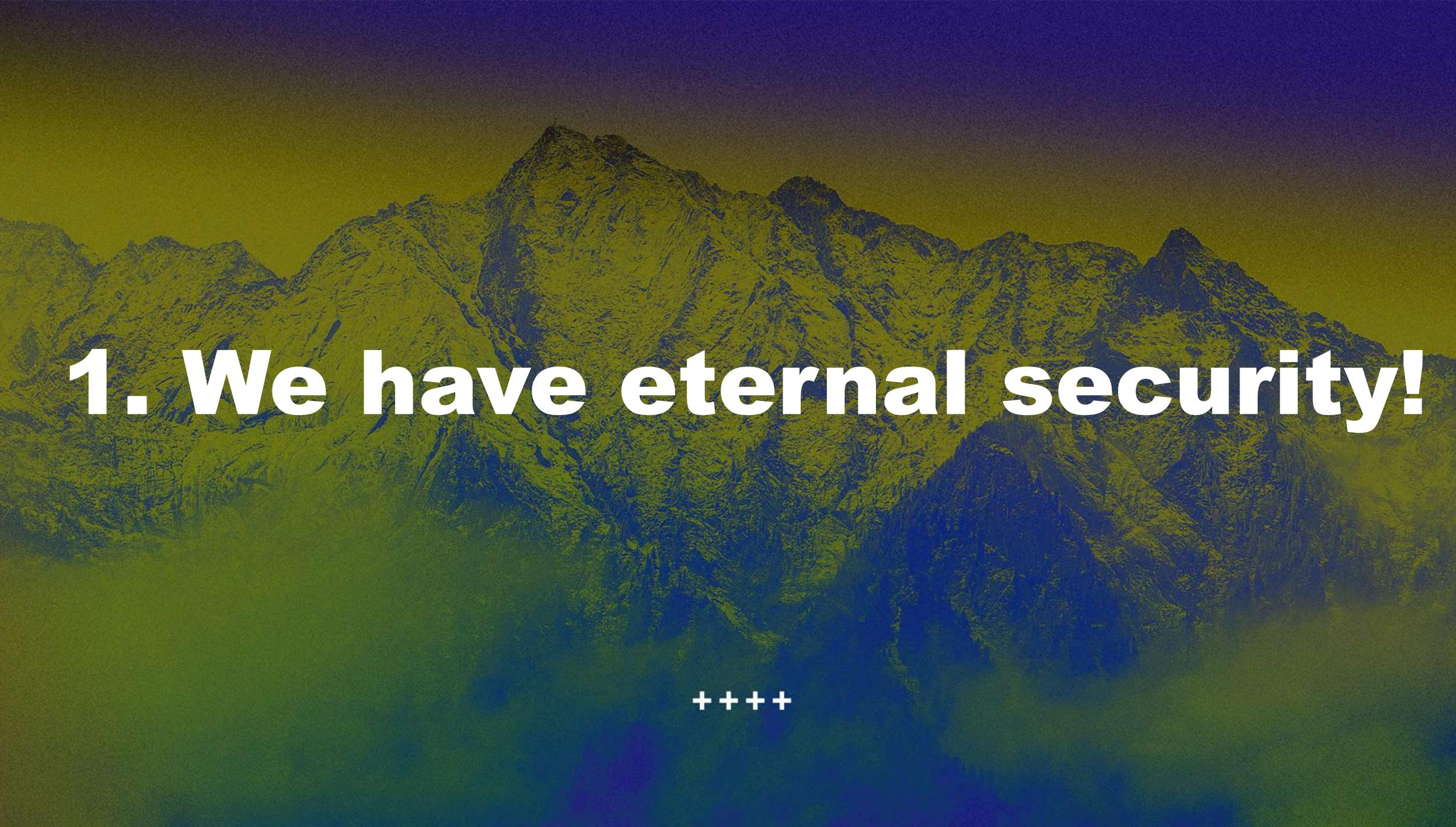
WAIT.-WHAT? Habakkuk 1:12-2:1



Holy LORD God, mighty rock, you are eternal, and we are safe from death. You are using those Babylonians to judge

and punish others.

Habakkuk 1:12 (CEV)





Hebrews 12:3-11 (ESV)

Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted. In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding your blood.



And have you forgotten the exhortation that addresses you as sons? My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord, nor be weary when reproved by him. For the Lord disciplines the one he loves, and chastises every son whom he receives.

Hebrews 12:3-11 (ESV)



It is for discipline that you have to endure. God is treating you as sons. For what son is there whom his father does not discipline? If you are left without discipline, in which all have participated, then you are illegitimate children and not sons. Besides this, we have had earthly fathers who disciplined us and we respected them. Shall we not much more be subject to the Father of spirits and live?

Hebrews 12:3-11 (ESV)



For they disciplined us for a short time as it seemed best to them, but he disciplines us for our good, that we may share his holiness. For the moment all discipline seems painful rather than pleasant, but later it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

Hebrews 12:3-11 (ESV)



But you can't stand sin or wrong. So don't sit by in silence while they goble up people who are better than they are. The people you put on this earth are like fish or reptiles without a leader.

Habakkuk 1:13-17 (CEV)

Then an enemy comes along and takes them captive with hooks and nets. It makes him so happy that he offers sacrifices to his fishing nets, because they make him rich and provide choice foods. Will he keep hauling in his nets and destroying nations without showing mercy?

Habakkuk 1:13-17 (CEV)

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Matthew 9:36

When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.



will take my stand at my watchpost and station myself on the tower, and look out to see what he will say to me, and what I will answer concerning my complaint.

Habakkuk 2:1 (ESV)





3. The key is to wait and watch.

A. Take time to be holy.

B. Grow in grace.

C. See what God will do.

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