



Welcome to Worship

Sanford church of Christ



How do we live
a life that
pleases God?



Rejoice always,
Pray continually,

Give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

-1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

A sunset scene with a bright sun low on the horizon, casting a golden glow over a landscape. In the foreground, the dark silhouette of a tree is visible on the right side.

Ephesians 5:19-20

¹⁹Speak to one another with psalms, hymns and spiritual songs. Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord,
²⁰always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

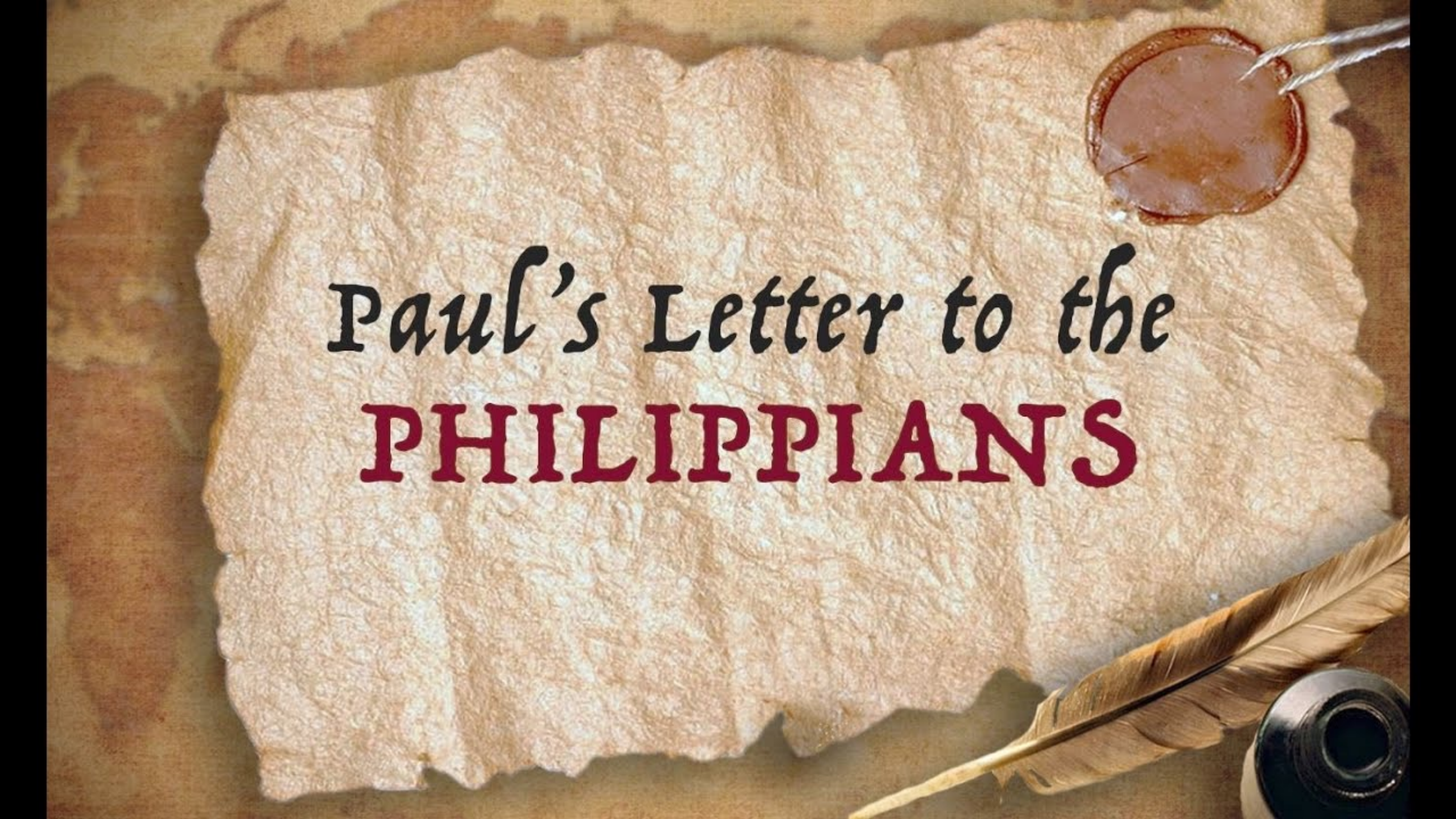
*Through him then let us
continually offer up a
sacrifice of praise to God,
that is, the fruit of lips
that acknowledge his name.*

HEBREWS 13:15

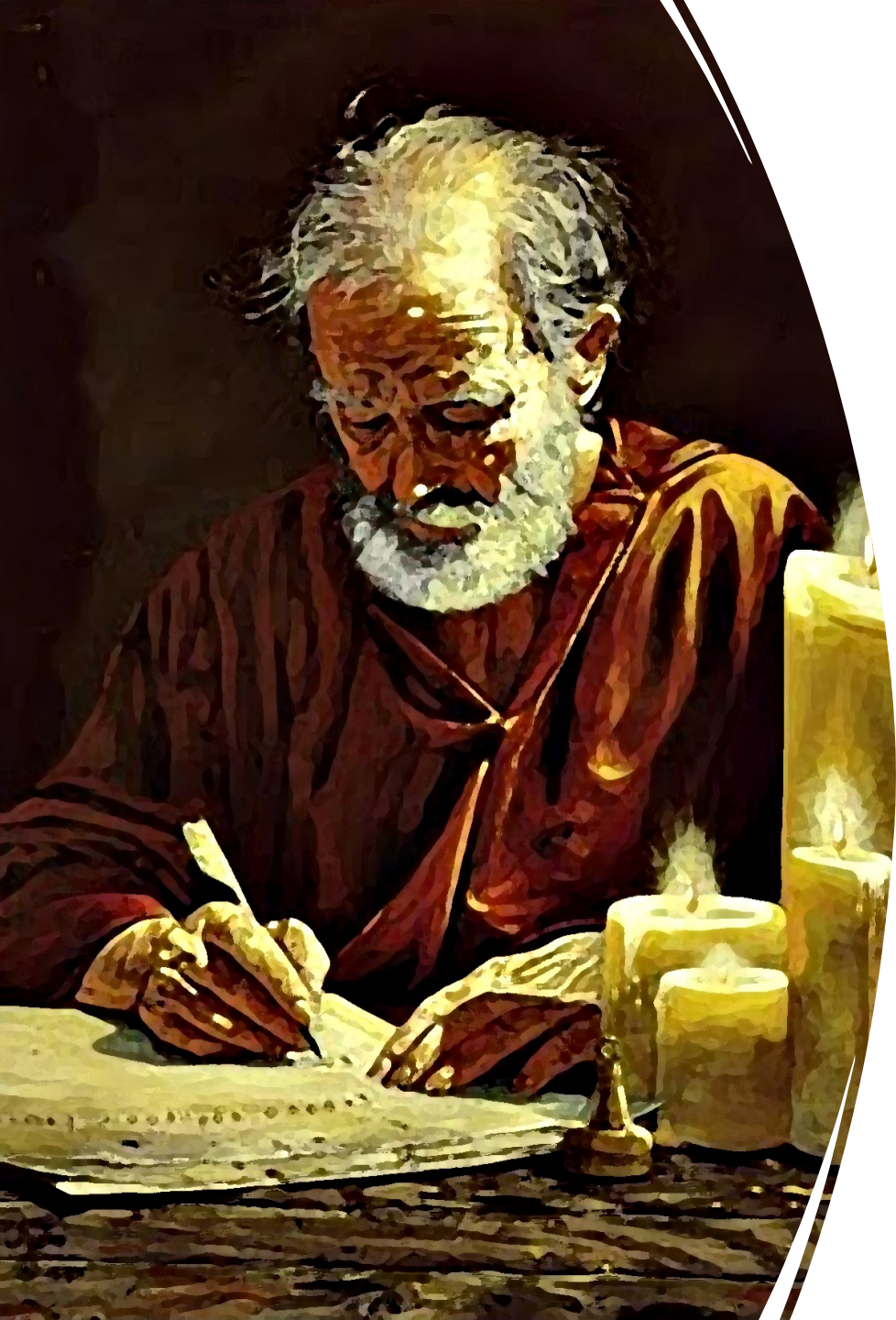
2 Timothy 3:1-5

But understand this, that in the last days there will come times of difficulty. For people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud, arrogant, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, heartless, unappeasable, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not loving good, treacherous, reckless, swollen with conceit, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having the appearance of godliness, but denying its power. Avoid such people.

We must be people who are thankful and express that gratitude with our words, actions, and attitude!

A piece of aged, textured parchment paper with a wax seal in the top right corner. A quill pen and an inkwell are visible in the bottom right corner. The text is centered on the parchment.

Paul's Letter to the
PHILIPPIANS



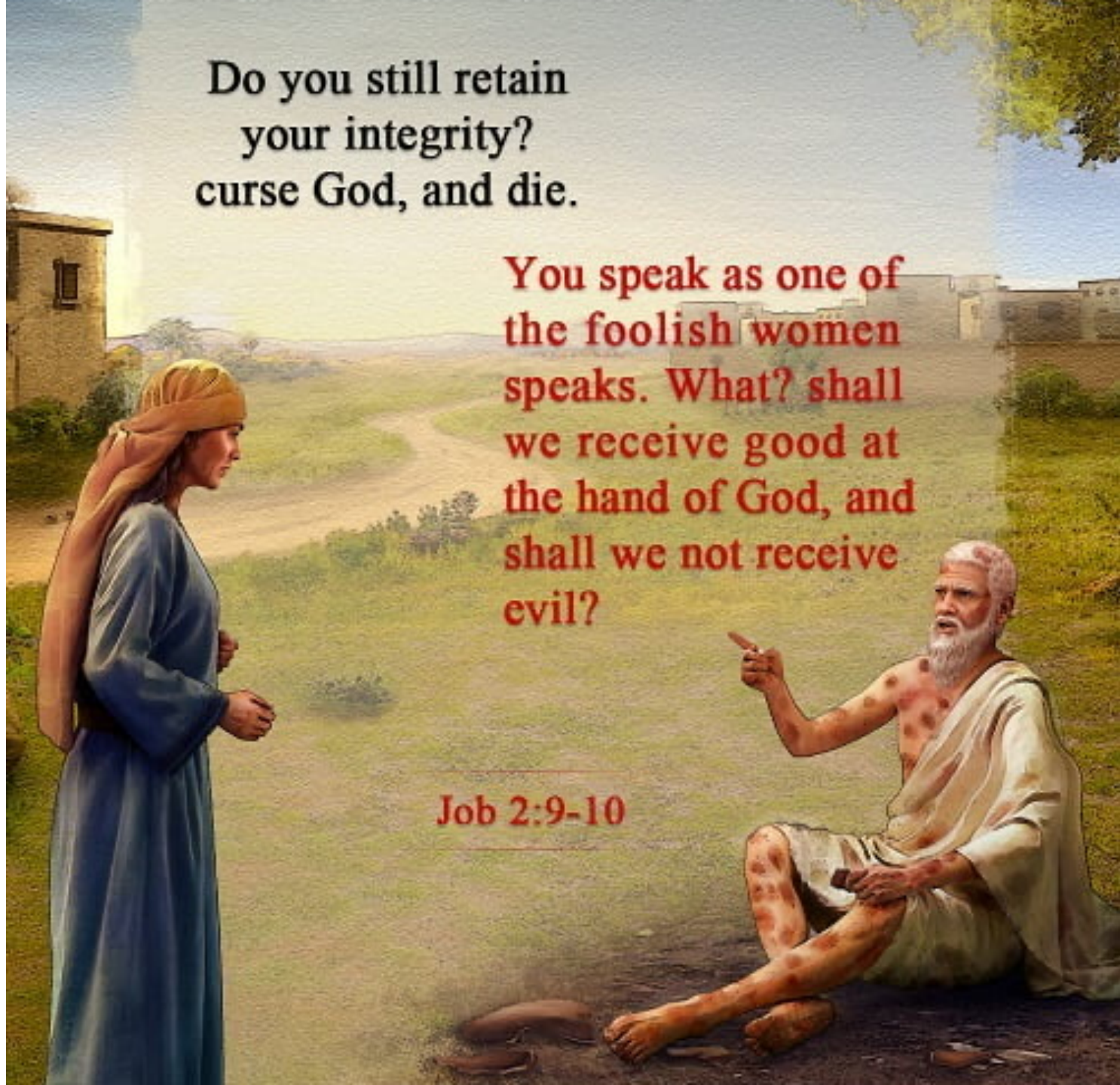
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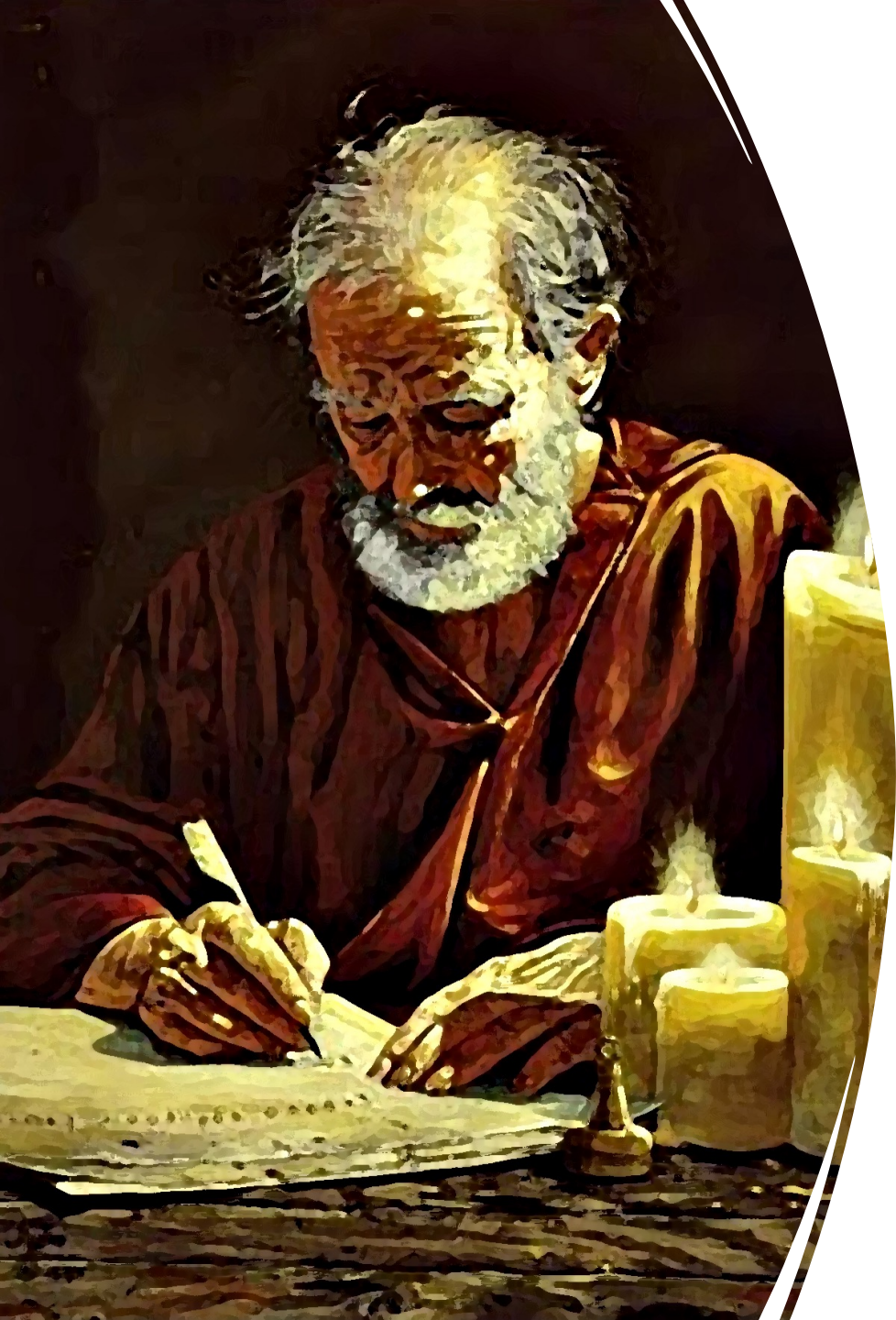
- The truly Grateful Heart doesn't depend on good circumstances!
 - Philippians 1:12 – 14
 - Philippians 4:11 – 13

Do you still retain
your integrity?
curse God, and die.

You speak as one of
the foolish women
speaks. What? shall
we receive good at
the hand of God, and
shall we not receive
evil?

Job 2:9-10





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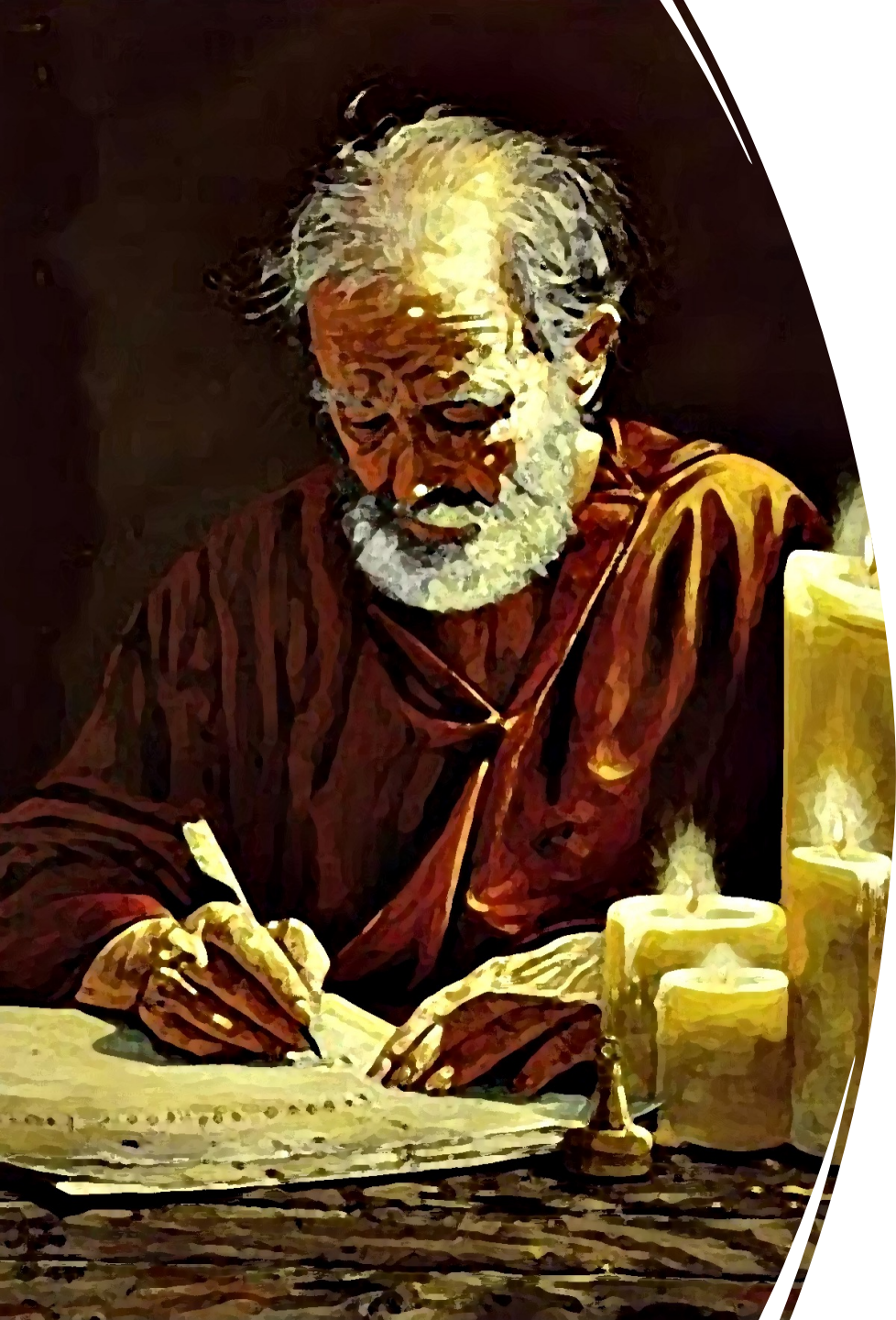
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 - Philippians 2:14 – 16



The Woman at
the Jacob's
Well


John 4:28 – 30

John 4:39 – 42

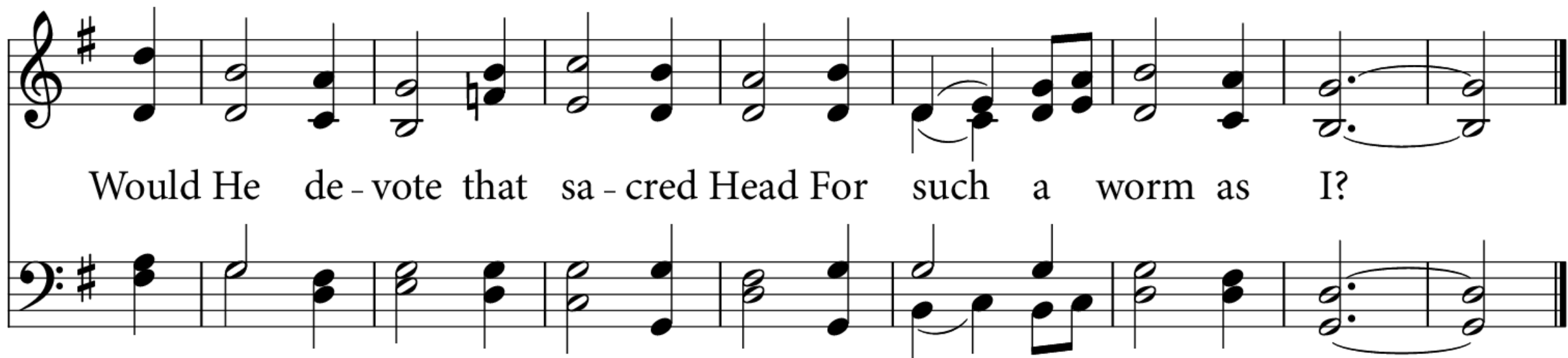


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- The truly Grateful Heart is infectious!
- The truly Grateful Heart is set on fire by the Grace of Christ!
 - Philippians 3:4 – 11



1. A - las! and did my Sav - ior bleed And did my Sov-'reign die?



Would He de - vote that sa - cred Head For such a worm as I?