

*COUNT IT*

*All Joy,*

*MY BROTHERS, WHEN YOU MEET  
TRIALS OF VARIOUS KINDS,*

*FOR YOU KNOW THAT THE  
TESTING OF YOUR FAITH  
PRODUCES*

***STEADFASTNESS.***

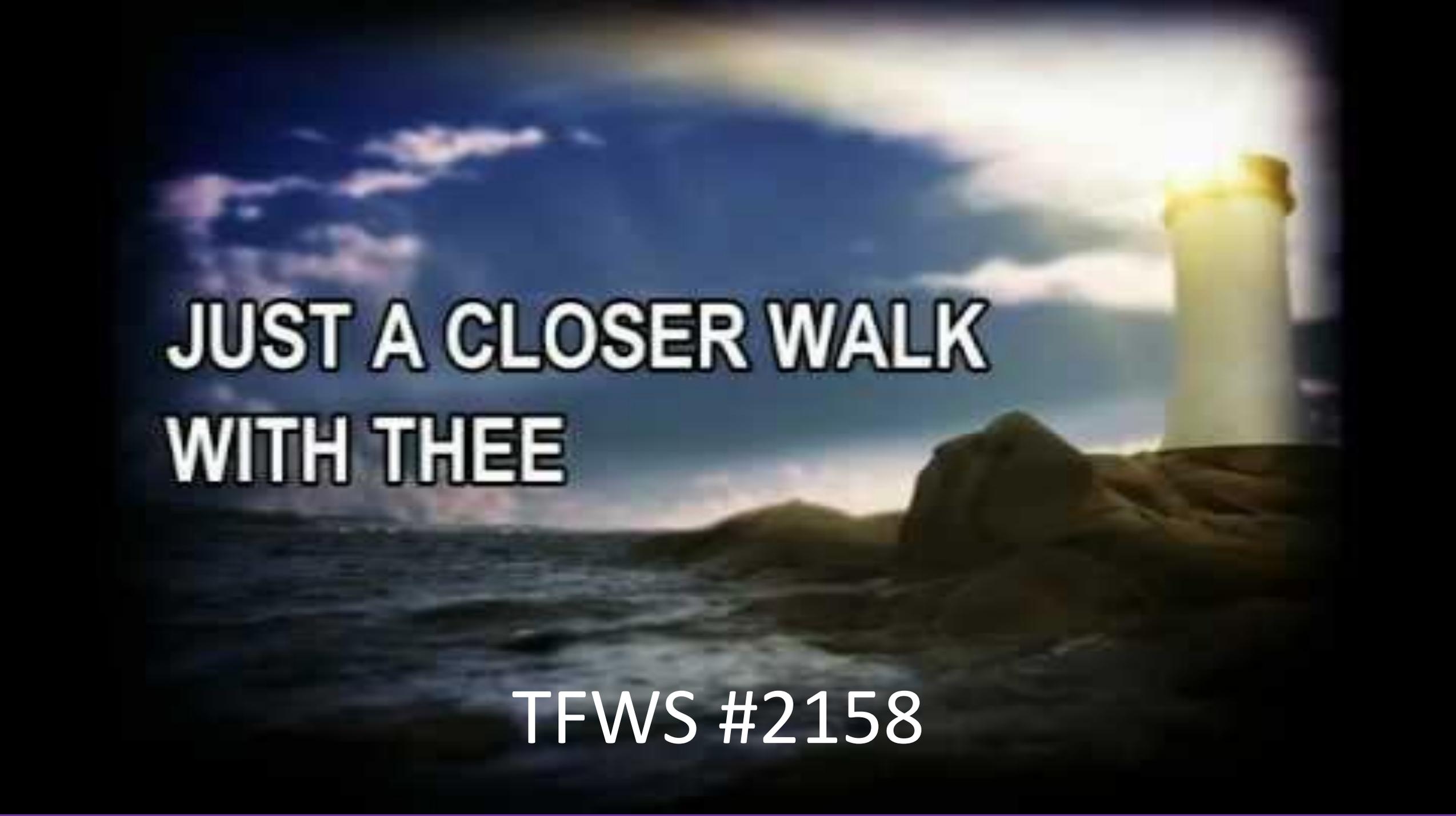
*James 1:2-3*

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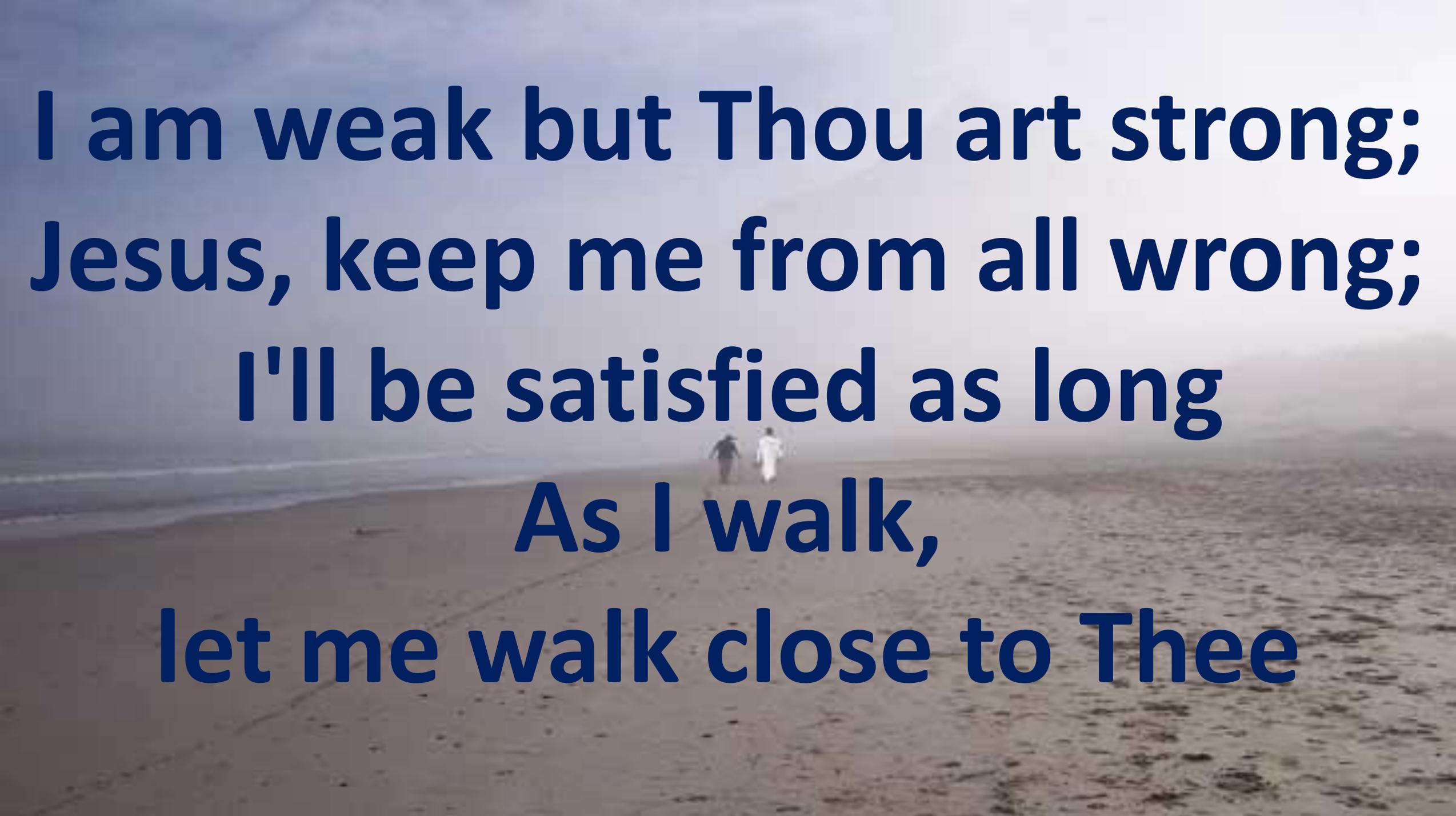
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**Oriskany Falls United Methodist Church**

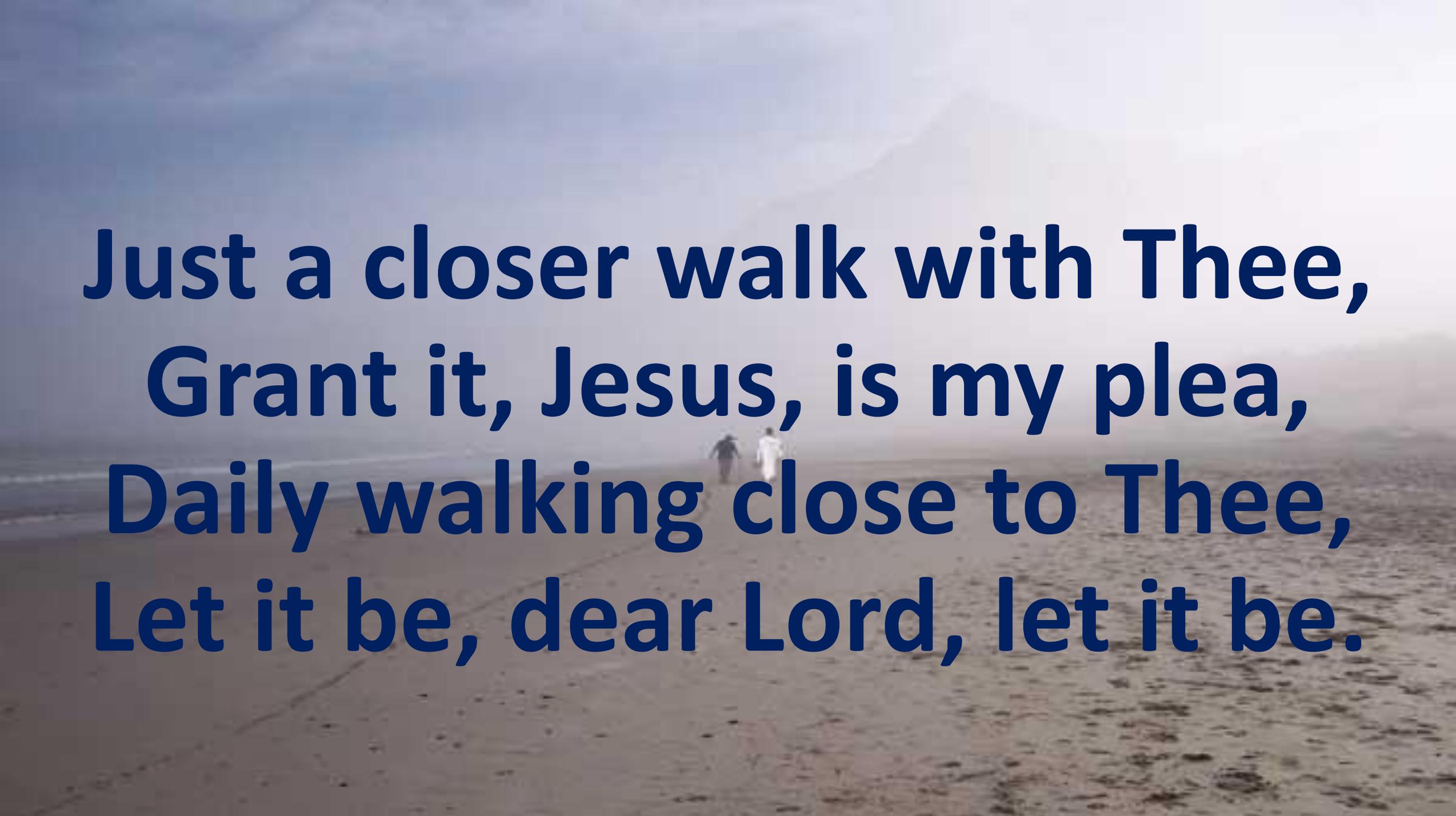


**JUST A CLOSER WALK  
WITH THEE**

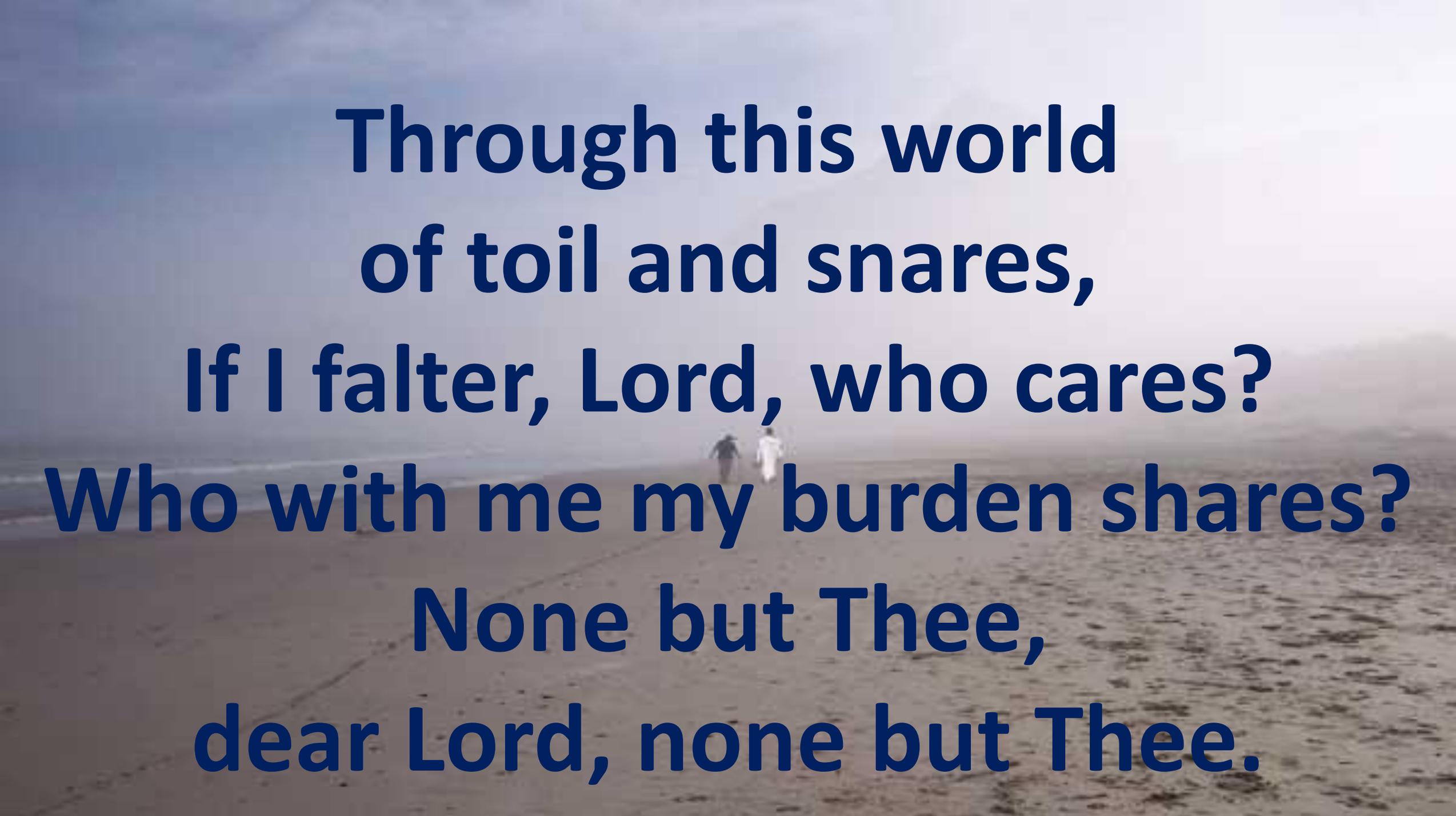
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A person is walking on a sandy beach towards the ocean. In the distance, another person is visible walking on the beach. The sky is overcast and the water is calm.

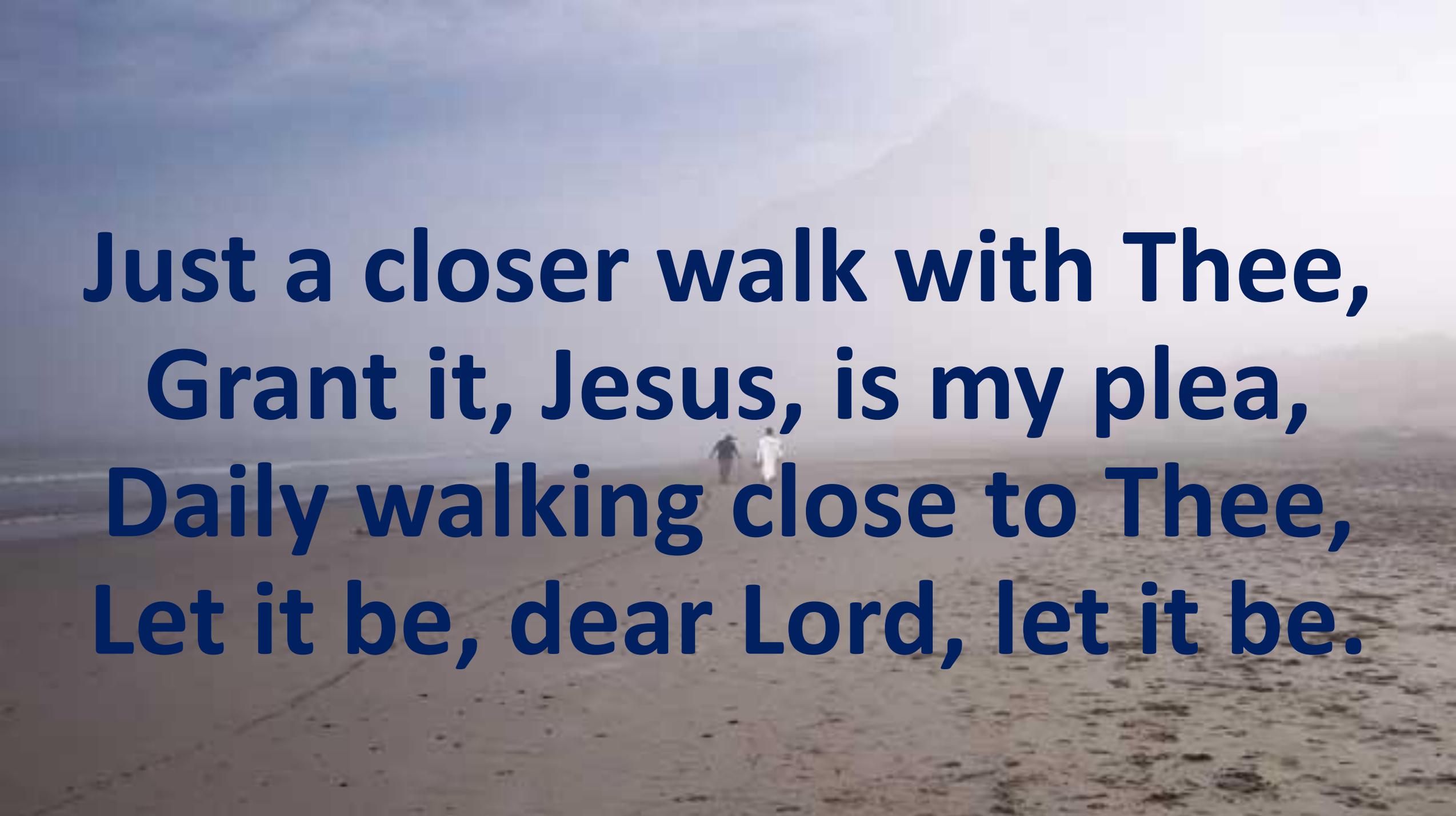
**I am weak but Thou art strong;  
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;  
I'll be satisfied as long  
As I walk,  
let me walk close to Thee**

A person is walking on a sandy beach towards the ocean. In the background, there are mountains under a clear sky. The text is overlaid on the image in a large, bold, blue font.

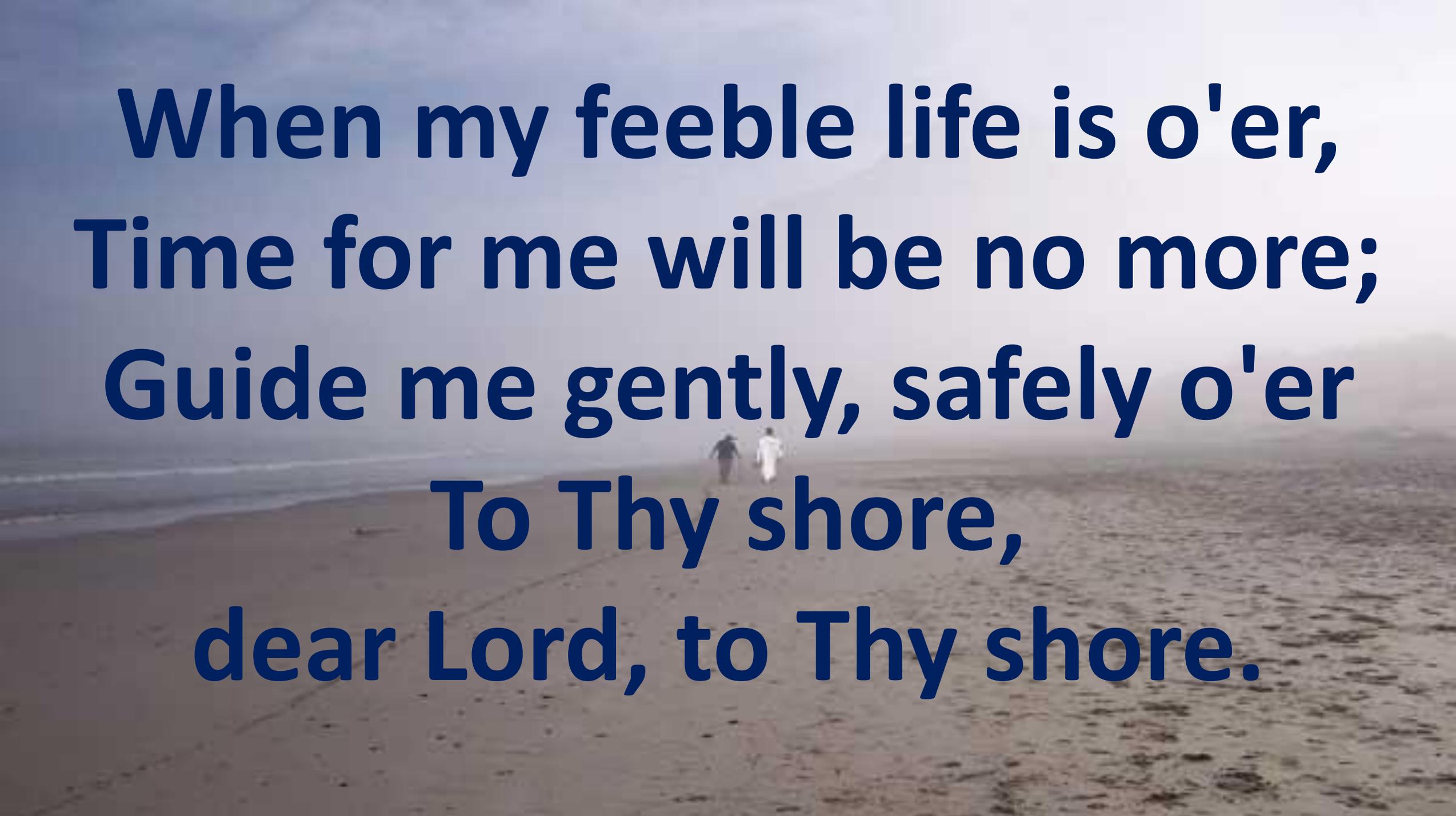
**Just a closer walk with Thee,  
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea,  
Daily walking close to Thee,  
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.**

A person is walking on a sandy beach towards the ocean at sunset. The sky is a mix of blue and orange. In the distance, another person is visible walking away from the viewer. The text is overlaid on the image in a dark blue, bold font.

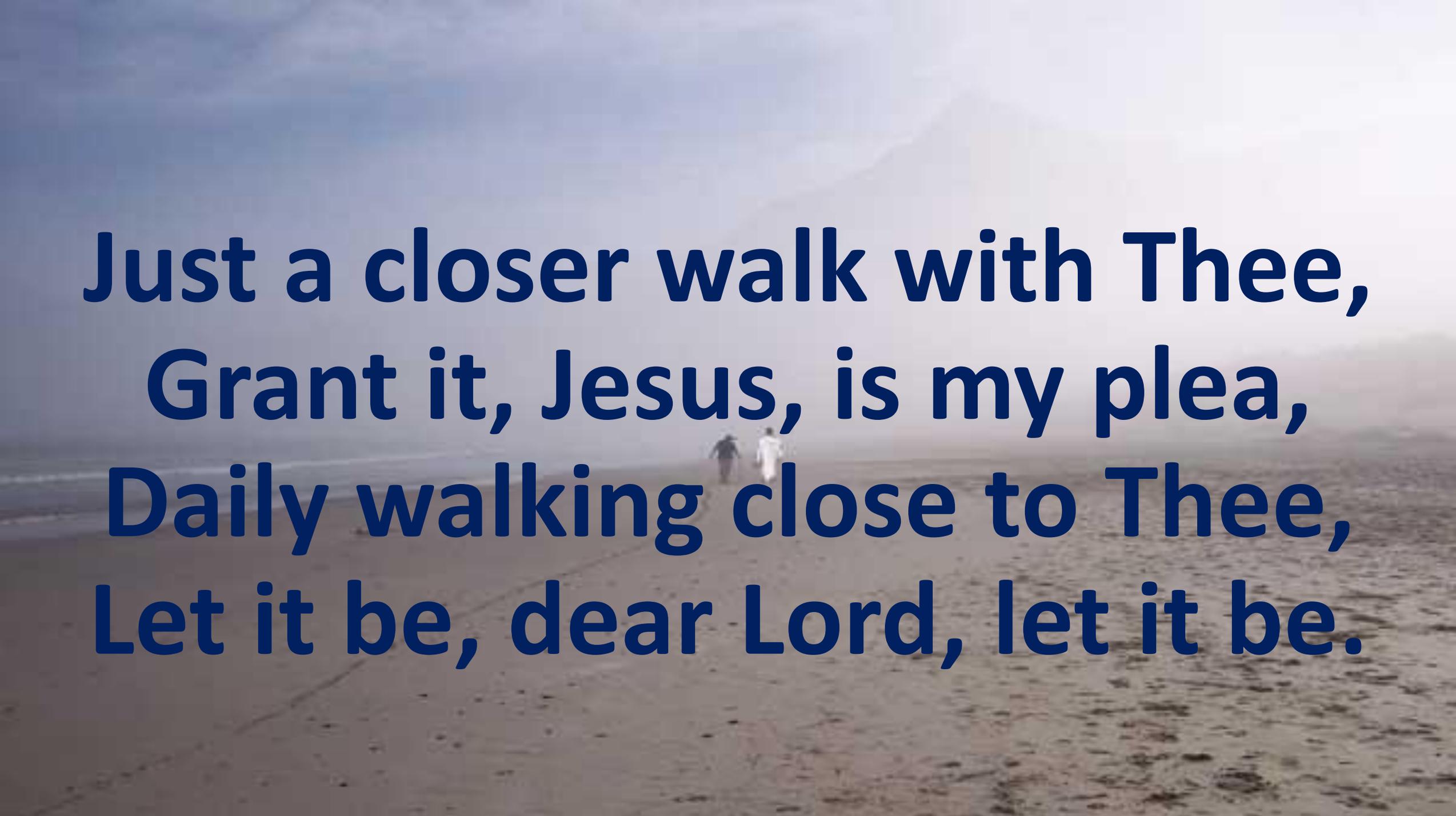
**Through this world  
of toil and snares,  
If I falter, Lord, who cares?  
Who with me my burden shares?  
None but Thee,  
dear Lord, none but Thee.**

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Daily walking close to Thee,  
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.**

A misty beach scene with two people walking away in the distance. The text is overlaid in a dark blue, bold font.

**When my feeble life is o'er,  
Time for me will be no more;  
Guide me gently, safely o'er  
To Thy shore,  
dear Lord, to Thy shore.**

A misty beach scene with two people walking away from the camera towards the ocean. The background is hazy, showing a mountain peak in the distance. The text is overlaid in a large, bold, blue font.

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The background of the slide is a dark blue night sky. At the top center, there is a bright, multi-pointed starburst. Below the starburst, the title "A CALL TO WORSHIP" is written in a large, blue, serif font. At the bottom of the slide, there are silhouettes of three people in a dark landscape, appearing to be in a state of worship or prayer. The overall mood is solemn and spiritual.

# A CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 77:1-2, 11-15

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L: I cry aloud to God, aloud that God may hear me.

P: In the day of my trouble I seek the Lord, in the night my hand is stretched out continually; my soul refuses to be comforted.



L: I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord, I will remember your wonders of old.

P: I will meditate on all your work, and muse on your mighty deeds.



L: Your way, O God, is holy.

**P: What god is great like our God?**

L: You are the God who works wonders, you manifested your might among the peoples.



P: You redeemed with your arm  
your people, the descendants of  
Jacob and Joseph. Amen.



# WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRAYER CONCERNS & PRAISES**

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**FAITHFUL**



# PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE



# *THE LORD'S PRAYER*

Our Father who art in Heaven  
hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, the power  
and the glory, for ever and ever.

Amen



# *Offering*



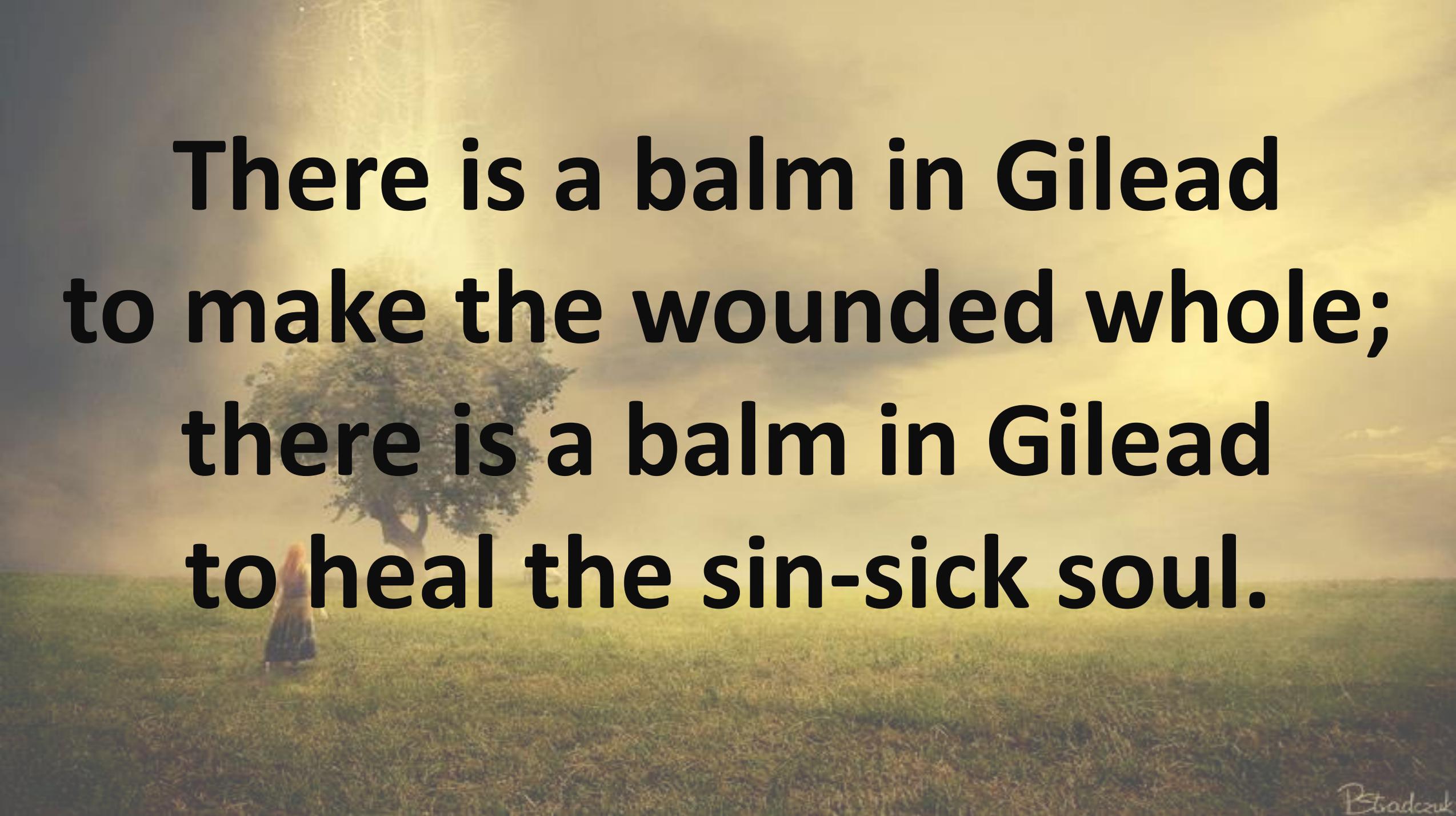
# *The Doxology*

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

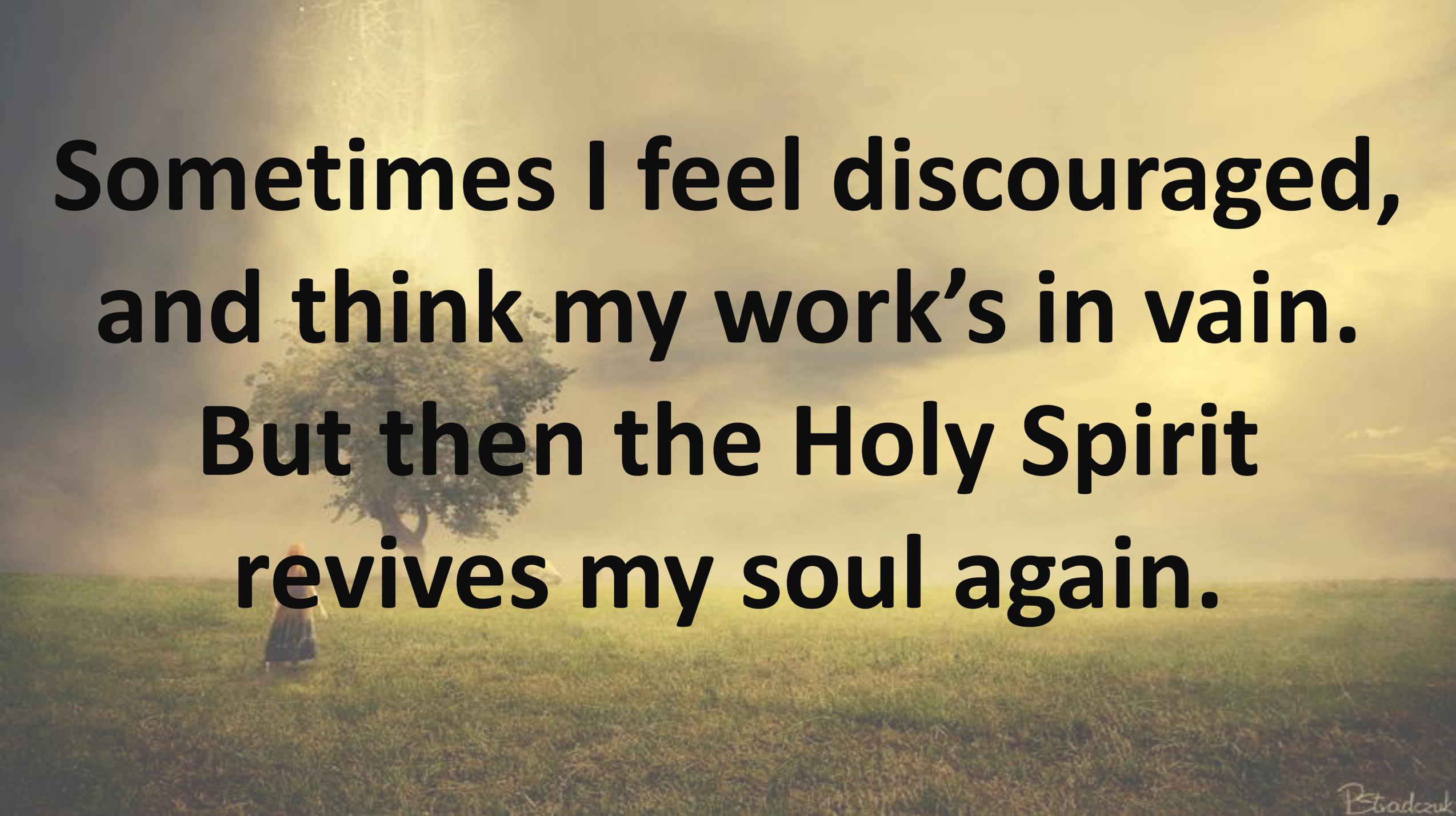


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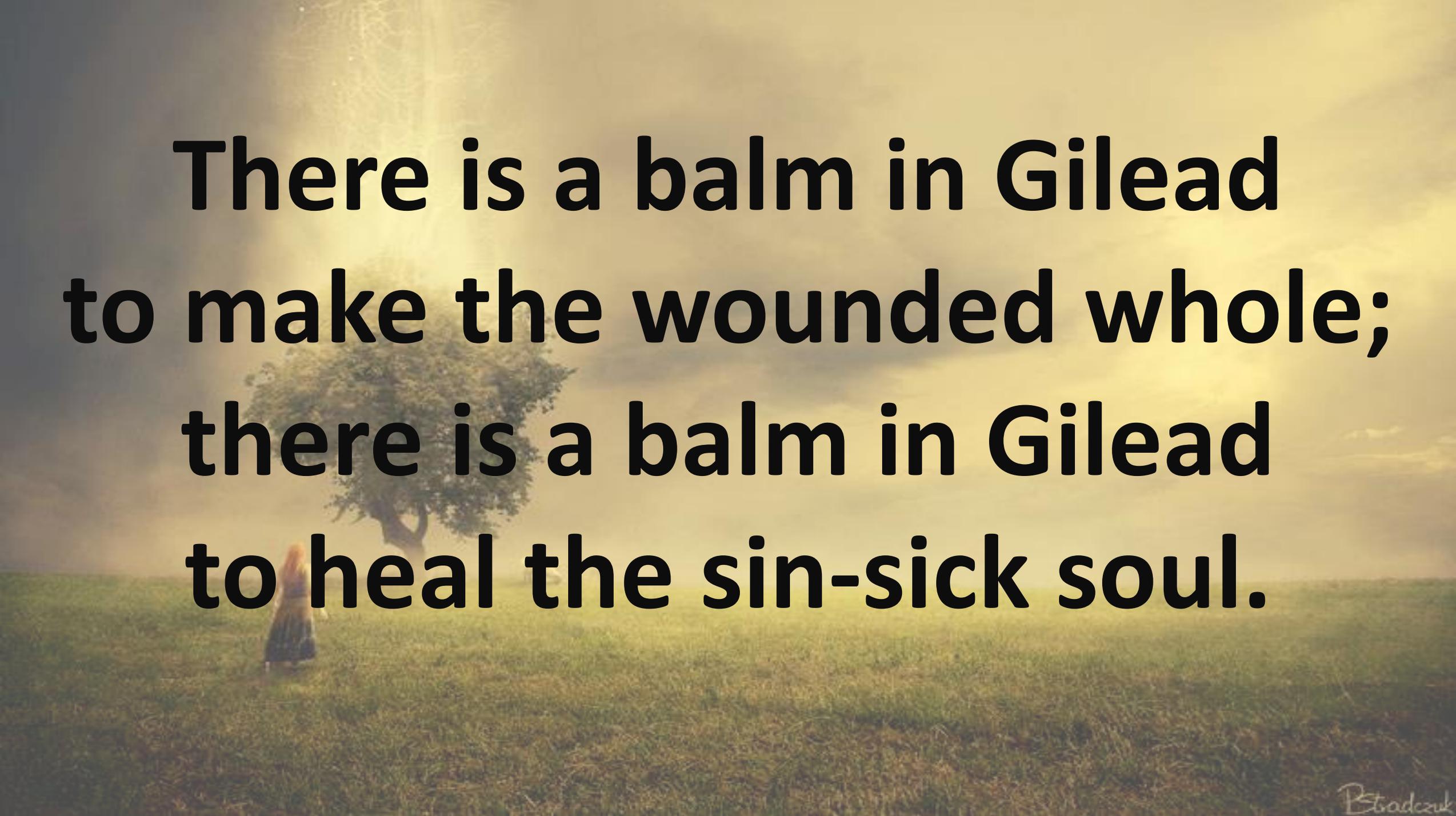
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A woman in a blue dress is walking away from the camera in a vast, green field. The scene is bathed in the warm, golden light of a sunset or sunrise, with a large tree on the left and a bright sun low on the horizon. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

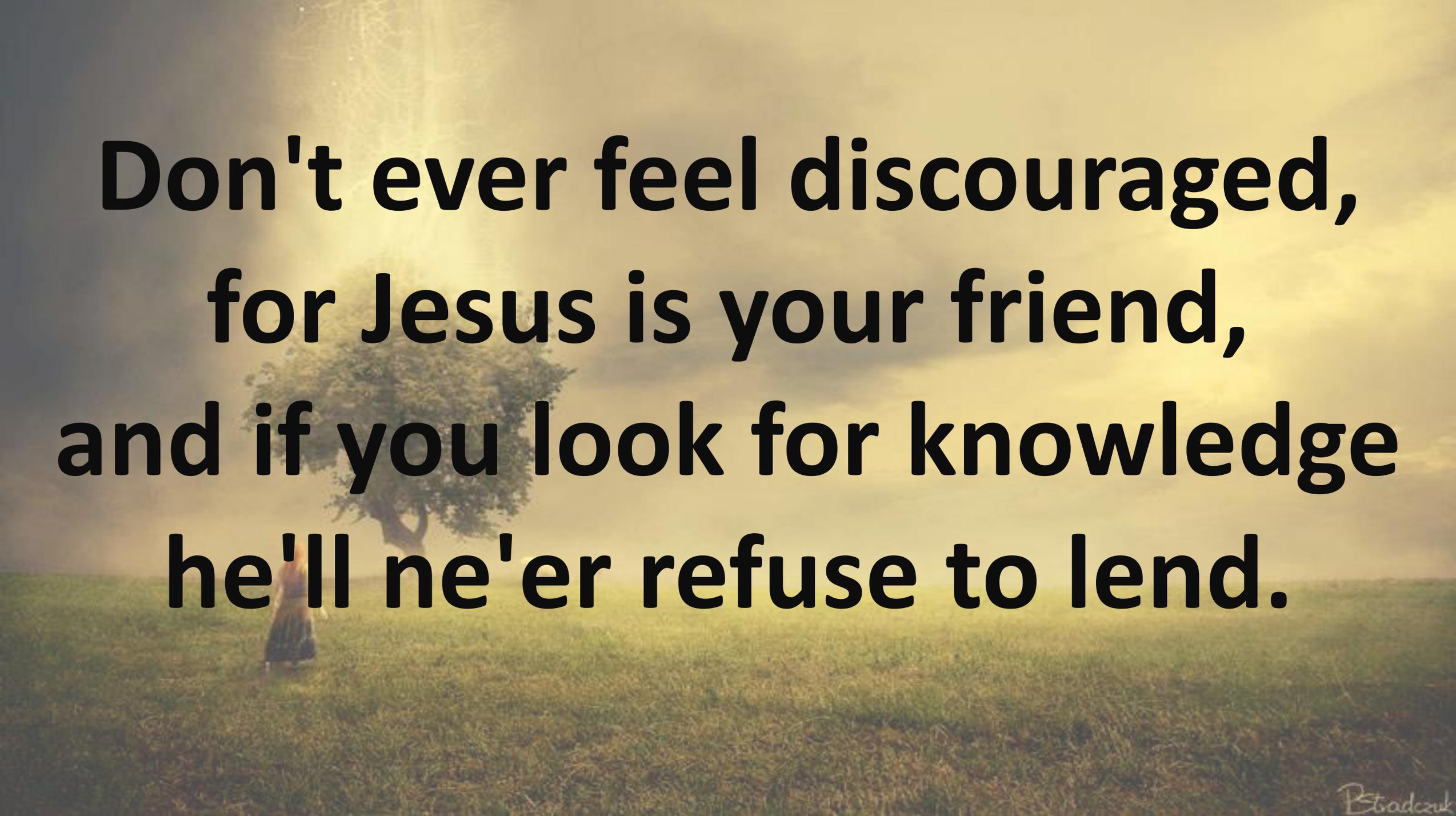
**There is a balm in Gilead  
to make the wounded whole;  
there is a balm in Gilead  
to heal the sin-sick soul.**

A person in a blue dress is walking away from the camera in a vast, green field. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow and long shadows. A single tree stands in the middle ground to the left. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

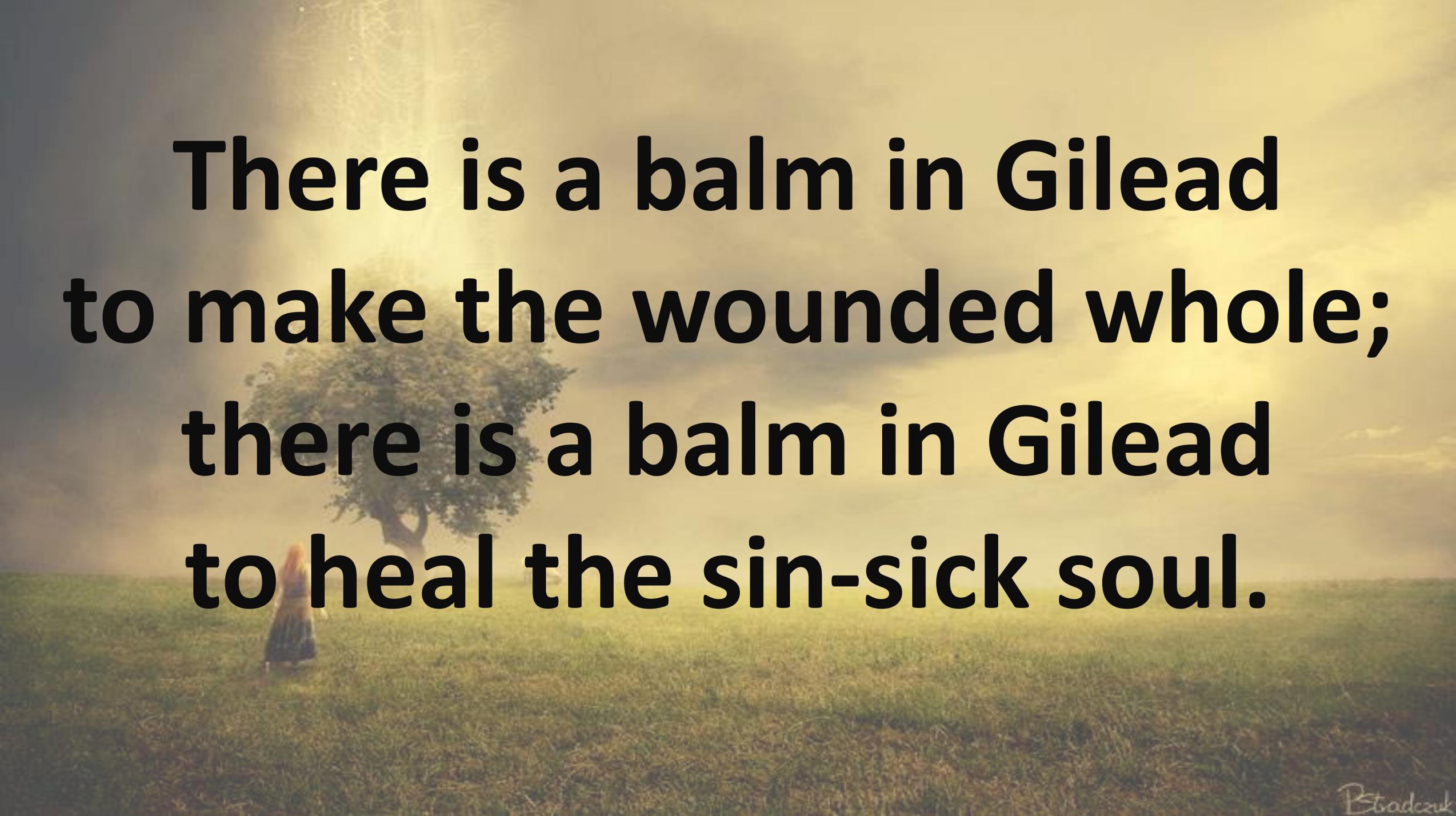
**Sometimes I feel discouraged,  
and think my work's in vain.  
But then the Holy Spirit  
revives my soul again.**

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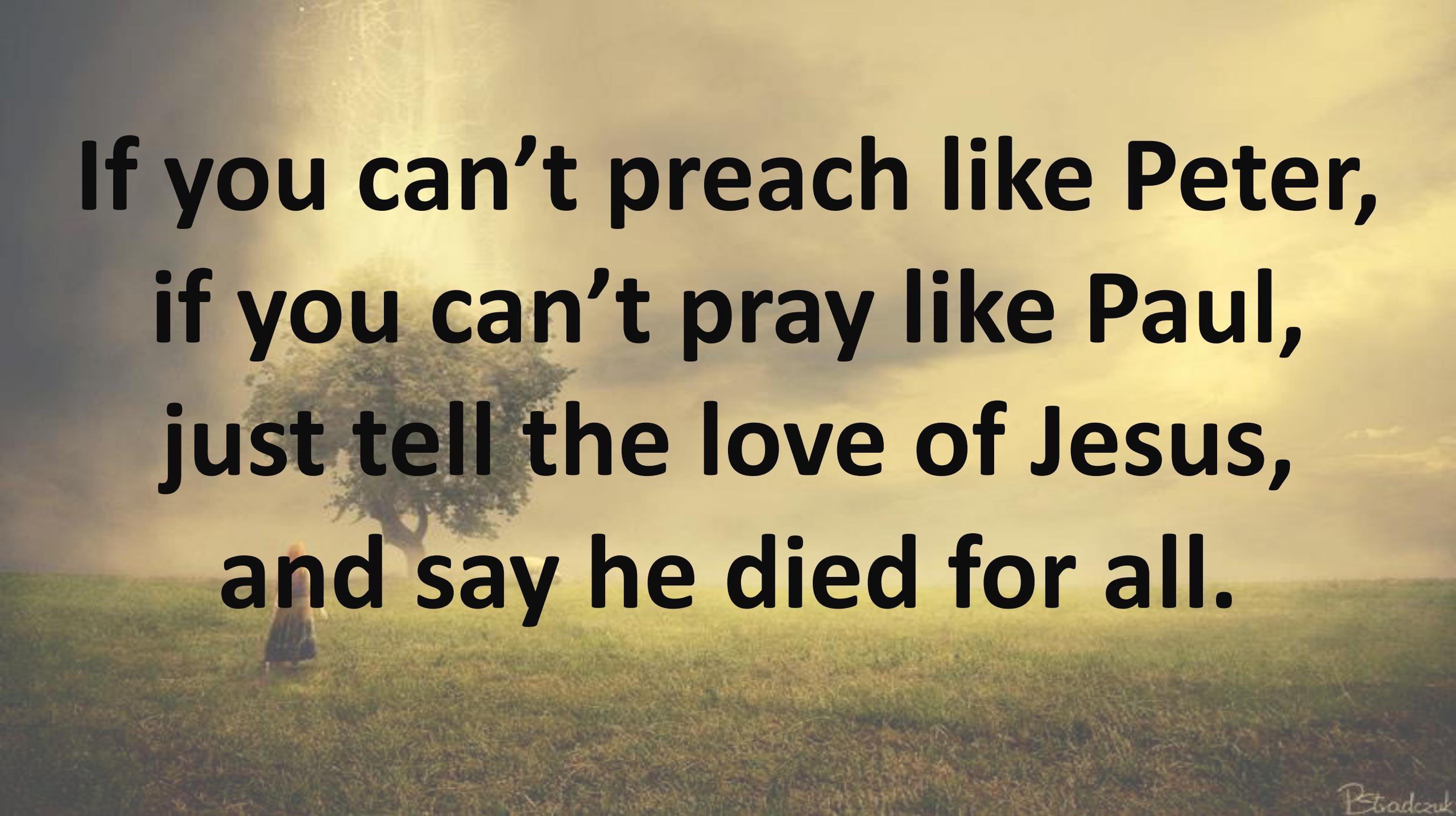
**There is a balm in Gilead  
to make the wounded whole;  
there is a balm in Gilead  
to heal the sin-sick soul.**

A person in a long dress is walking away from the camera in a grassy field. In the background, there is a large, leafy tree. The sky is filled with soft, golden light, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

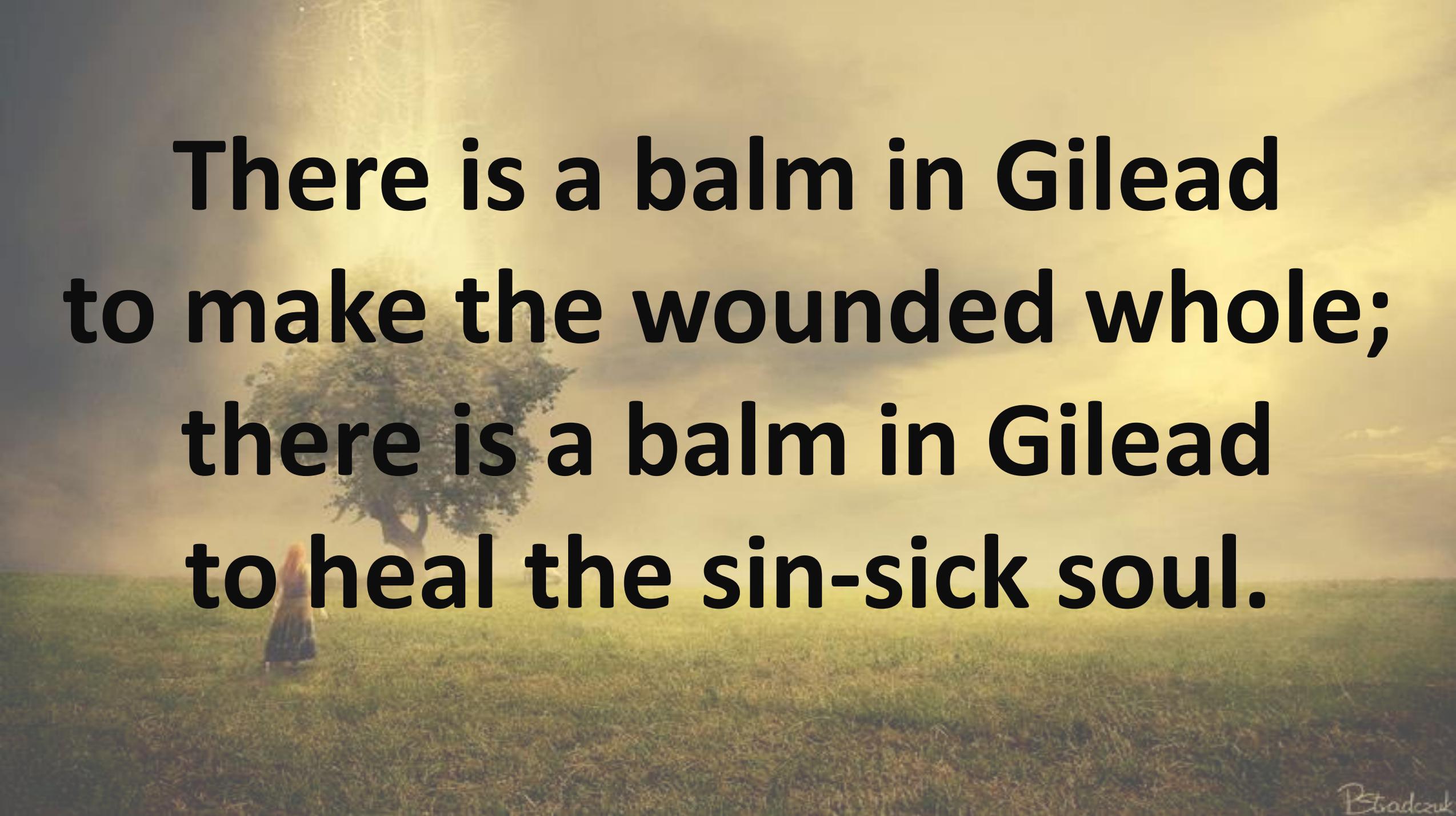
**Don't ever feel discouraged,  
for Jesus is your friend,  
and if you look for knowledge  
he'll ne'er refuse to lend.**

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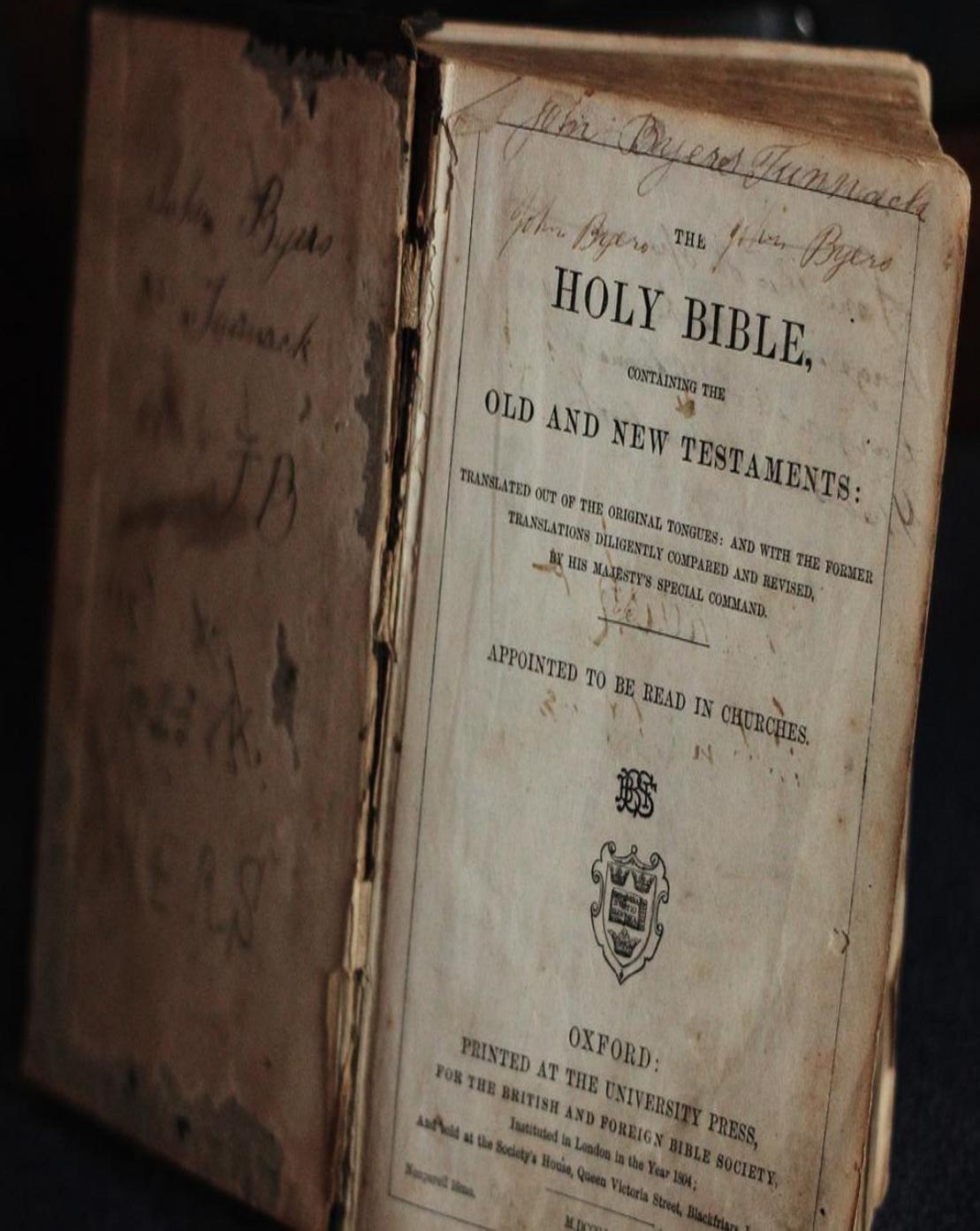
A person in a long blue dress is walking away from the camera across a vast green field towards a large tree. The scene is bathed in the warm, golden light of a sunset or sunrise, with the sun low on the horizon, creating a hazy, atmospheric glow. The sky is filled with soft, golden clouds.

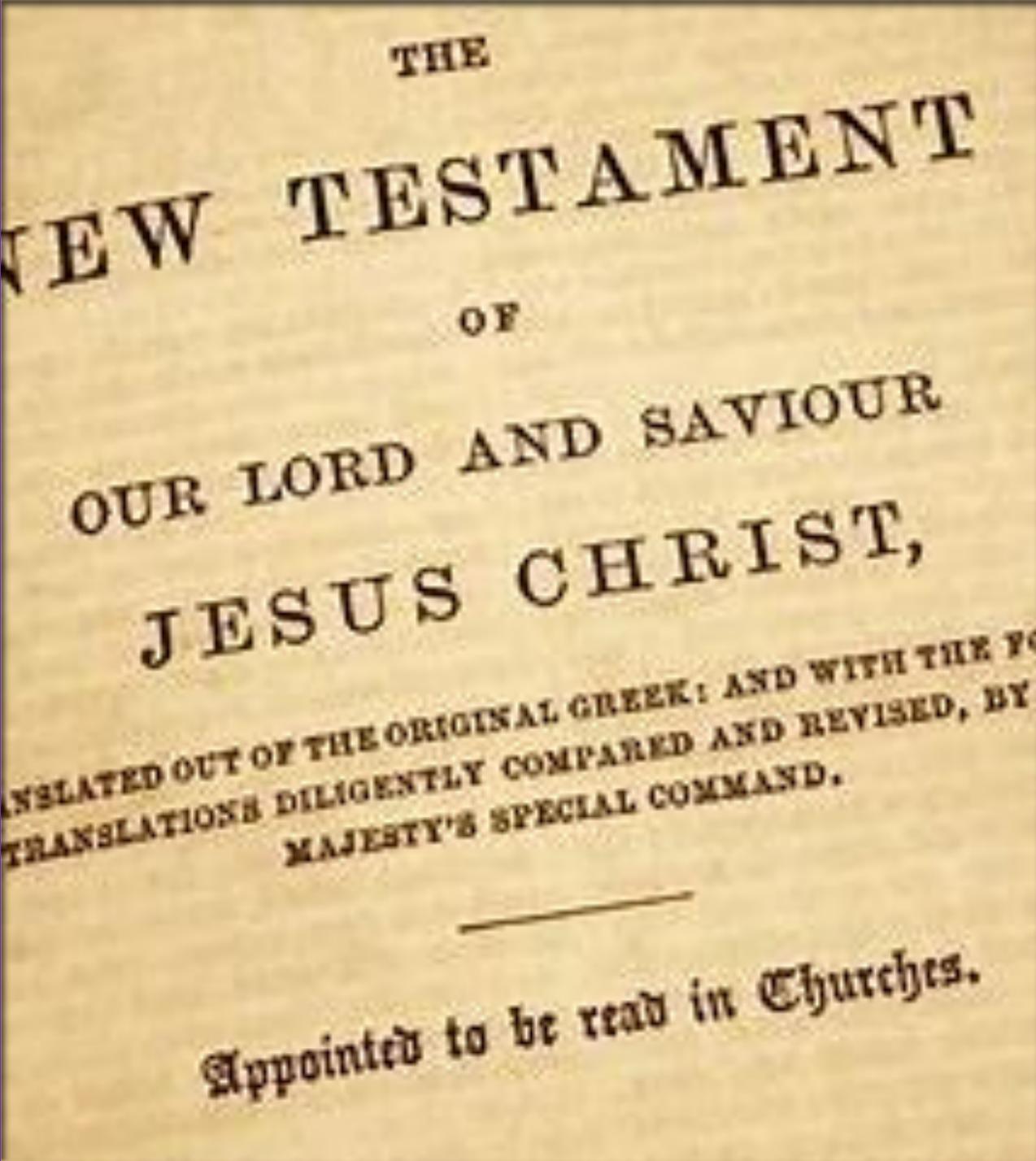
**If you can't preach like Peter,  
if you can't pray like Paul,  
just tell the love of Jesus,  
and say he died for all.**

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OLD TESTAMENT:  
PSALM  
27:13-14





NEW TESTAMENT:

JAMES 1:2-3

1 PETER 1:6-7

Today's Message

**Trials and Tribulations  
In  
This Life**

Jennifer Neidhart



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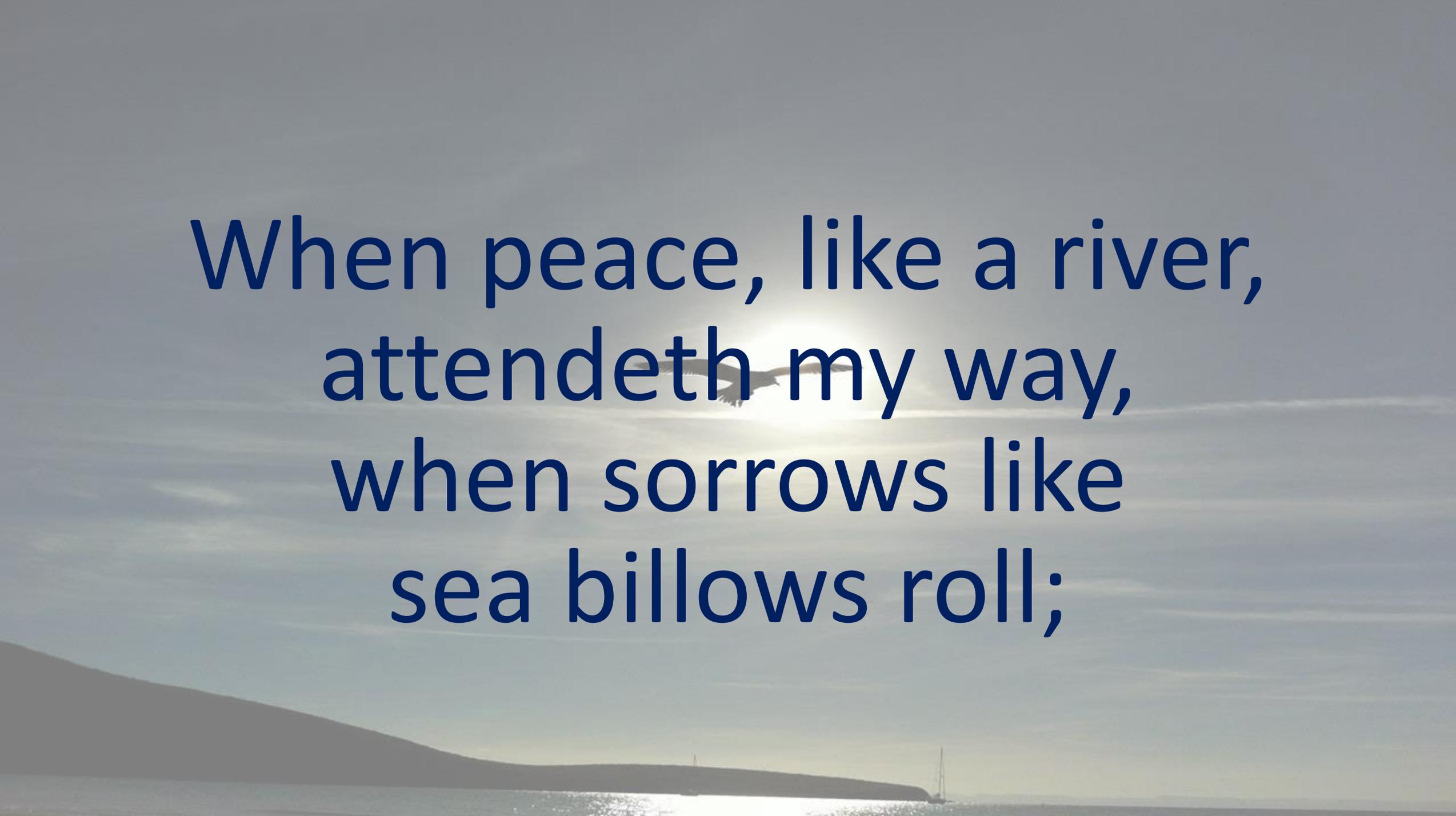
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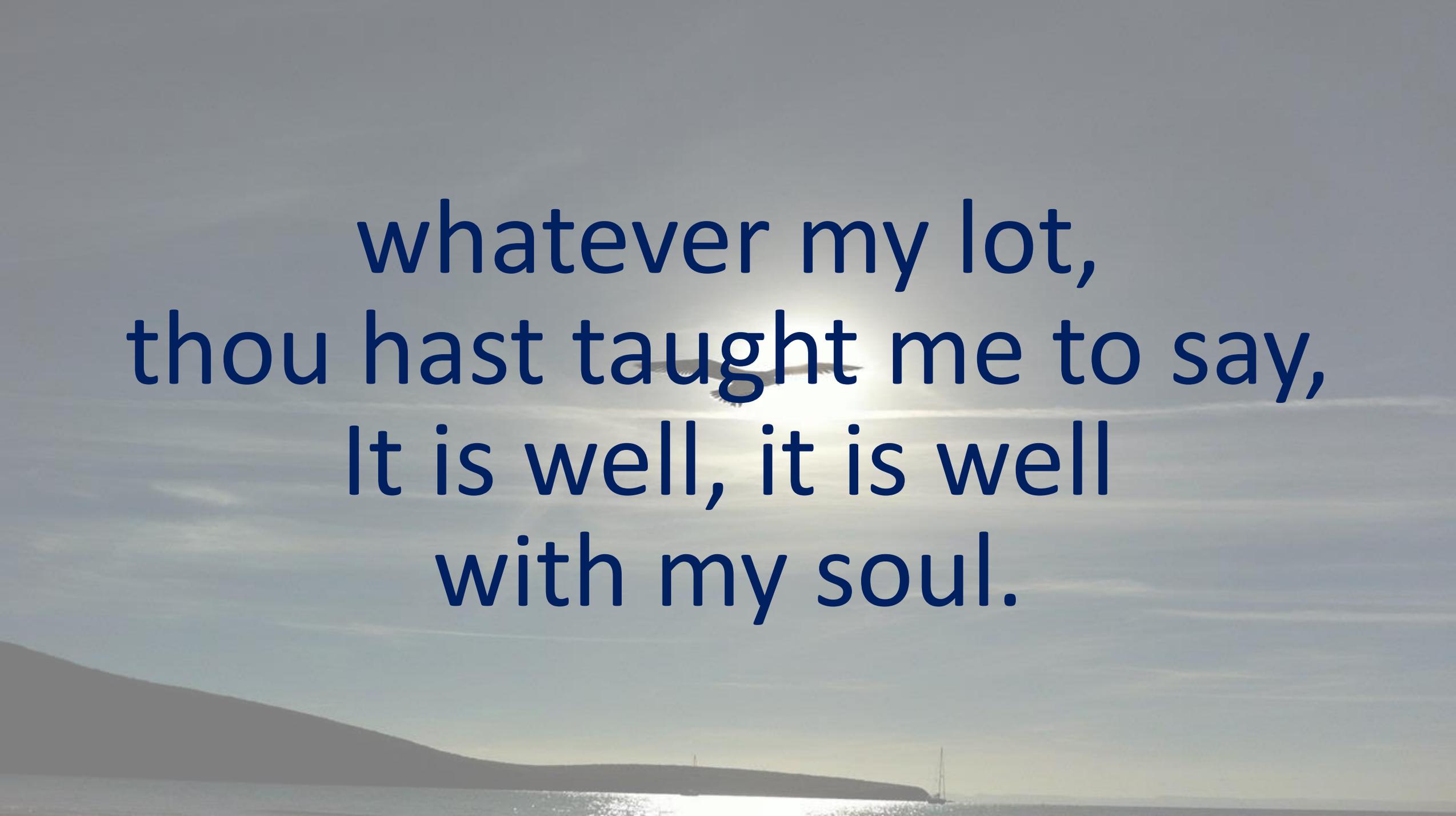
Soul

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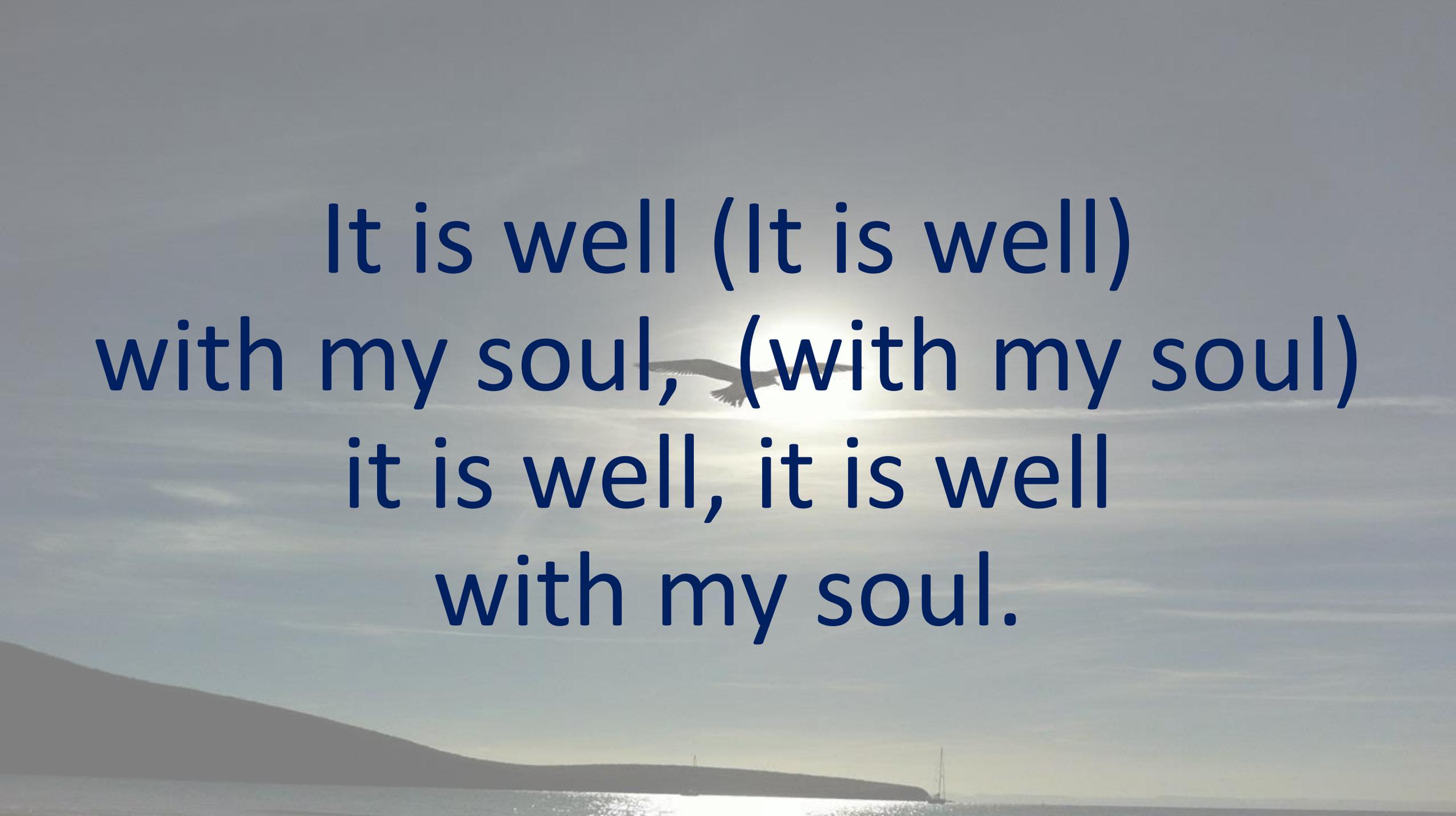


A serene seascape at sunset or sunrise. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and reflecting on the water. A bird is in flight, silhouetted against the sun. In the distance, a sailboat is visible on the water. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

When peace, like a river,  
attendeth my way,  
when sorrows like  
sea billows roll;

A serene sunset or sunrise over a body of water. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and reflecting on the water. A bird is captured in flight, silhouetted against the bright light. The sky is a mix of soft blues and oranges. In the foreground, the dark silhouette of a landmass or hills is visible. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

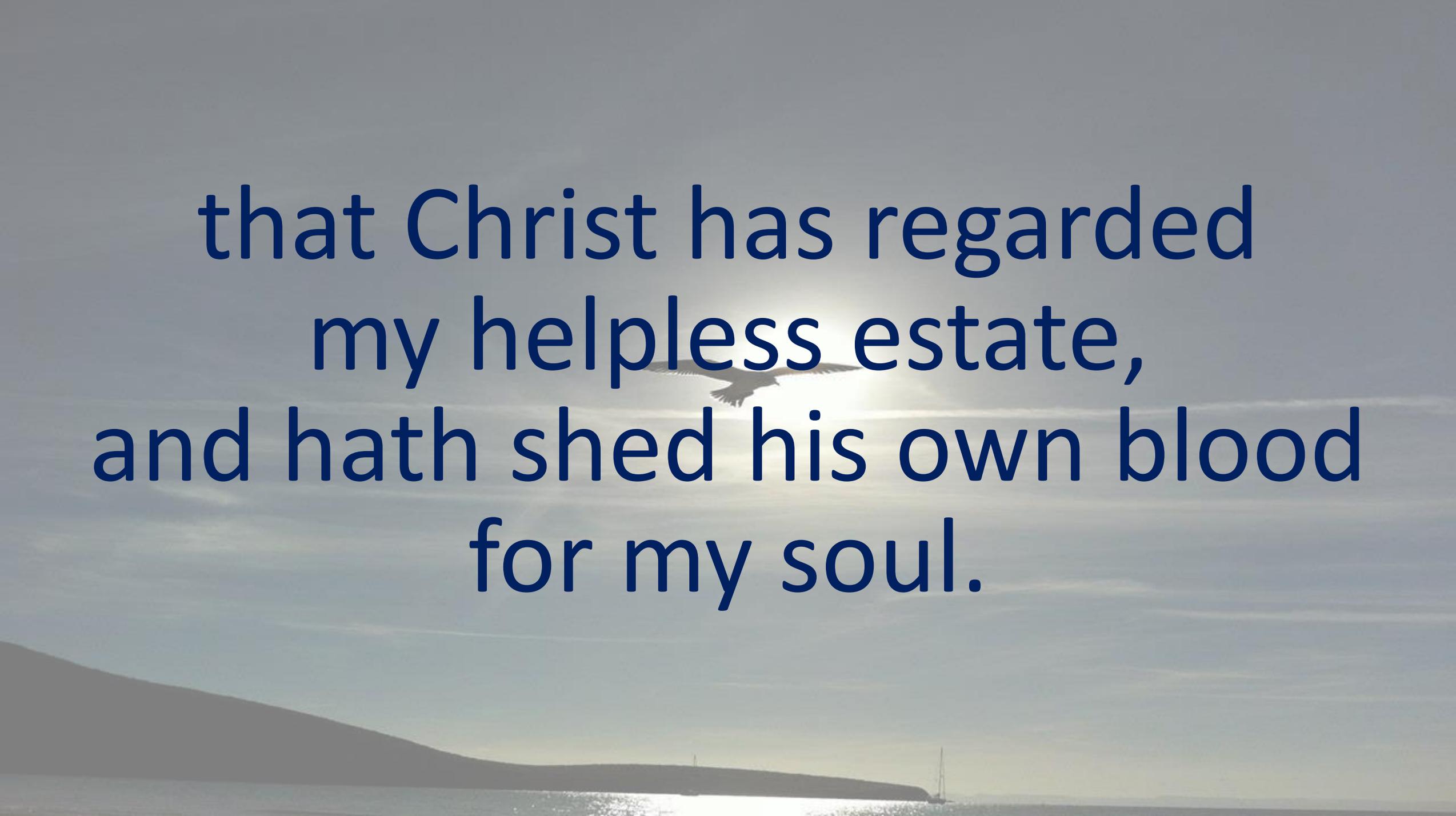
whatever my lot,  
thou hast taught me to say,  
It is well, it is well  
with my soul.



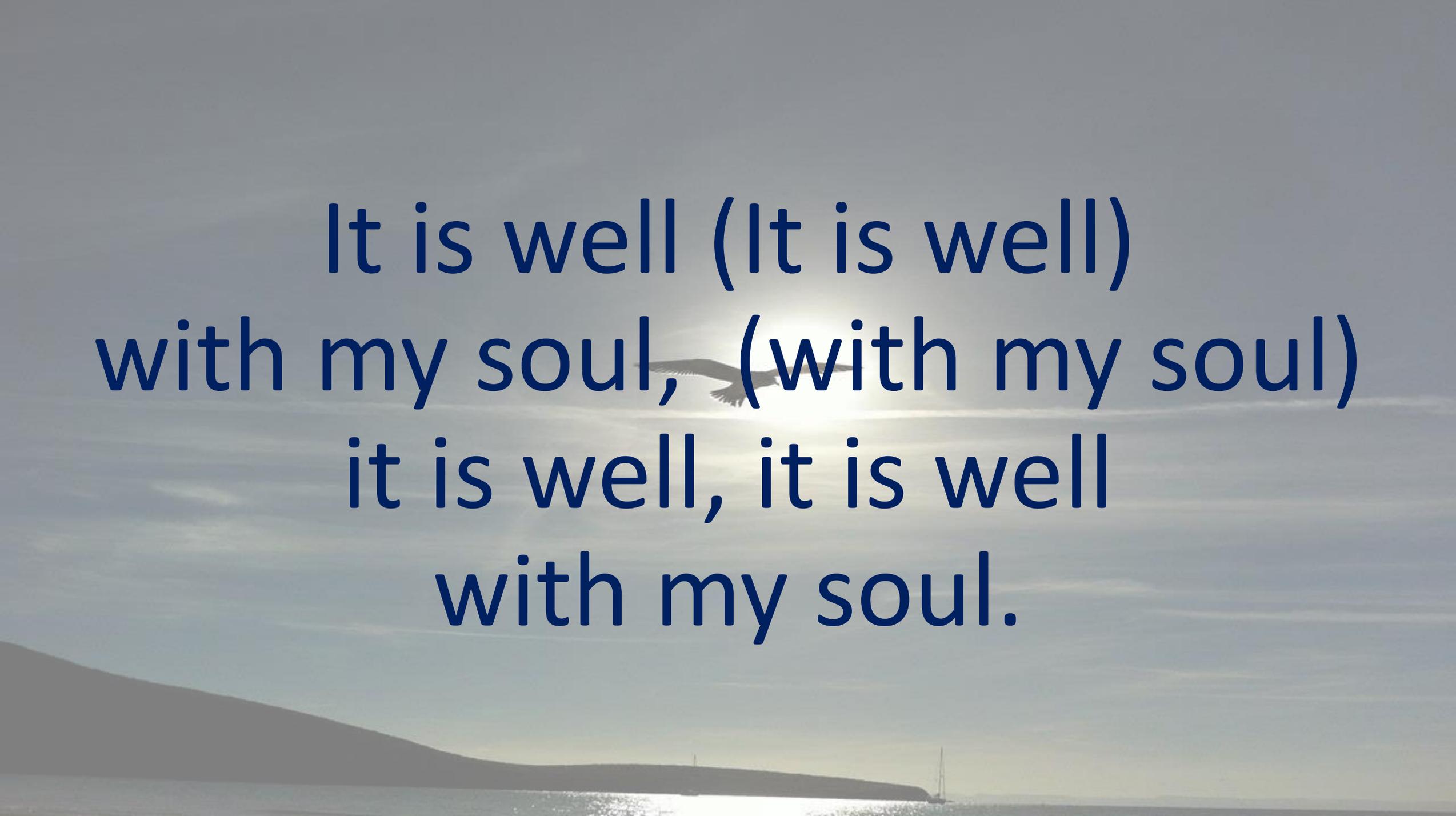
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with my soul, (with my soul)  
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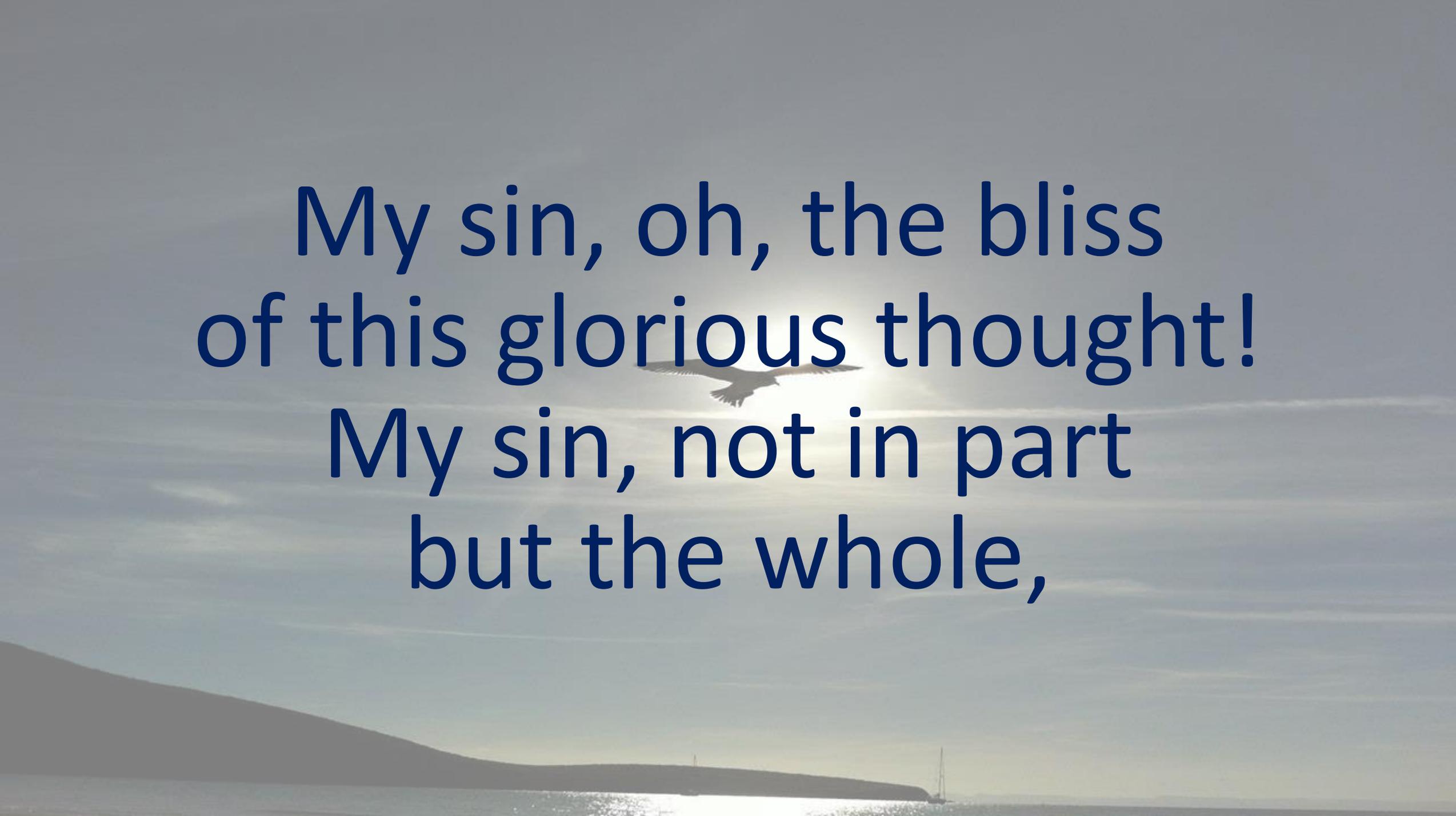
Though Satan should buffet,  
though trials should come,  
let this blest  
assurance control,



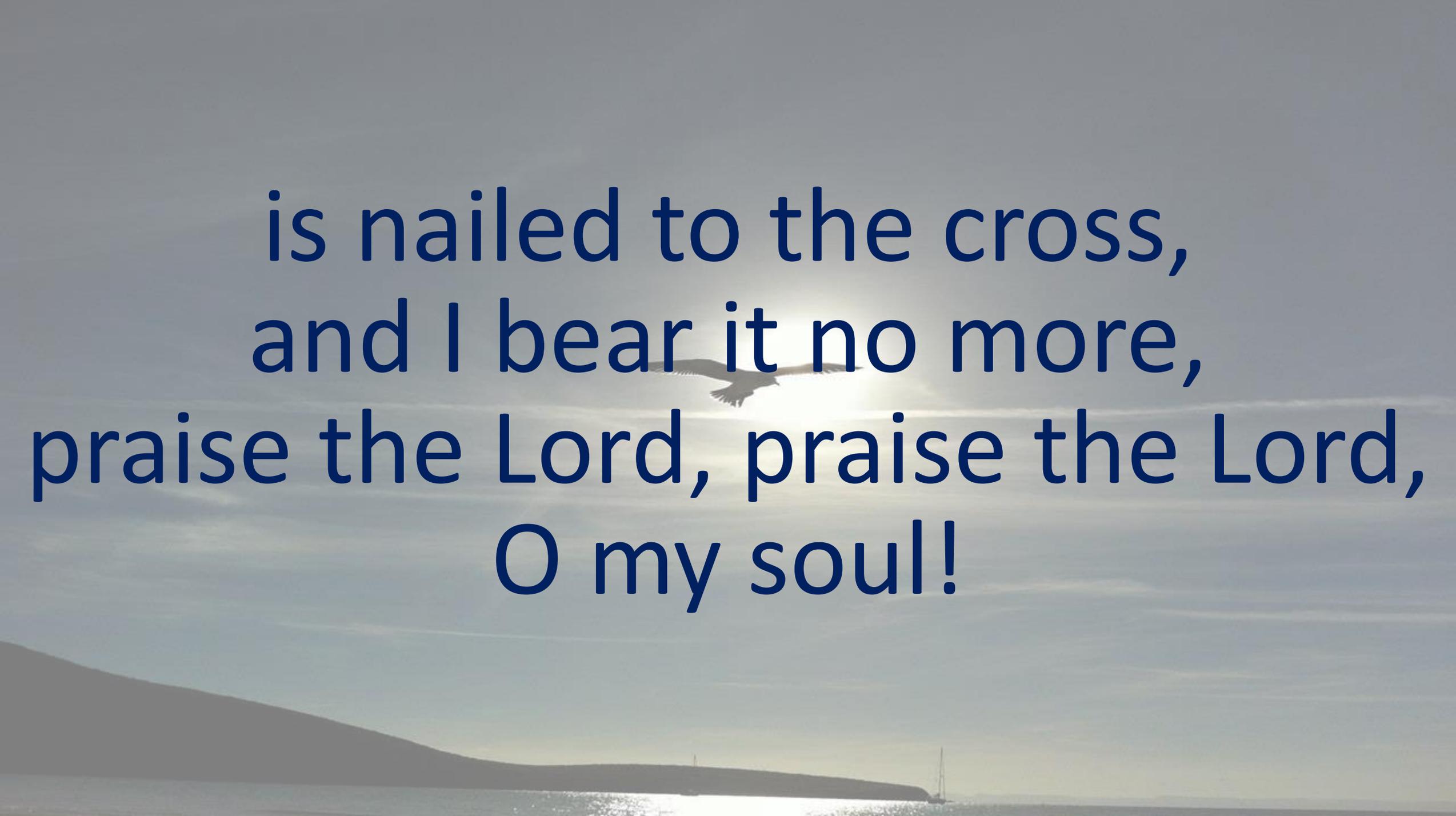
that Christ has regarded  
my helpless estate,  
and hath shed his own blood  
for my soul.



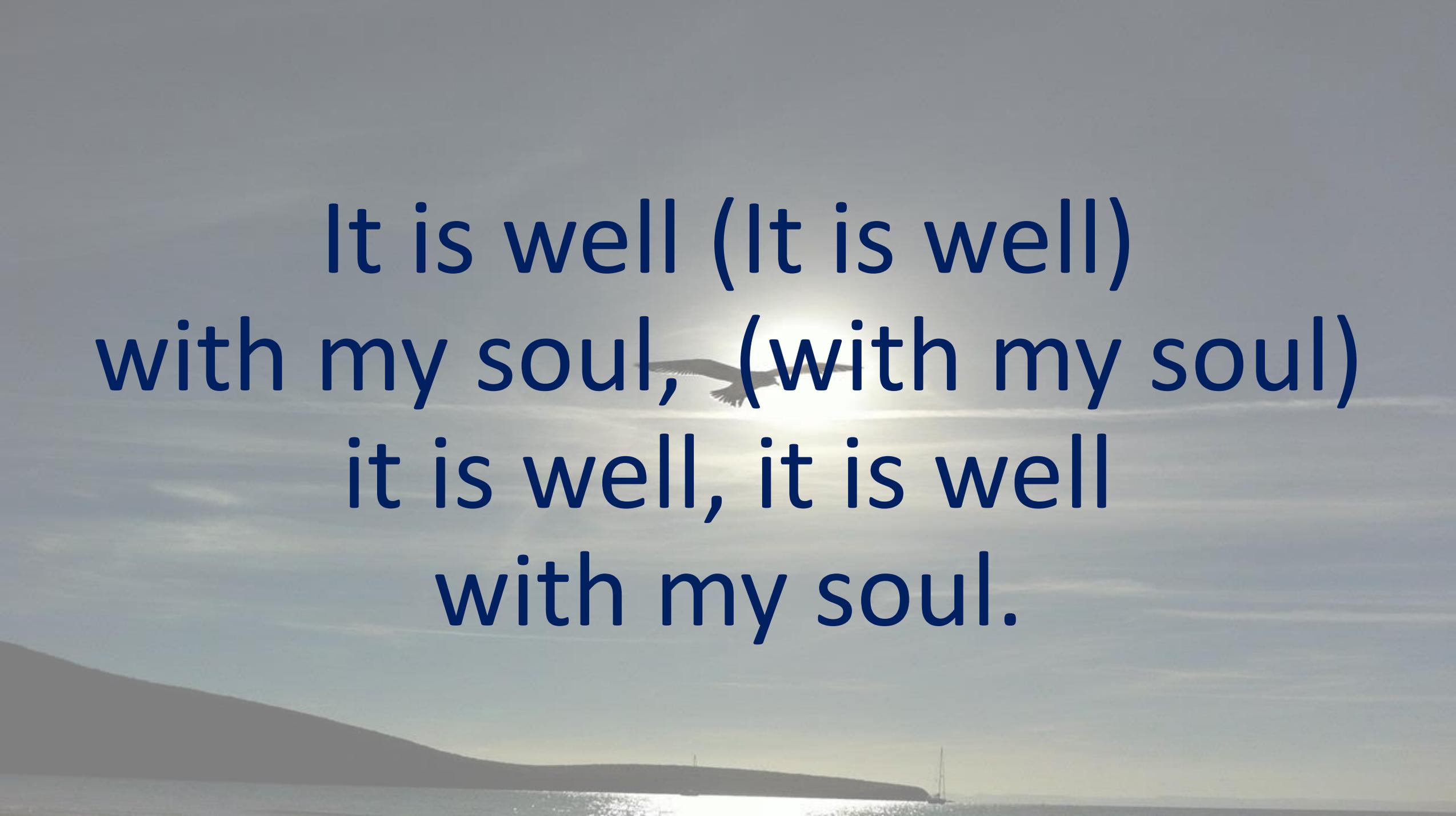
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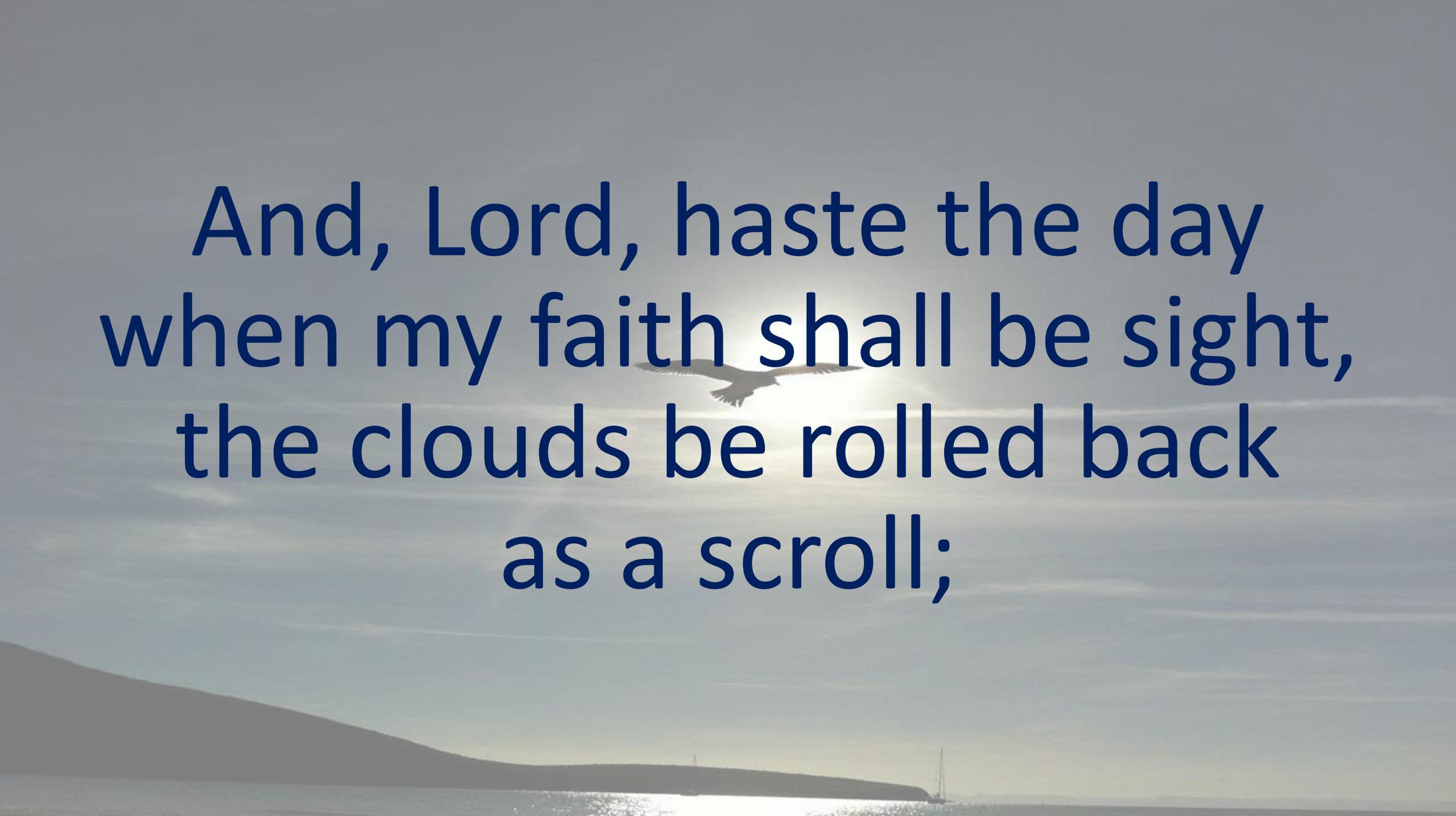
My sin, oh, the bliss  
of this glorious thought!  
My sin, not in part  
but the whole,

A serene landscape with a sunset or sunrise over a body of water. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds, and the sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow. A bird is captured in flight, silhouetted against the sun. In the foreground, the water reflects the light, and a dark landmass is visible on the left. Two small sailboats are visible on the water in the distance.

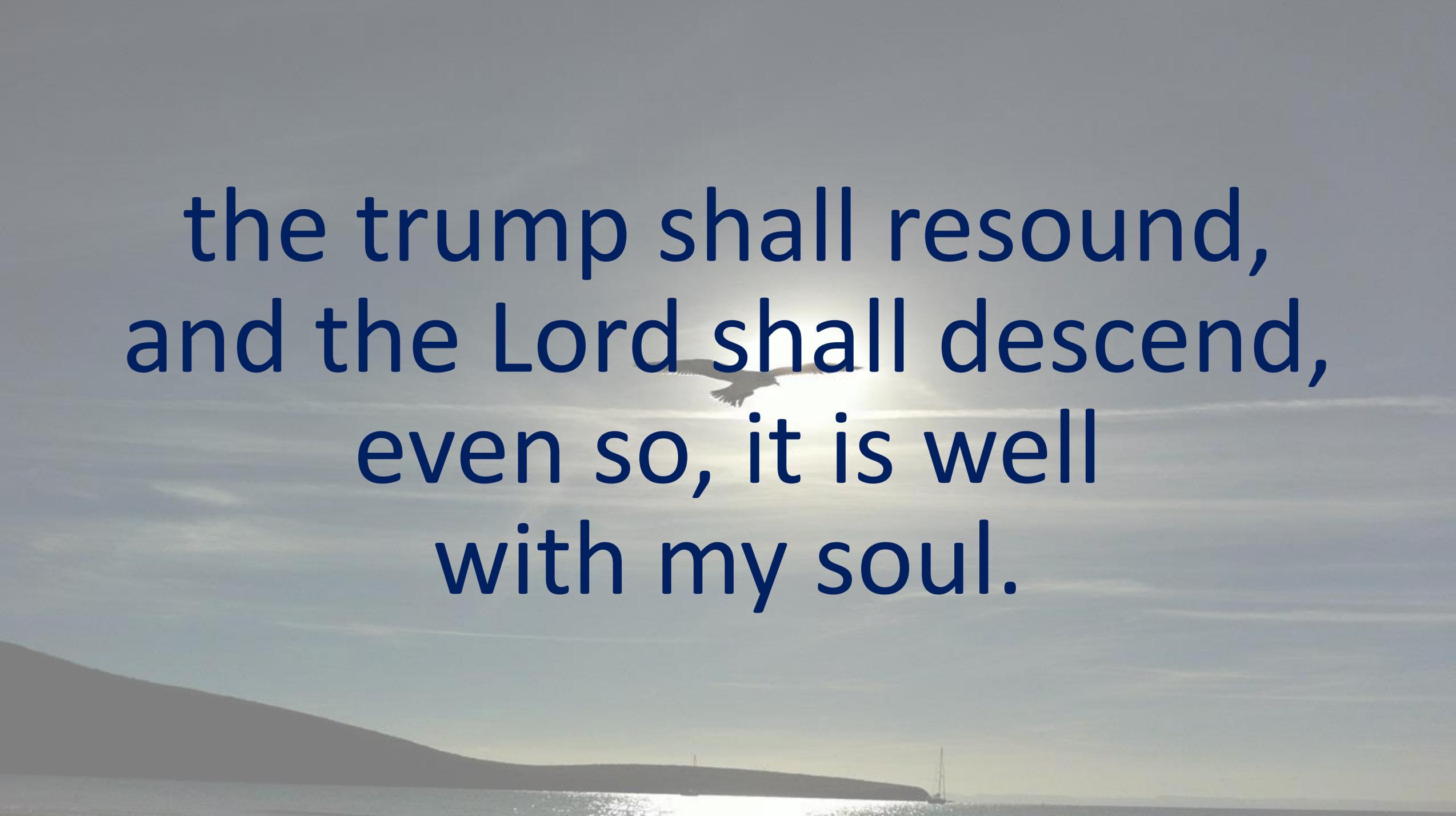
is nailed to the cross,  
and I bear it no more,  
praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
O my soul!



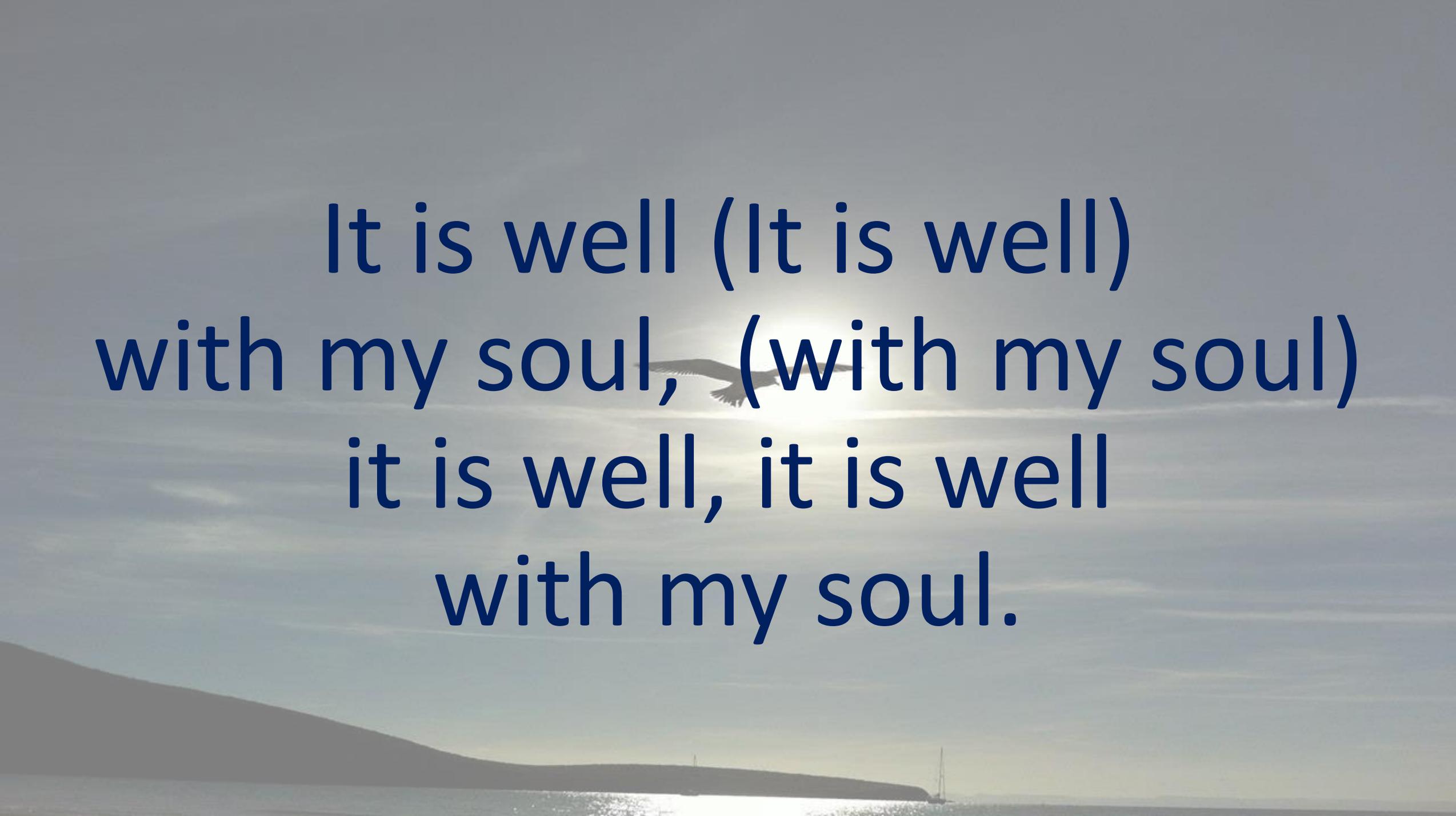
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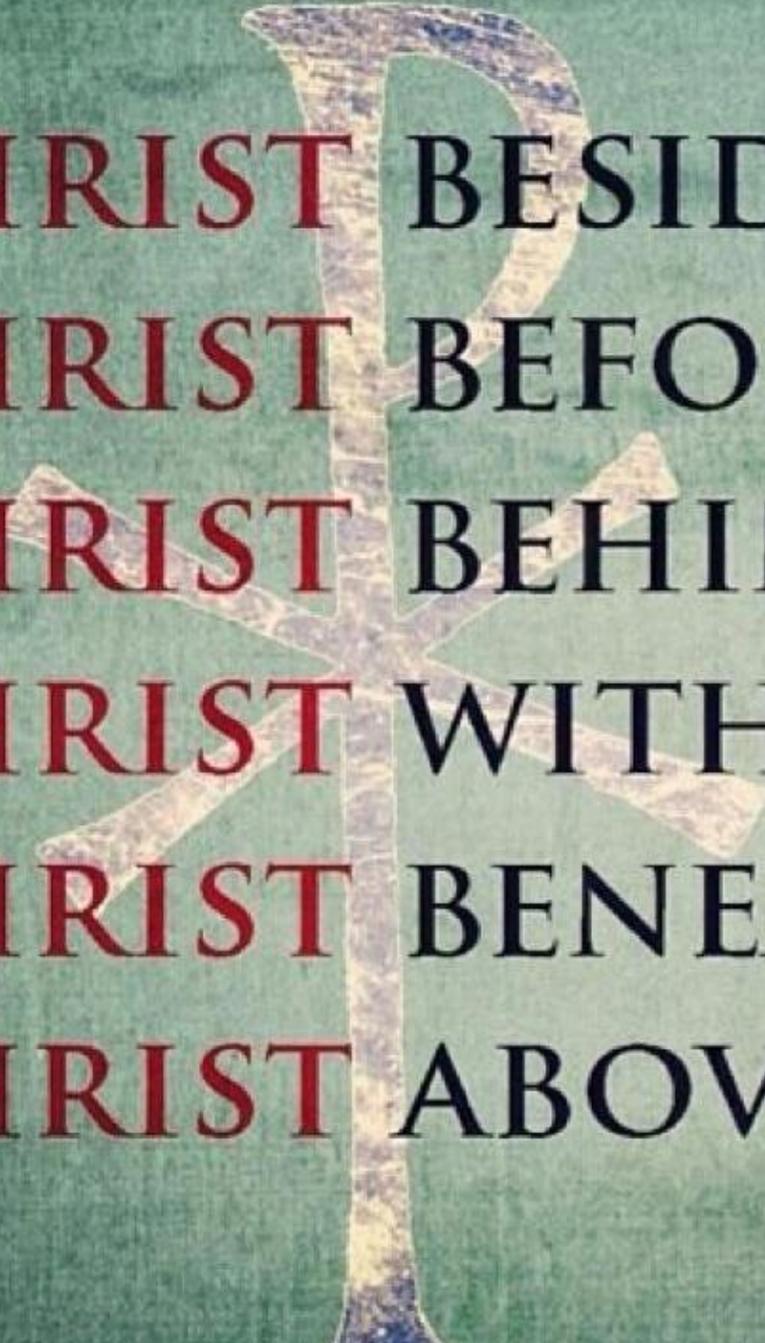
And, Lord, haste the day  
when my faith shall be sight,  
the clouds be rolled back  
as a scroll;



the trump shall resound,  
and the Lord shall descend,  
even so, it is well  
with my soul.



It is well (It is well)  
with my soul, (with my soul)  
it is well, it is well  
with my soul.



CHRIST BESIDE ME,  
CHRIST BEFORE ME,  
CHRIST BEHIND ME,  
CHRIST WITHIN ME,  
CHRIST BENEATH ME,  
CHRIST ABOVE ME.

Saint Patrick