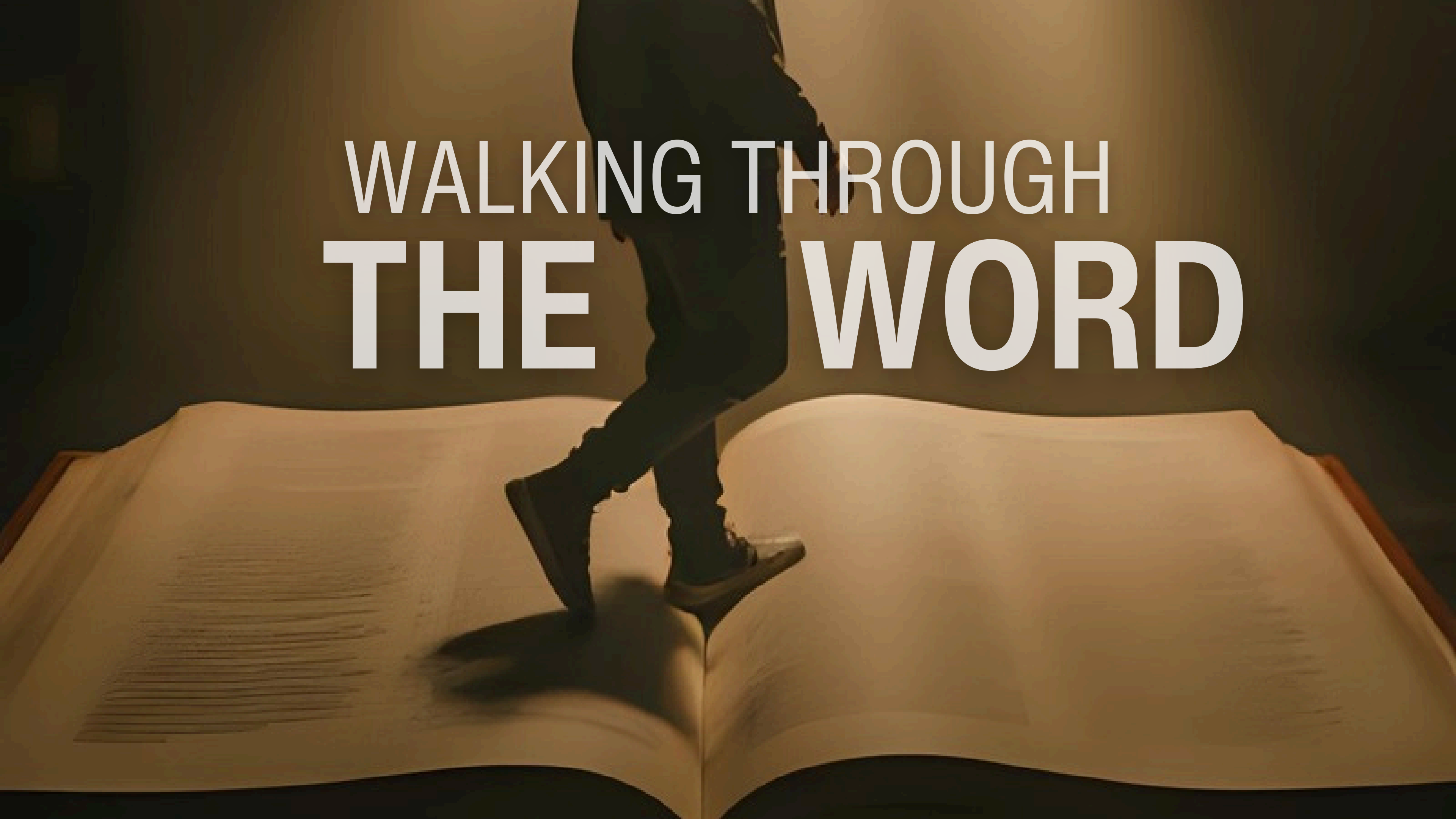
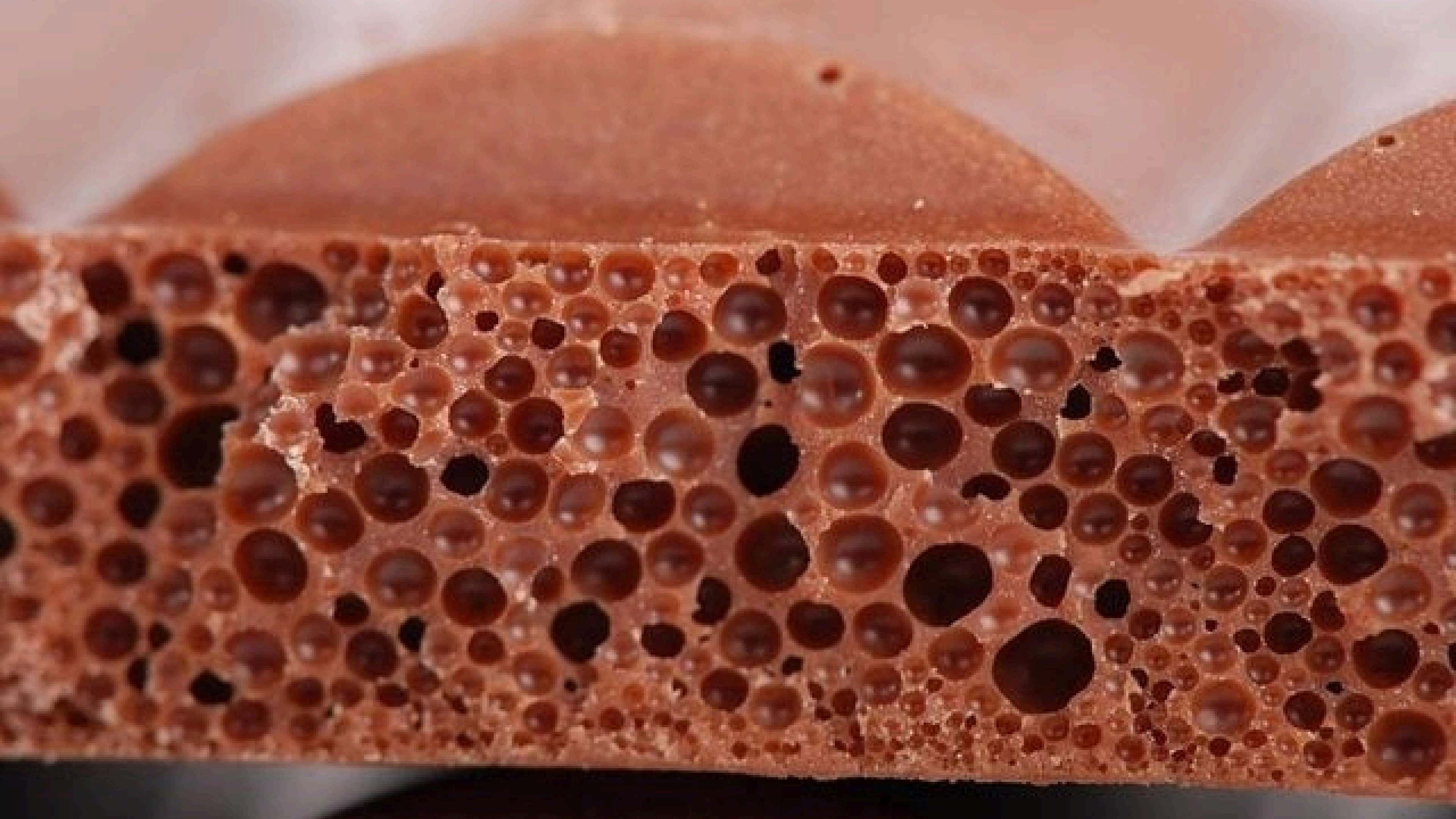


WALKING THROUGH THE WORD





















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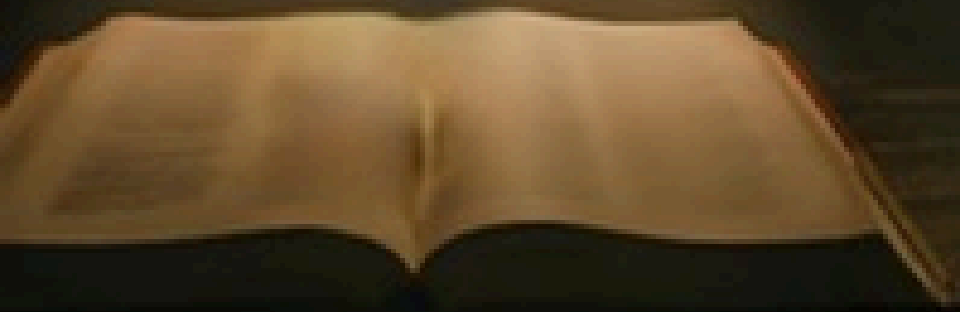
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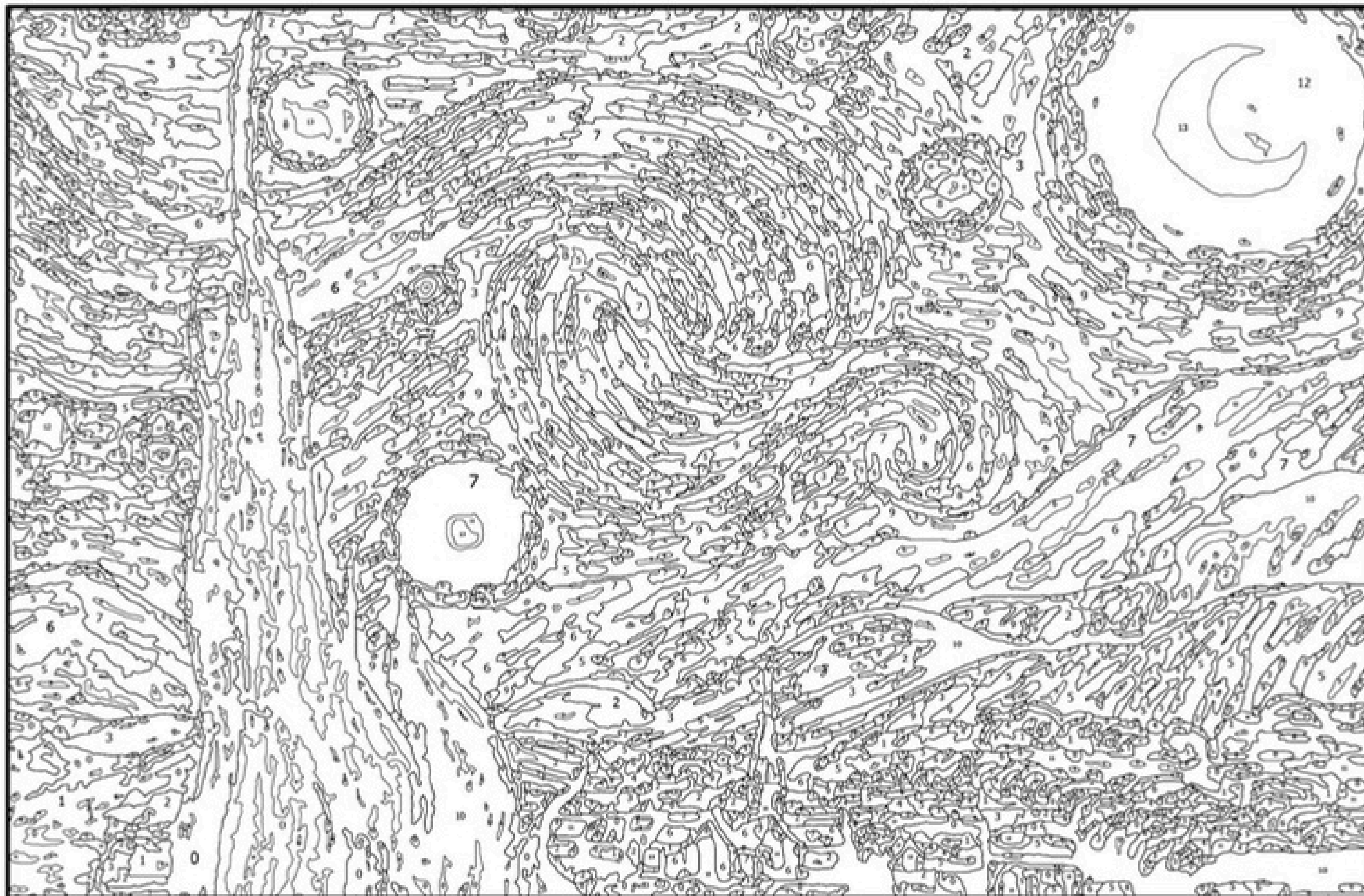
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Purpose of Walking Through the Word

We want to give you a big picture **framework** or **grid** for you to place the small pieces or details of the Bible

Think of it like ...

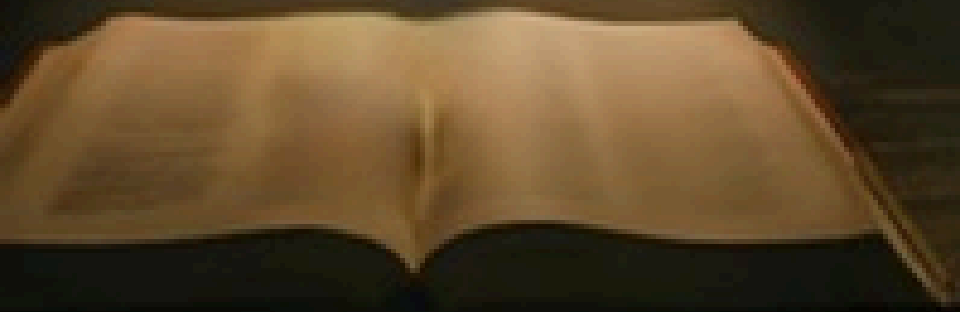




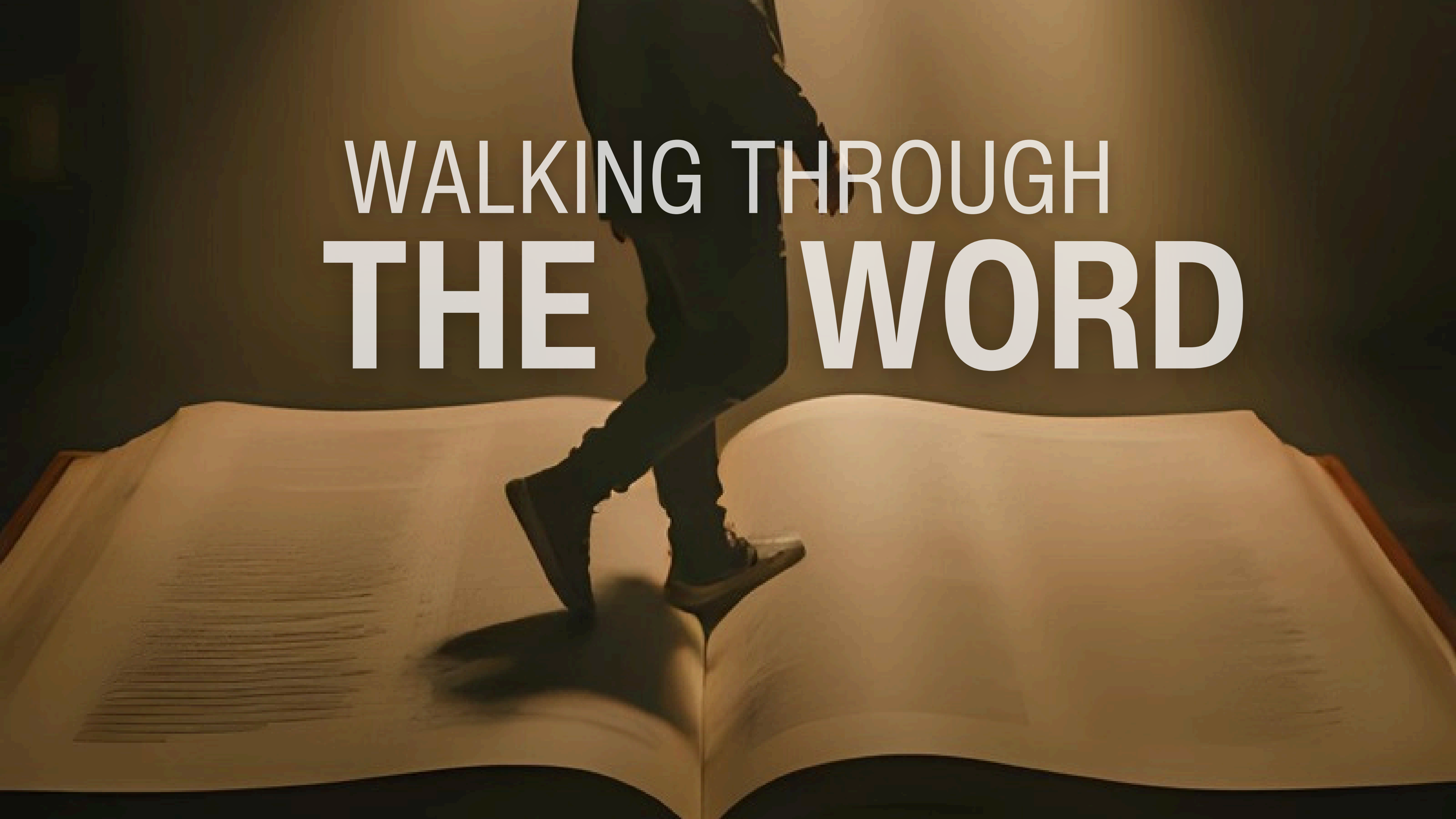


Overview of Walking Through the Word

1. We want you to know what the Bible **is** AND what is **in** the Bible
2. We want to tell you the **story** of the Bible
3. We want to introduce you to essential themes and theological concepts



WALKING THROUGH THE WORD



WHAT IS THE BIBLE?

The **inspired** Word of God ...

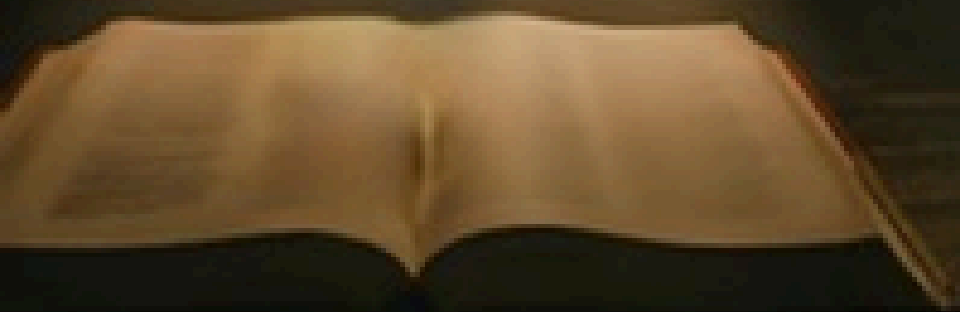


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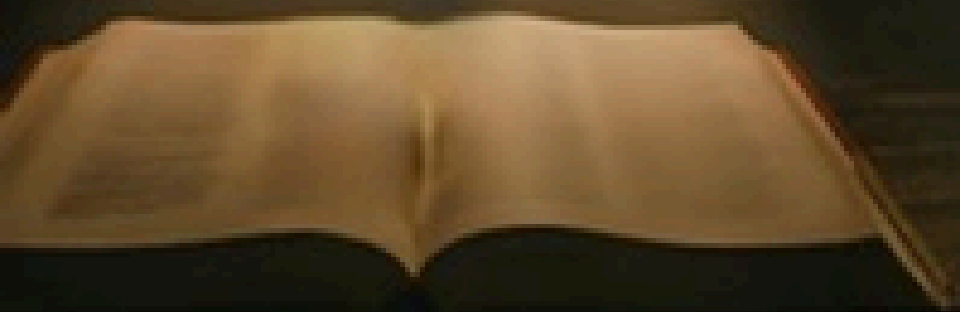
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That is incredibly **diverse** ...



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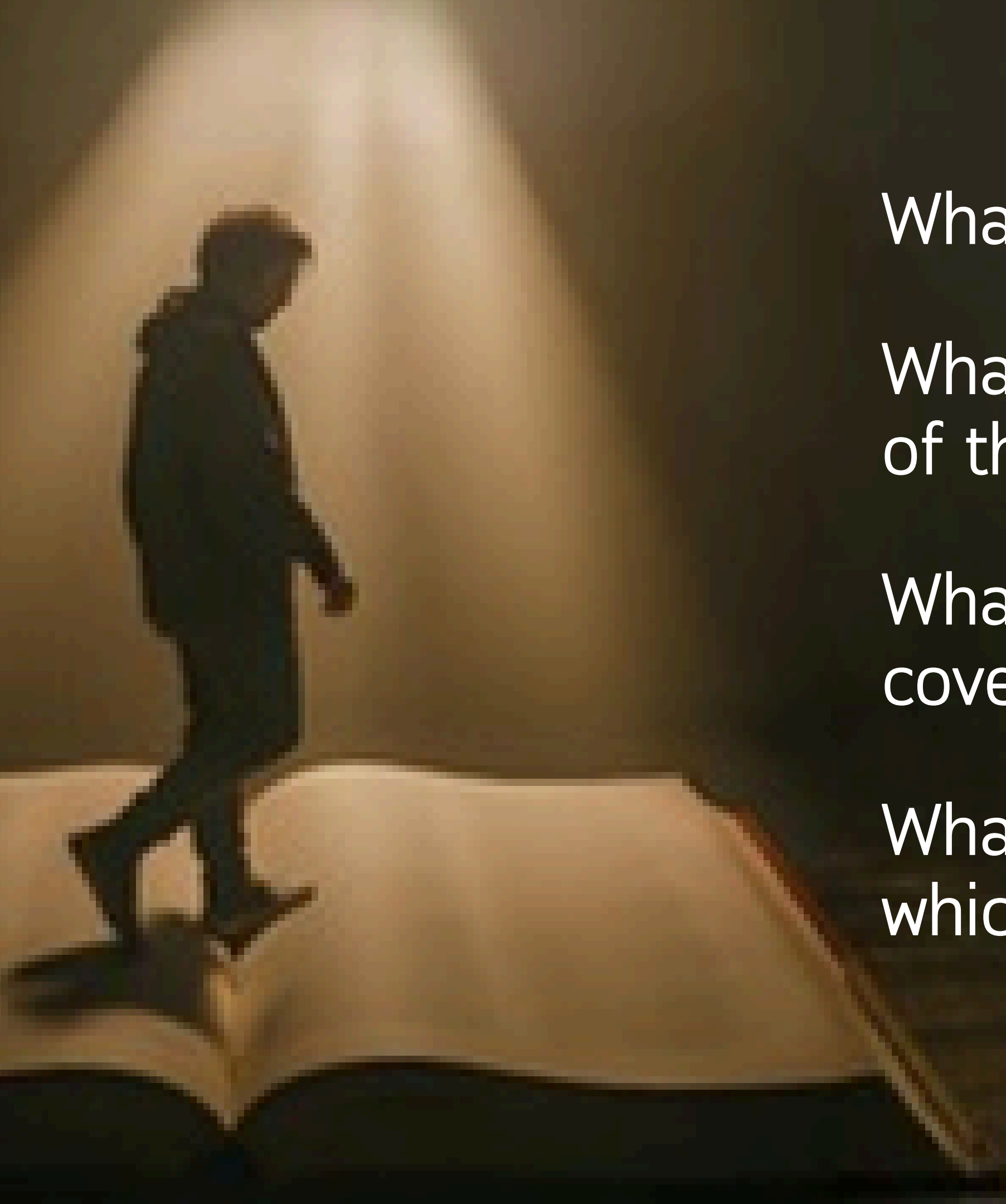
2. That is incredibly **diverse**...

How many books are in the Bible?

How many testaments?

How many authors?

How many years did it take for
the Bible to be written?

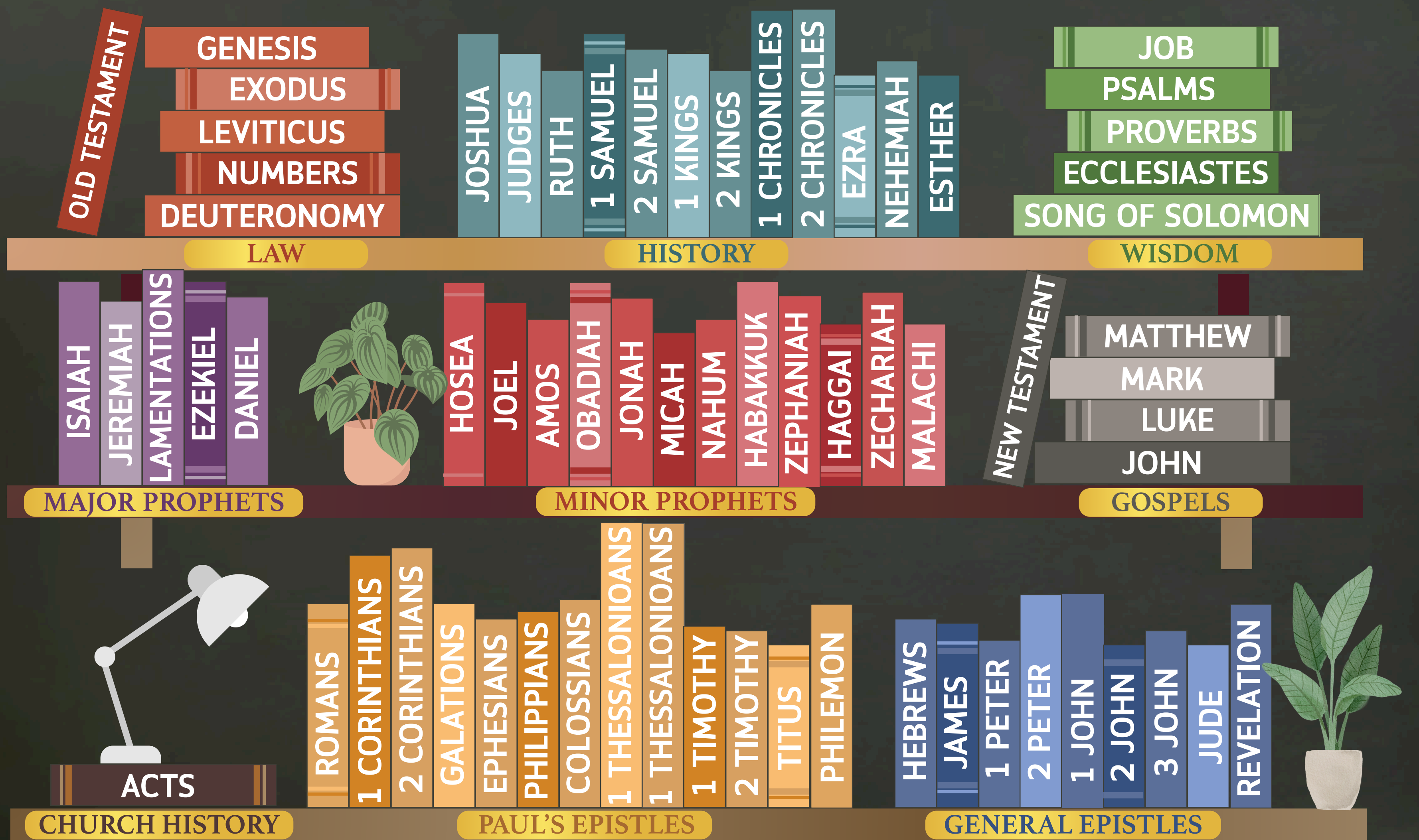


What types of genres are in the Bible?

What were some of the backgrounds of the authors of the Bible?

What are some of the subjects covered in the Bible?

What were some of the situations in which the authors of the Bible wrote?



PAUL | 46-48 AD
First Missionary Journey Acts 13:4 – 14:28



ASIA

GALATIA

LYCAONIA

Antioch

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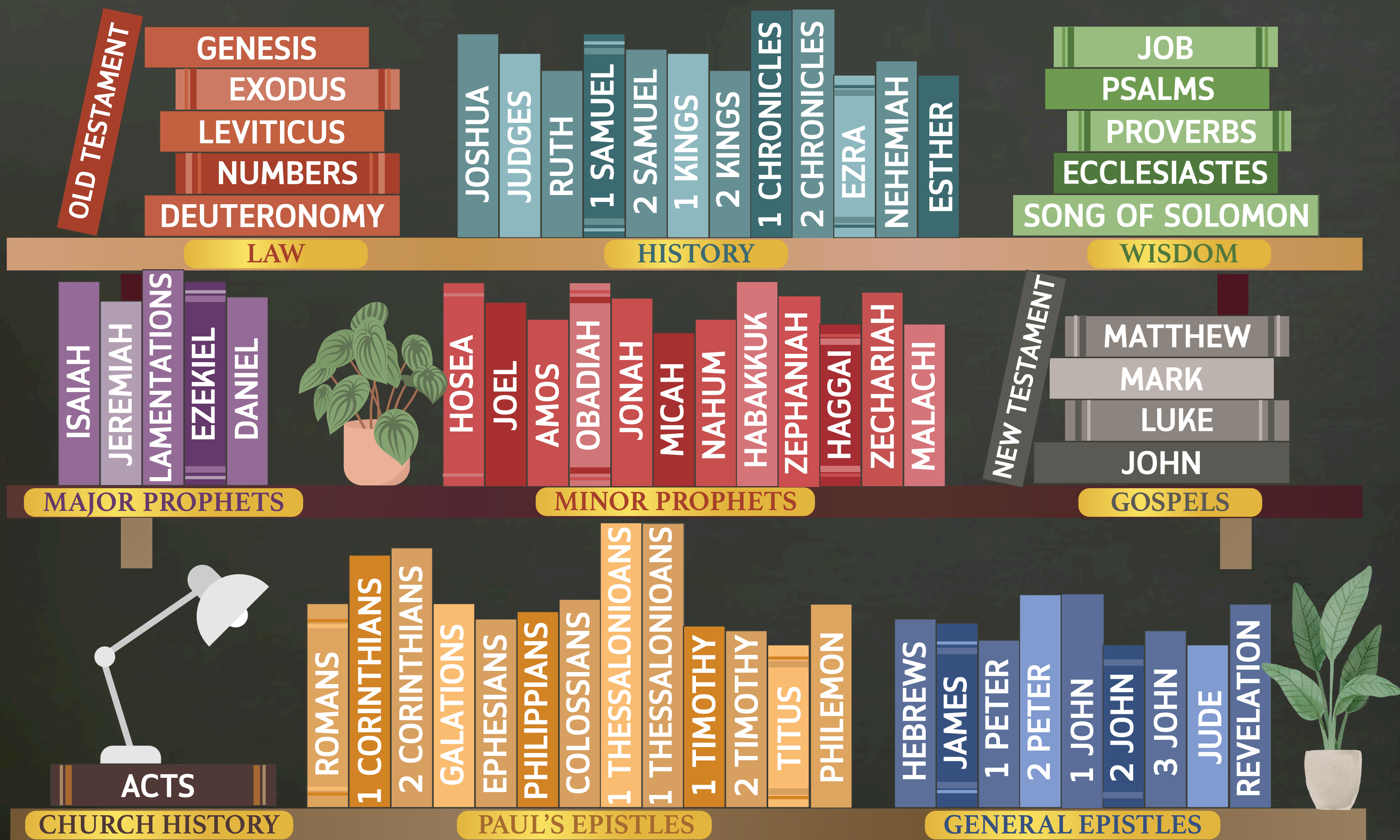
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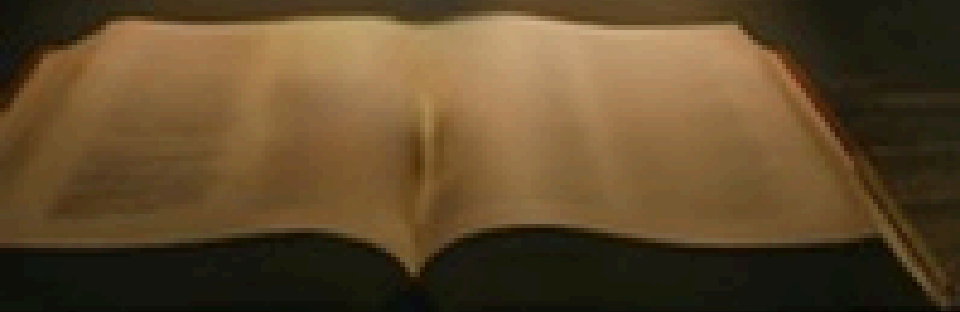


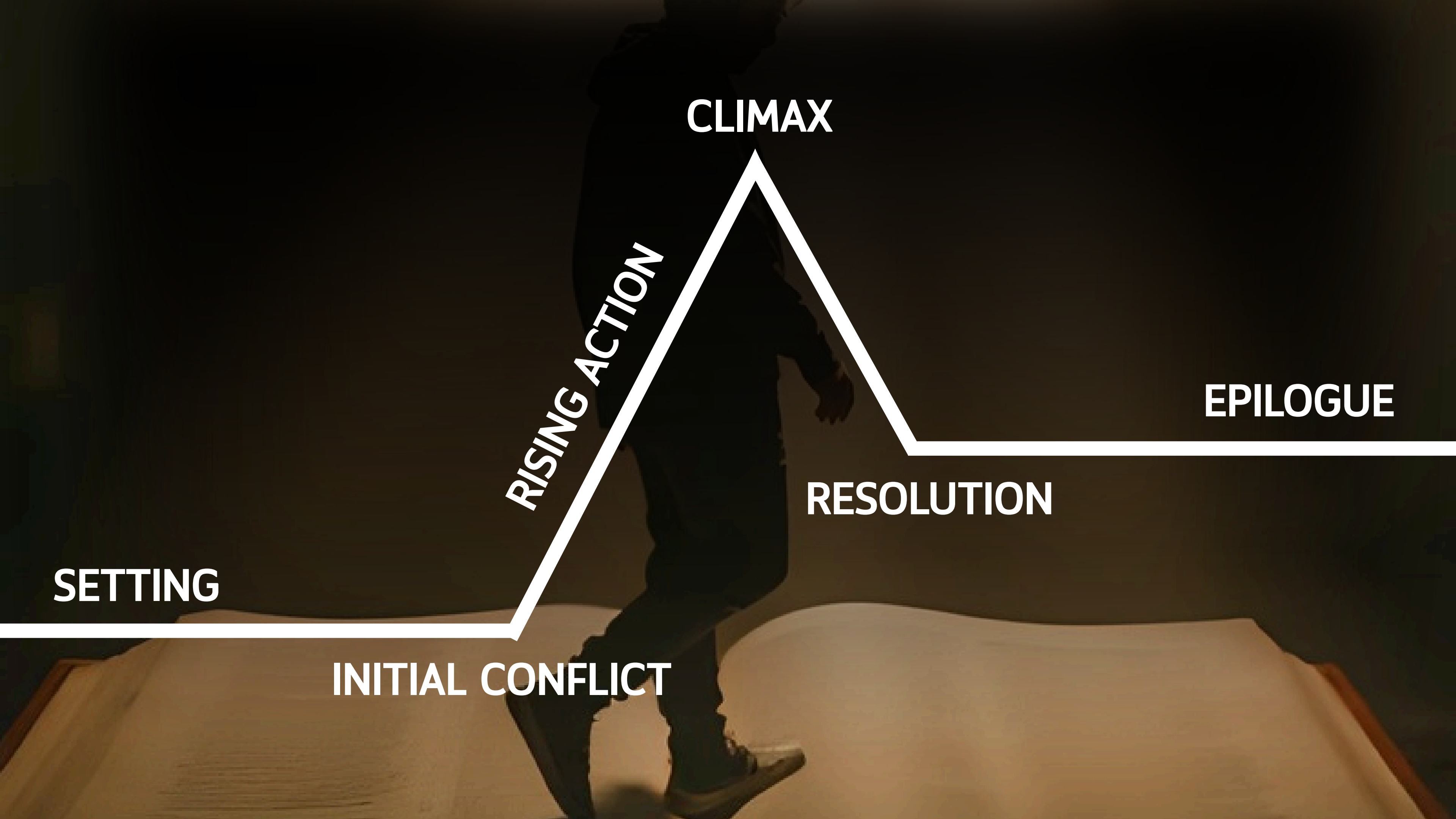
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INITIAL CONFLICT

RIISING ACTION

CLIMAX

RESOLUTION

EPILOGUE

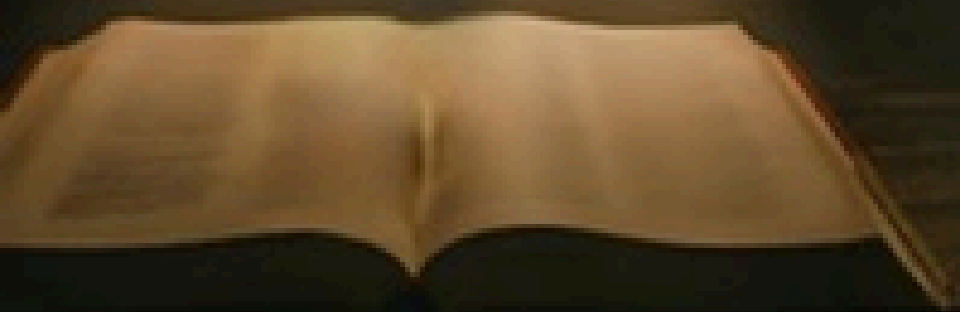
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That can transform your life.

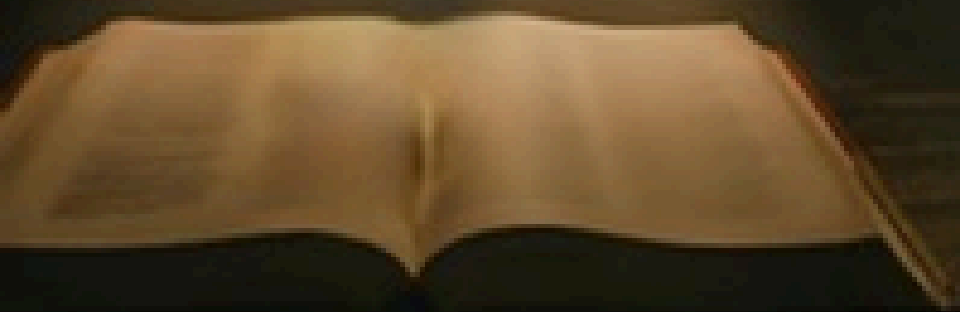


JOHN 17:3

And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.

PHILIPPIANS 3:8-10

8 More than that, I count all things to be loss in view of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them mere rubbish, so that I may gain Christ, 9 and may be found in Him, not having a righteousness of my own derived from the Law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which comes from God on the basis of faith, 10 that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death;



“The Biblical story tells us who we are (identity), why we’re here (purpose), where we’re going (destiny), and how our lives can count for eternity.” Scot Keen







