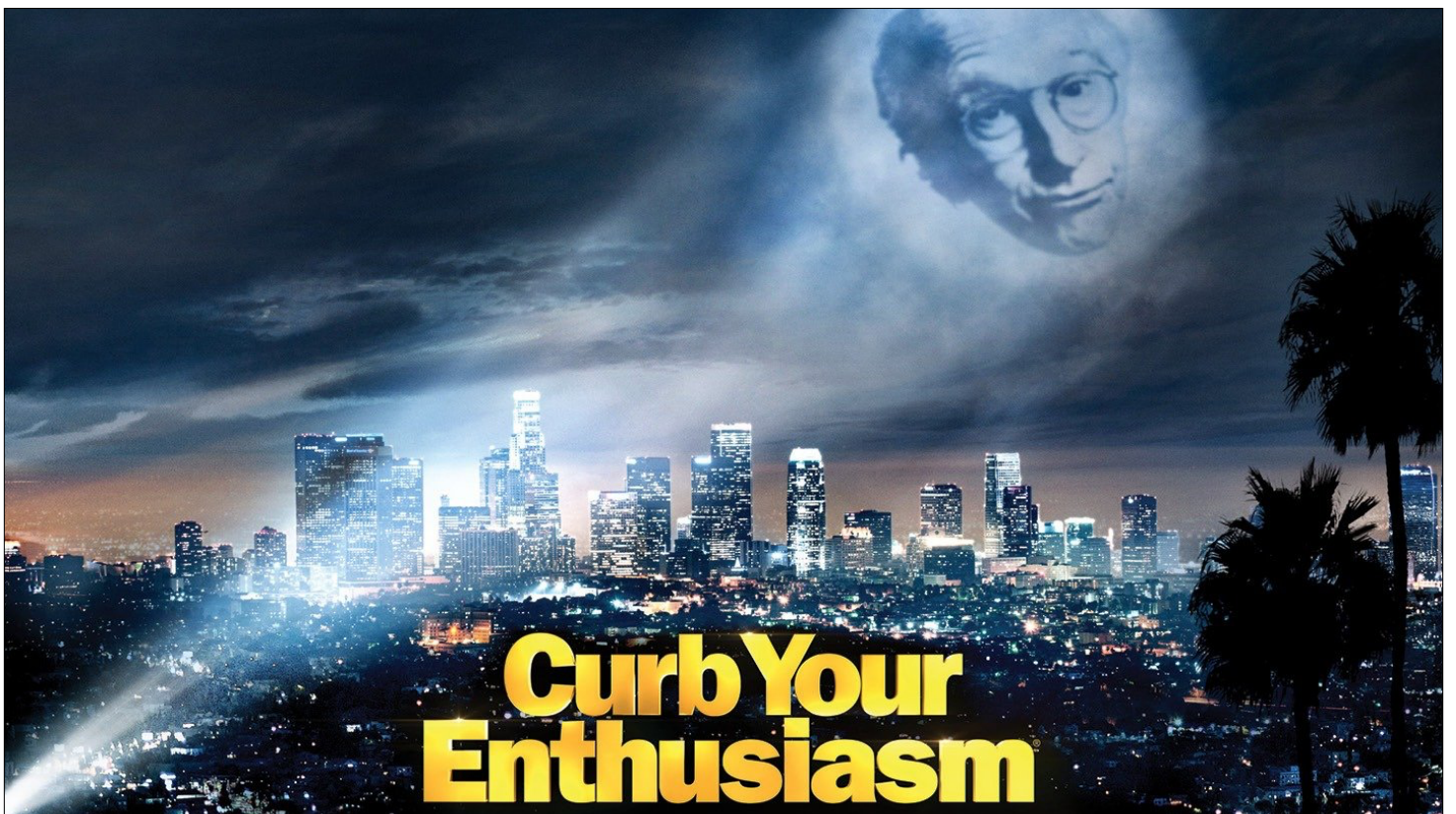


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John 20:31



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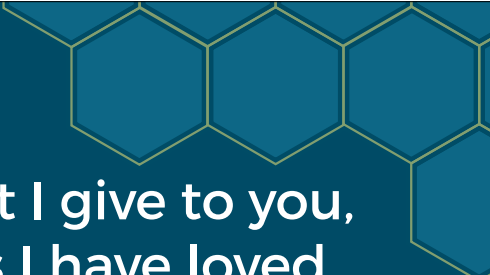
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John 13:34 A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. 35 By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”



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John 10:14 I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, 15 just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep.

John 10:18 No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again. This charge I have received from my Father.”

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See all you gotta do is rub that lamp

And I'll say

Mister Aladdin, sir

What will your pleasure be?

Let me take your order

Jot it down

You ain't never had a friend like me

Life is your restaurant

And I'm your maitre d'

C'mon whisper what it is you want

You ain't never had a friend like me

Yes sir, we pride ourselves on service

You're the boss

The king, the shah

Say what you wish
It's yours, true dish
How about a little more Baklava?
Have some of column A
Try all of column B
I'm in the mood to help you dude
You ain't never had a friend like me

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**You are not of this world
You belong to Jesus
They don't know God
They act out of guilt
Hate without (real) cause**

Psalm 69:4

More in number than the hairs of my head are
those who hate me without cause;

mighty are those who would destroy me,

those who attack me with lies.

What I did not steal must I now restore?

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DISCIPLESHIP CUES

1. HOW IS YOUR LIFE CHARACTERIZED BY SACRIFICIAL LOVE FOR OTHER CHRISTIANS?
2. WHAT CAUSES YOU TO DRIFT OUT OF ABIDING IN JESUS?
3. WHAT OPPORTUNITIES TODAY AND THIS WEEK DO YOU HAVE TO LOVE SOMEONE IN THIS CHURCH?

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