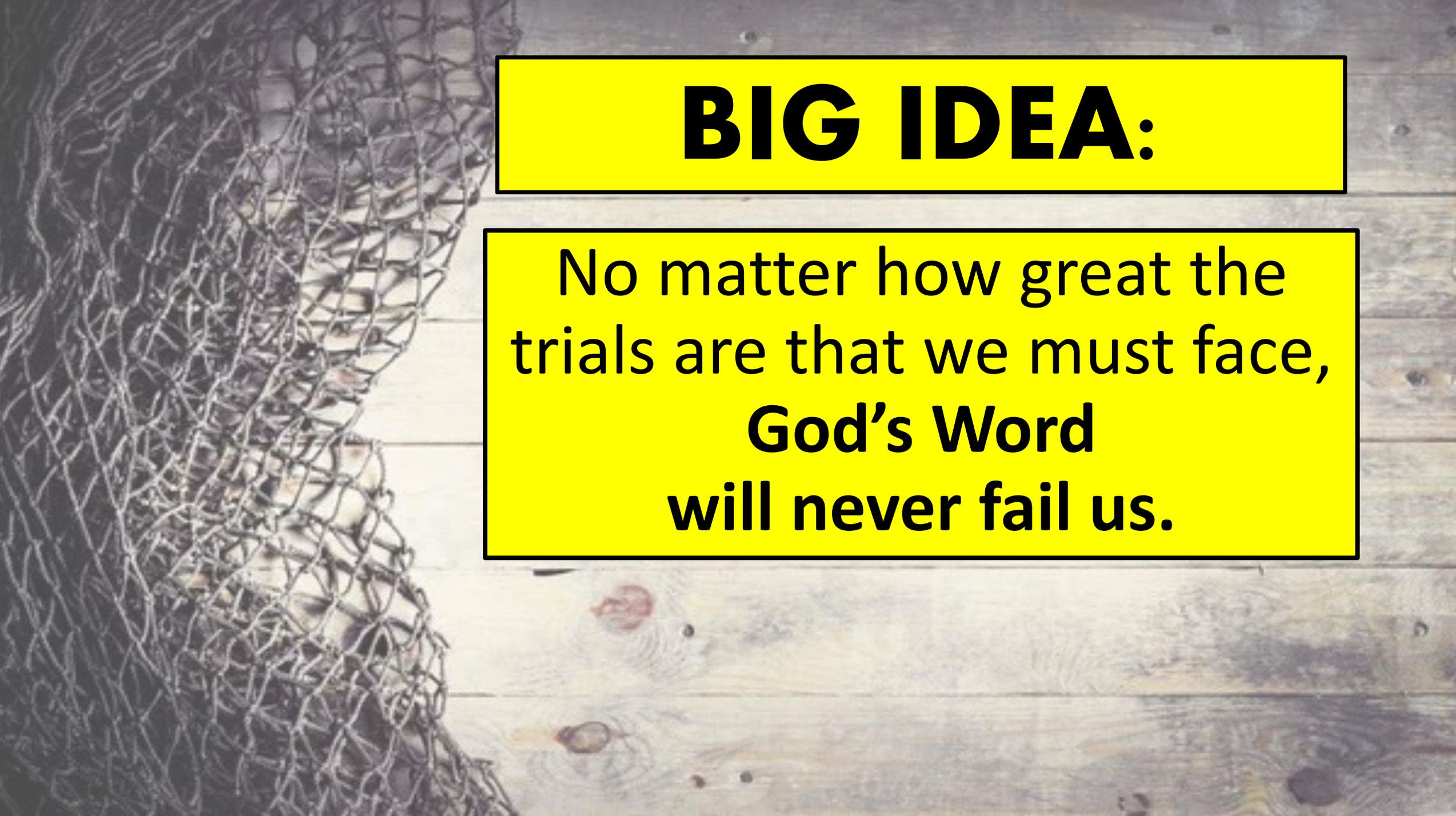


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Letting Down the Nets

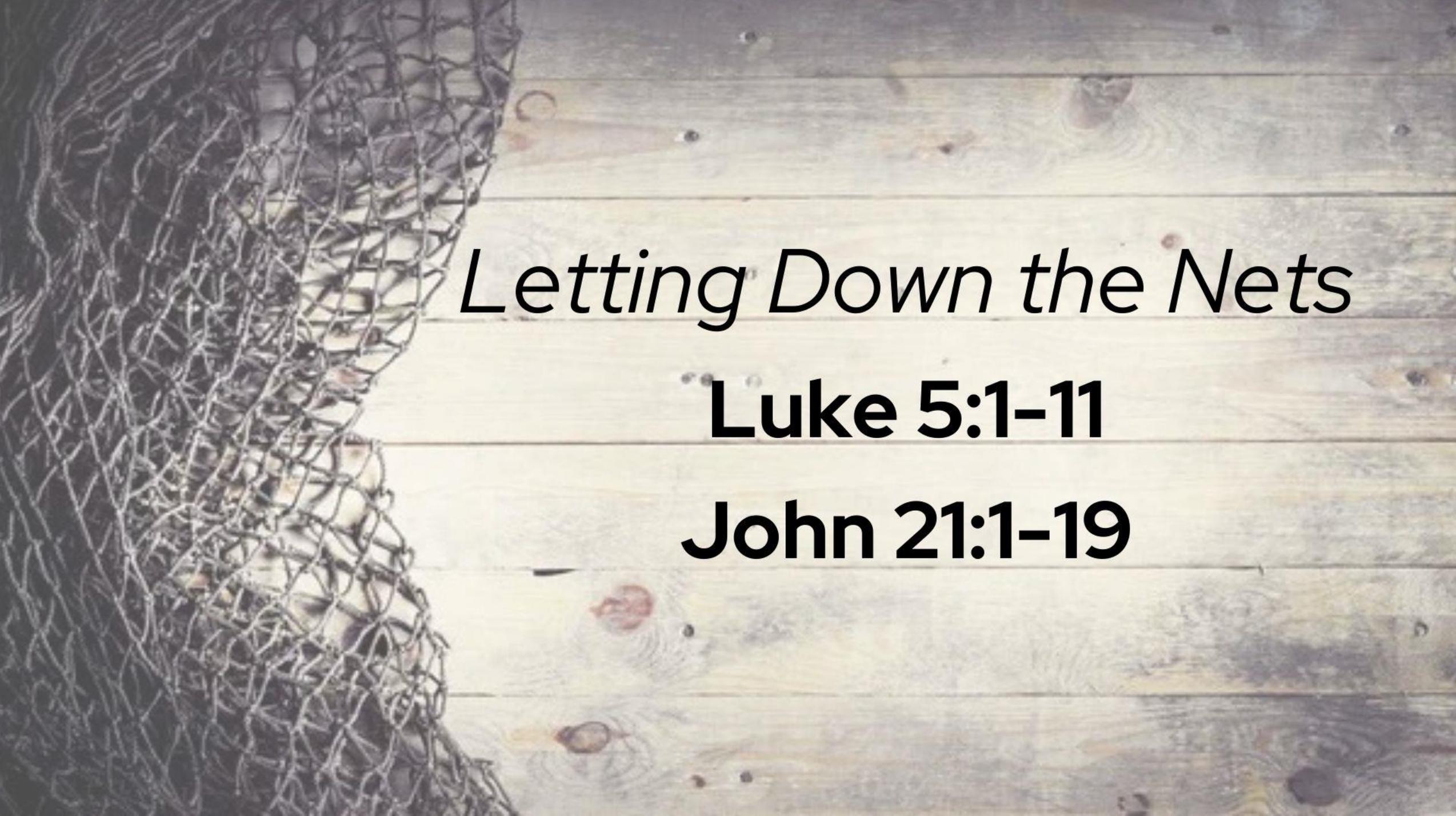
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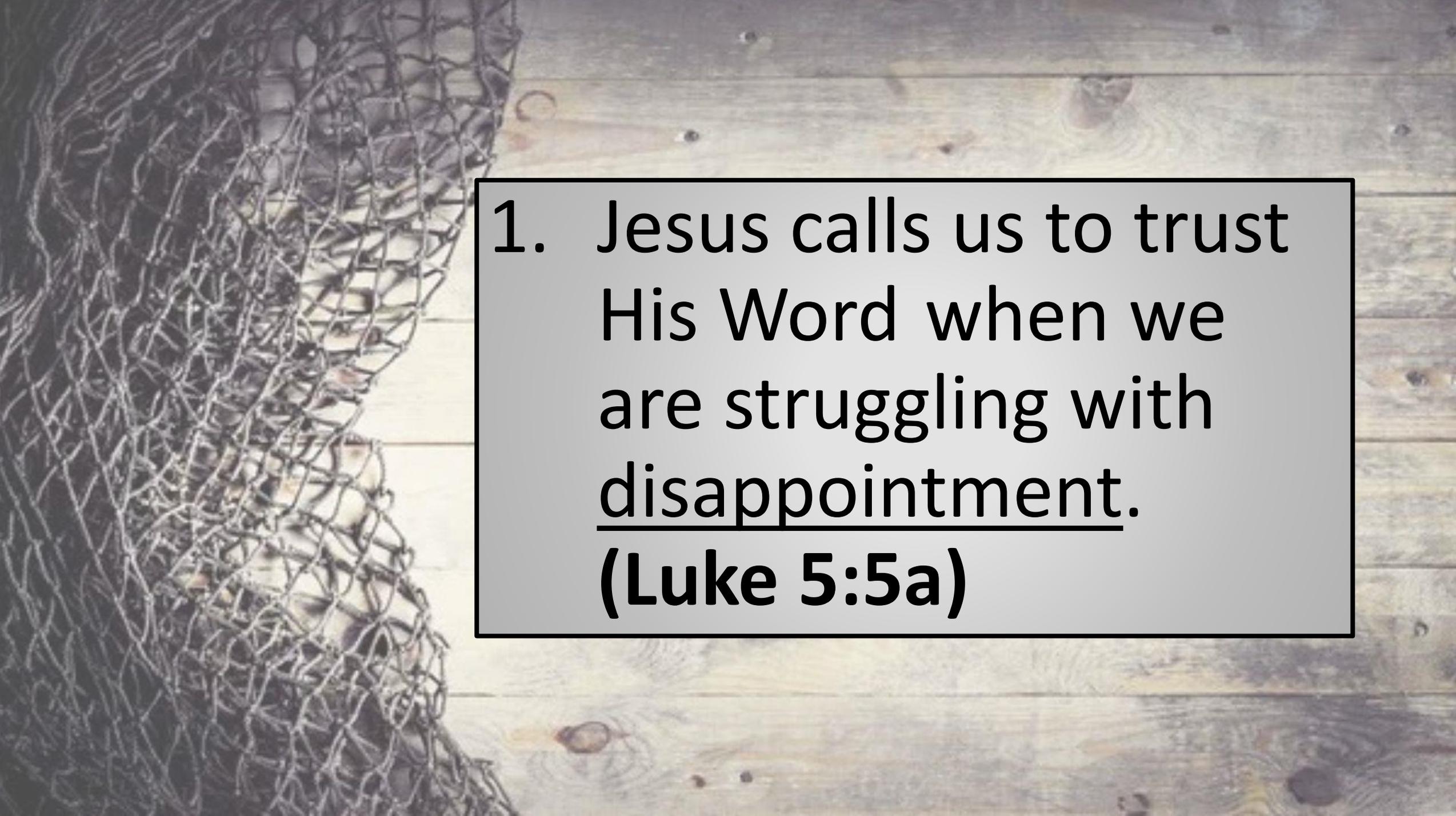
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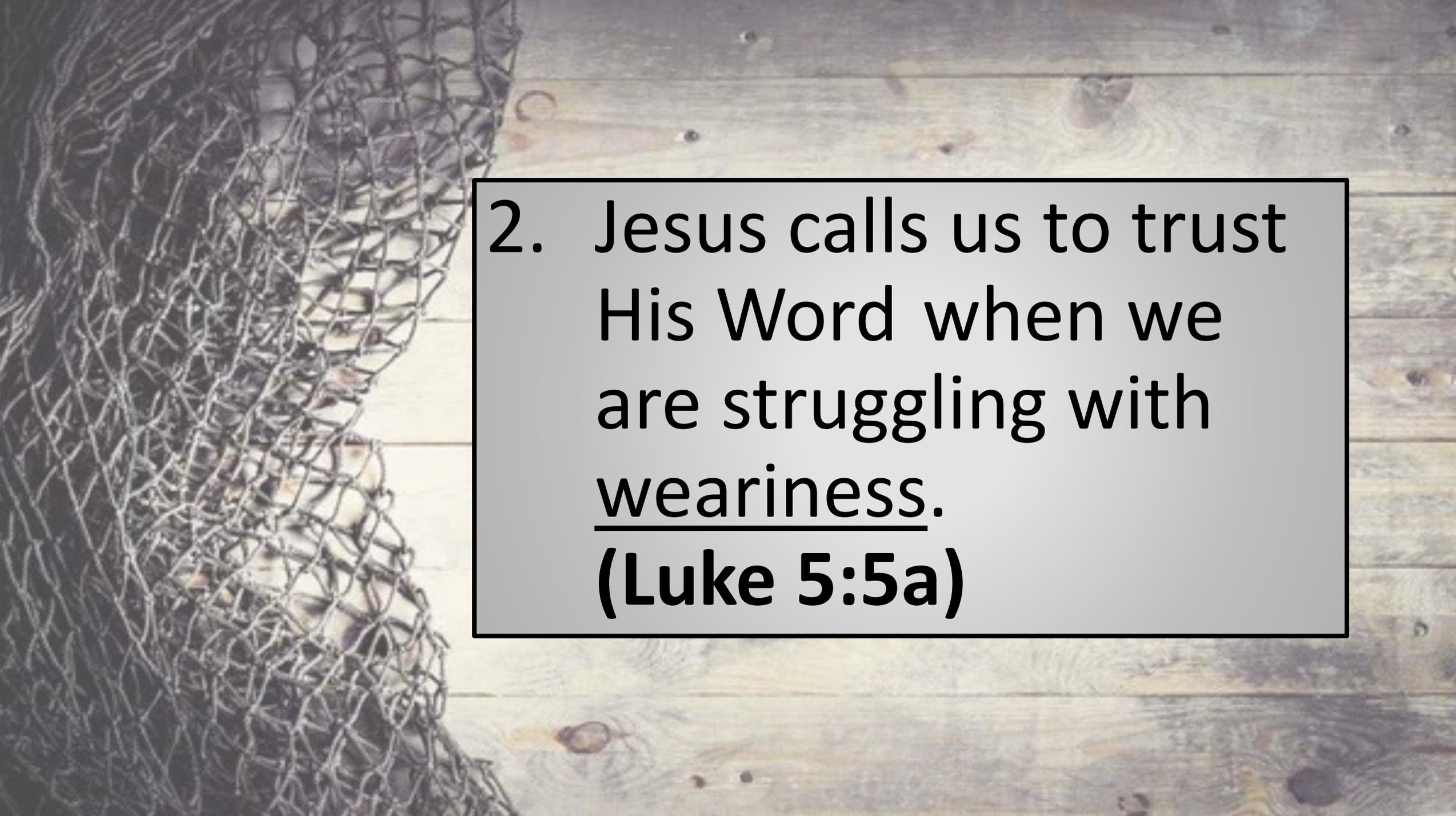
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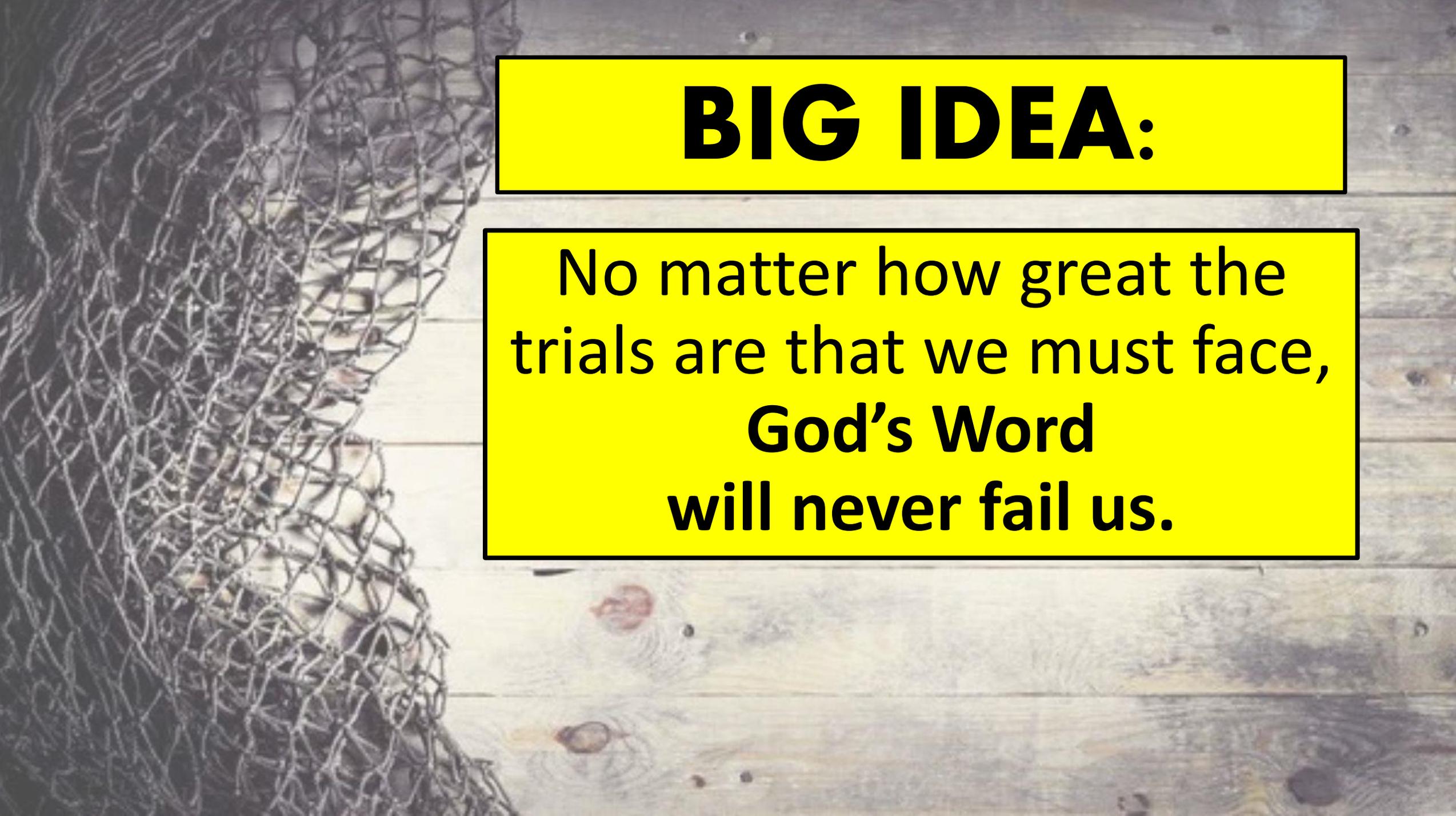
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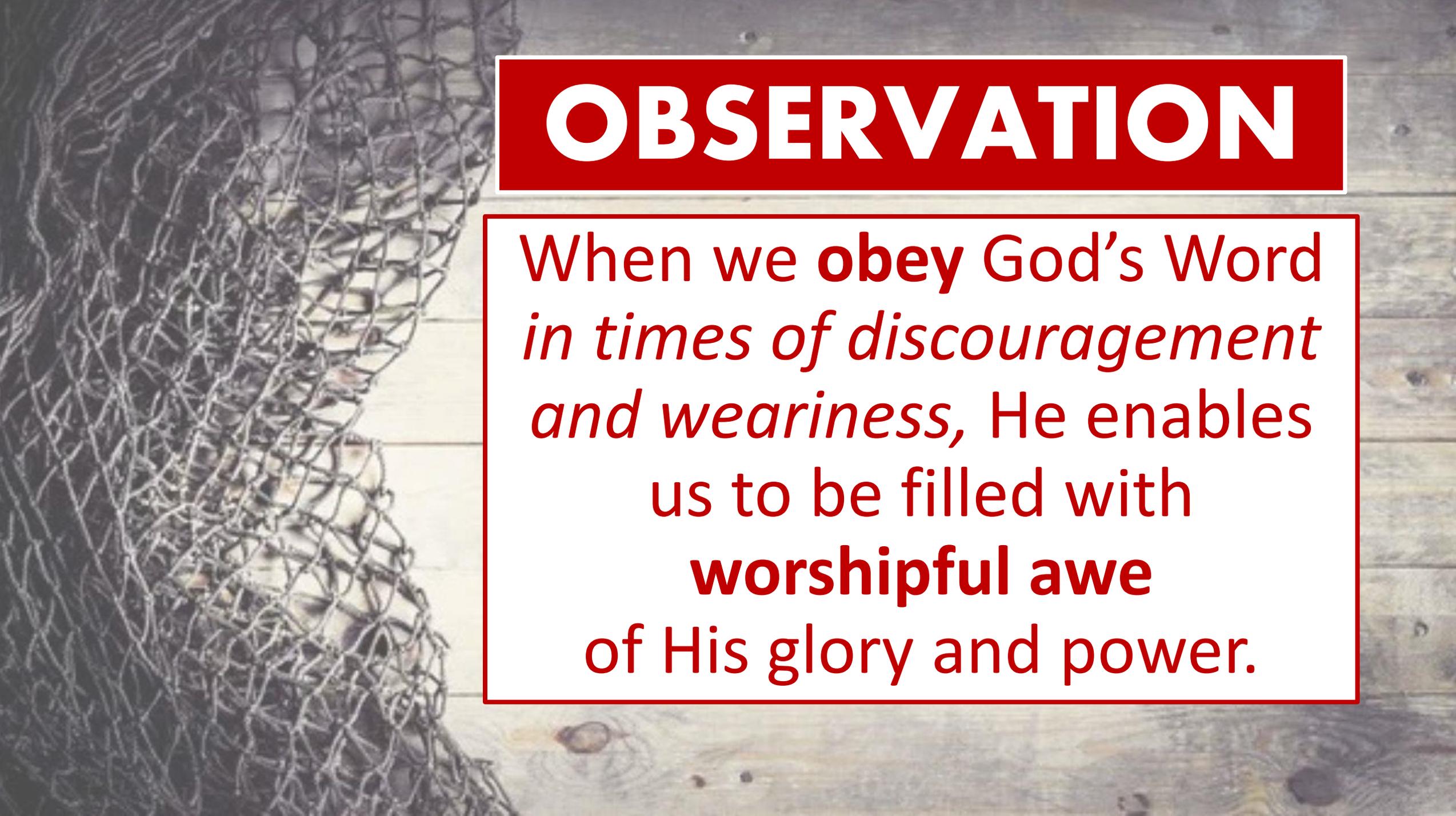


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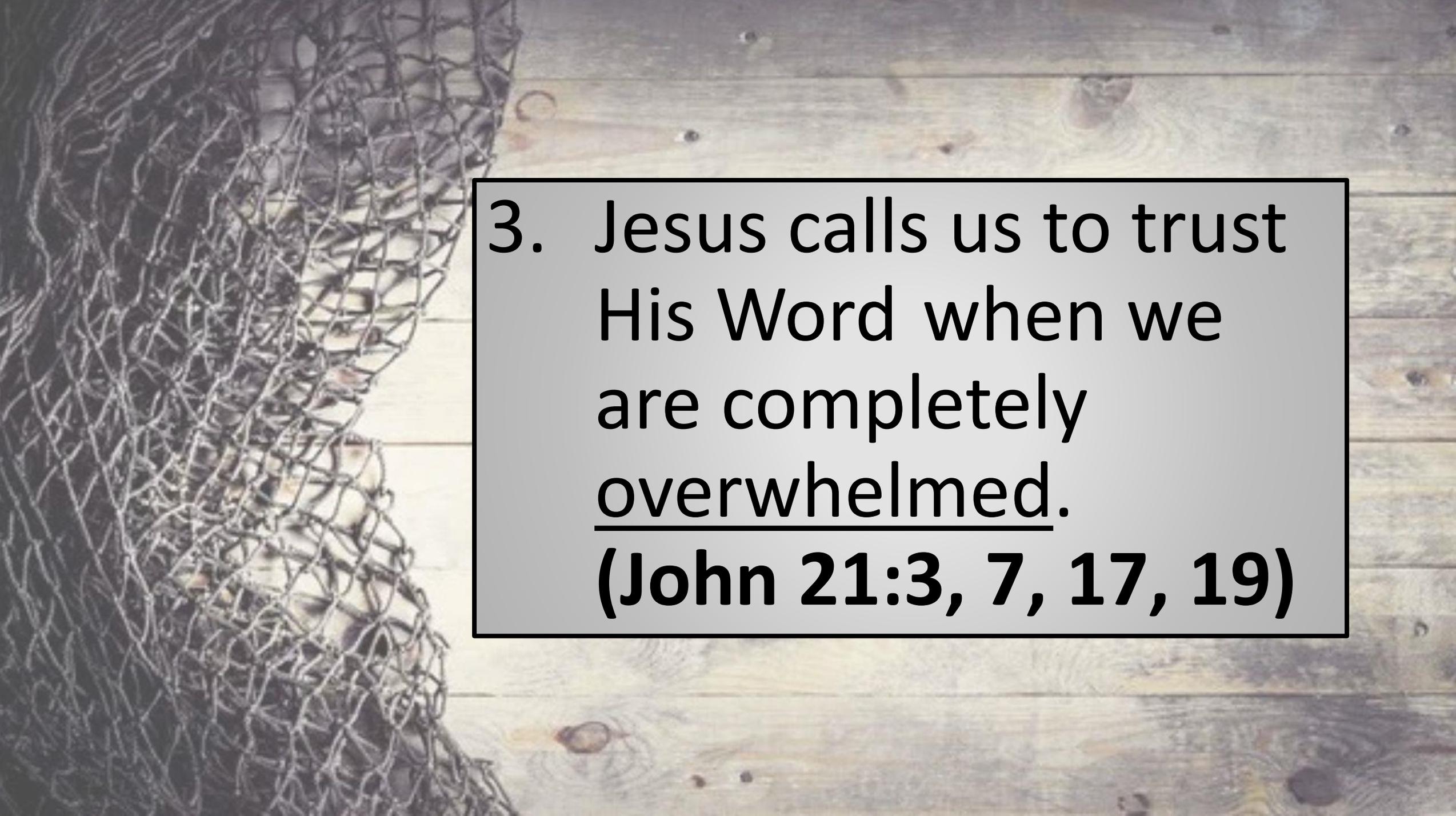
OBSERVATION

When we **obey** God's Word *in times of discouragement and weariness*, He enables us to be filled with **worshipful awe** of His glory and power.

A fishing net is draped over a wooden pier or dock. The net is made of a dark, heavy mesh and is partially filled with fish. The background shows the wooden planks of the pier.

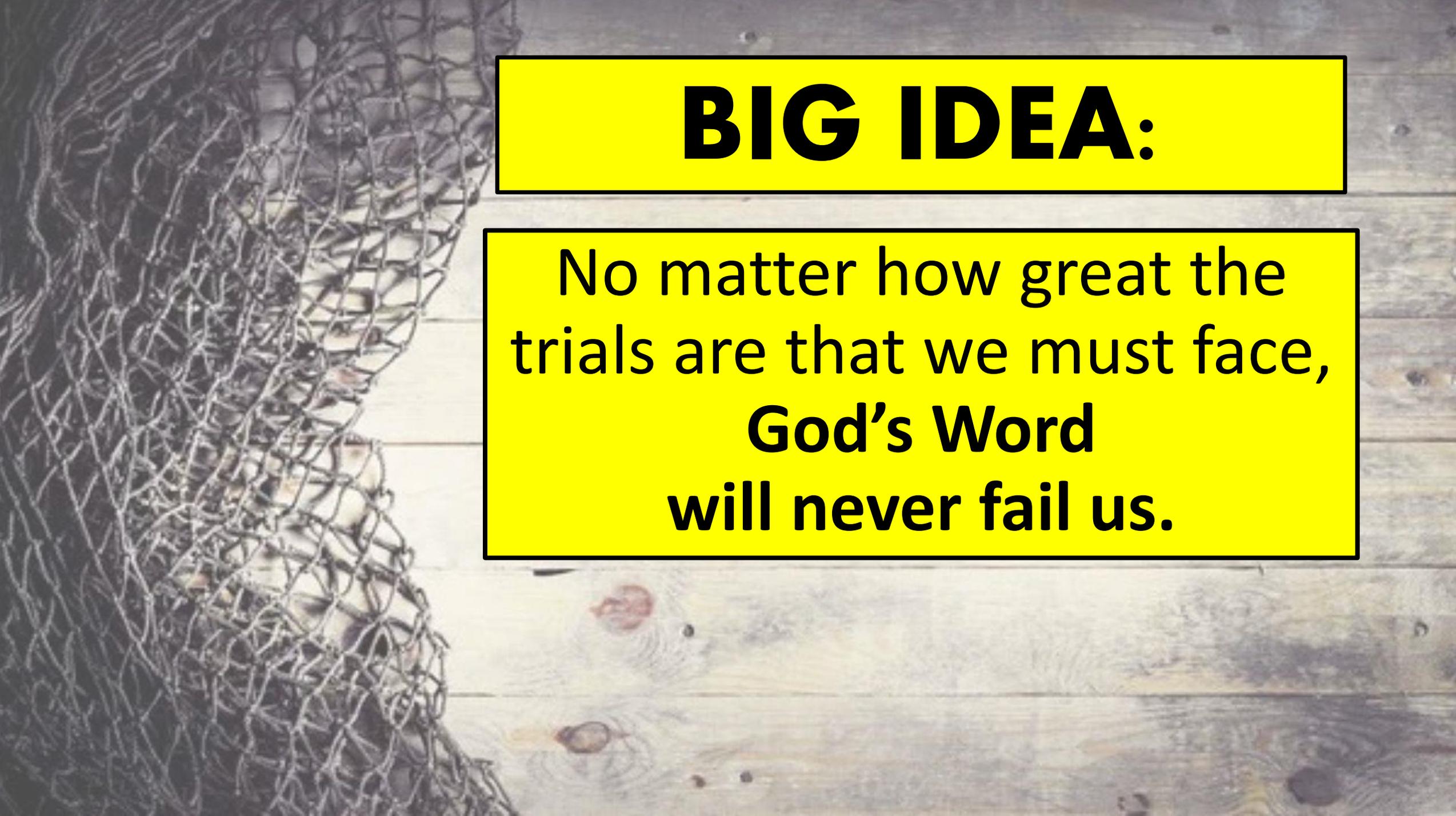
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God wants us to remember the glorious **power of His Word** as we share the Gospel with others. *Why? Because discouragement and weariness will tempt us to lose heart and quit.*



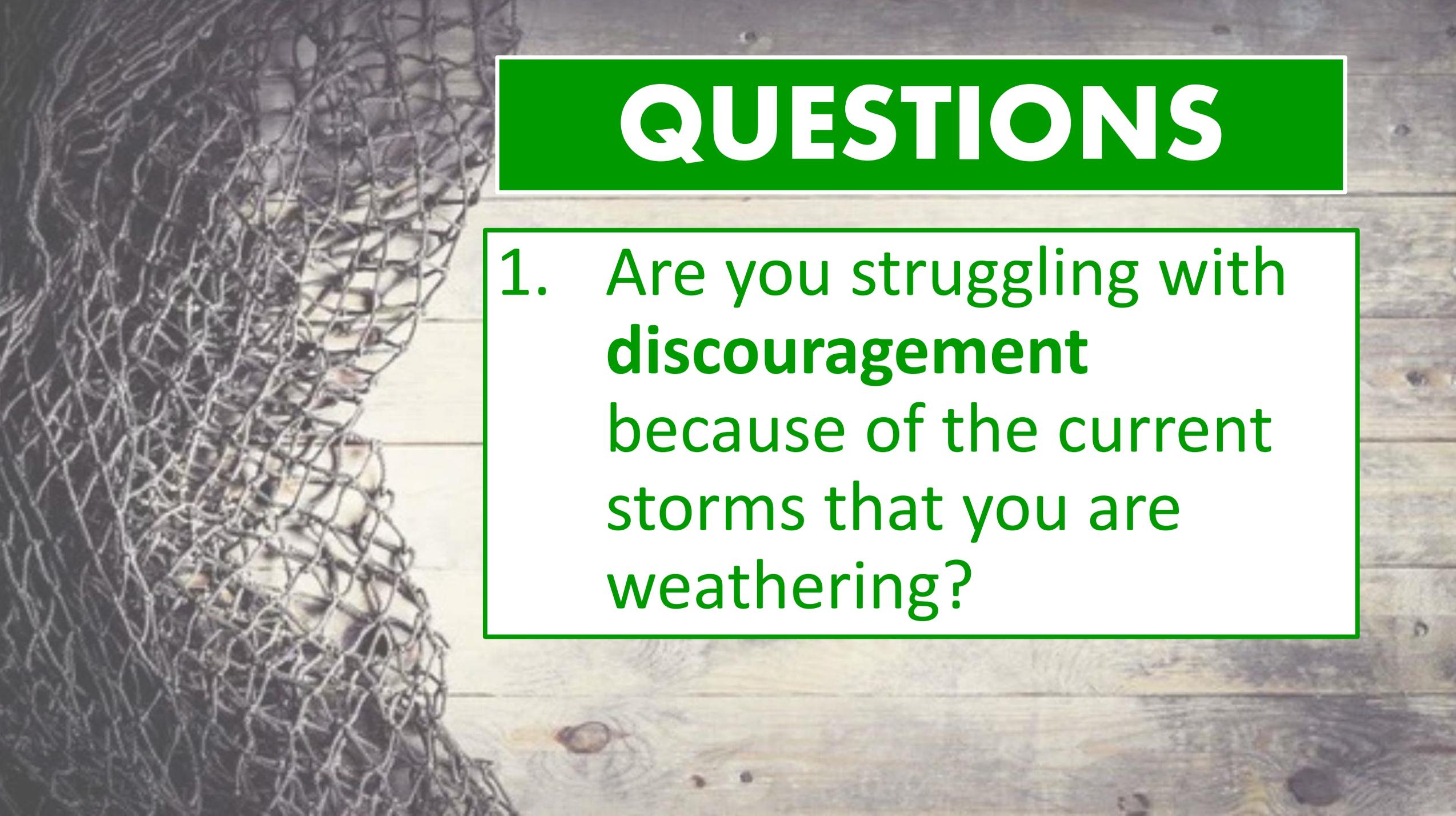
3. Jesus calls us to trust
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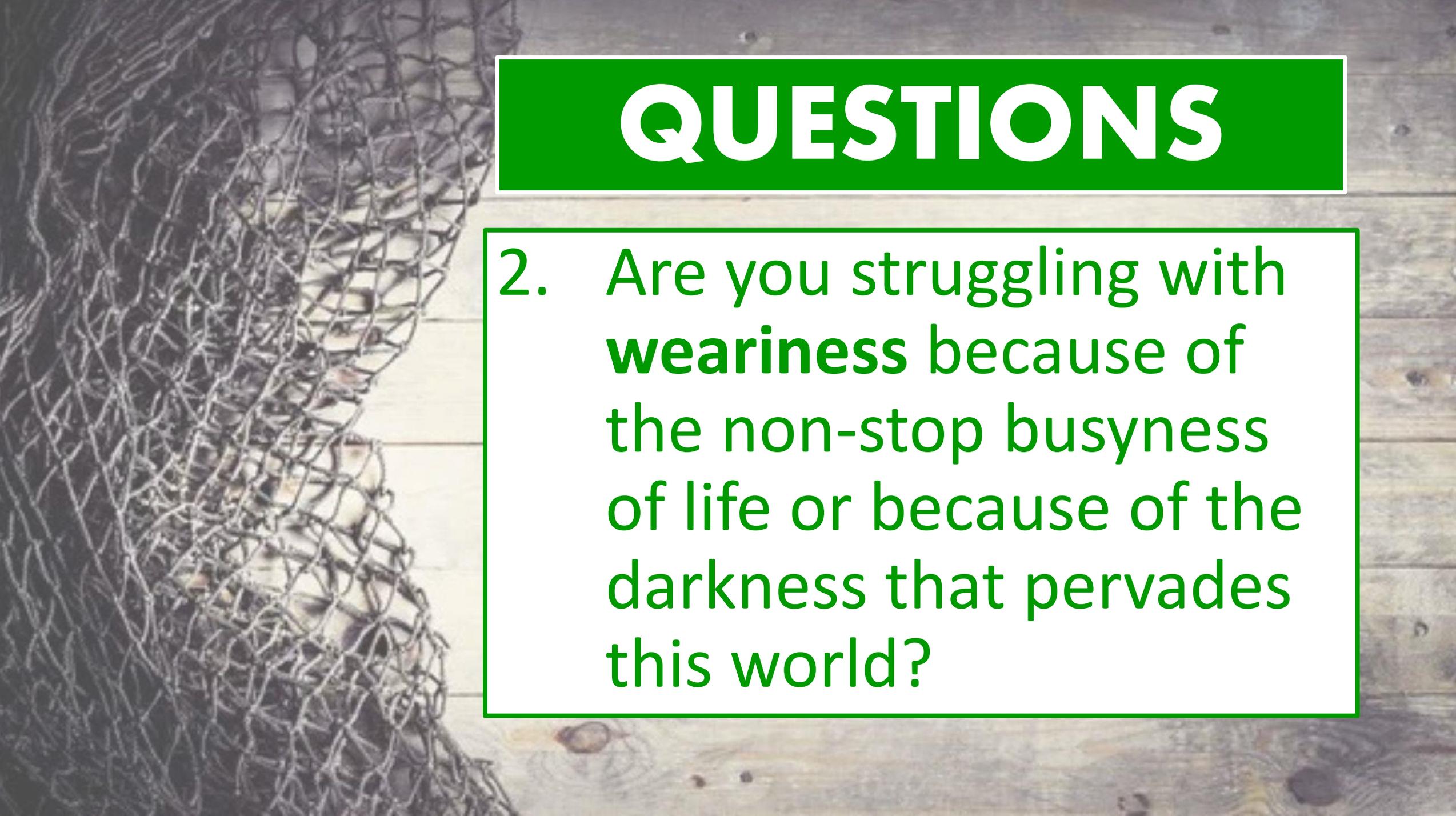
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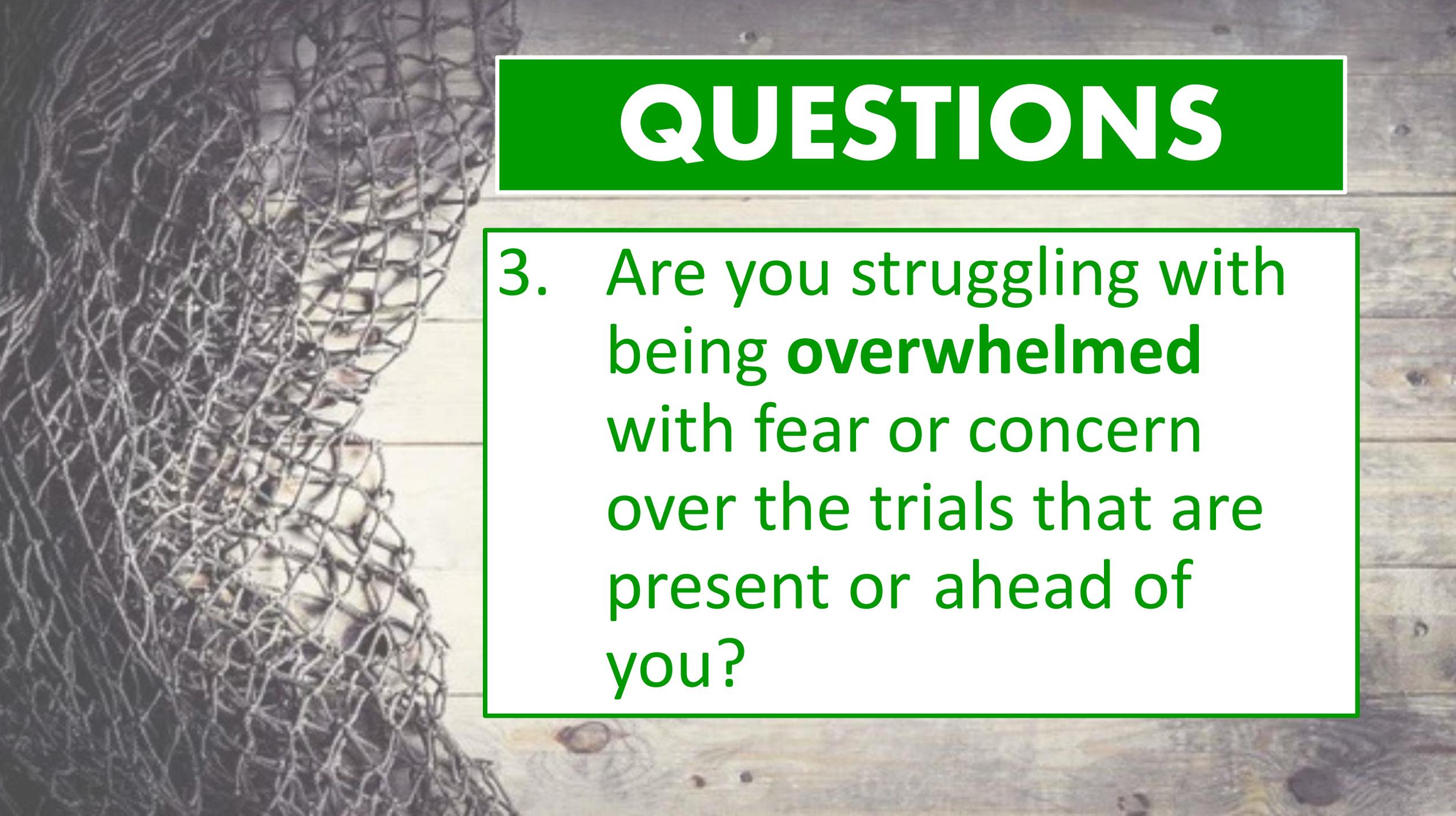
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1. Are you struggling with **discouragement** because of the current storms that you are weathering?



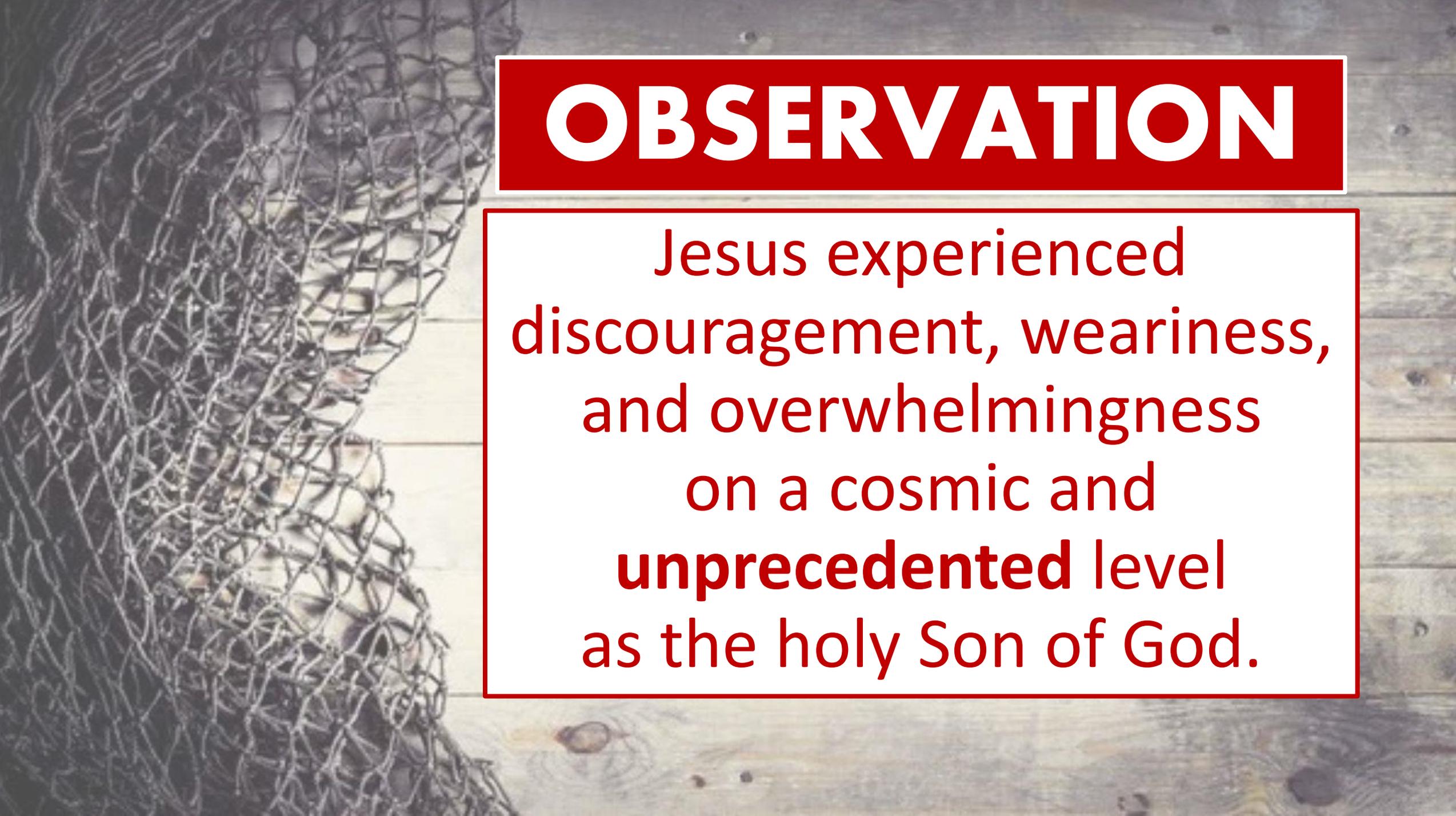
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2. Are you struggling with **weariness** because of the non-stop busyness of life or because of the darkness that pervades this world?



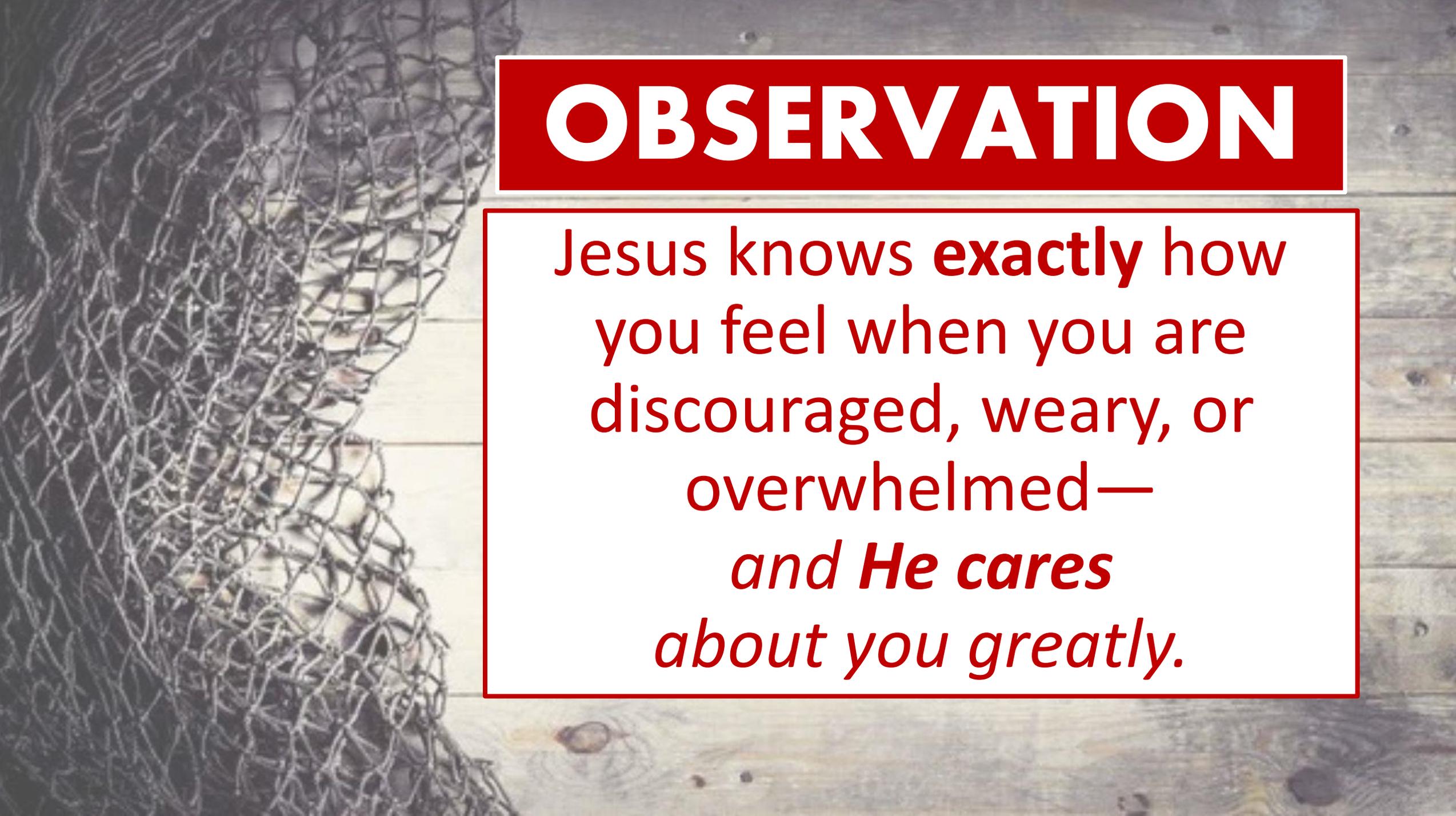
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3. Are you struggling with being **overwhelmed** with fear or concern over the trials that are present or ahead of you?



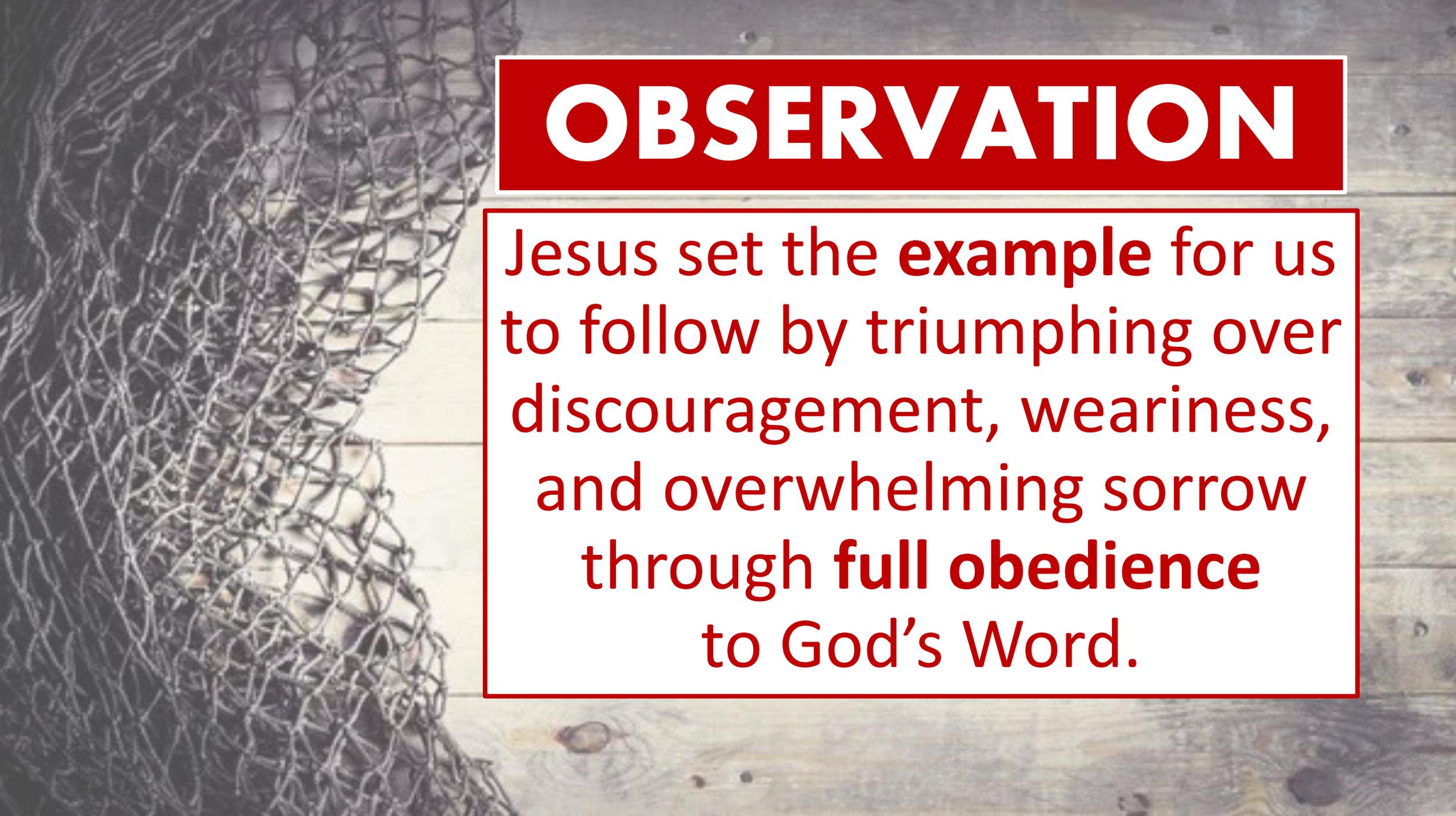
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Jesus experienced discouragement, weariness, and overwhelmingness on a cosmic and **unprecedented** level as the holy Son of God.

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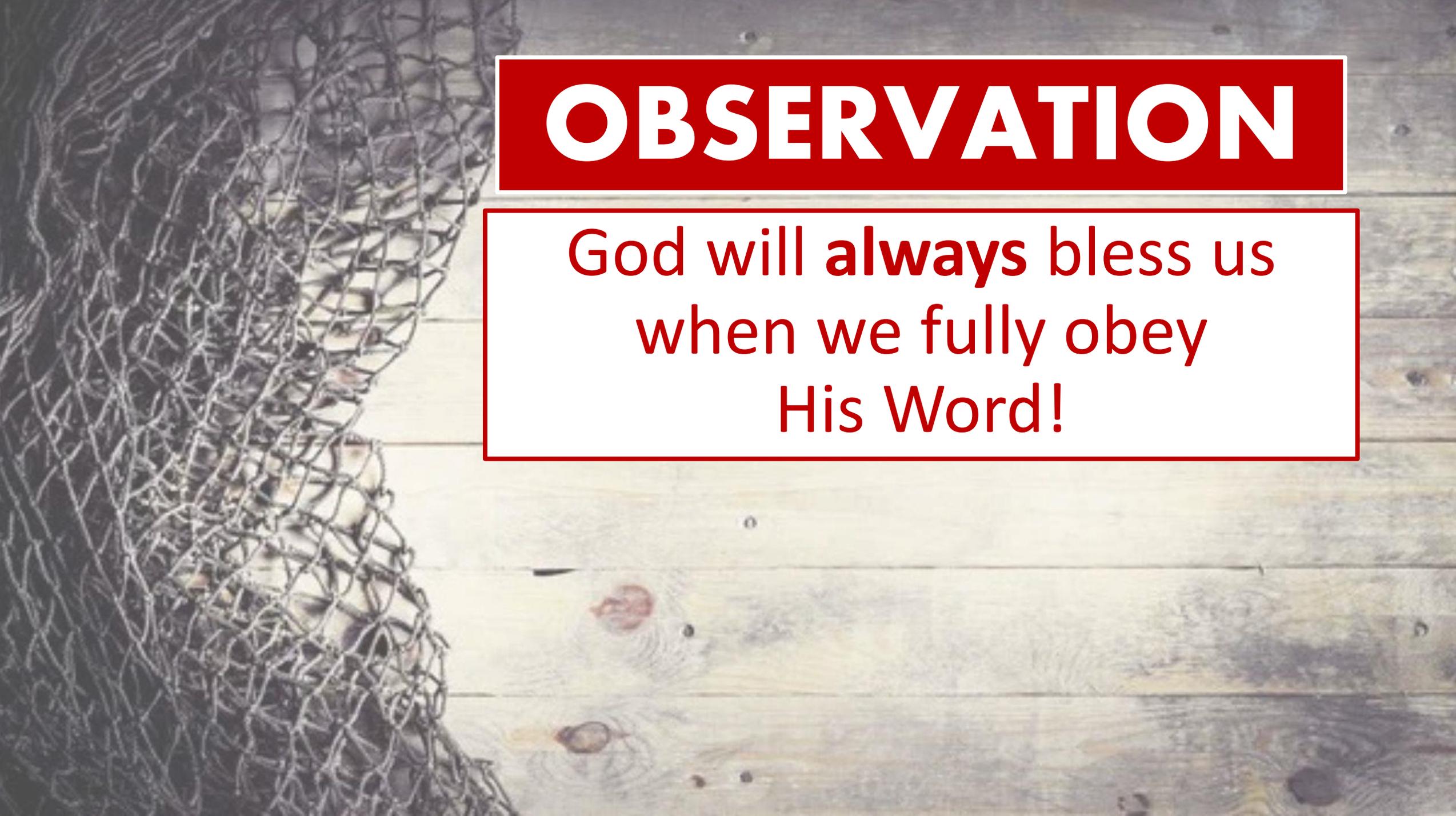
OBSERVATION

Jesus knows **exactly** how you feel when you are discouraged, weary, or overwhelmed—
and He cares about you greatly.



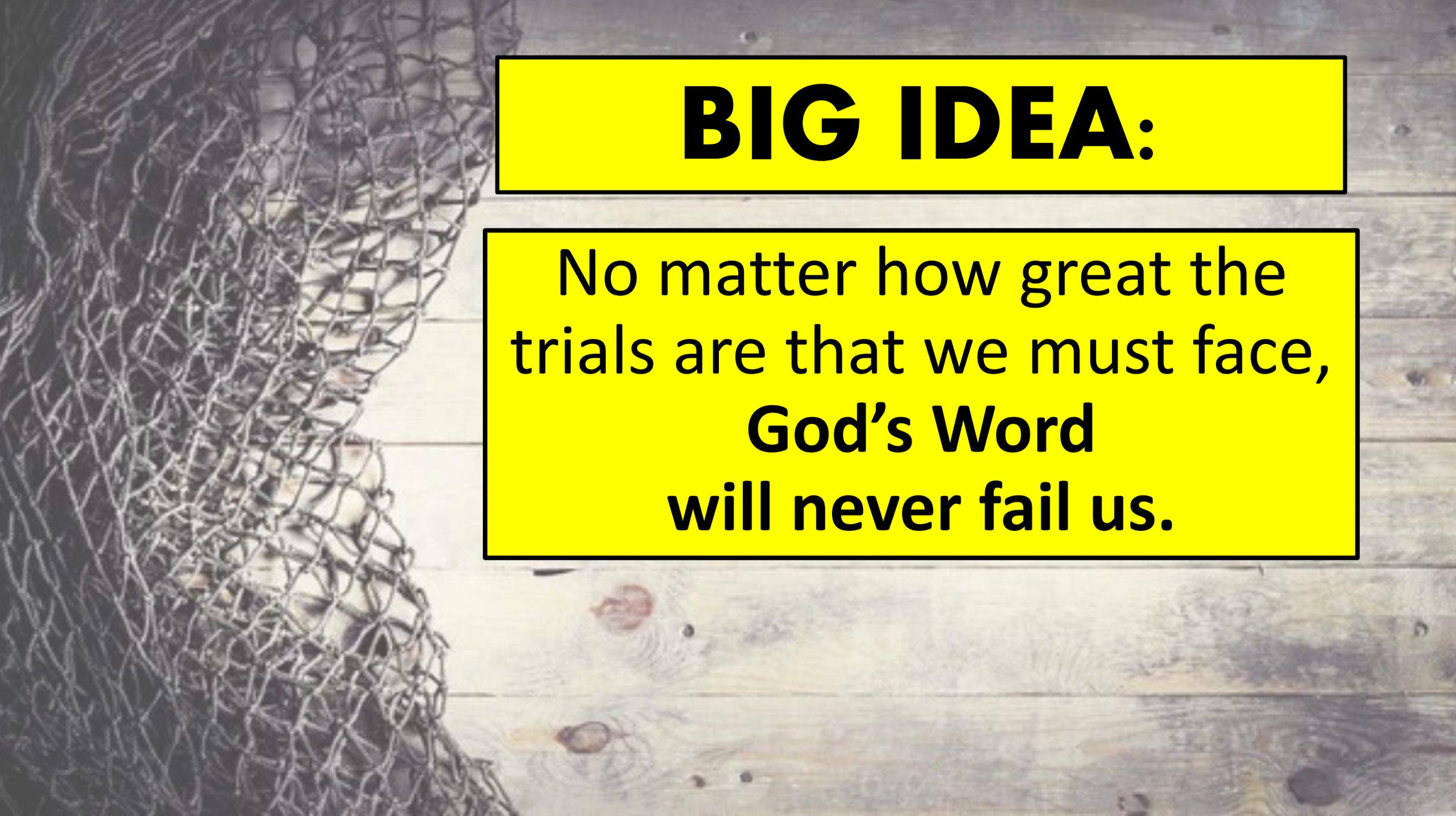
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Jesus set the **example** for us to follow by triumphing over discouragement, weariness, and overwhelming sorrow through **full obedience** to God's Word.

A fishing net is draped over a wooden surface, likely a boat deck or pier. The net is made of a dark, heavy-duty mesh and is partially filled with small, light-colored fish. The wooden background consists of horizontal planks with visible grain and knots.

OBSERVATION

God will *always* bless us
when we fully obey
His Word!

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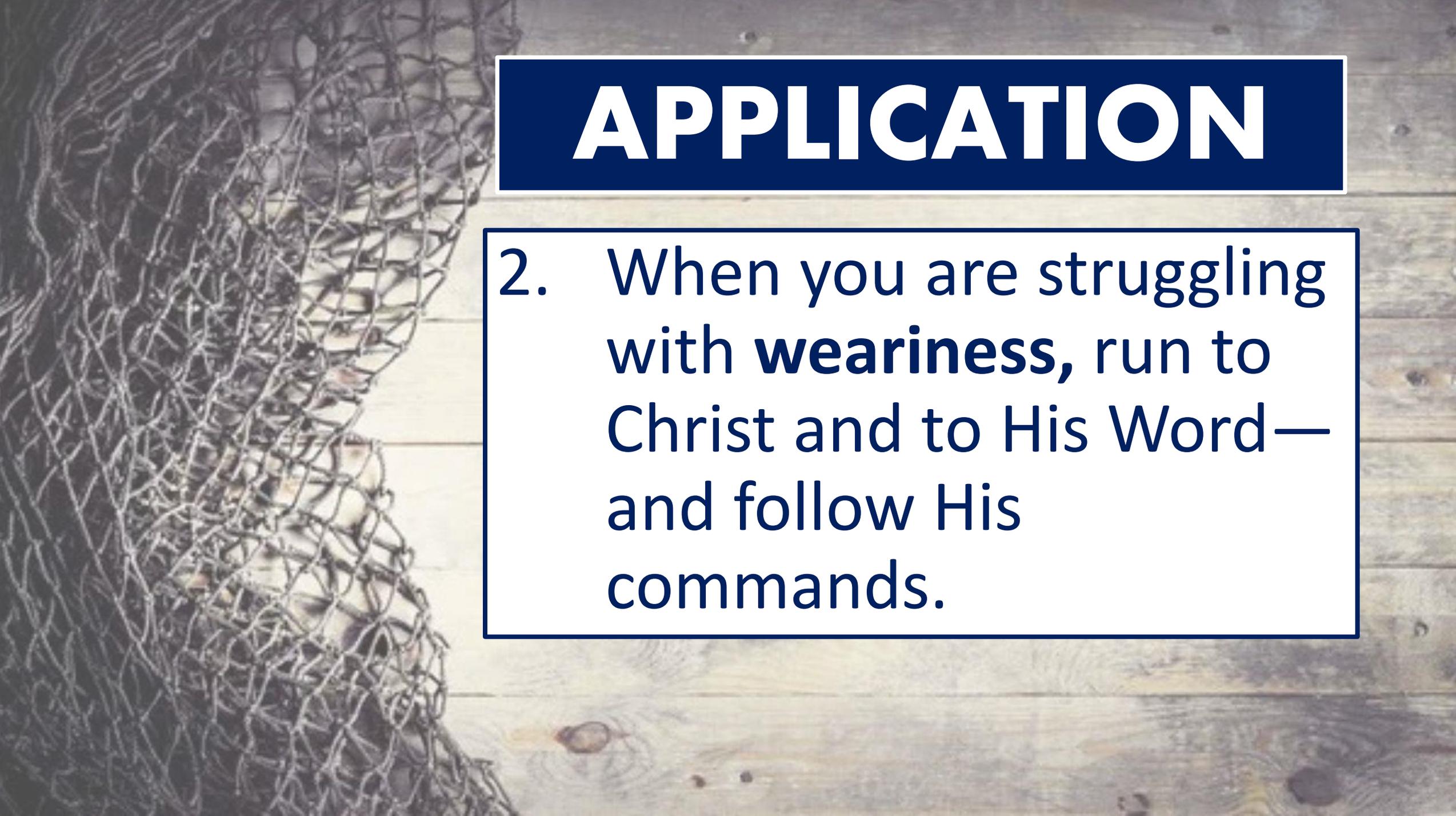
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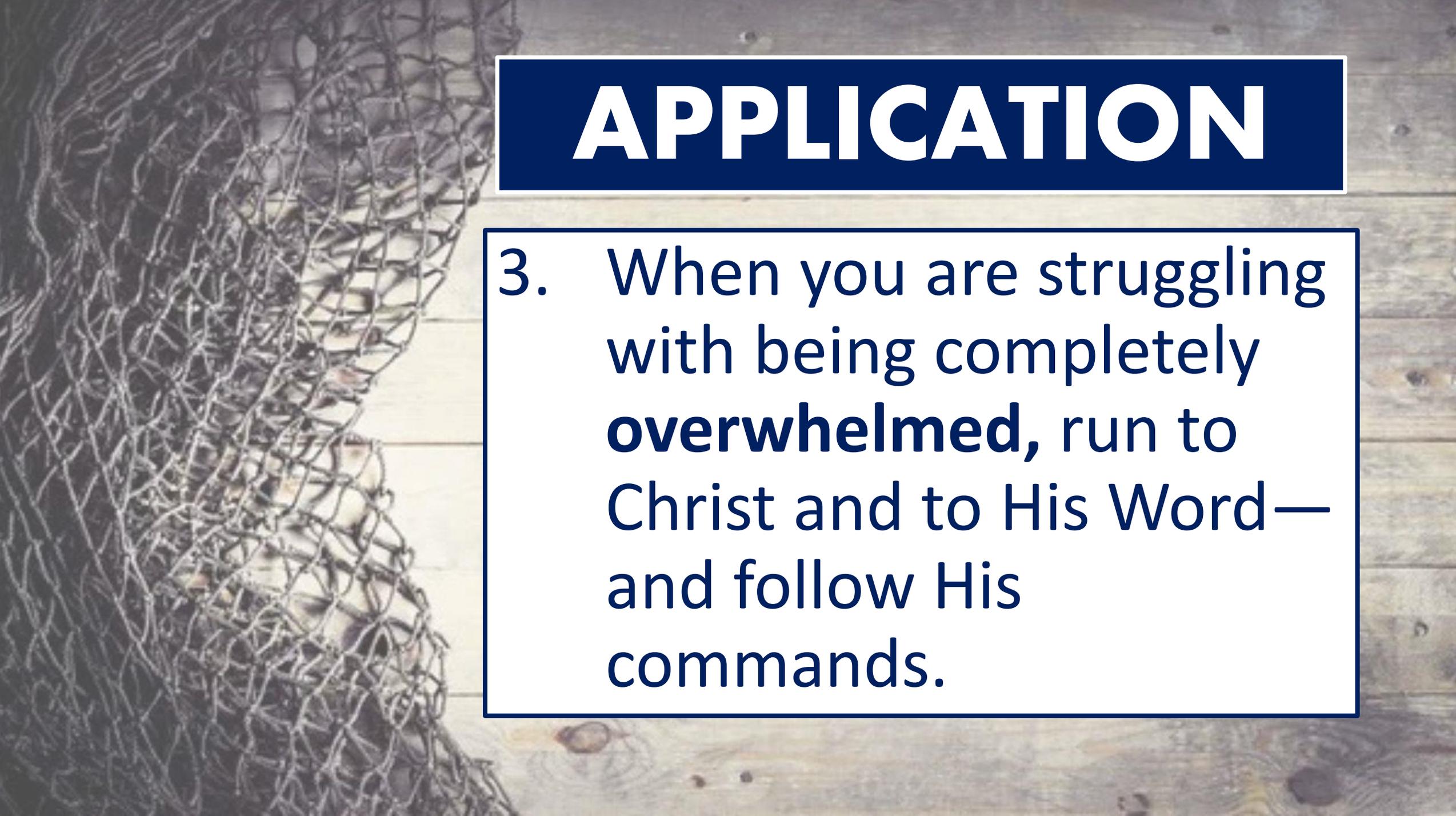
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2. When you are struggling with **weariness**, run to Christ and to His Word—and follow His commands.



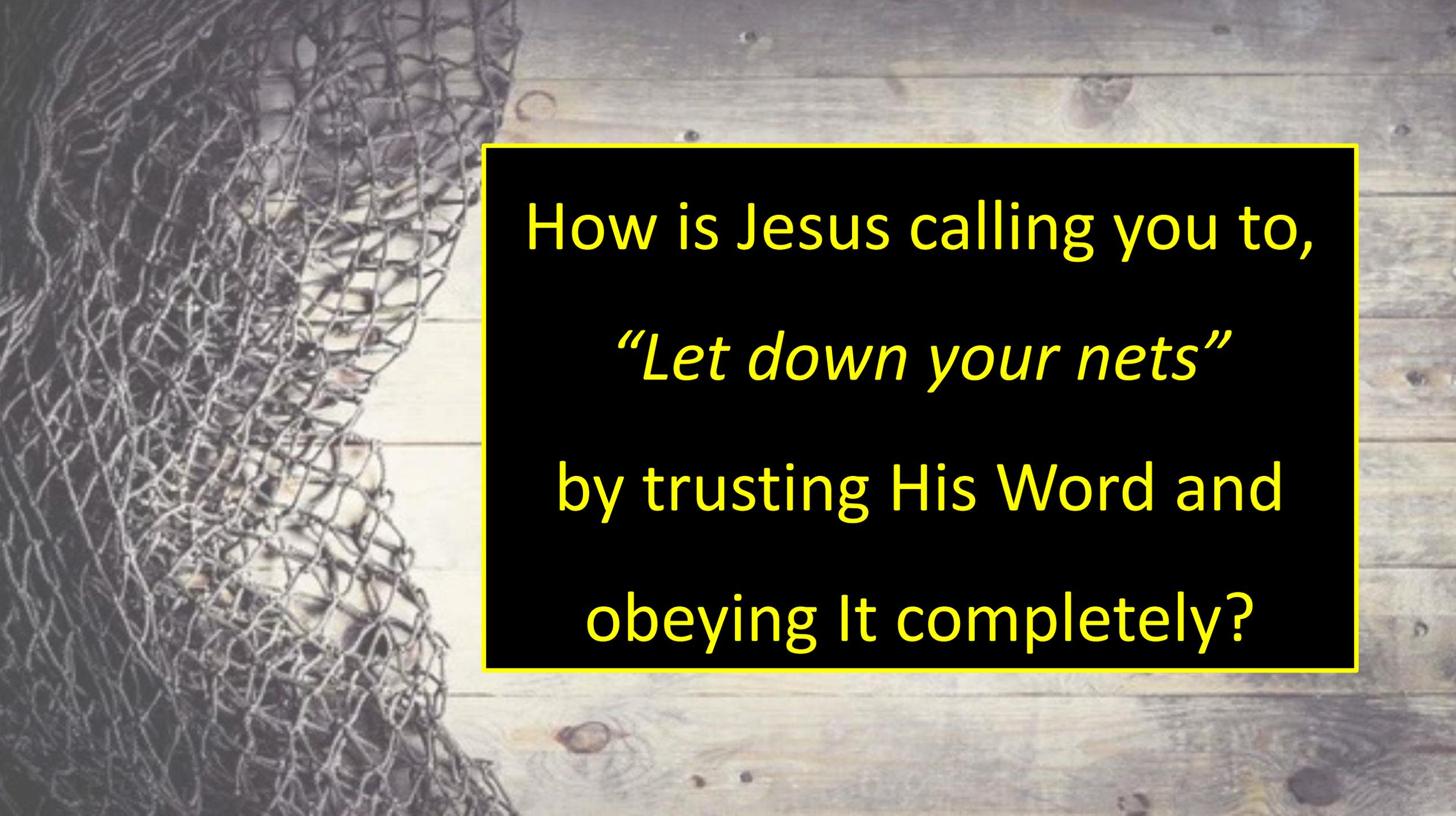
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3. When you are struggling with being completely **overwhelmed**, run to Christ and to His Word—and follow His commands.

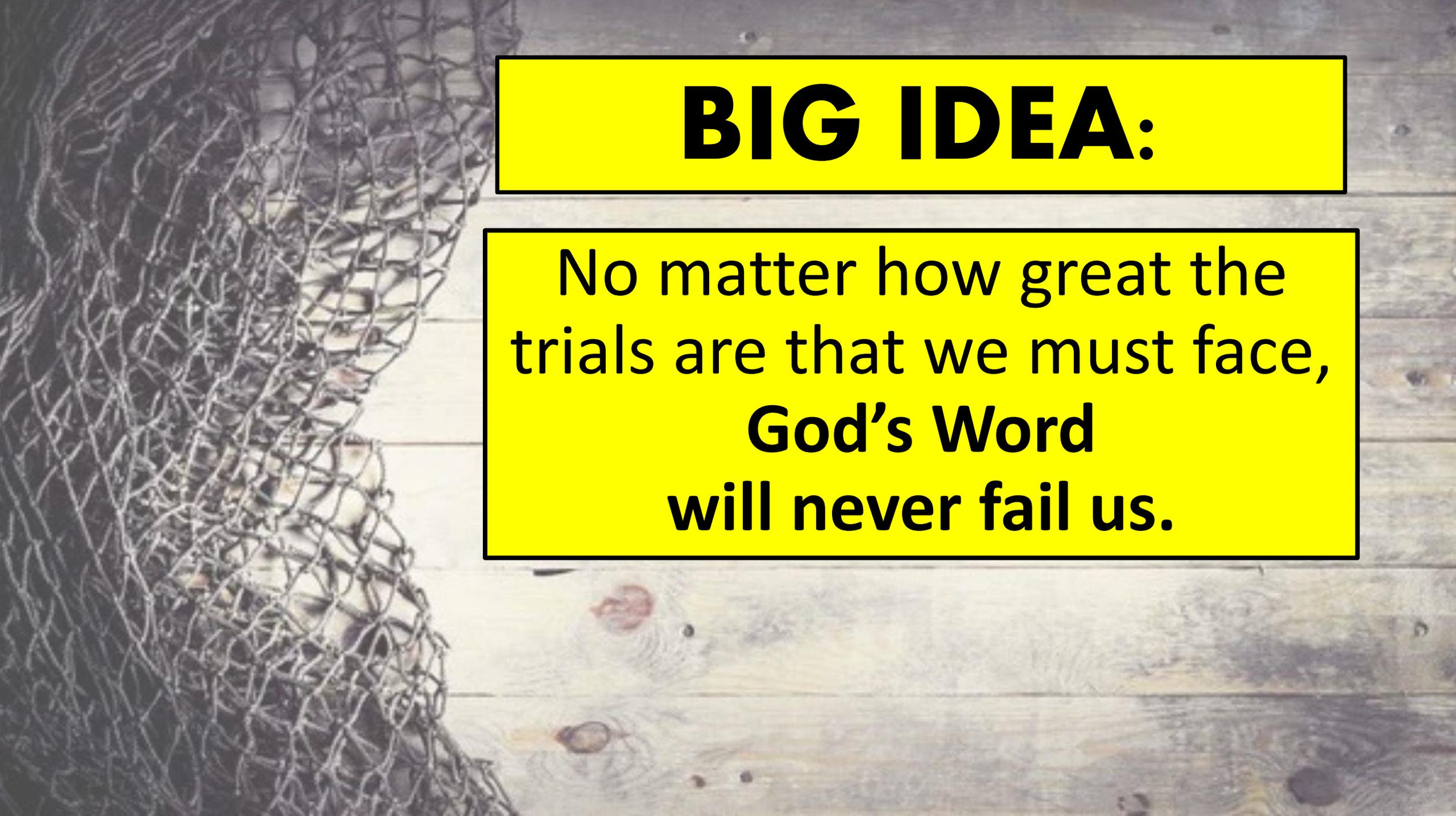


APPLICATION

4. God has a good and gracious **purpose** for every storm that He will call you to weather.

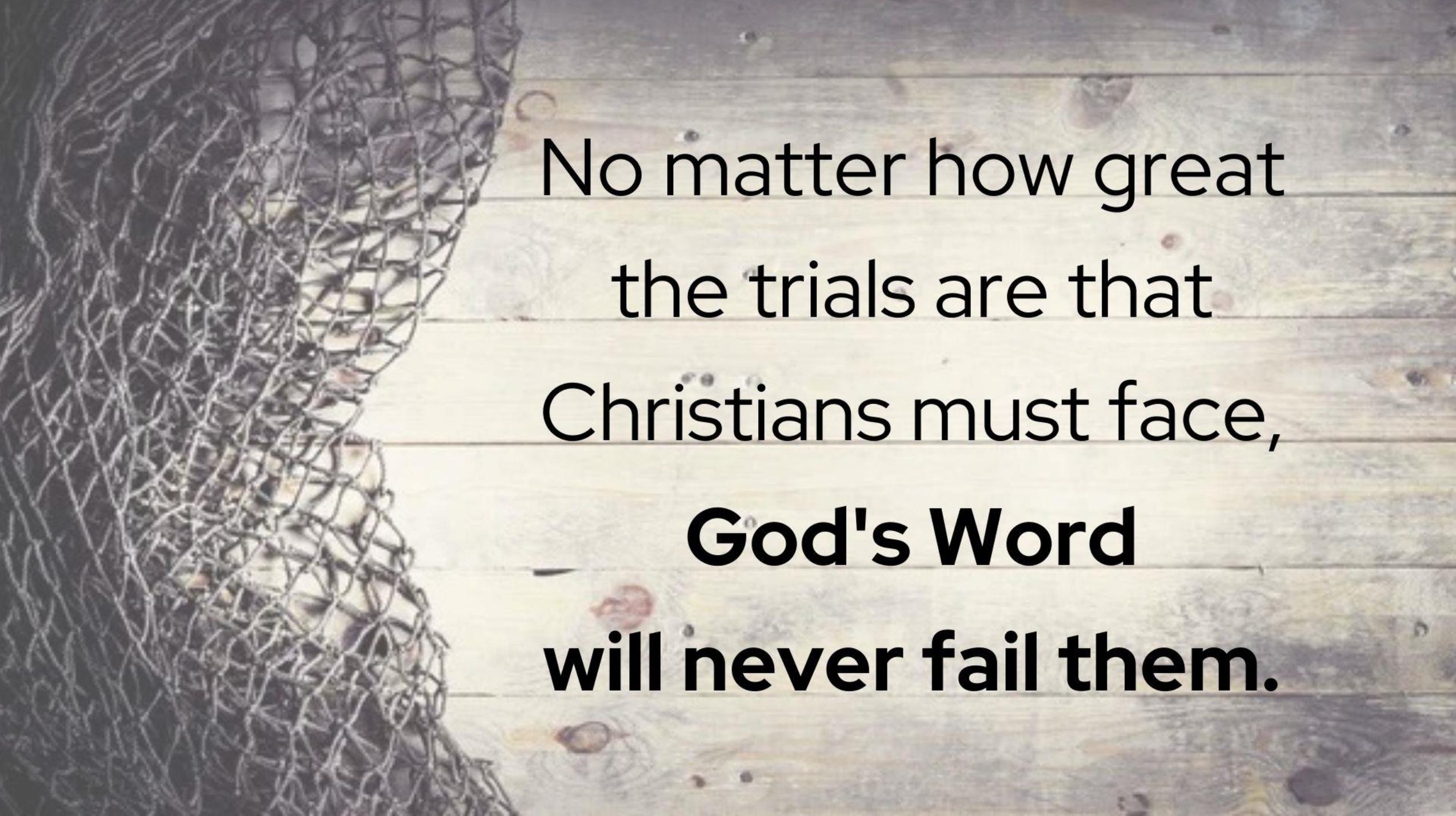
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How is Jesus calling you to,
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by trusting His Word and
obeying It completely?

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