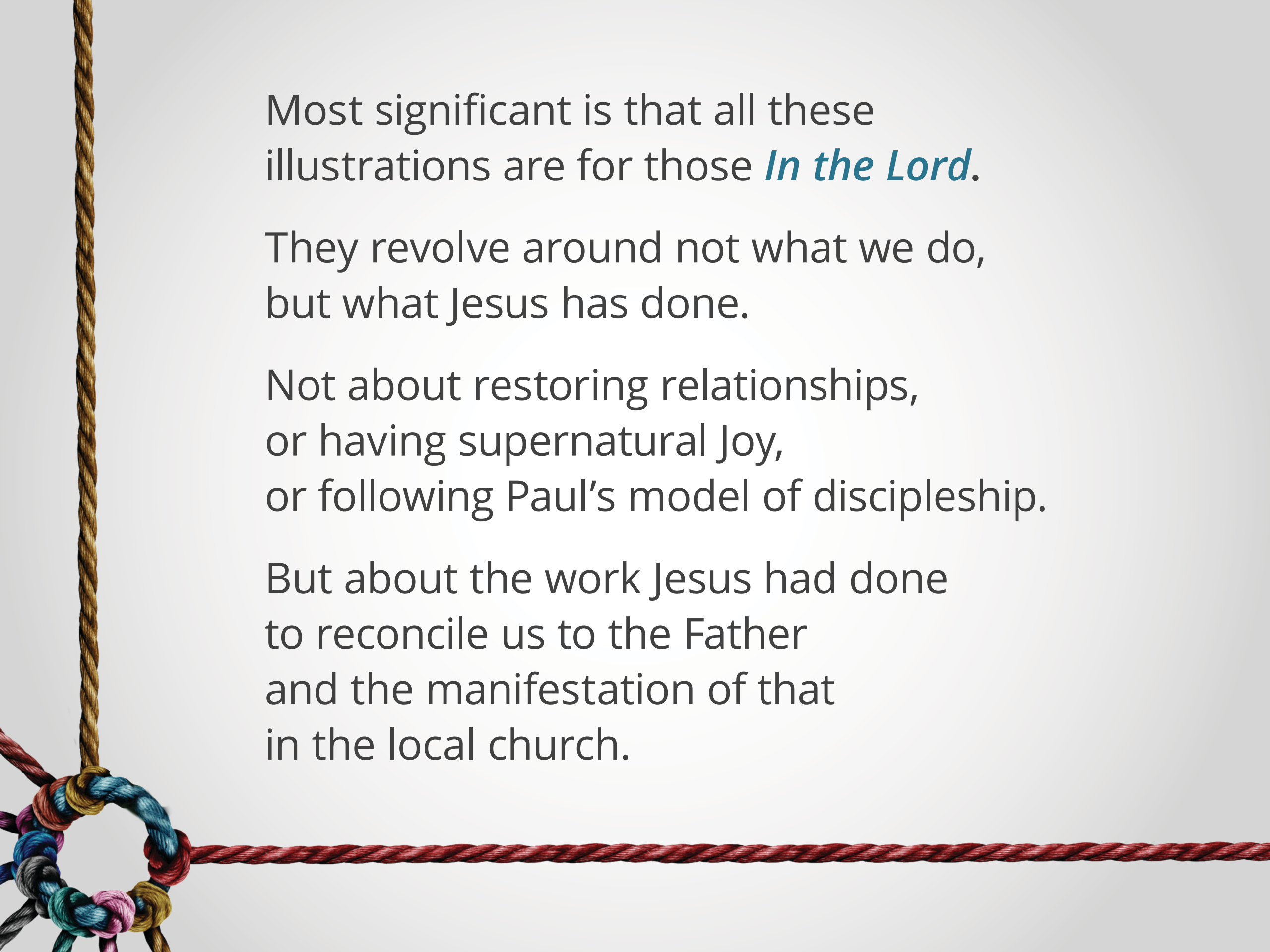
*Philippians 4:4-7*



Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.

What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.

*Philippians 4:8-9*



Most significant is that all these illustrations are for those *In the Lord*.

They revolve around not what we do, but what Jesus has done.

Not about restoring relationships, or having supernatural Joy, or following Paul's model of discipleship.

But about the work Jesus had done to reconcile us to the Father and the manifestation of that in the local church.