



Shofar Christian Church


The Fruit of Commitment

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Commitment in and towards own lives:.

- Yourself:*
- Your family:*
- Your partner:*
- Your study:*
- Your work:*
- Your country:*



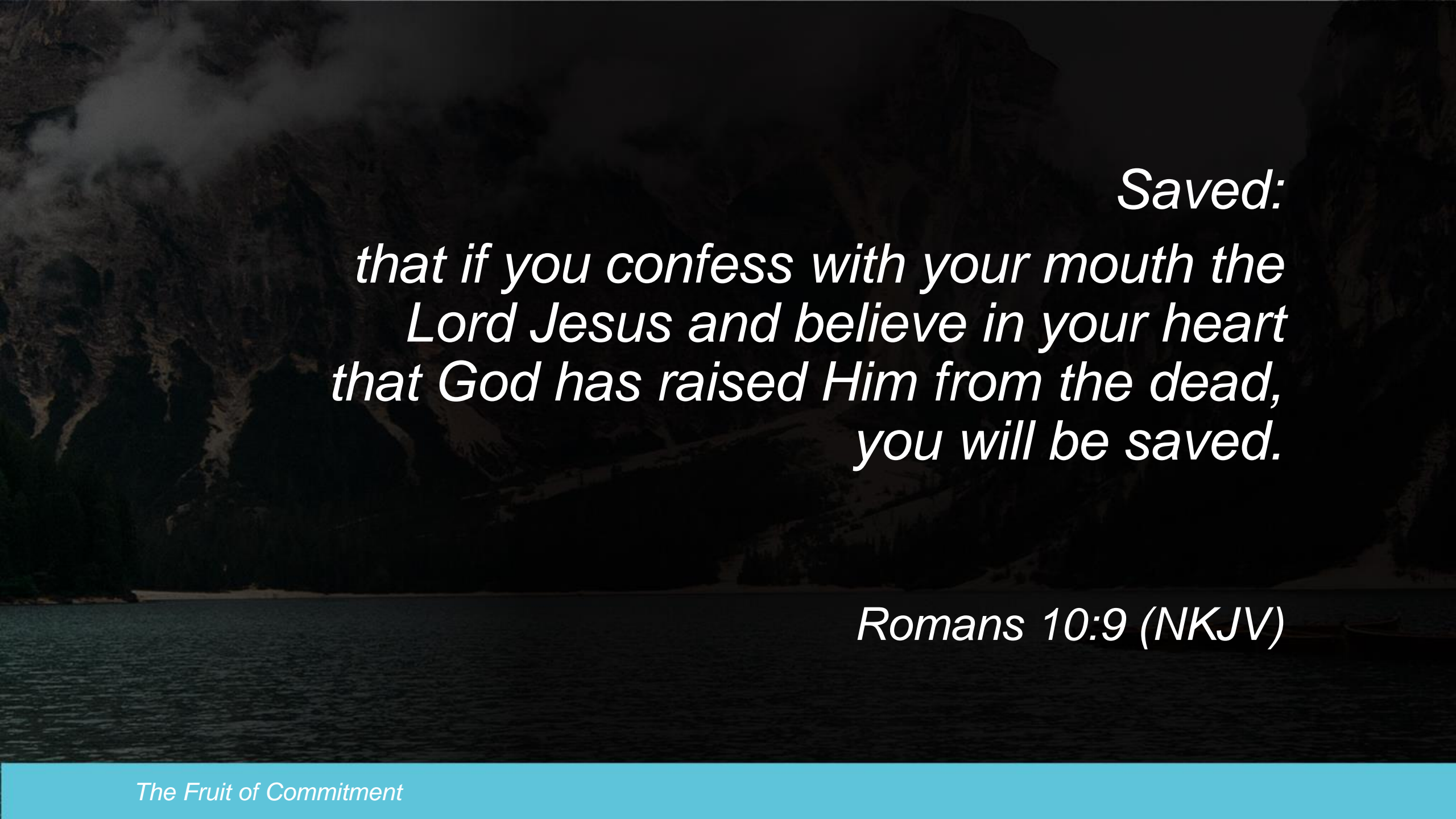
*Our commitment towards God
in relationship to other people in church
in relationship to other people outside church*



Eternity:

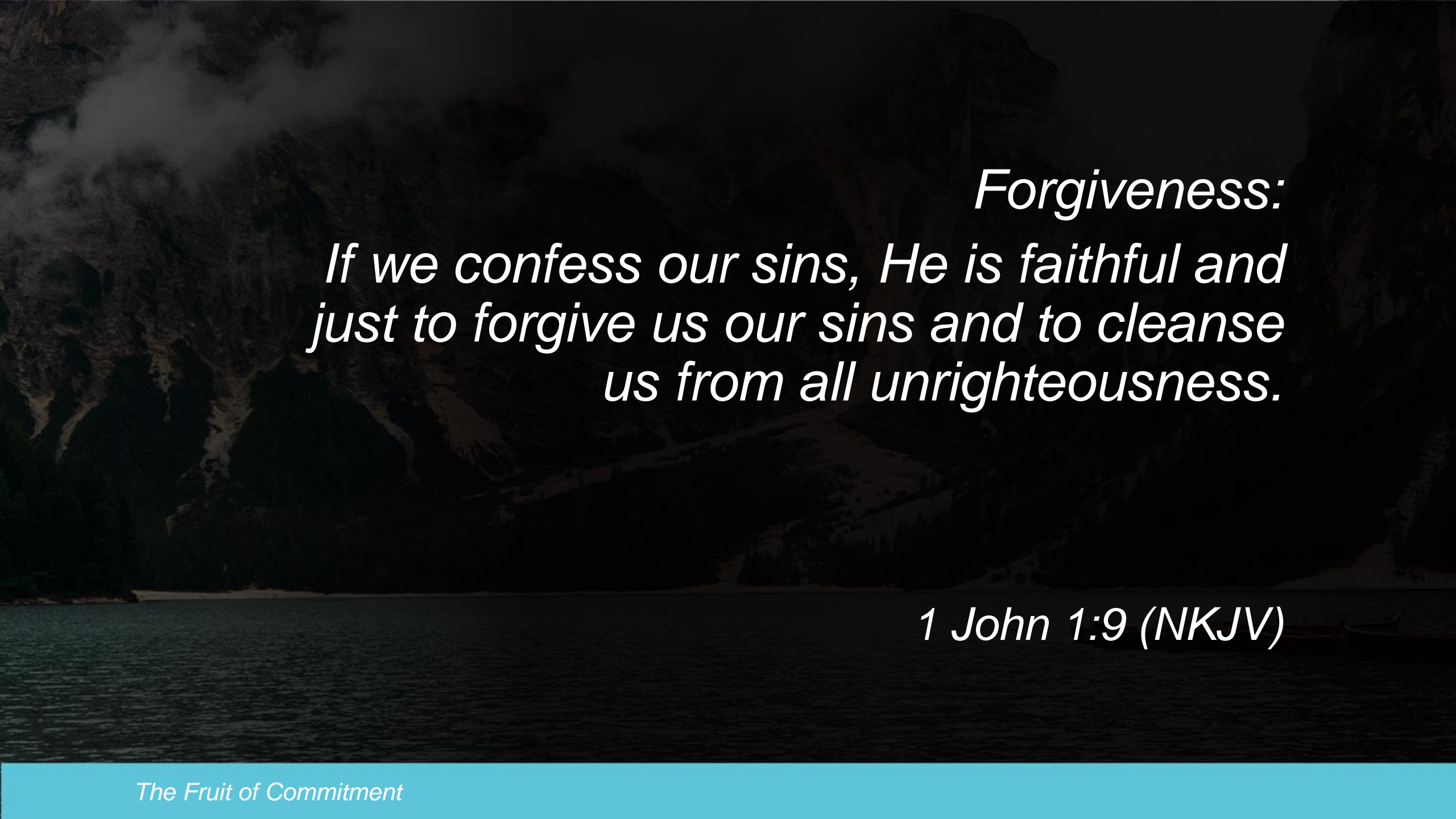
*For God so loved the world that He gave
His only begotten Son, that whoever
believes in Him should not perish but
have everlasting life.*

John 3:16 (NKJV)



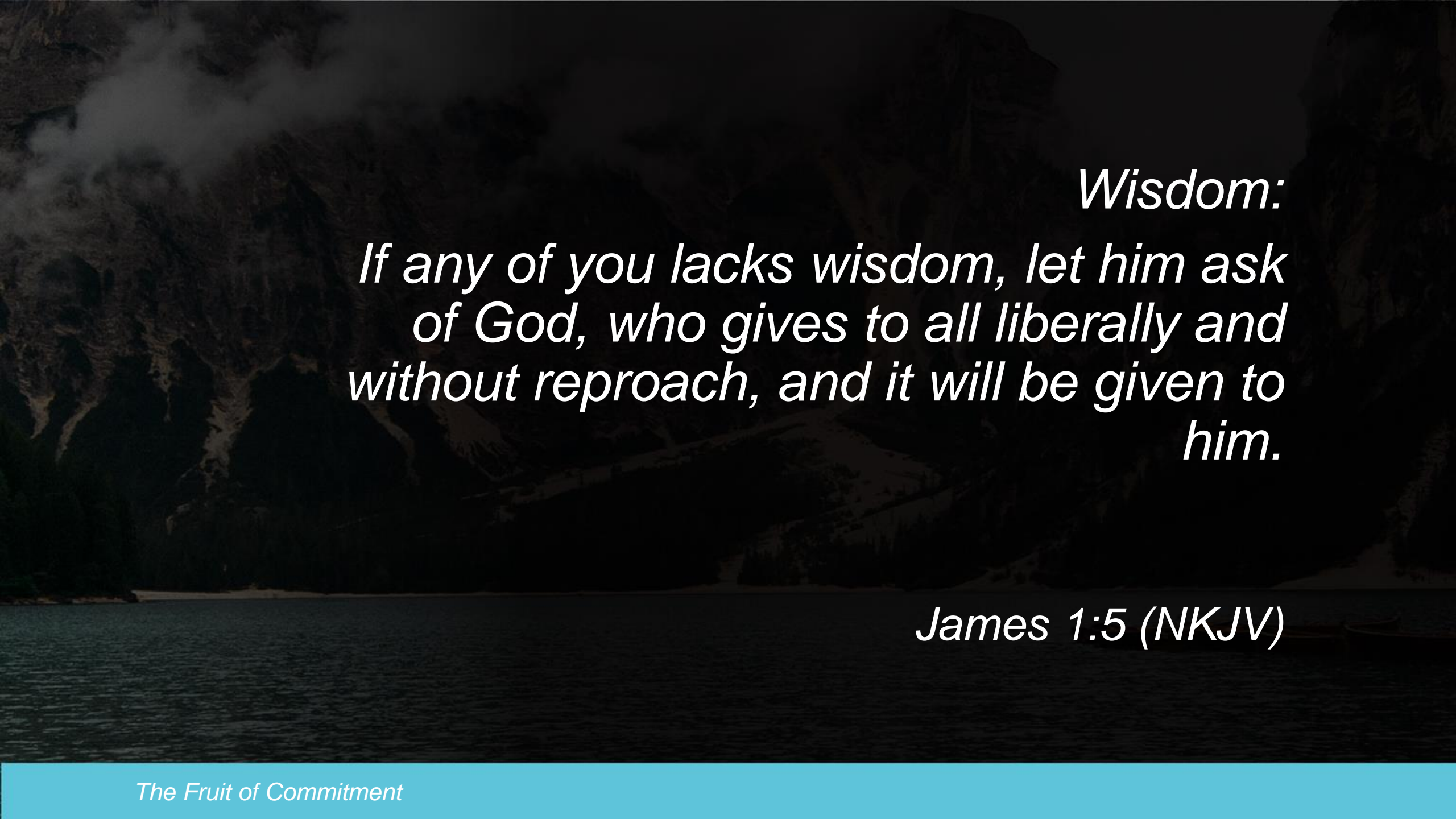
*Saved:
that if you confess with your mouth the
Lord Jesus and believe in your heart
that God has raised Him from the dead,
you will be saved.*

Romans 10:9 (NKJV)



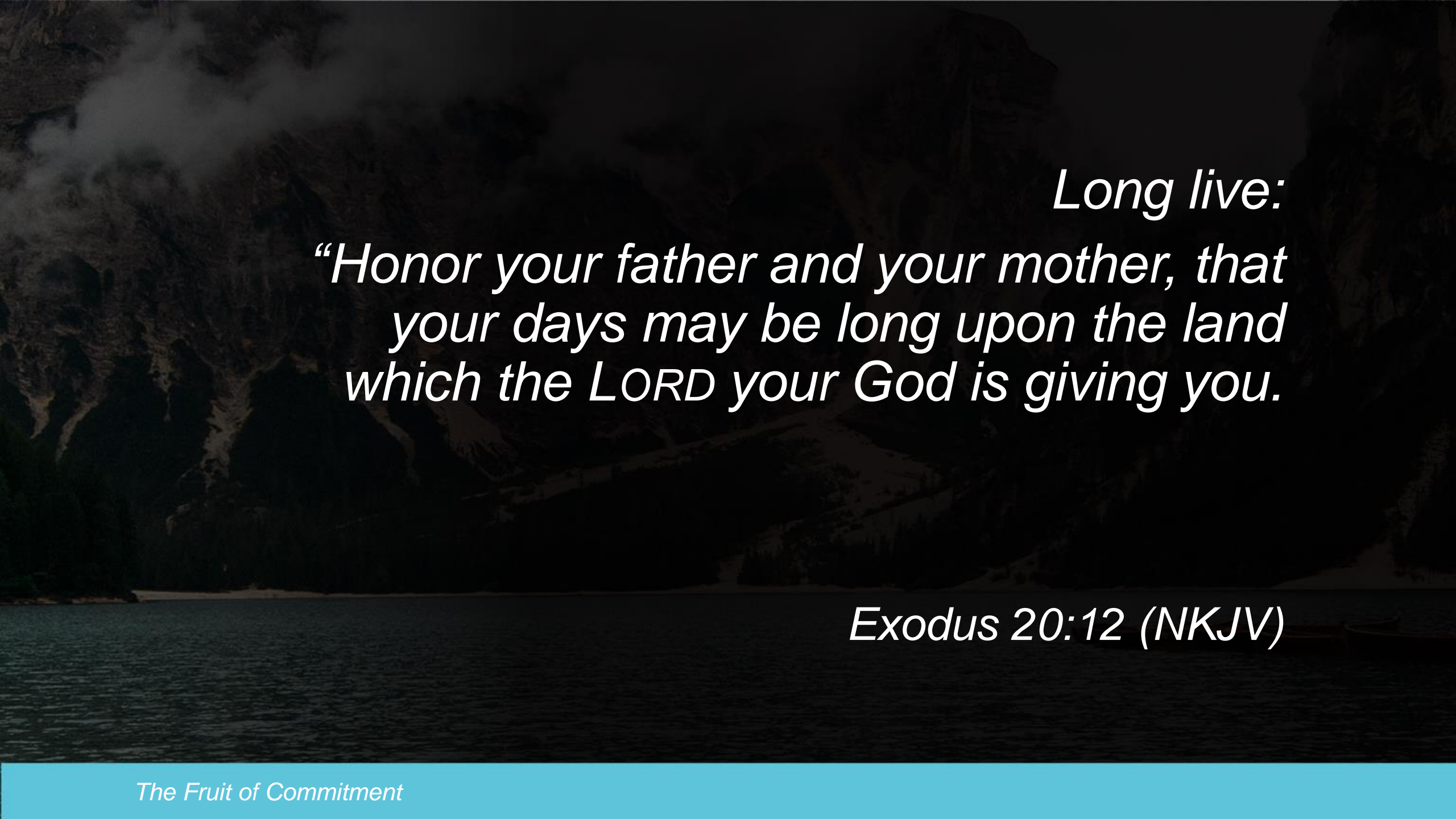
*Forgiveness:
If we confess our sins, He is faithful and
just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse
us from all unrighteousness.*

1 John 1:9 (NKJV)



Wisdom:
If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask
of God, who gives to all liberally and
without reproach, and it will be given to
him.

James 1:5 (NKJV)



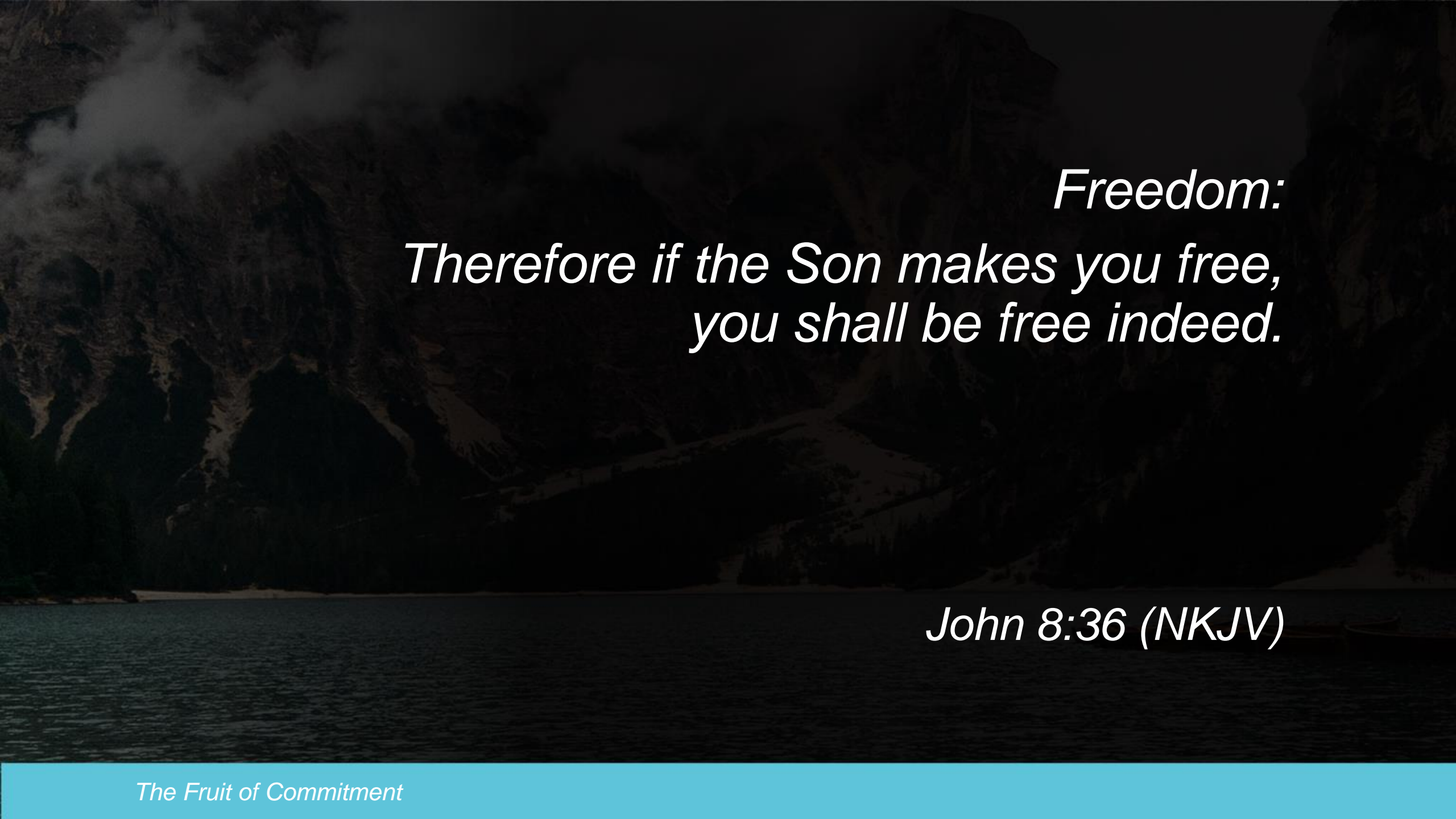
*Long live:
“Honor your father and your mother, that
your days may be long upon the land
which the LORD your God is giving you.*

Exodus 20:12 (NKJV)

Peace:


⁶ Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; ⁷ and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

Philippians 4: 6-7 (NKJV)



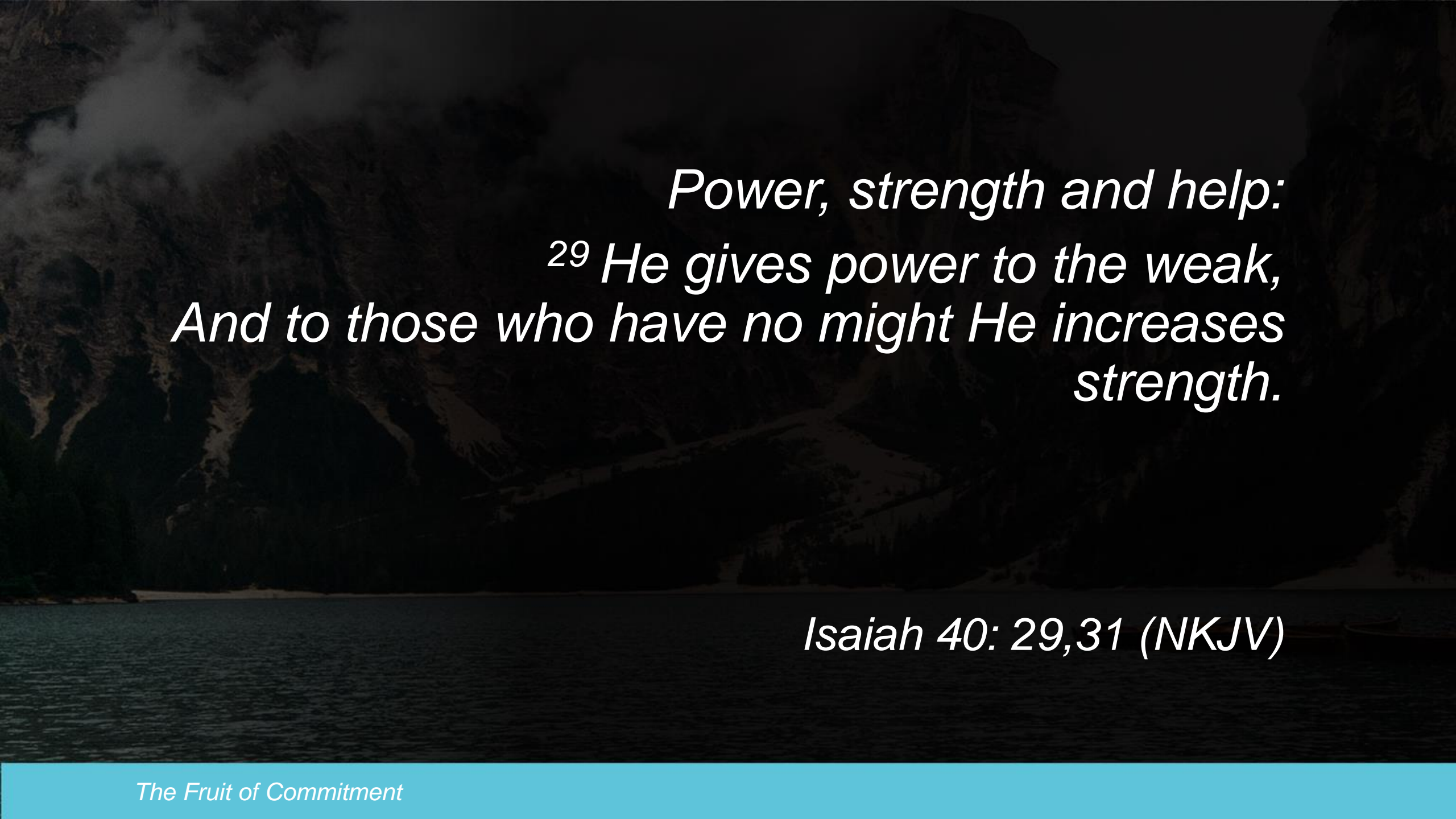
*Freedom:
Therefore if the Son makes you free,
you shall be free indeed.*

John 8:36 (NKJV)



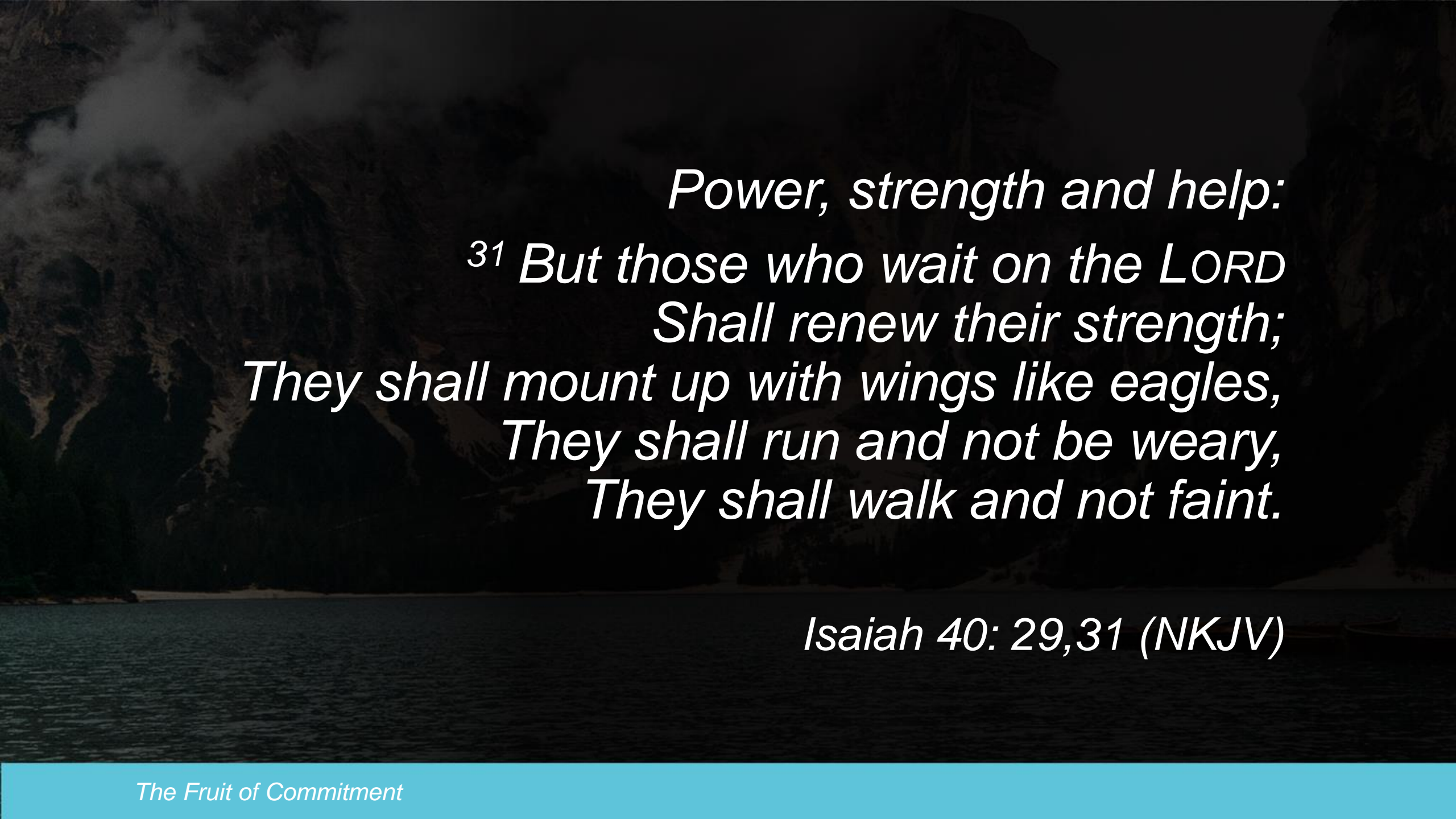
*Love:
For the mountains shall depart
And the hills be removed,
But My kindness shall not depart from you,
Nor shall My covenant of peace be removed,”
Says the LORD, who has mercy on you.*

Isaiah 54:10 (NKJV)



*Power, strength and help:
29 He gives power to the weak,
And to those who have no might He increases
strength.*

Isaiah 40: 29,31 (NKJV)



*Power, strength and help:
31 But those who wait on the LORD
Shall renew their strength;
They shall mount up with wings like eagles,
They shall run and not be weary,
They shall walk and not faint.*

Isaiah 40: 29,31 (NKJV)



Daily provision:

³¹ “Therefore do not worry, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ ³² For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things.

Matthew 6: 31-33 (NKJV)



Daily provision:

³³ But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Matthew 6: 31-33 (NKJV)

Holy Spirit:

¹¹ If a son asks for bread from any father among you, will he give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will he give him a serpent instead of a fish? ¹² Or if he asks for an egg, will he offer him a scorpion?

Luke 11:11-13 (NKJV)



Holy Spirit:

¹³ If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!”

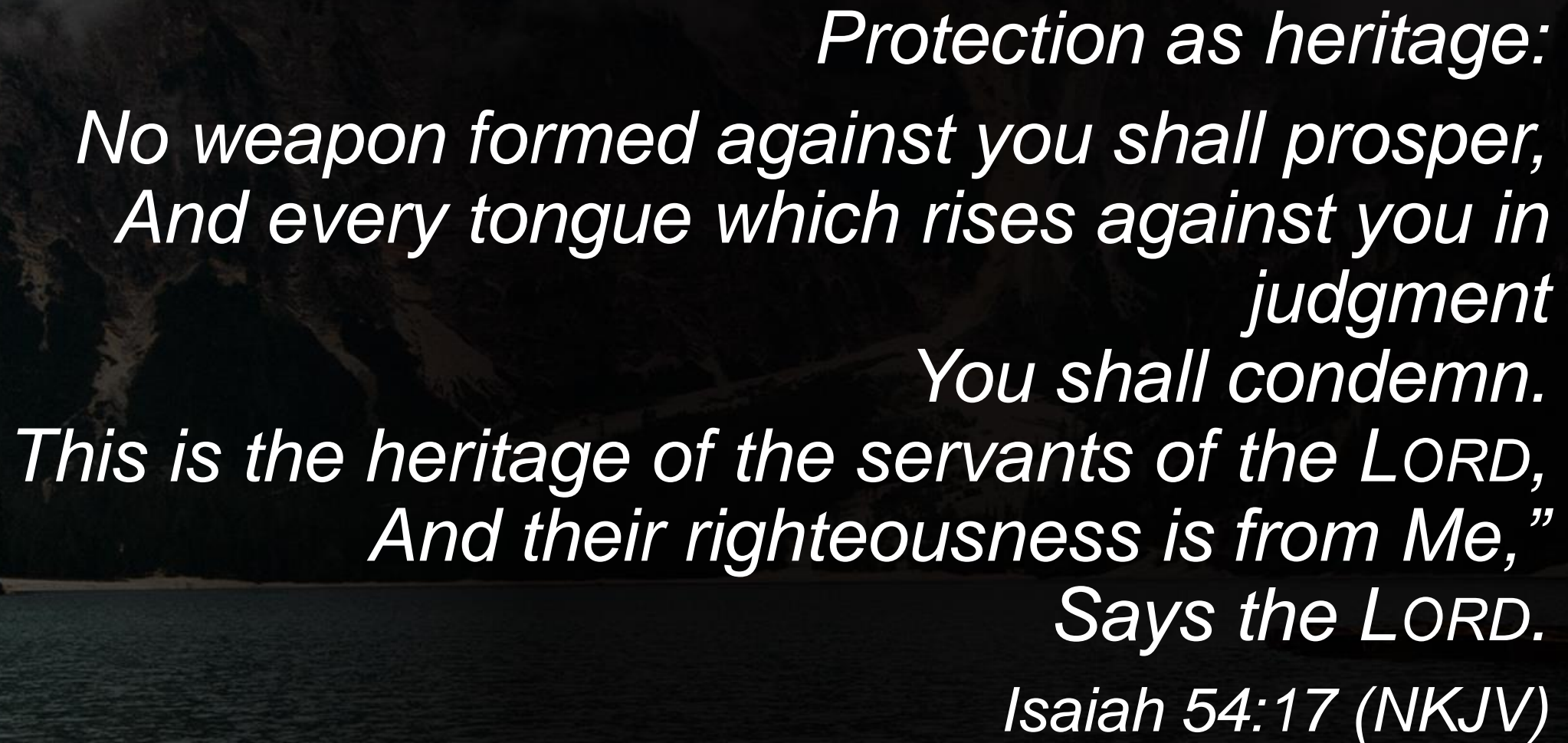
Luke 11:11-13 (NKJV)



Plans for us:

*¹¹ For I know the thoughts and plans that
I have for you, says the Lord,
thoughts and plans for
welfare and peace and not for evil, to
give you hope in your final outcome.*

Jeremiah 29:11 (NKJV)



*Protection as heritage:
No weapon formed against you shall prosper,
And every tongue which rises against you in
judgment
You shall condemn.
This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD,
And their righteousness is from Me,”
Says the LORD.
Isaiah 54:17 (NKJV)*



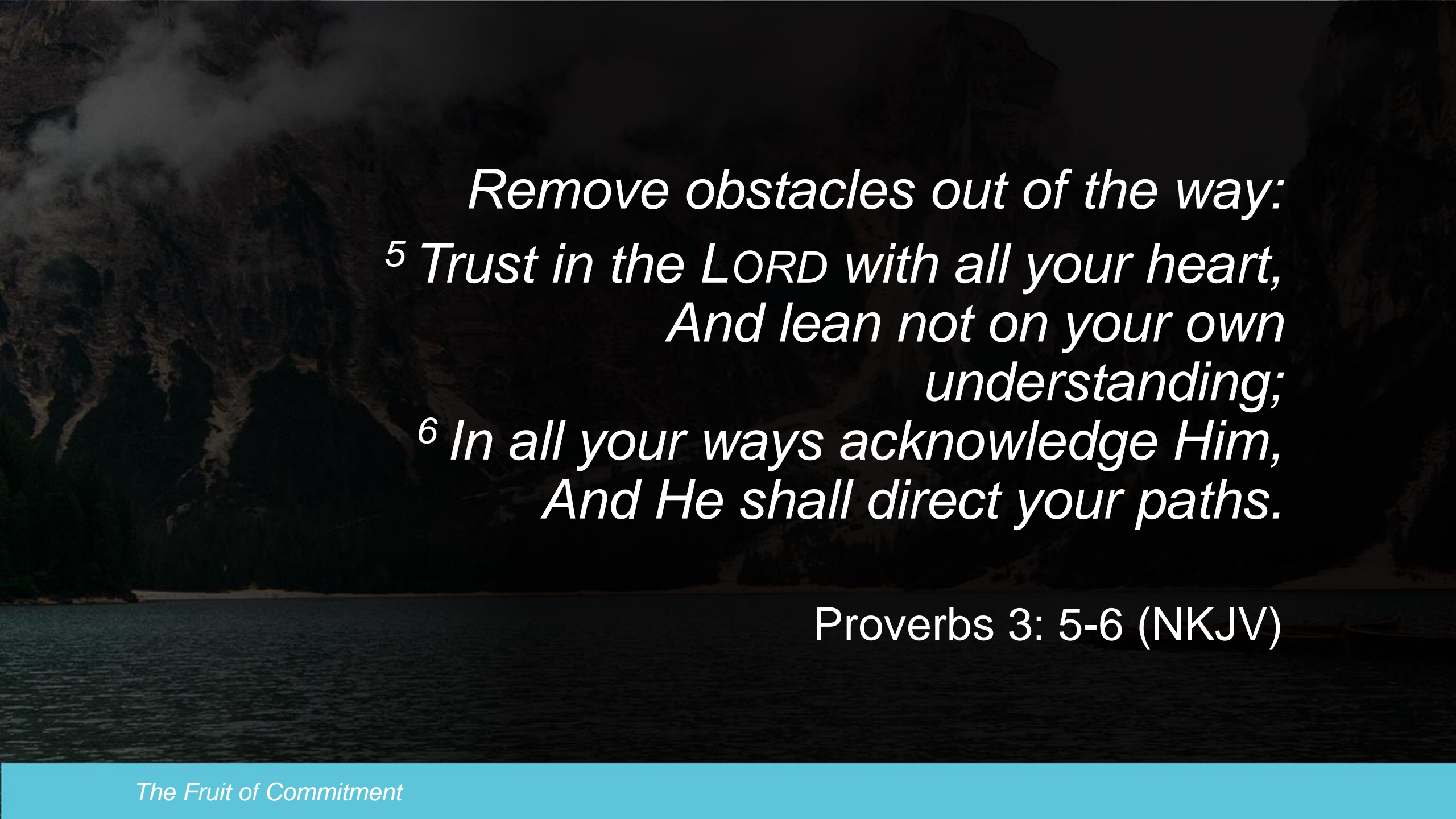
Forgives and Heals:

*² Bless the LORD, O my soul,
And forget not all His benefits:*

*³ Who forgives all your iniquities,
Who heals all your diseases,*

*⁴ Who redeems your life from destruction,
Who crowns you with lovingkindness and
tender mercies,*

Psalms 103:2-4 (NKJV)



Remove obstacles out of the way:
⁵ *Trust in the LORD with all your heart,
And lean not on your own
understanding;*
⁶ *In all your ways acknowledge Him,
And He shall direct your paths.*

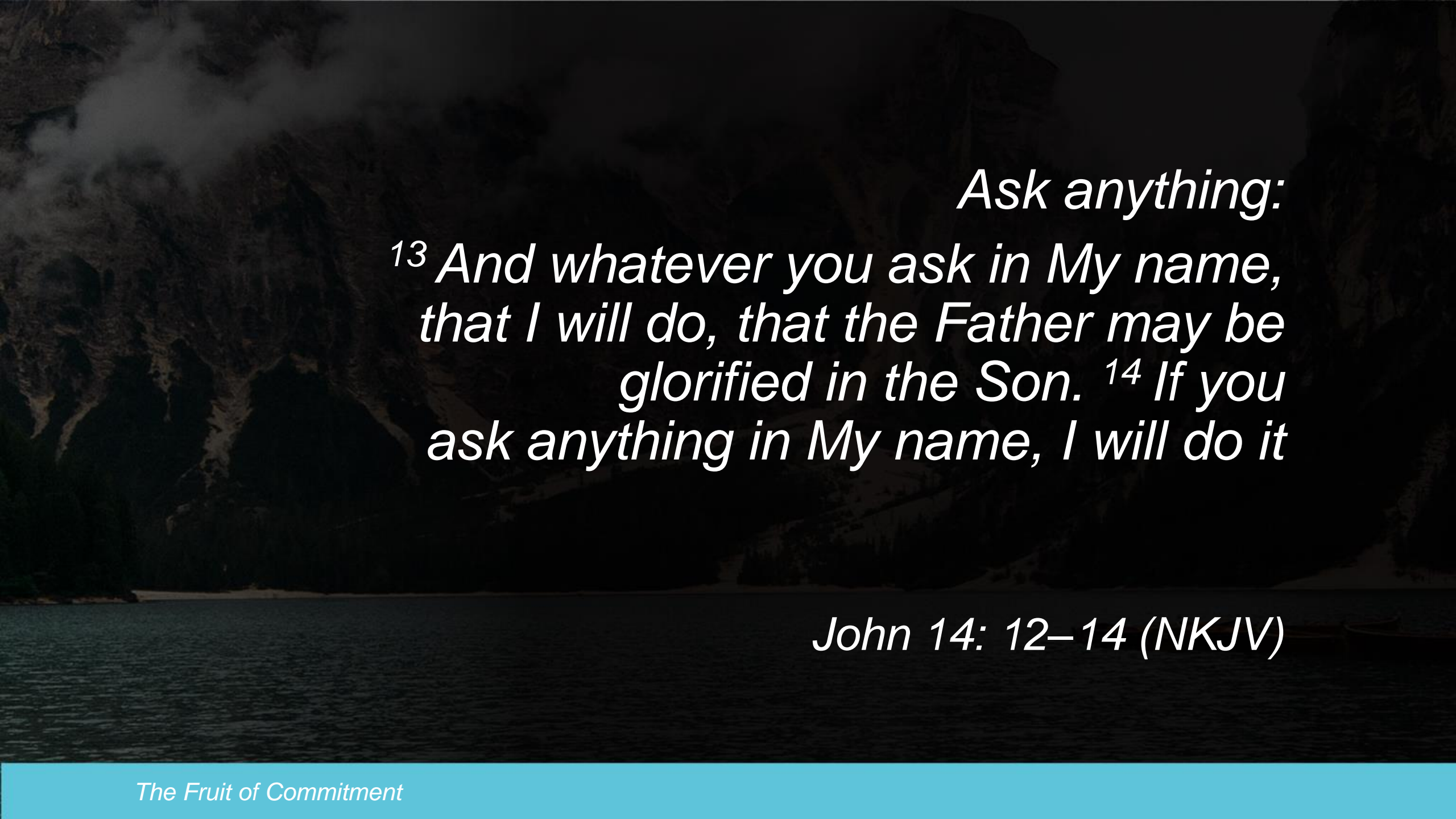
Proverbs 3: 5-6 (NKJV)



Ask anything:

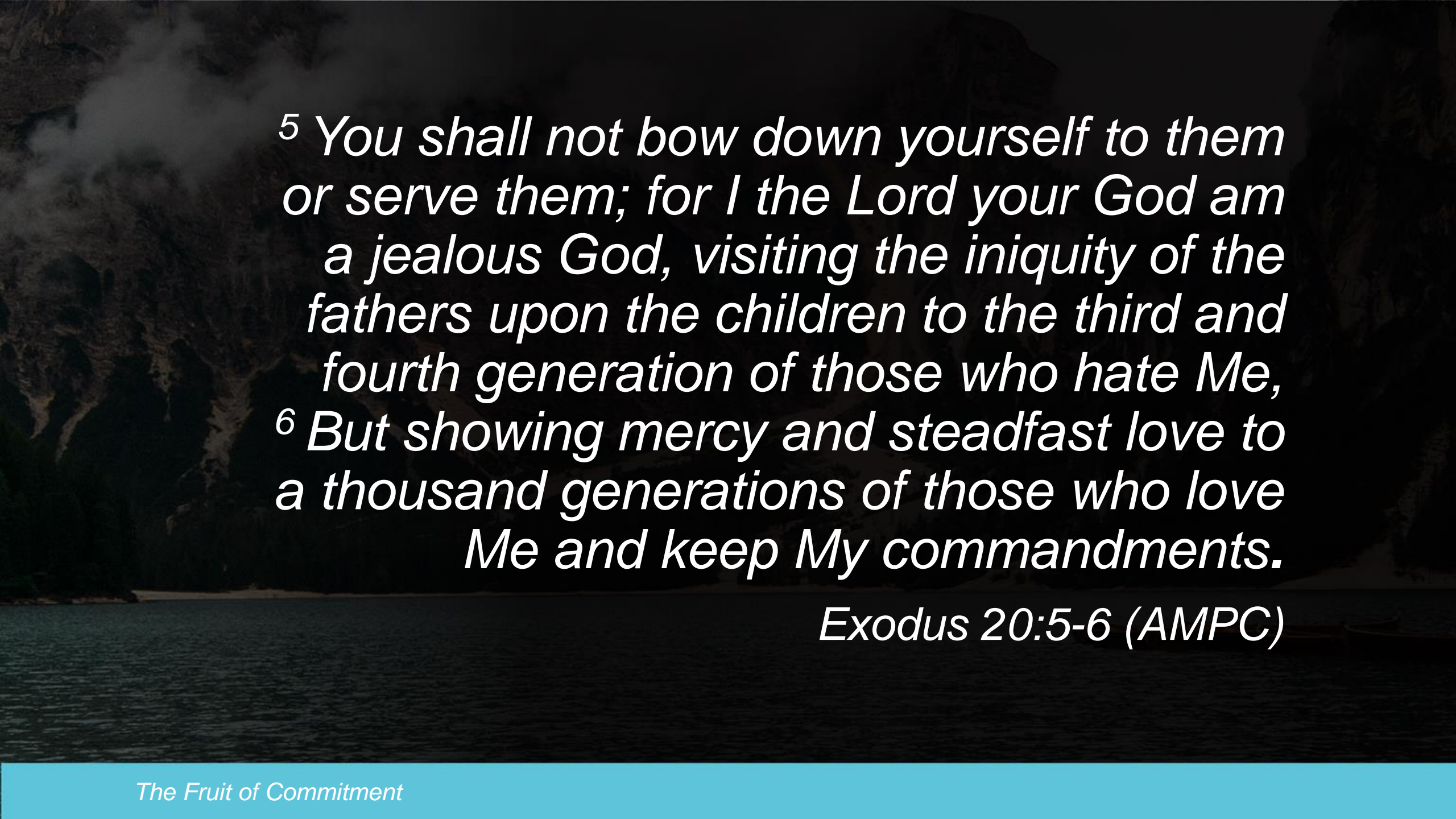
¹² “Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father.

John 14: 12 – 14 (NKJV)



Ask anything:
¹³ *And whatever you ask in My name,
that I will do, that the Father may be
glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If you
ask anything in My name, I will do it*

John 14: 12–14 (NKJV)

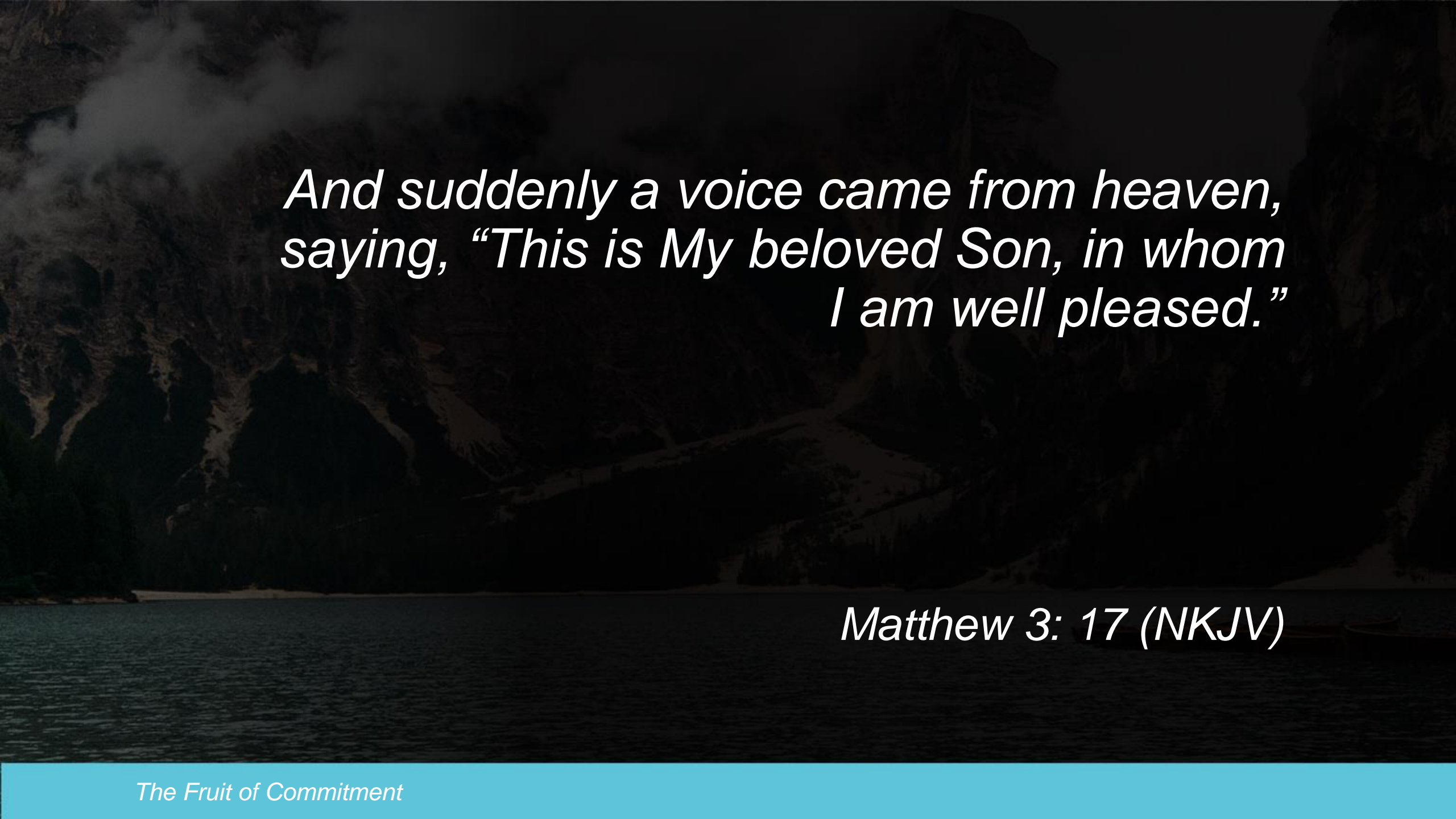


*⁵ You shall not bow down yourself to them
or serve them; for I the Lord your God am
a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the
fathers upon the children to the third and
fourth generation of those who hate Me,
⁶ But showing mercy and steadfast love to
a thousand generations of those who love
Me and keep My commandments.*

Exodus 20:5-6 (AMPC)

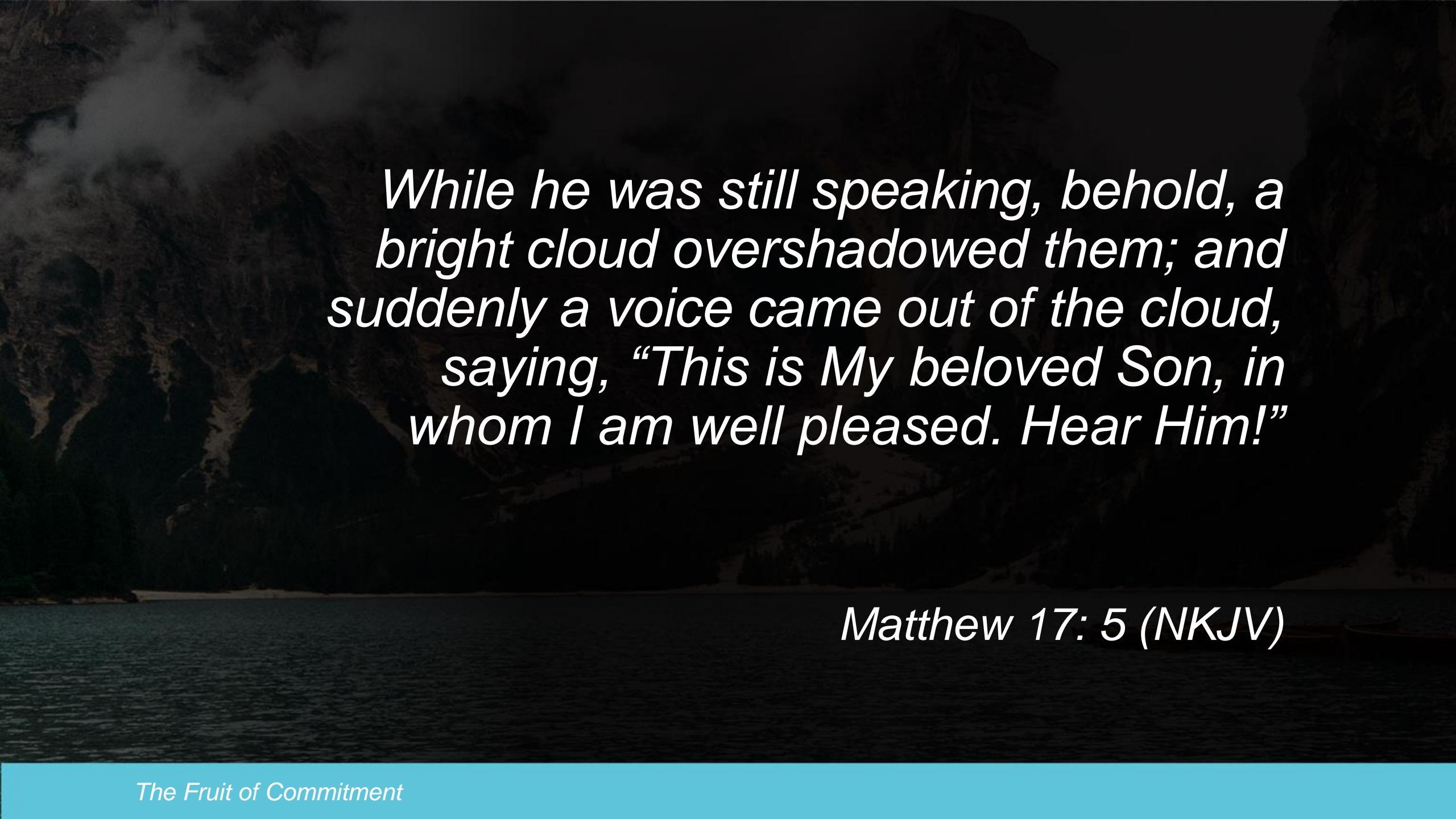
15 For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, “Abba, Father.” 16 The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, 17 and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him, that we may also be glorified together.

Romans 8: 15 – 17 (NKJV)



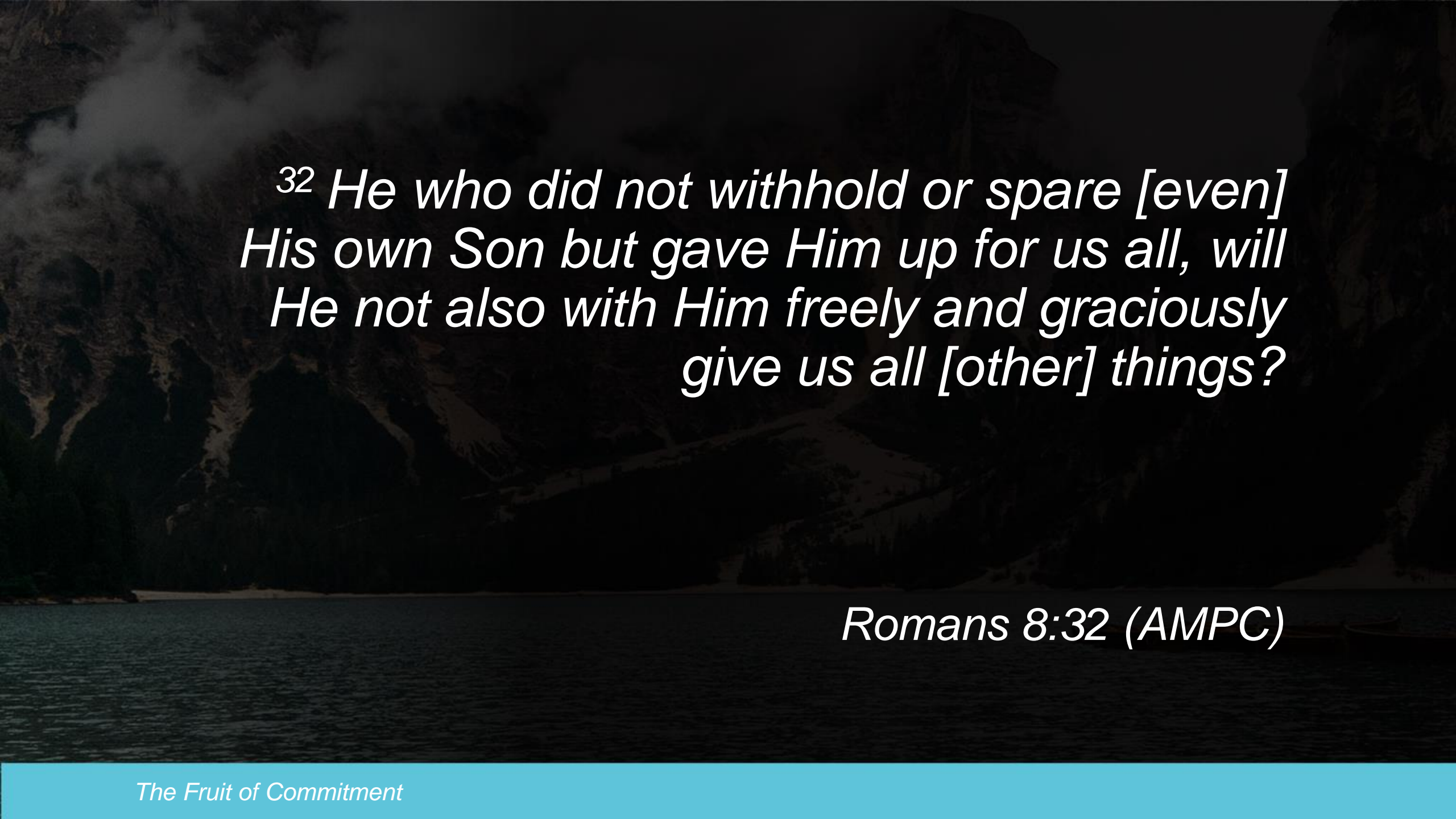
*And suddenly a voice came from heaven,
saying, “This is My beloved Son, in whom
I am well pleased.”*

Matthew 3: 17 (NKJV)



While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them; and suddenly a voice came out of the cloud, saying, “This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased. Hear Him!”

Matthew 17: 5 (NKJV)



*³² He who did not withhold or spare [even]
His own Son but gave Him up for us all, will
He not also with Him freely and graciously
give us all [other] things?*

Romans 8:32 (AMPC)