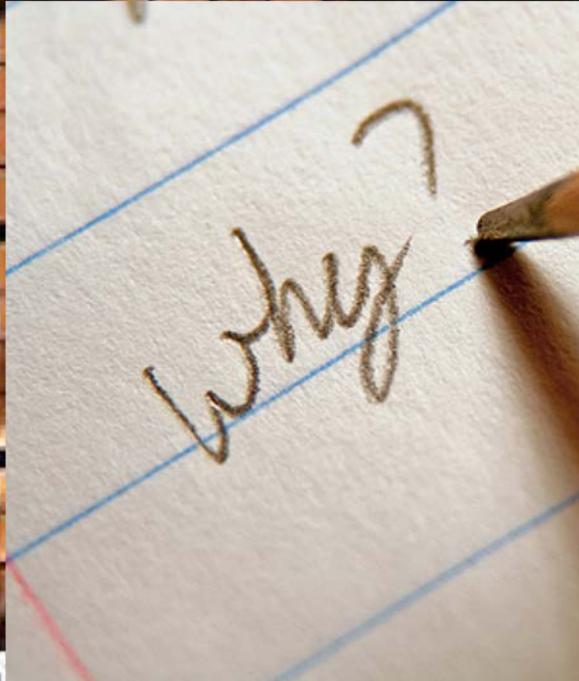
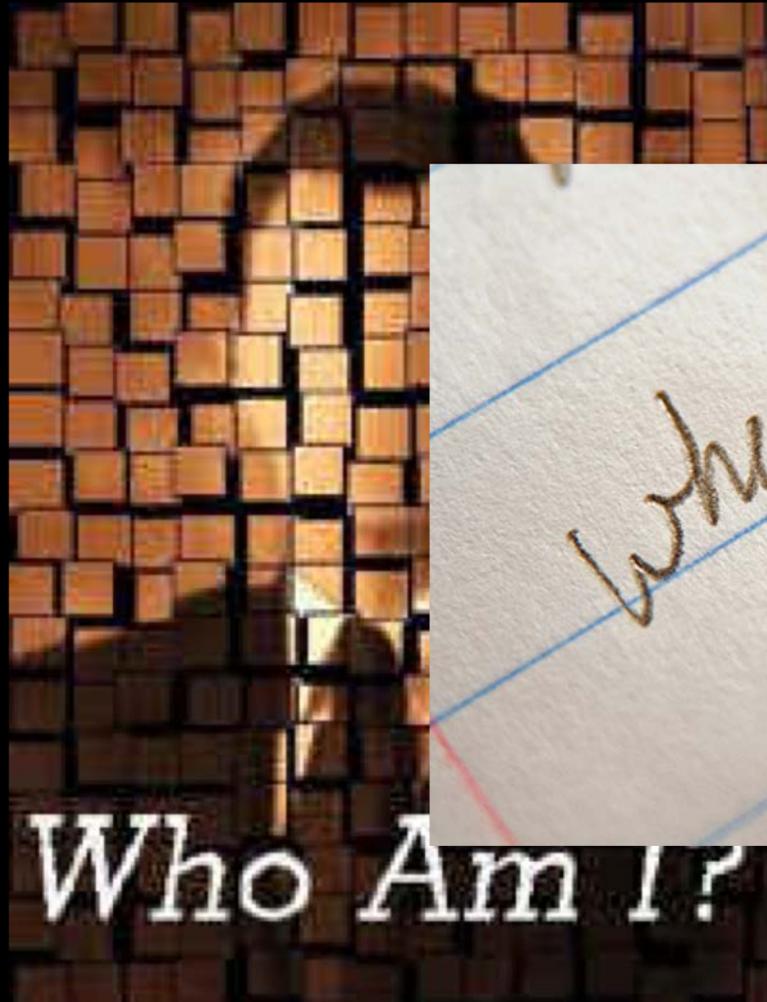


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GOING



# The B. Q.'s of Life



# Seven “Buzz” Phrases @ Hope

1. *“It Ain’t About You”*



**IT'S NOT  
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2. *“We are all poster children for grace”*



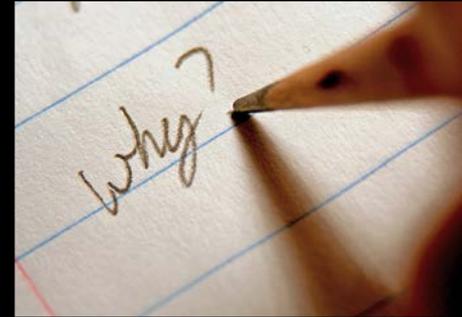
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3. *“At least the Scripture got up on the screen”*



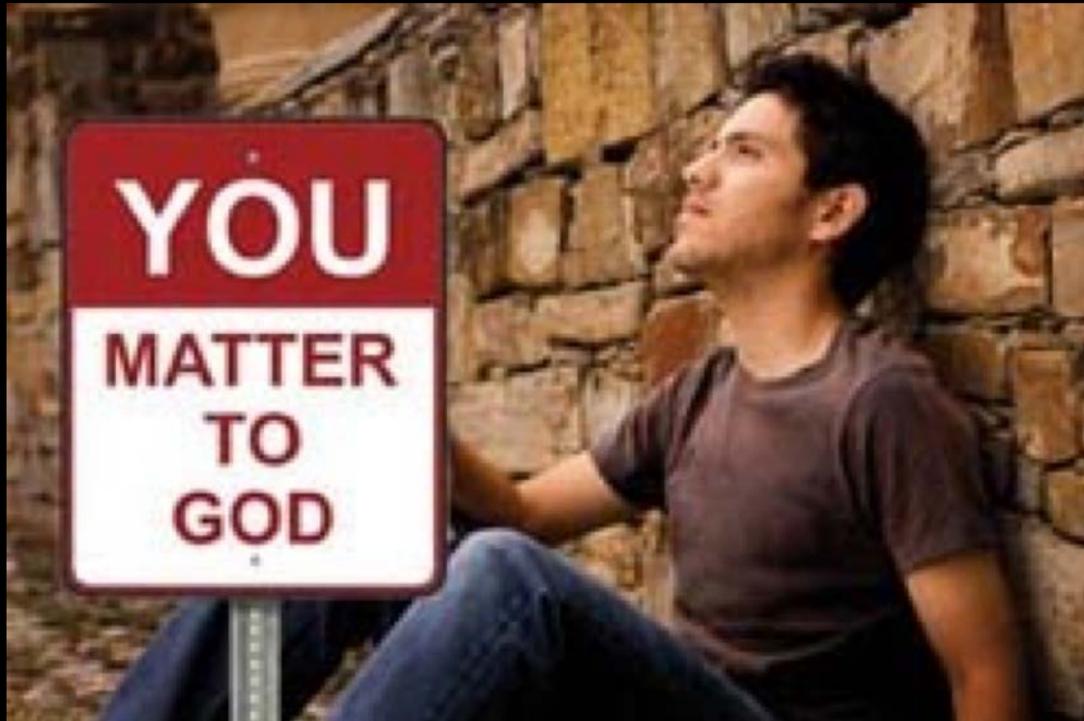
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4. *“Be a Sailboat. Not a speedboat.”*



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5. “ALL people matter to God”



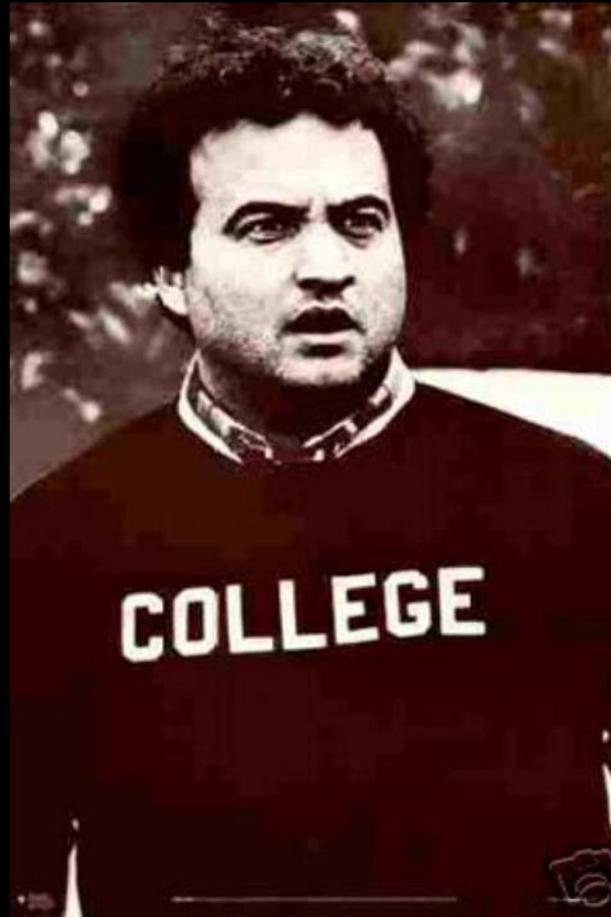
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6. *“Community is our middle name”*



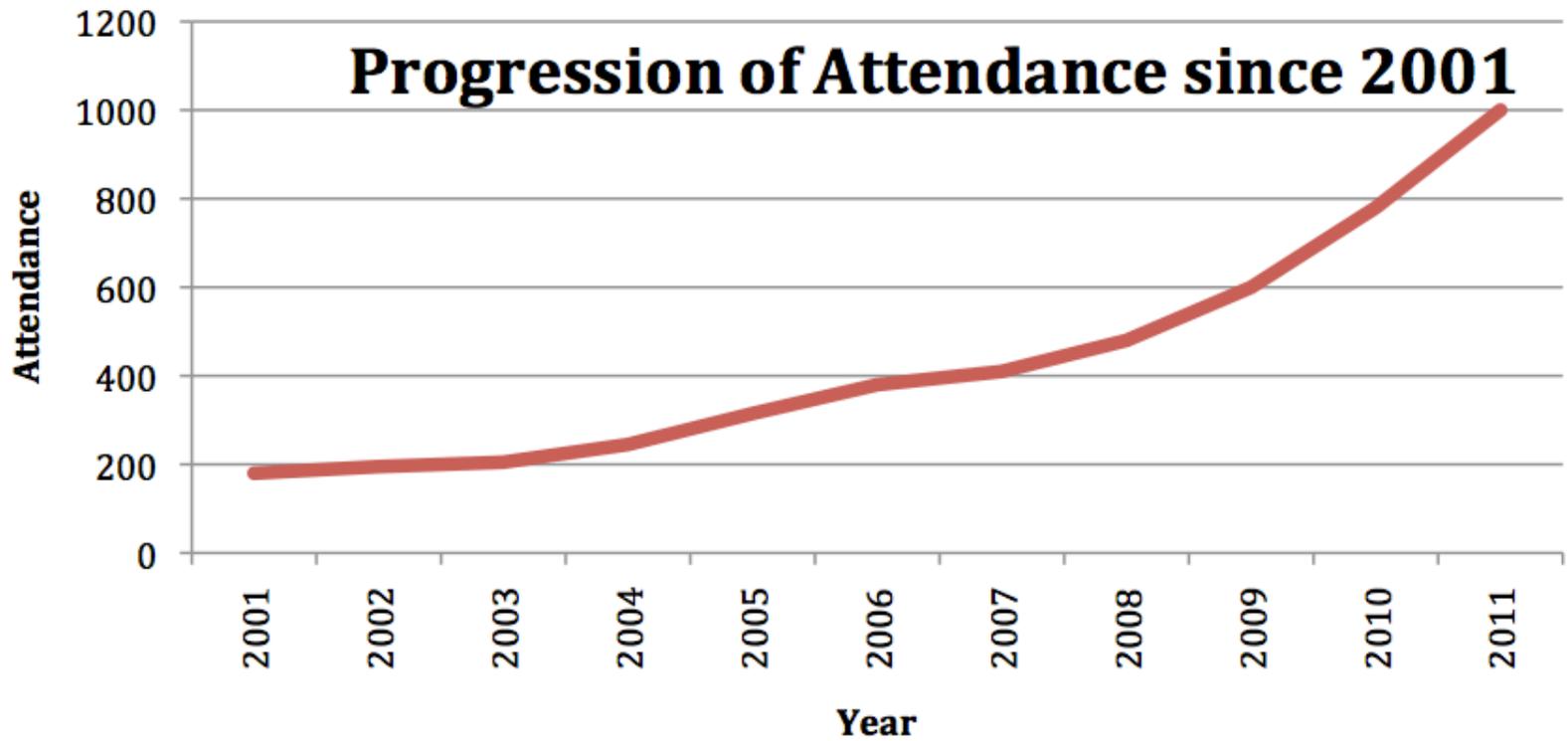
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7. *“Trash the kingdom of darkness”*





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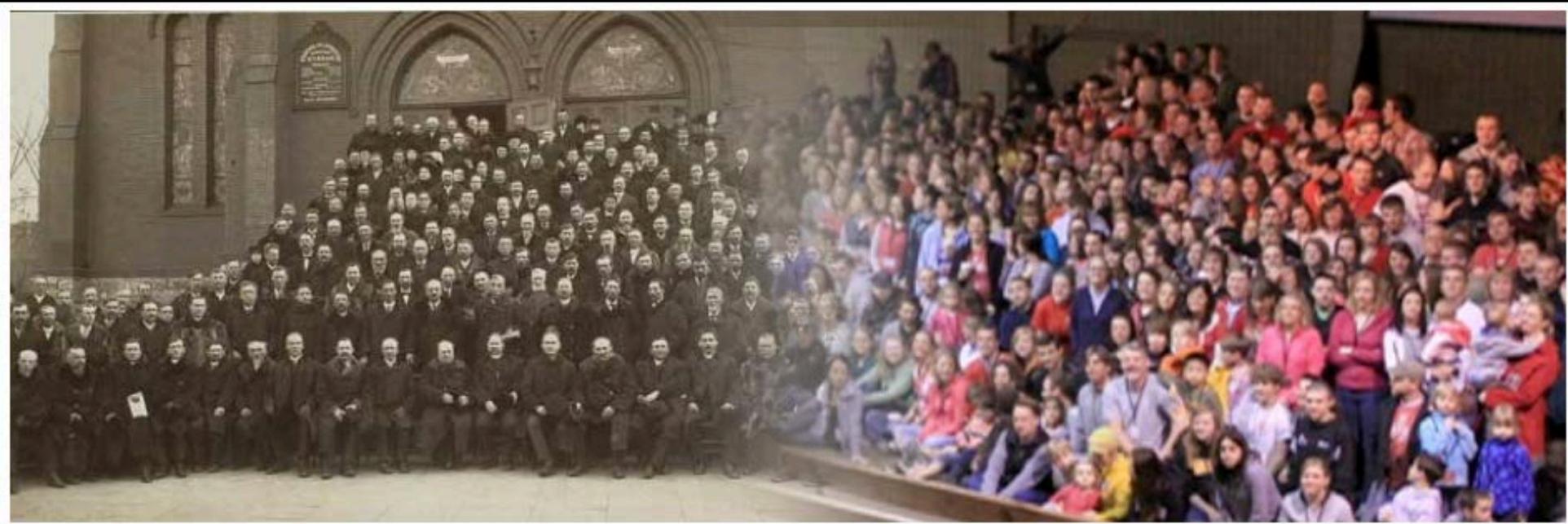


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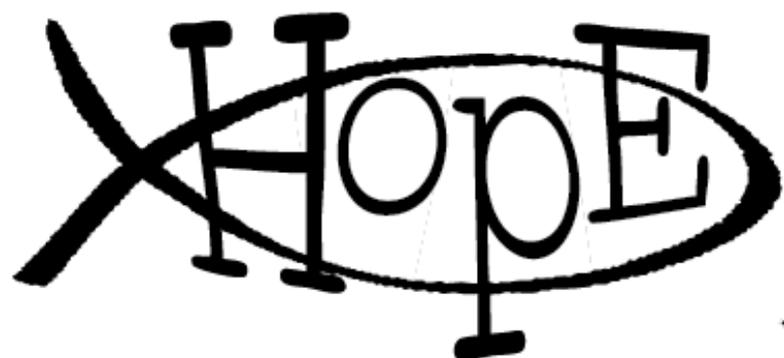
1. Do Nothing
2. Plant Churches
3. Go Multi-Site
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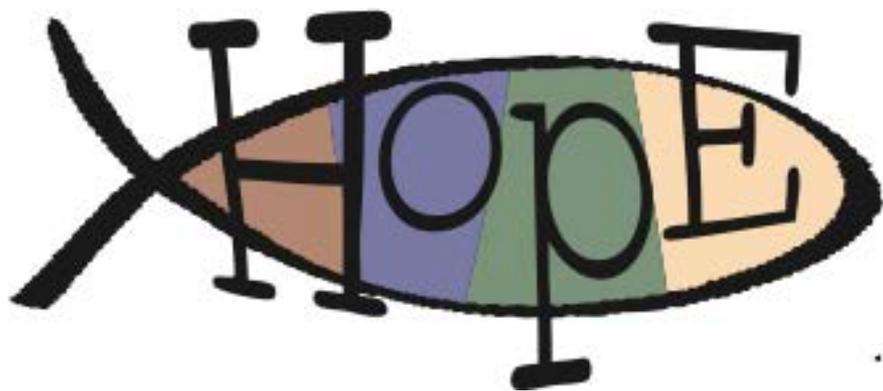




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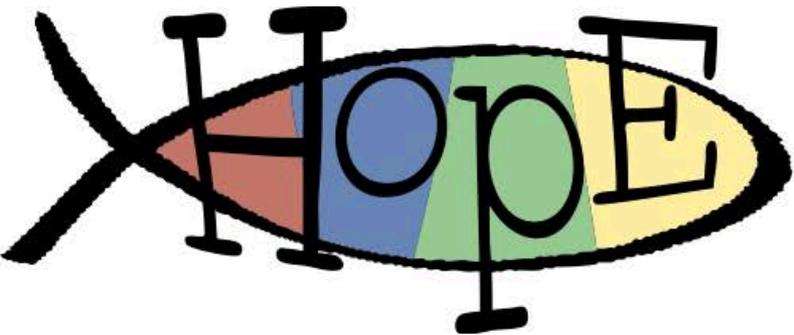


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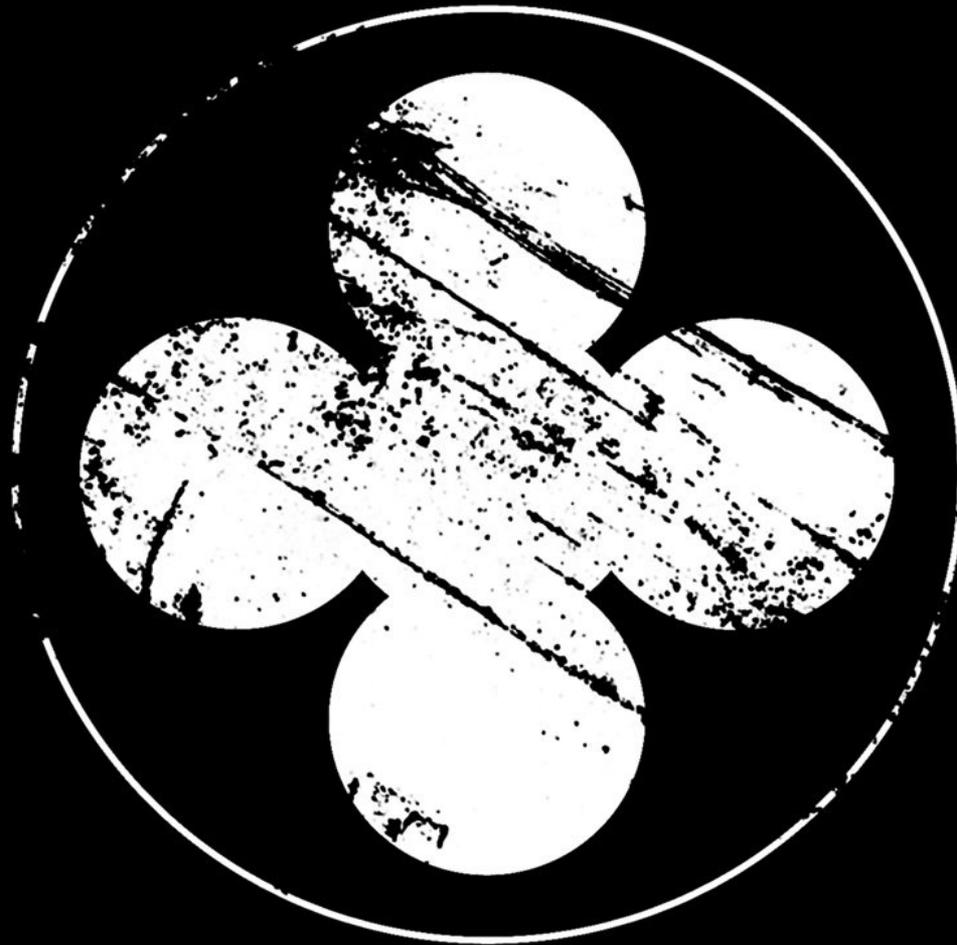
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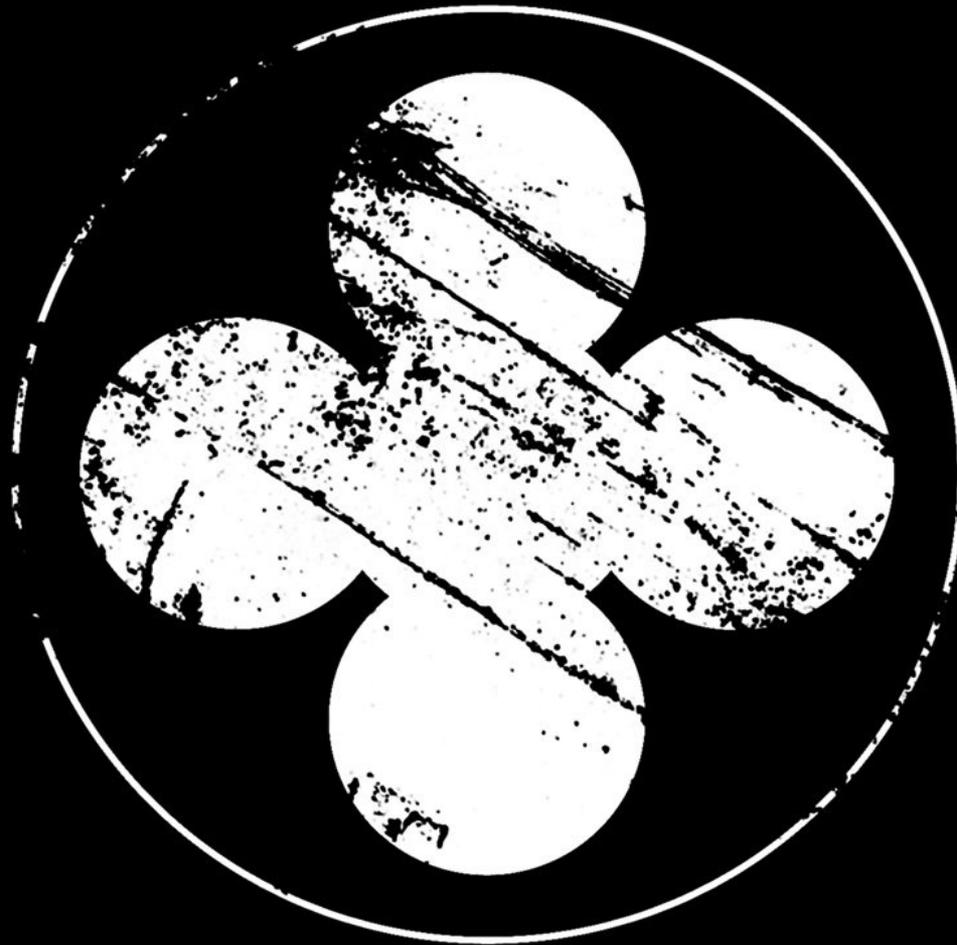


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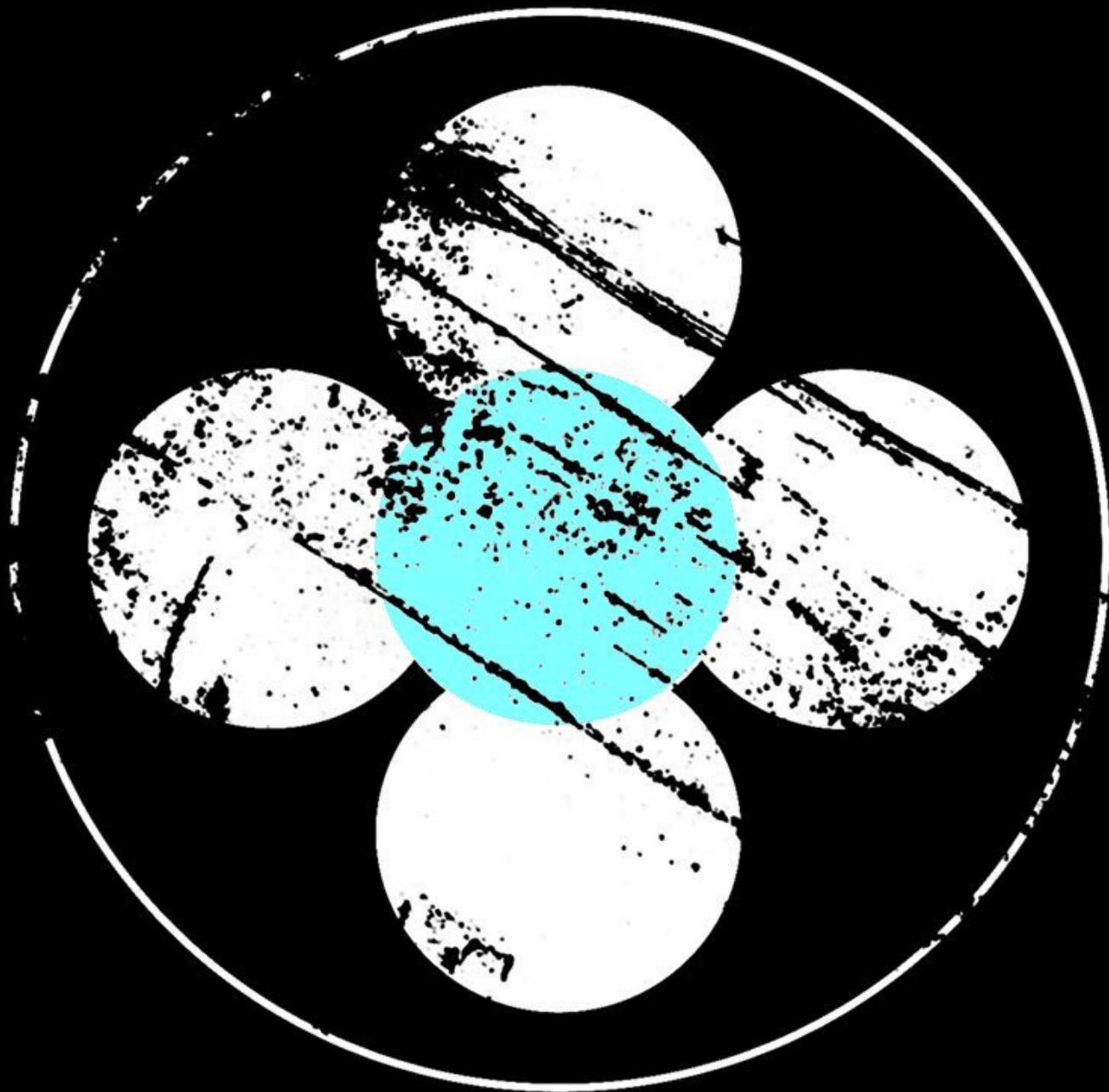
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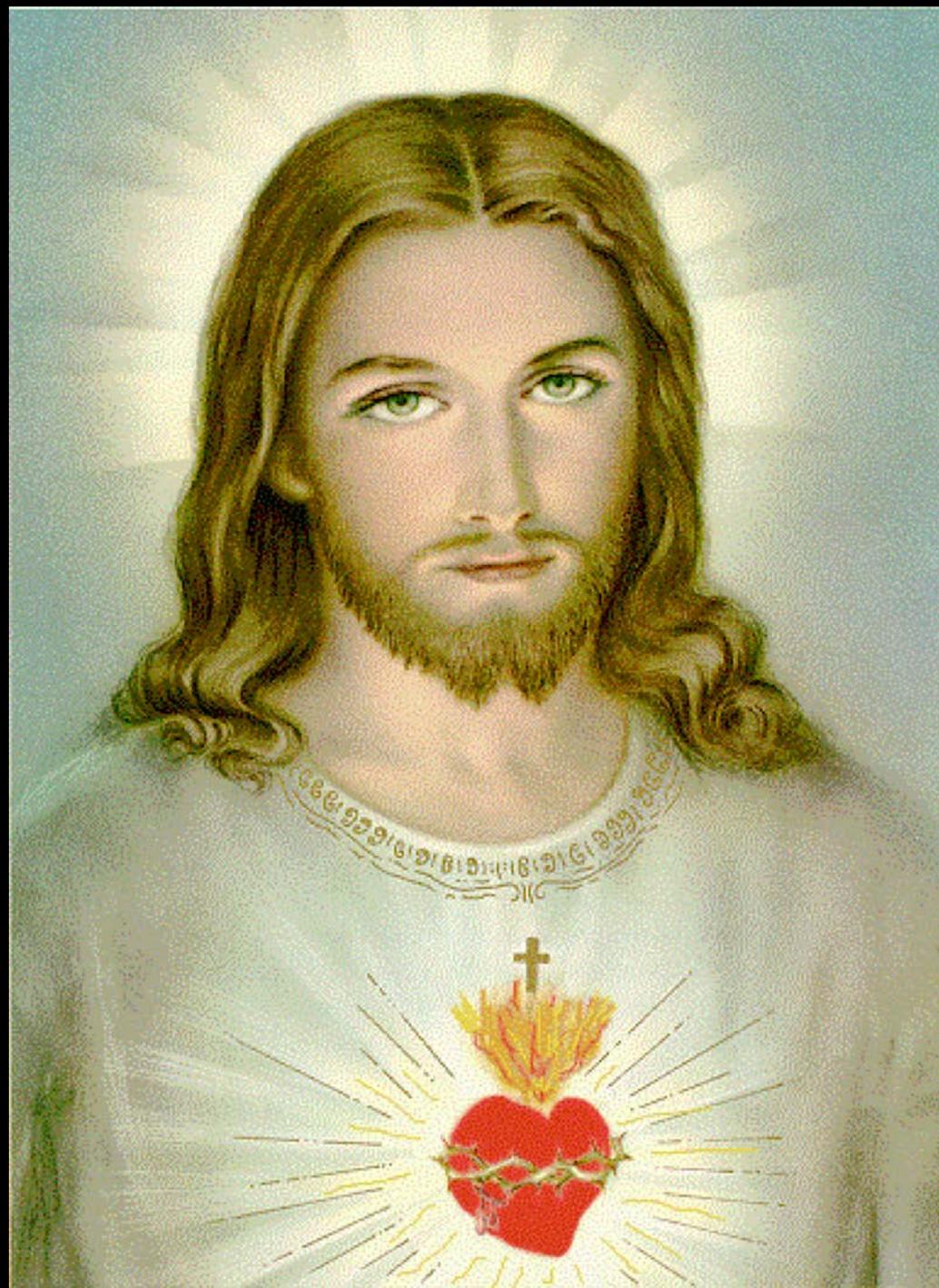
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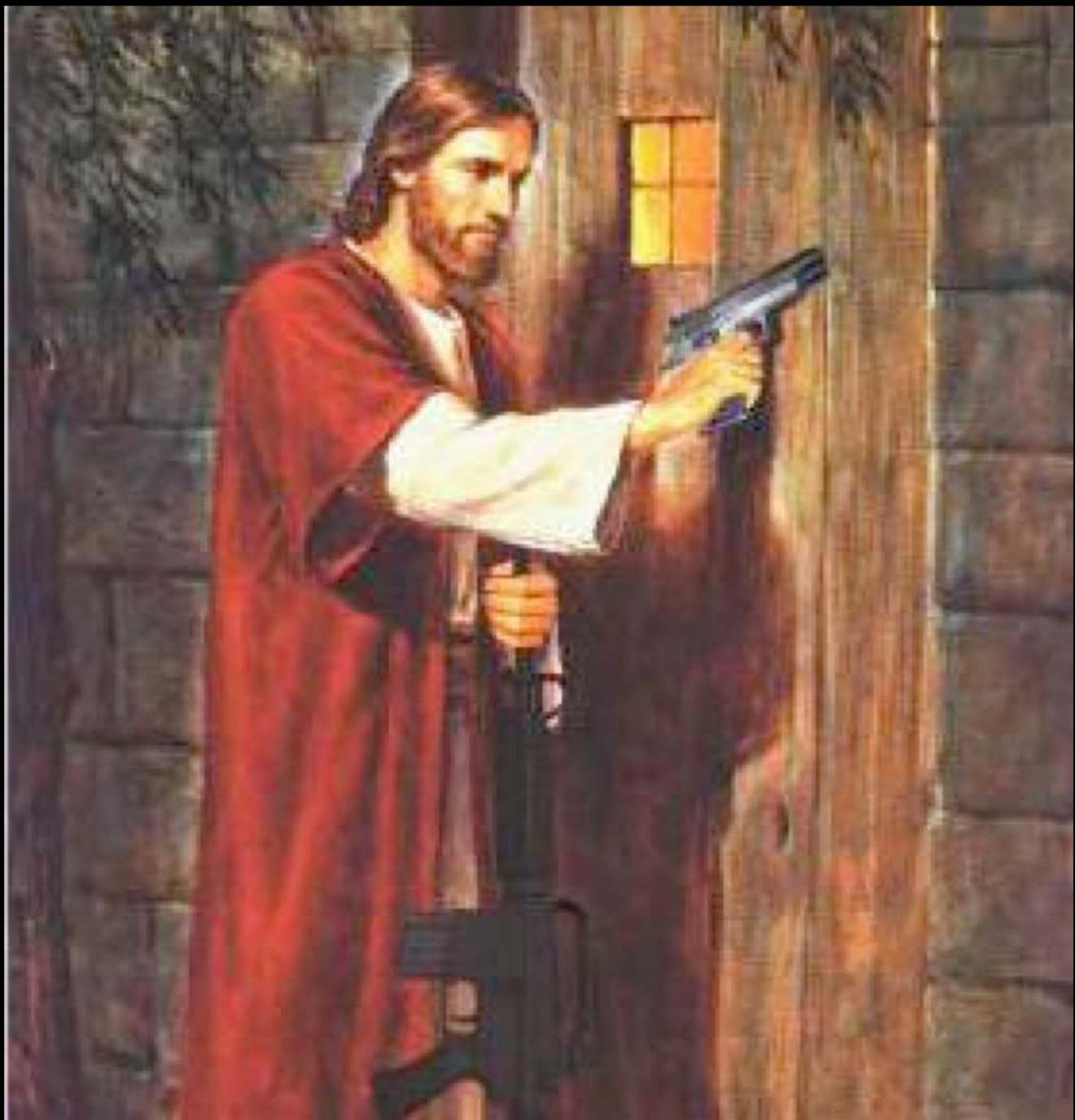
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## Galatians 2:17-21

<sup>17</sup>If, while we seek to be justified in Christ, it becomes evident that we ourselves are sinners, does that mean that Christ promotes sin? Absolutely not! <sup>18</sup>If I rebuild what I destroyed, I prove that I am a lawbreaker. <sup>19</sup>For through the law I died to the law so that I might live for God. <sup>20</sup>**I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.** <sup>21</sup>I do not set aside the grace of God, for if righteousness could be gained through the law, Christ died for nothing!

## 2 Timothy 1:8-12

<sup>8</sup>So do not be ashamed to testify about our Lord, or ashamed of me his prisoner. But join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who has saved us and called us to a holy life – not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, <sup>10</sup>but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel.

## 2 Timothy 1:8-12

<sup>11</sup>And of this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher. <sup>12</sup>That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet I am not ashamed, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him for that day.



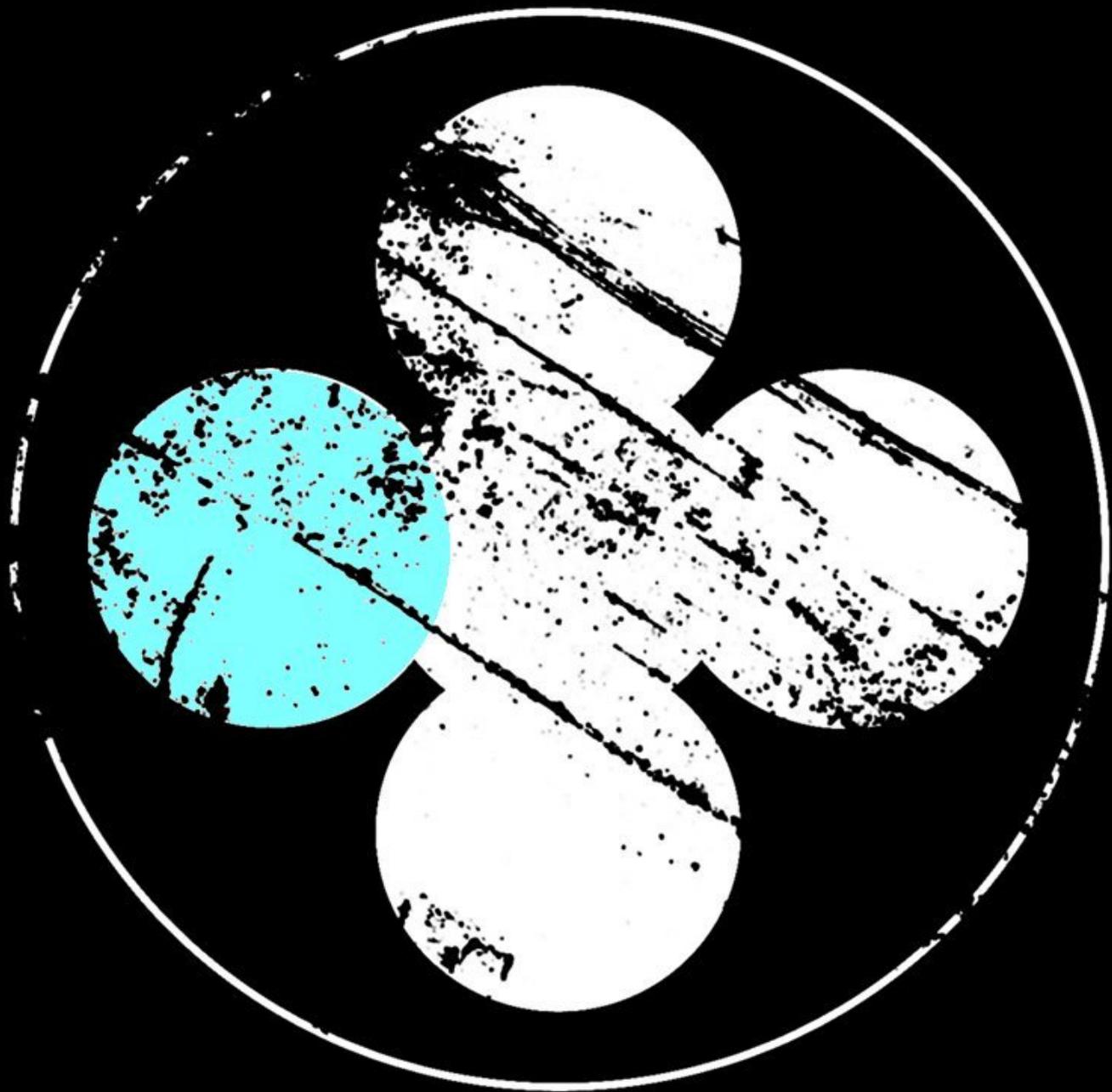
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## Romans 1:16-17

<sup>16</sup> I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile. <sup>17</sup> For in the gospel a righteousness from God is revealed, a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: "The righteous will live by faith."

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## 2 Corinthians 5:18-21

<sup>18</sup>All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: <sup>19</sup>that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. <sup>20</sup>**We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God.** <sup>21</sup>**God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.**

## 1 Peter 2:9-12

<sup>9</sup>But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. <sup>10</sup>Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

<sup>11</sup>Dear friends, I urge you, as aliens and strangers in the world, to abstain from sinful desires, which war against your soul. <sup>12</sup>Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.



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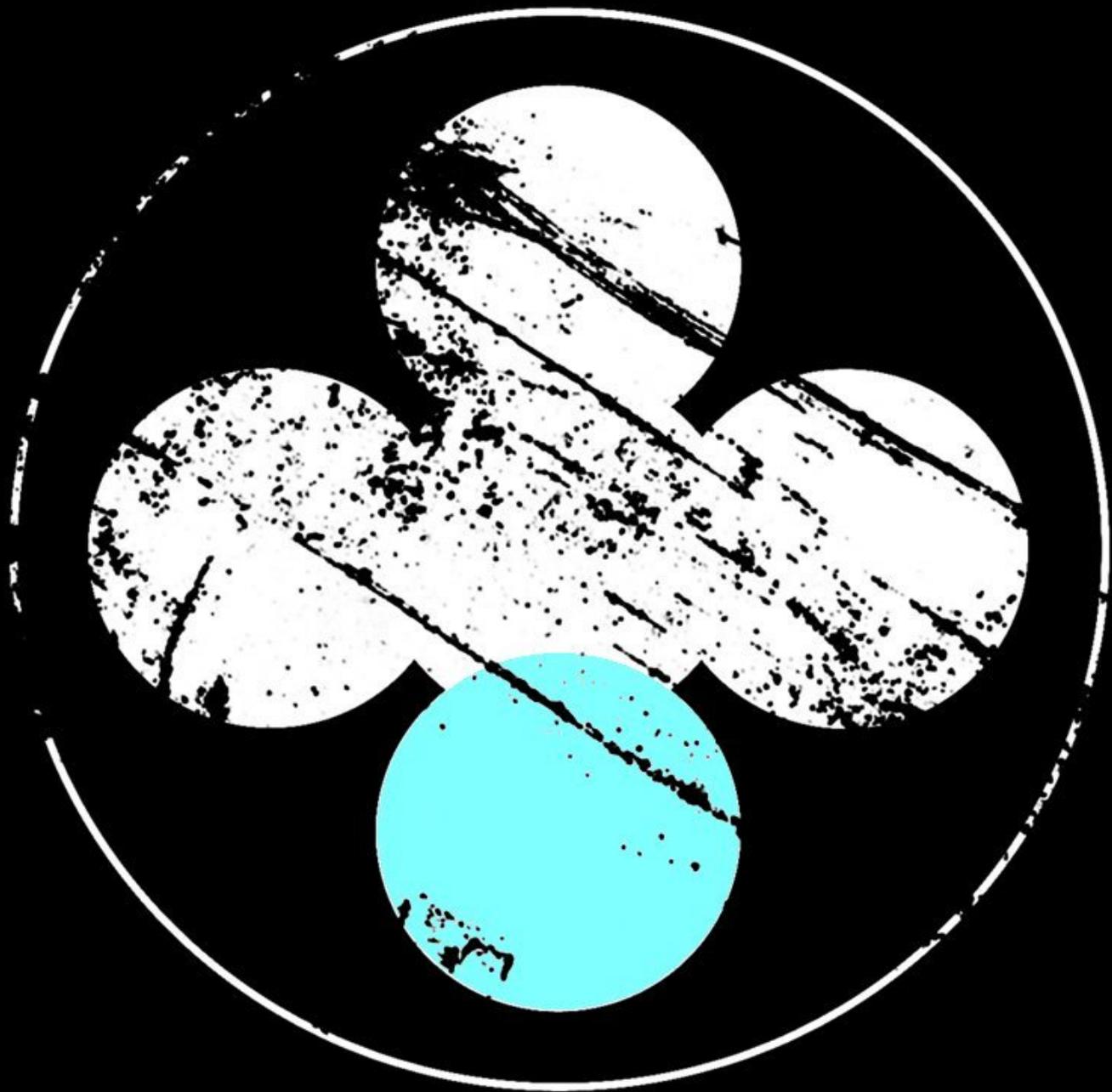


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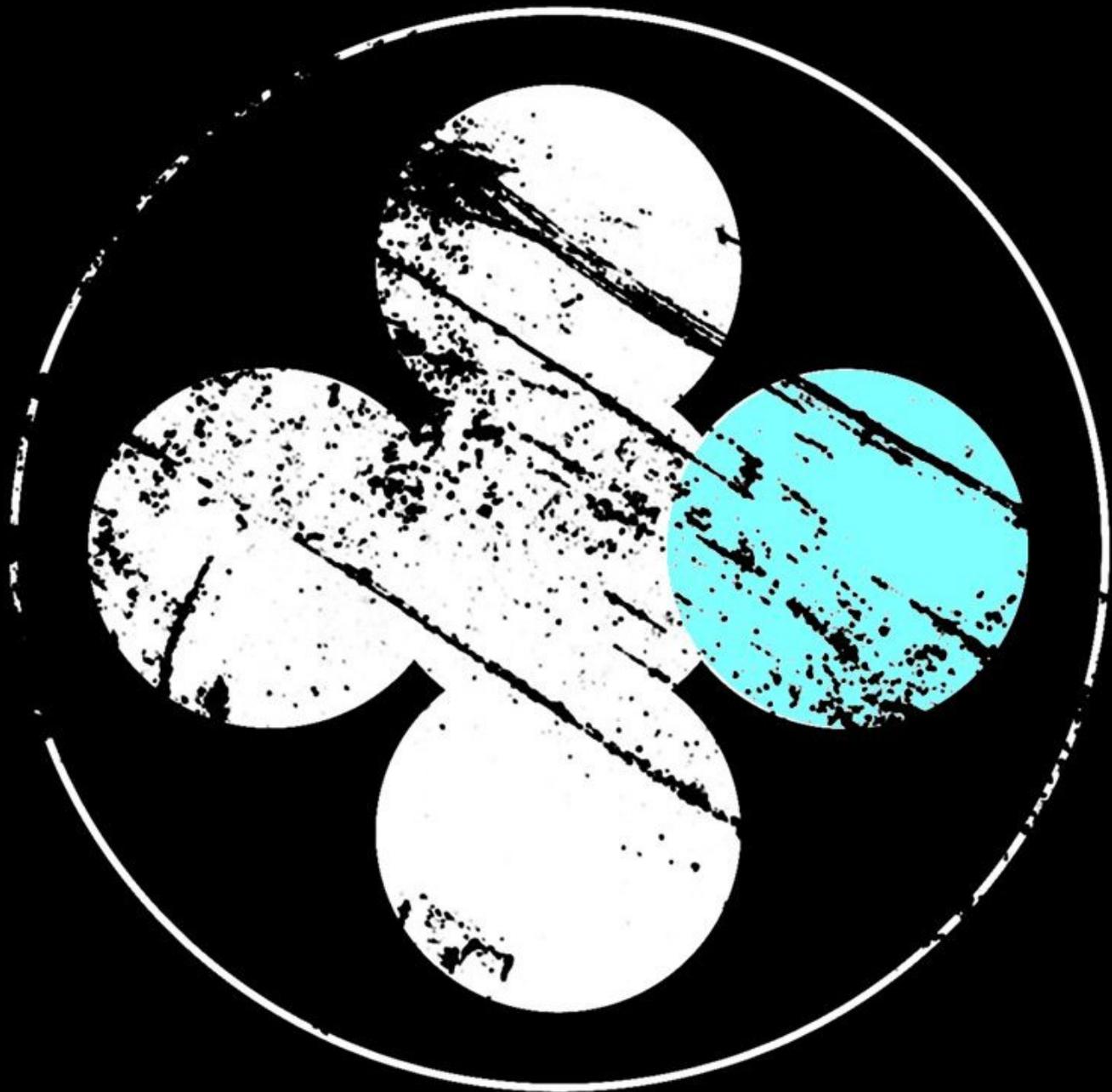
## 2 Timothy 2:1-2

<sup>1</sup>You then, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. <sup>2</sup>**And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable men who will also be qualified to teach others.**



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## Galatians 5:19-25

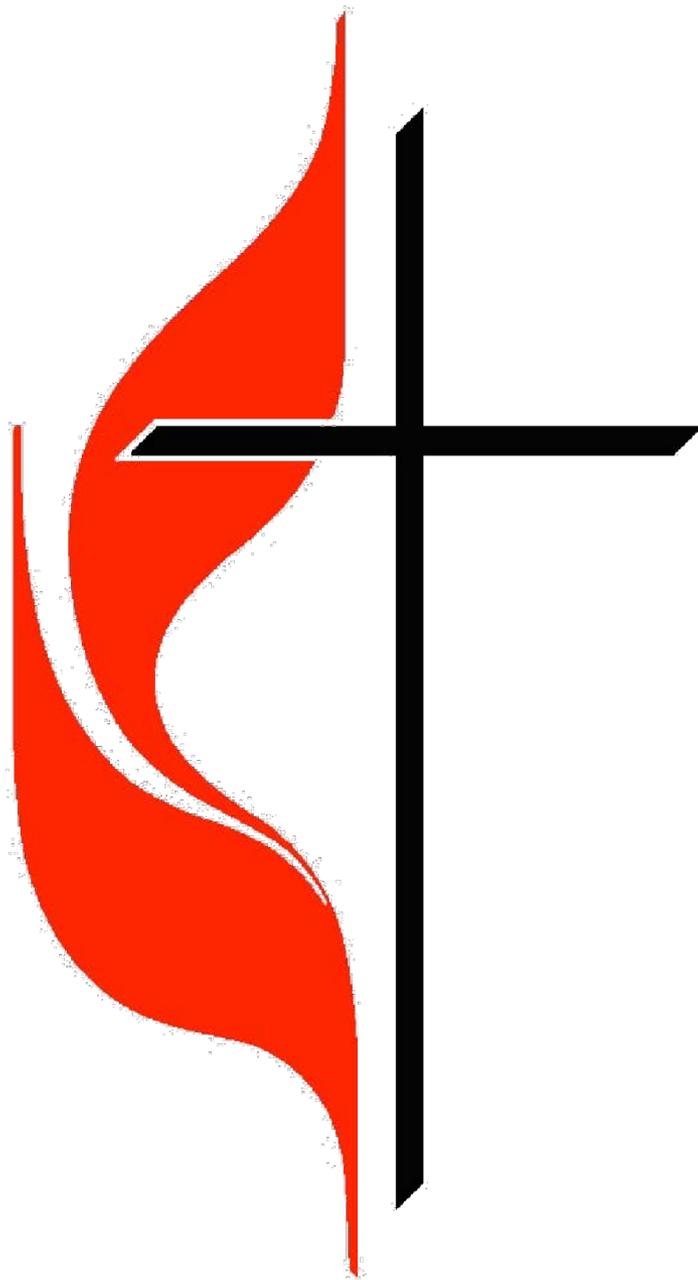
<sup>19</sup>The acts of the sinful nature are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity and debauchery; <sup>20</sup>idolatry and witchcraft; hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions <sup>21</sup>and envy; drunkenness, orgies, and the like. I warn you, as I did before, that those who live like this will not inherit the kingdom of God.

## Galatians 5:19-25

<sup>22</sup>But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup>gentleness and self-control. Against such

things there is no law. <sup>24</sup>Those who belong to

Christ Jesus have crucified the sinful nature with its passions and desires. <sup>25</sup>Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.



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