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Next Week Sermon

Fixing Our Eyes on Jesus

Hebrews 12:1-2

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Pastor Palan

08 December, 2024

An Everlasting Name

Isaiah 56

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Arnold Lim

15 December, 2024

To Revive the Spirit of the Lowly

Isaiah 57:12-21

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Alex Tan

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מהלפת				
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המבורגר	25	36	45	60
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Isaiah 54:2

ENLARGE THE PLACE OF YOUR TENT

stretch your tent **curtains** wide, do not hold back;
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Woman as a metaphor for Israel

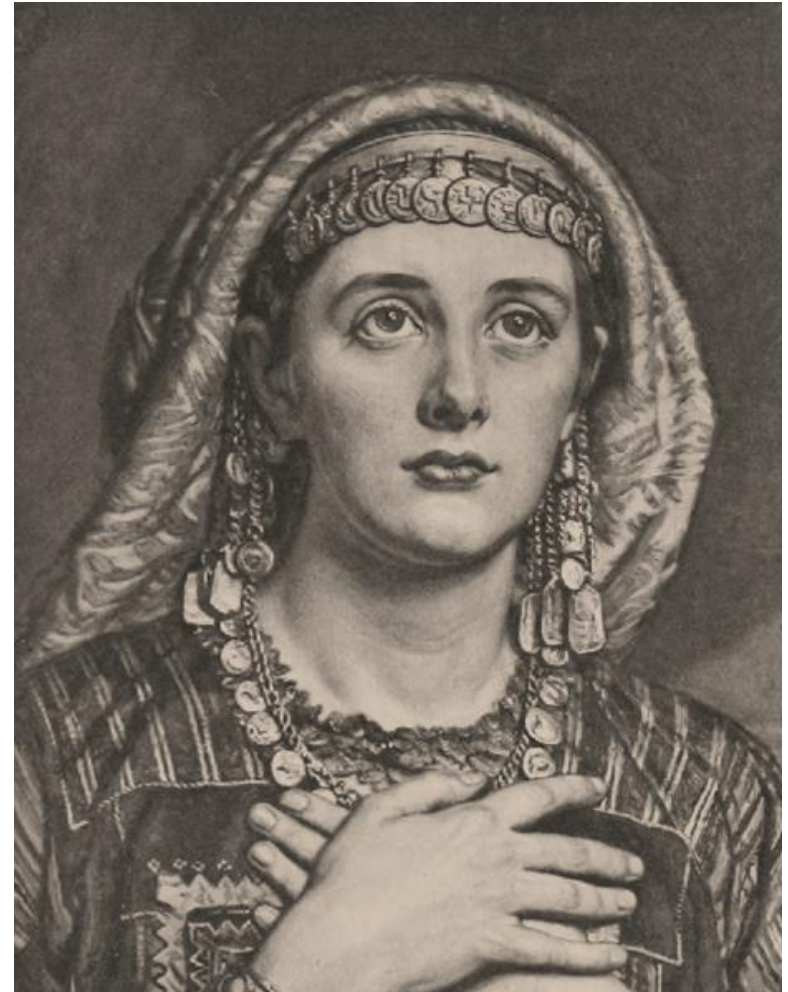
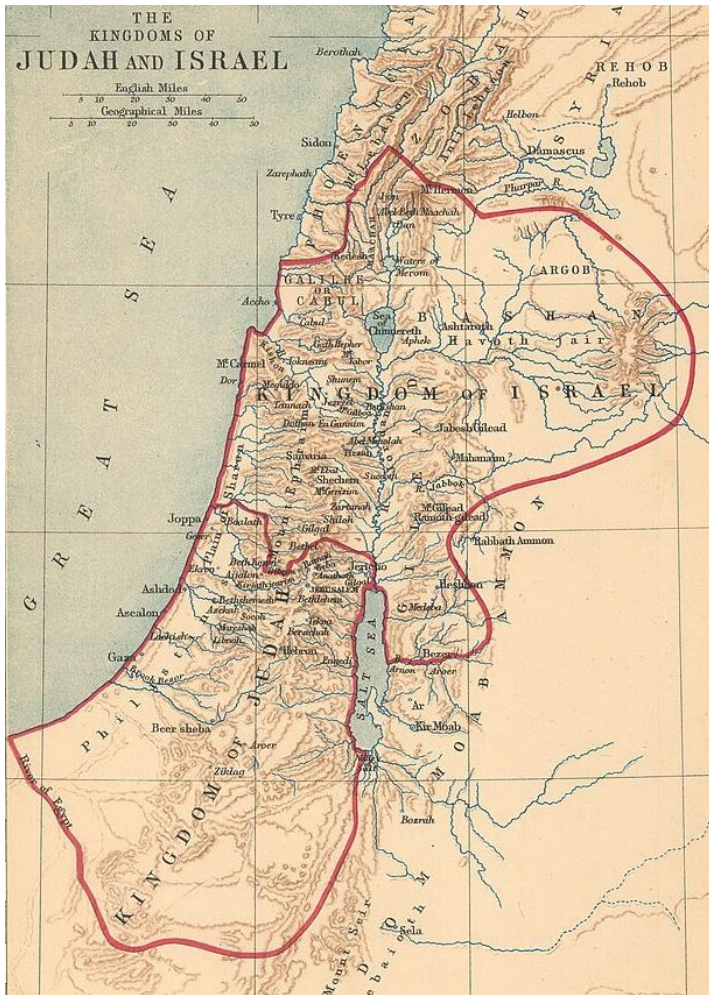


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Israel as God's 'wife' or 'bride'

Jeremiah 31:31&32, Hosea 2:19&20, Isaiah 62:5



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Worship of Baal

Judges 8:33



**DO NOT WORSHIP ANY OTHER GOD,
FOR THE LORD , WHOSE NAME IS
JEALOUS, IS A JEALOUS GOD.
EXODUS 34:14**

Isaiah 50:1

This is what the LORD says:

*“Where is your mother’s certificate of **divorce**
with which I **sent her away**?*

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*because of your transgressions
your mother was **sent away**.*

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Isaiah 49:21

*I was bereaved and **barren**;
I was exiled and rejected.
...I was **left all alone**,...*

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“ I have loved you, my people, with an everlasting love. With unfailing love I have drawn you to myself. ”

Jeremiah 31:3 (NLT)

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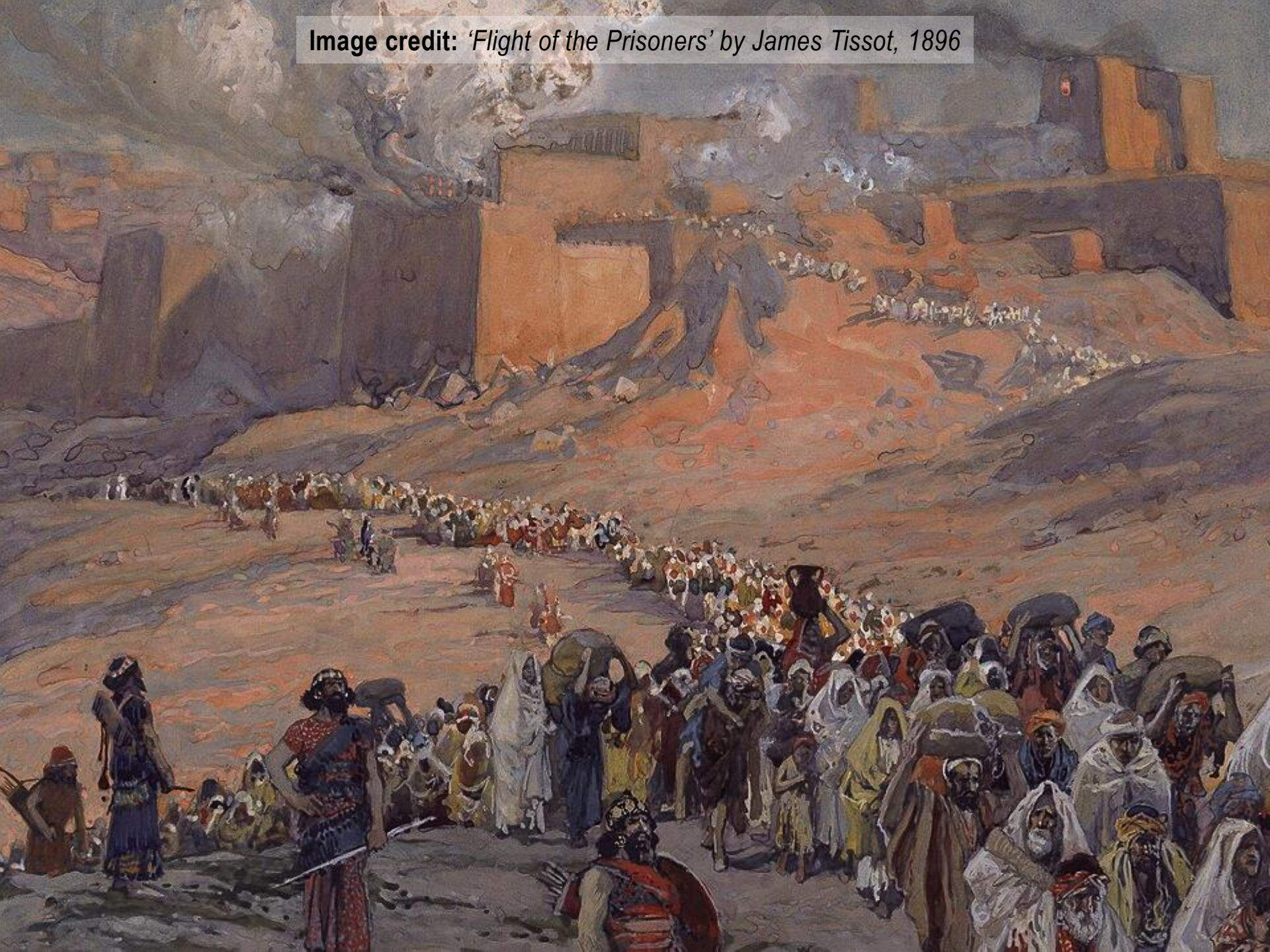
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Psalm 137:1,3,4

*By the rivers of Babylon **we sat and wept**
when we remembered Zion.*

.....

*...there our captors asked us for songs, ...
they said, “Sing us one of the songs of Zion!”
How can we sing the songs of the LORD
while in a foreign land?*



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Israel's Population 1948~2020

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Galatians 4:27~28

For it is written:

*“Be glad, barren woman,
you who never bore a child;
shout for joy and cry aloud,
you who were never in labor;
because more are the children
of the desolate woman
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Isaiah 54:1

Now **you, brothers and sisters**, like Isaac,
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The Church

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Ephesians 5:23

*For the **husband** is the head of the **wife**
as **Christ** is the head of the **church**,...*

2 Corinthians 11:2

*I promised you to one **husband**, to **Christ**,
so that I might present **you** as a pure **virgin** to Him.*

Revelation 19:7~8 (ESV)

*Let us rejoice and... give Him the glory,
for the marriage of the Lamb has come,
and **His Bride** has made herself ready;
it was granted her to clothe herself
with fine linen, bright and pure”—
for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of **the saints**.*

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John 8:1~11



“Let he who is without sin cast the first stone.”

John 8:7

He said to her, “Woman, where are those accusers of yours? Has no one condemned you?”

She said, “No one, Lord.”

And Jesus said to her, “Neither do I condemn you; go and sin no more.”

John 8:10~11

THE COST OF

SIN

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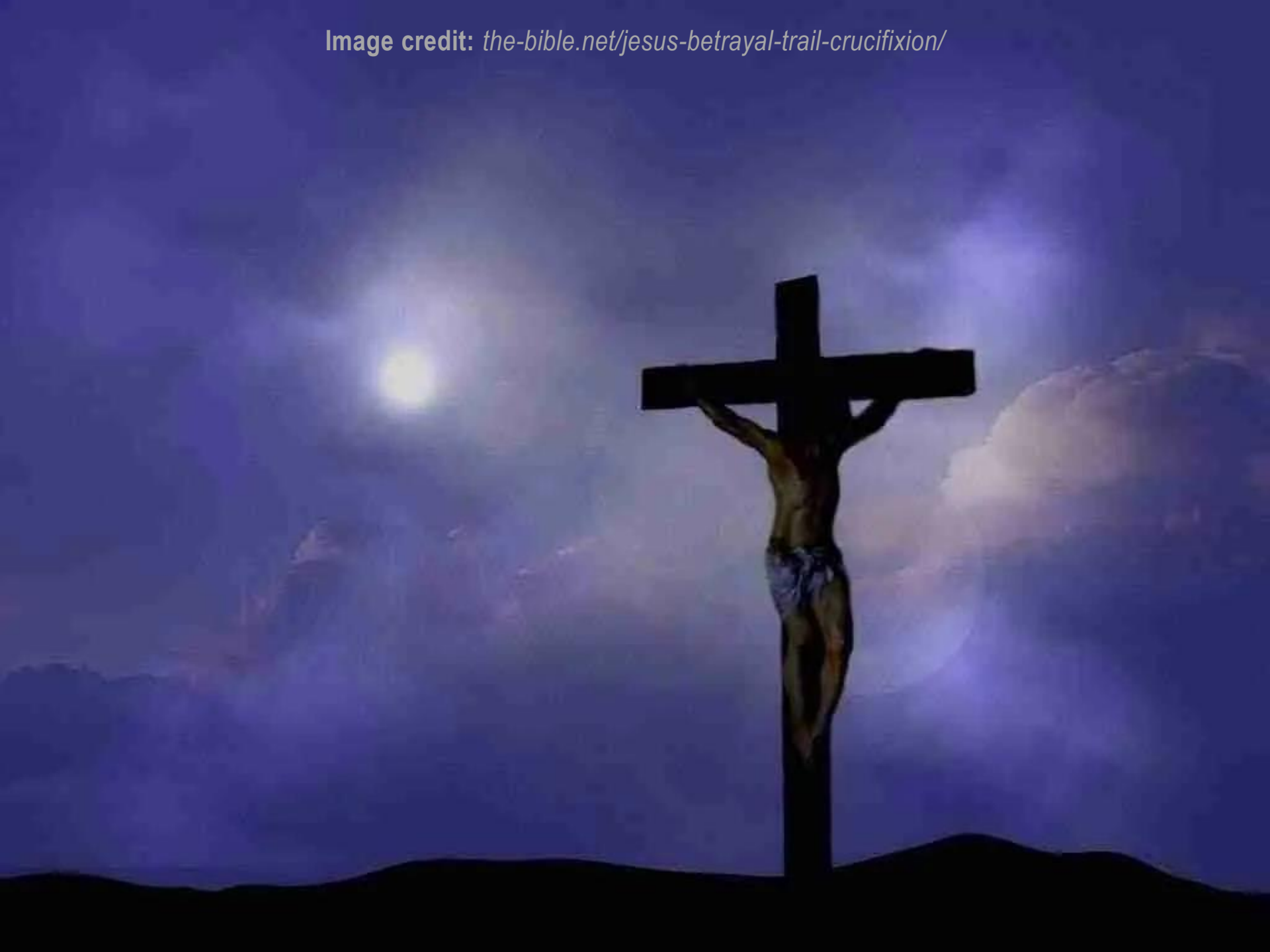
Psalm 51:4a



FOR THE WAGES
OF SIN IS DEATH

Romans 6:23

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But He was pierced for our rebellion, crushed for our sins.

He was beaten

so we could be whole.

He was whipped

so we could be healed.

All of us, like sheep,

have strayed away.

We have left God's paths

to follow our own.

Yet the LORD laid on Him
the sins of us all.

Isaiah 53:5~6 (NLT)



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**I forsook you /
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“My God, my God,
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Psalm 22:1

Matthew 27:46

Mark 15:34



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