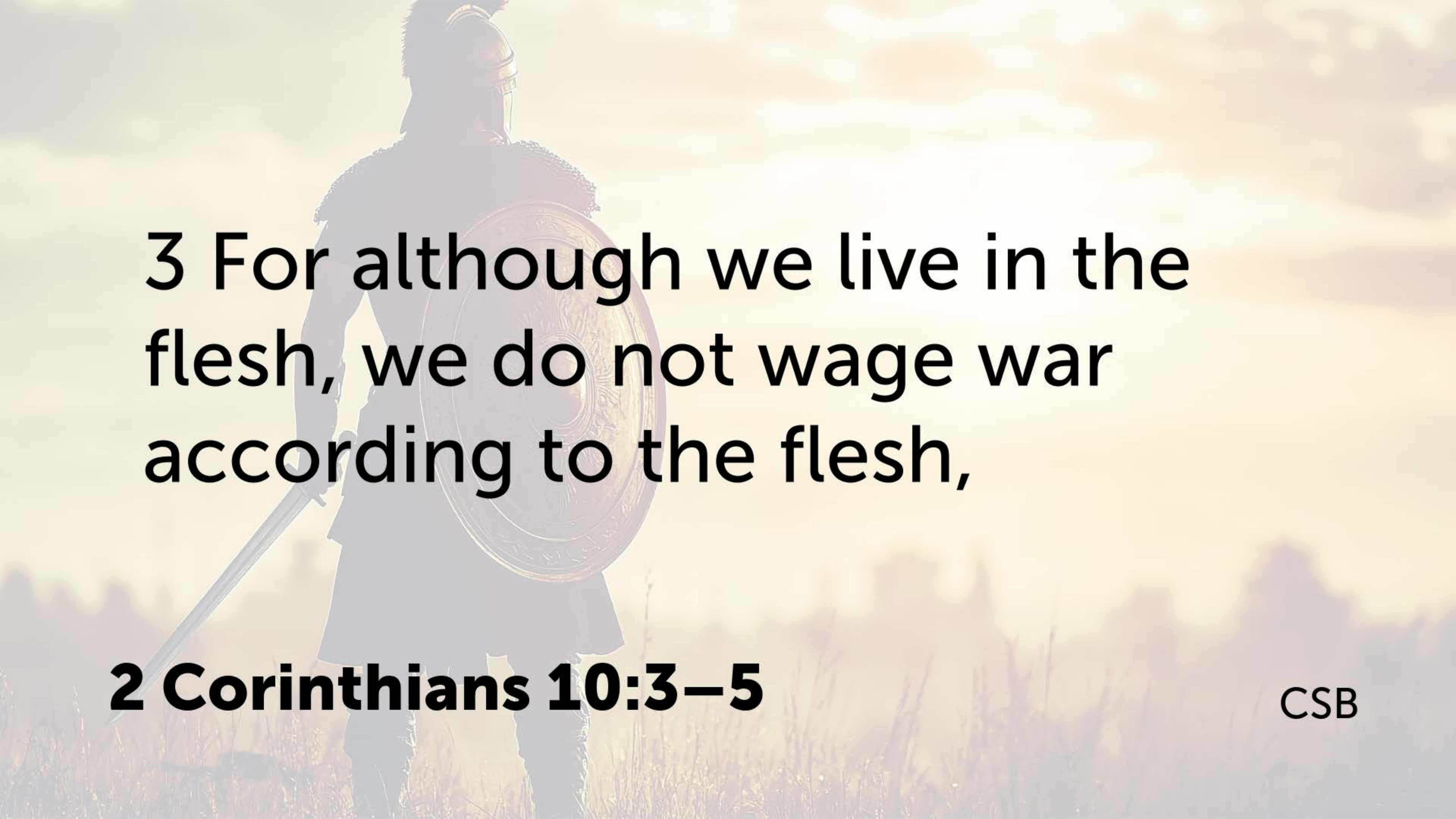




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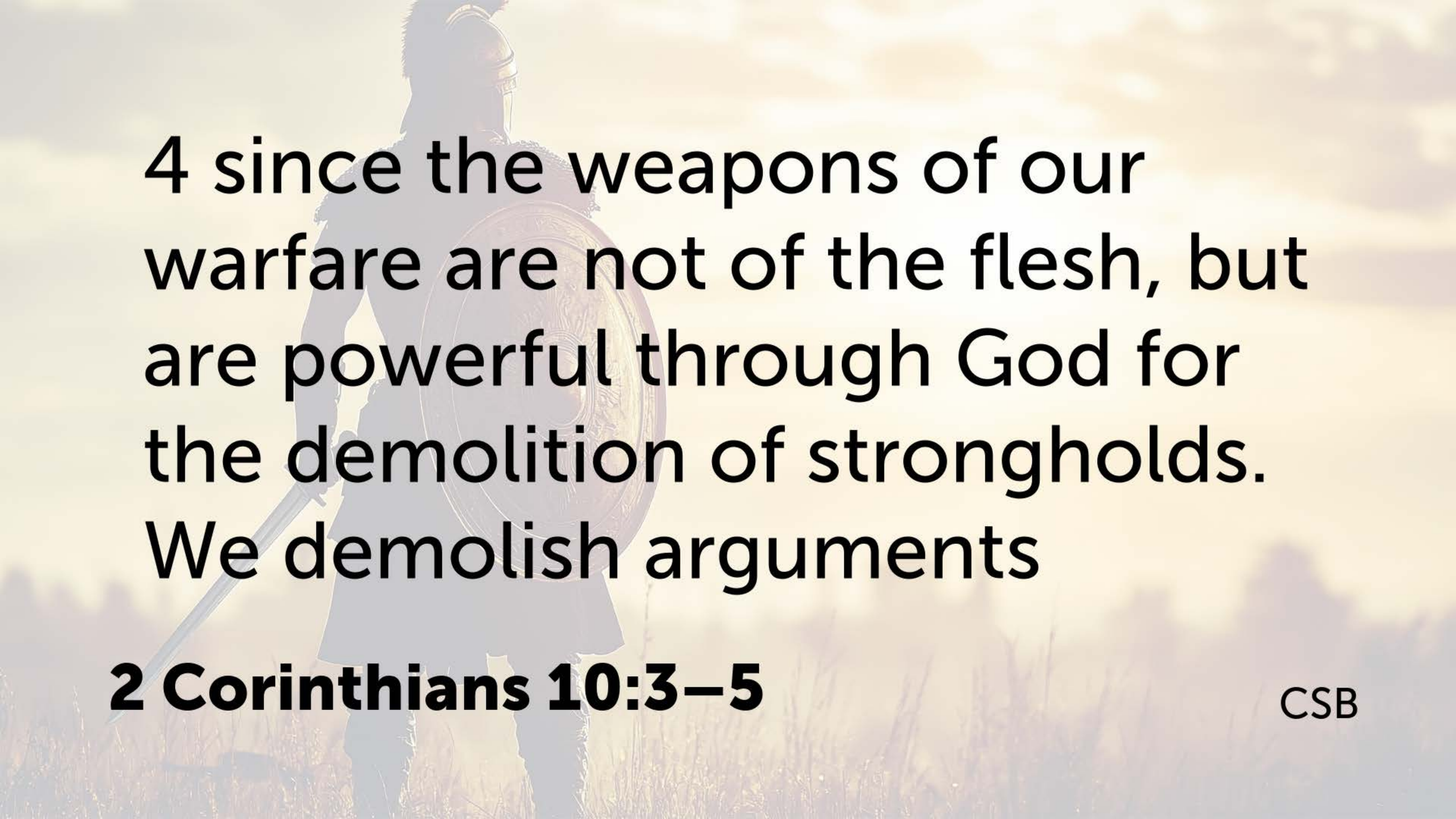
EPHESIANS 6:10-18

A Roman soldier in a helmet and tunic stands in a field of tall grass at sunset. He is holding a sword in his right hand and a large, ornate shield in his left. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow. The soldier is facing away from the camera, looking towards the horizon.

3 For although we live in the
flesh, we do not wage war
according to the flesh,

2 Corinthians 10:3–5

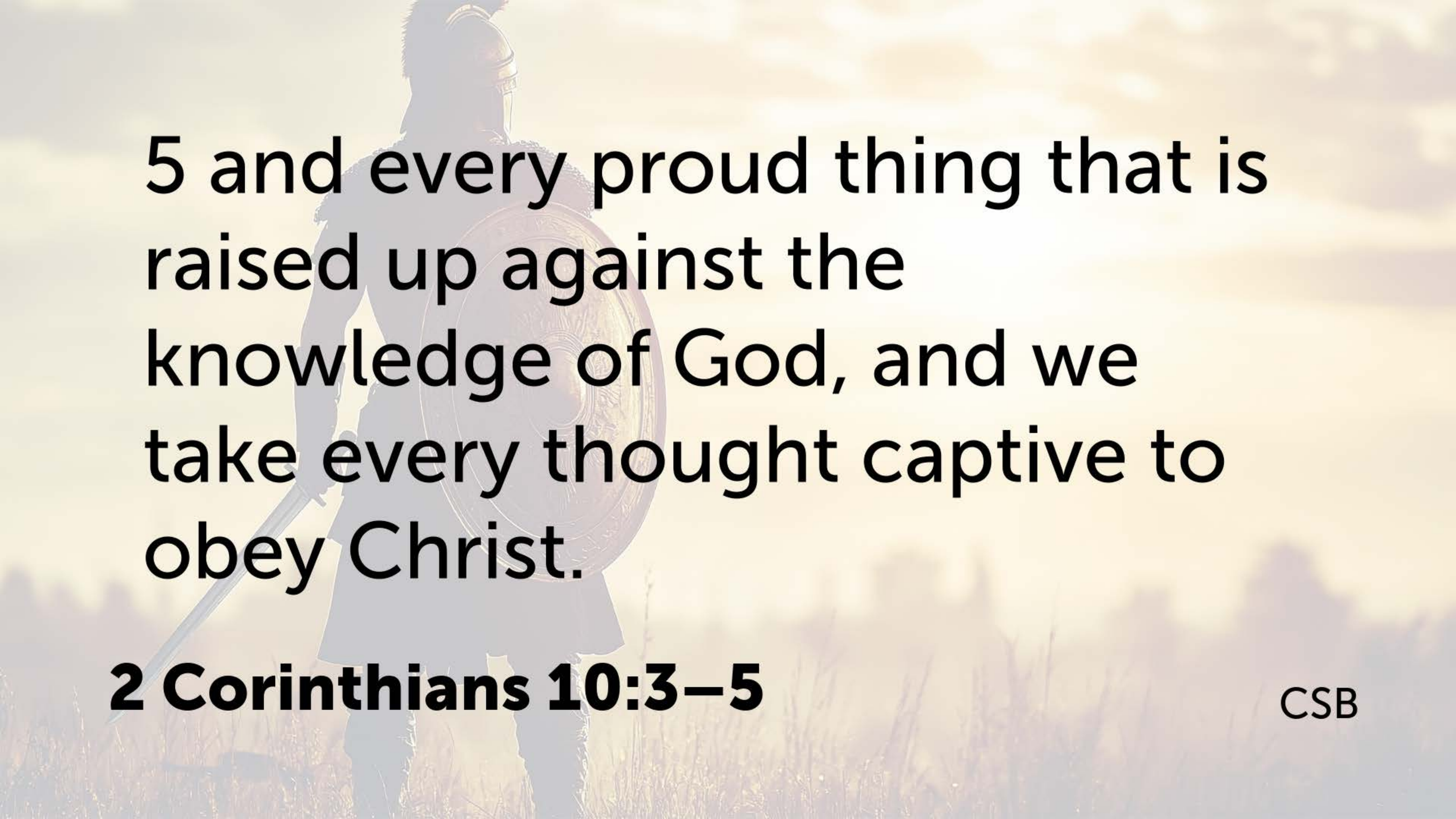
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4 since the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh, but are powerful through God for the demolition of strongholds. We demolish arguments

2 Corinthians 10:3–5

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5 and every proud thing that is
raised up against the
knowledge of God, and we
take every thought captive to
obey Christ.

2 Corinthians 10:3–5

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Living with Eternity in Mind

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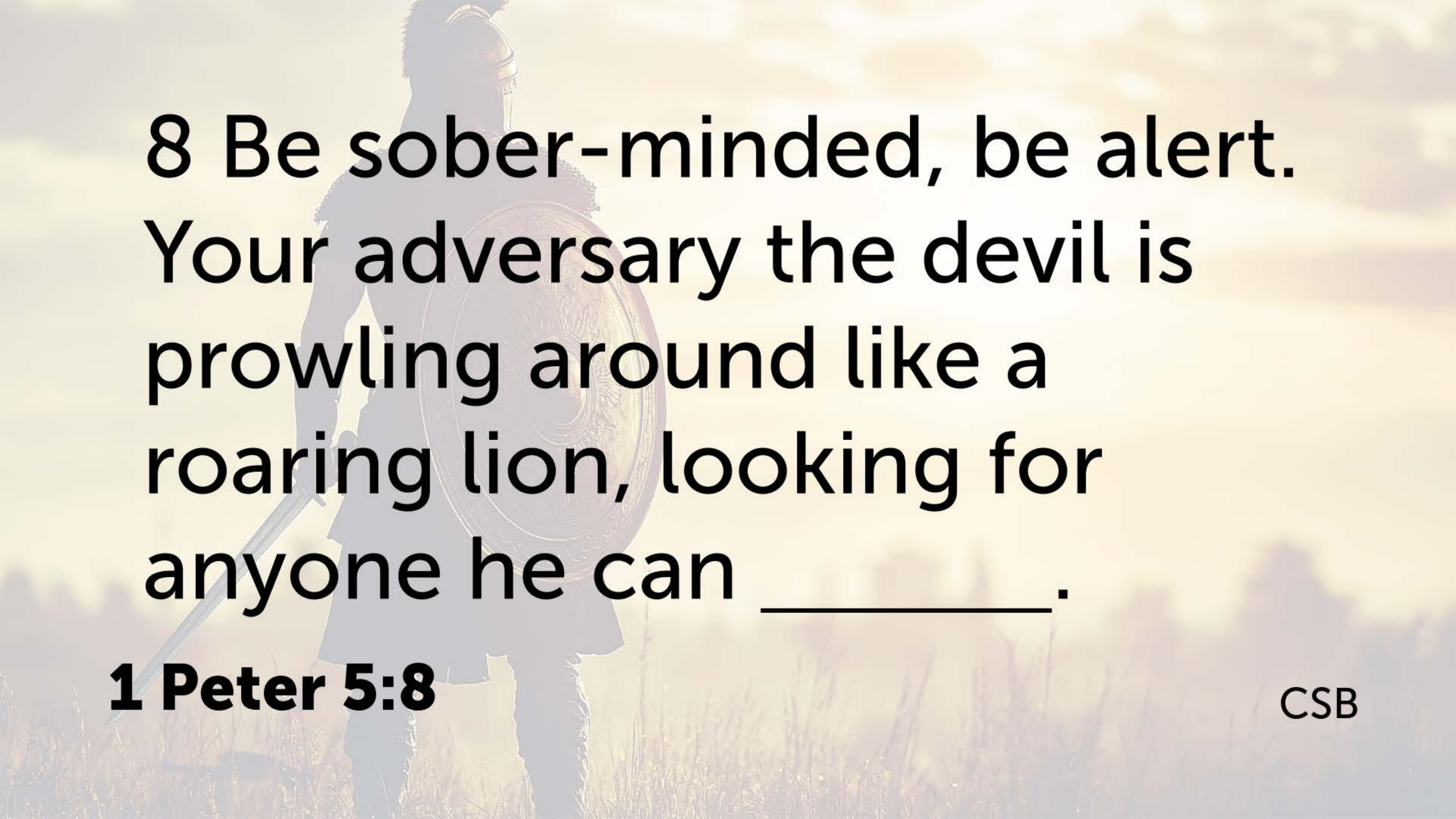
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A Roman soldier in silhouette, holding a sword and a large shield, standing in a field at sunset.

We are the Targets of a Fierce Enemy

1 Peter 5:8

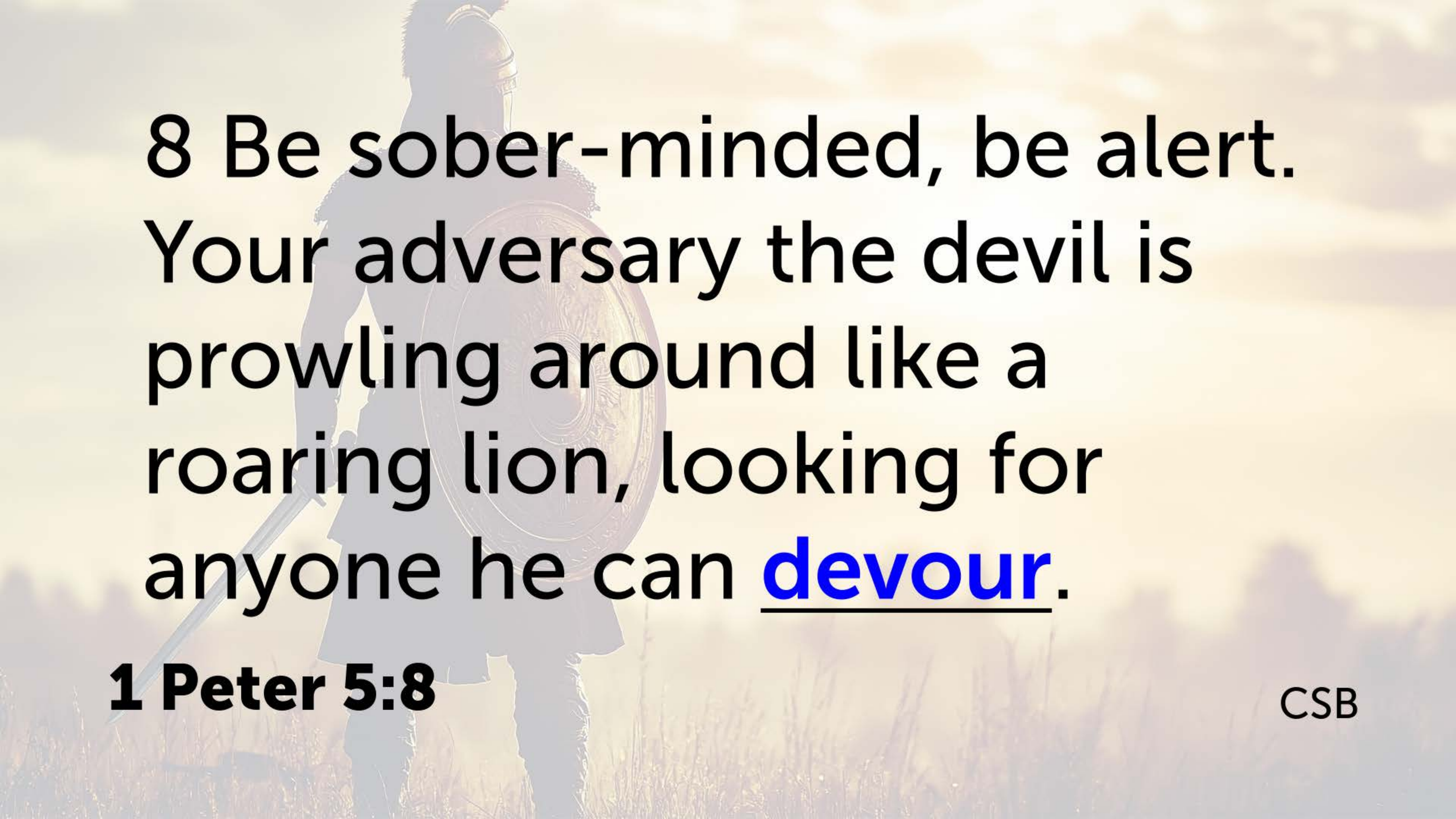
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A knight in full plate armor stands in a field of tall grass at sunset. The knight is holding a sword in his right hand and a large, ornate shield in his left. The background is a warm, golden sunset sky with soft clouds. The knight's silhouette is dark against the bright light.

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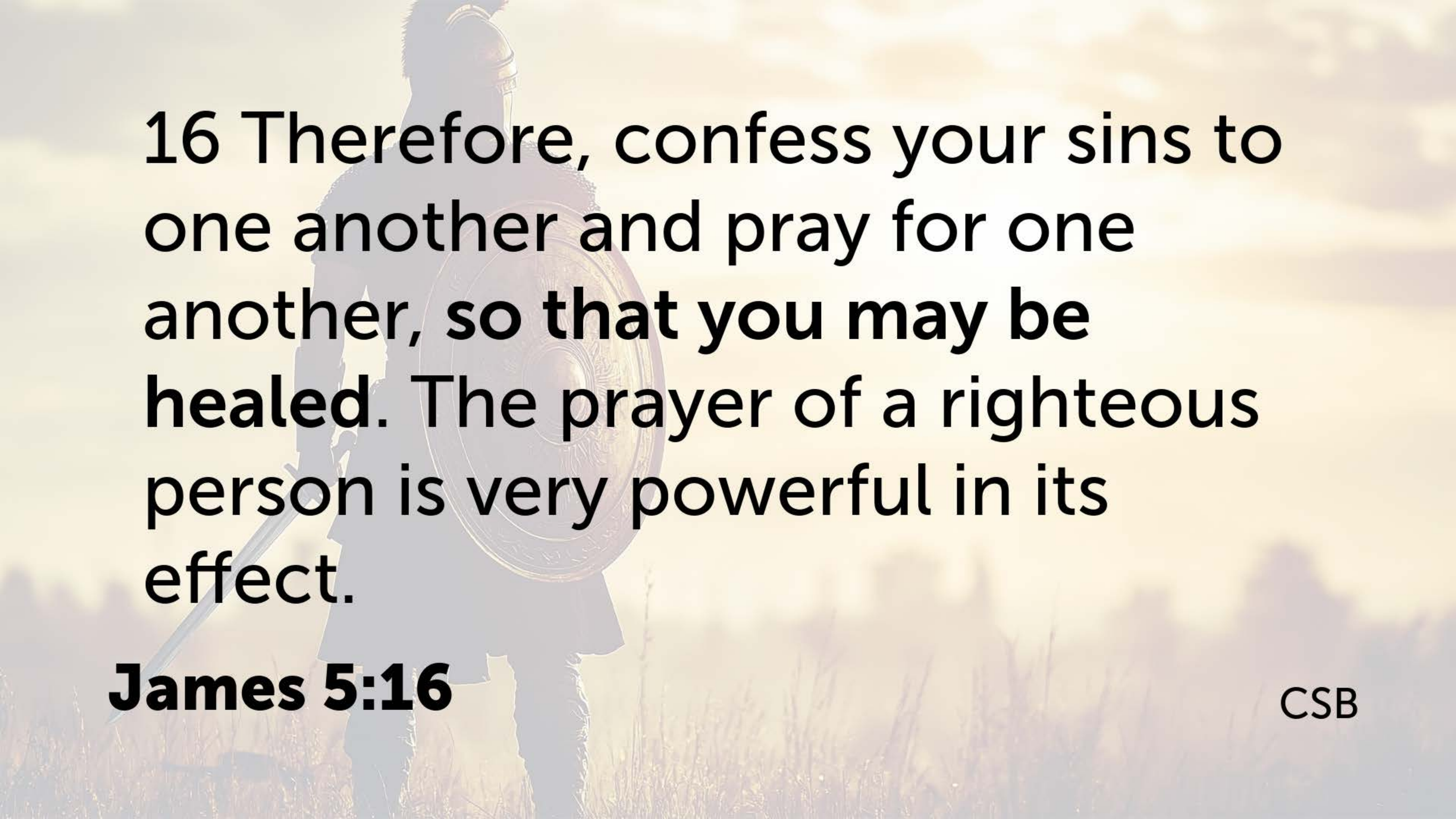
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16 Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is very powerful in its effect.

James 5:16

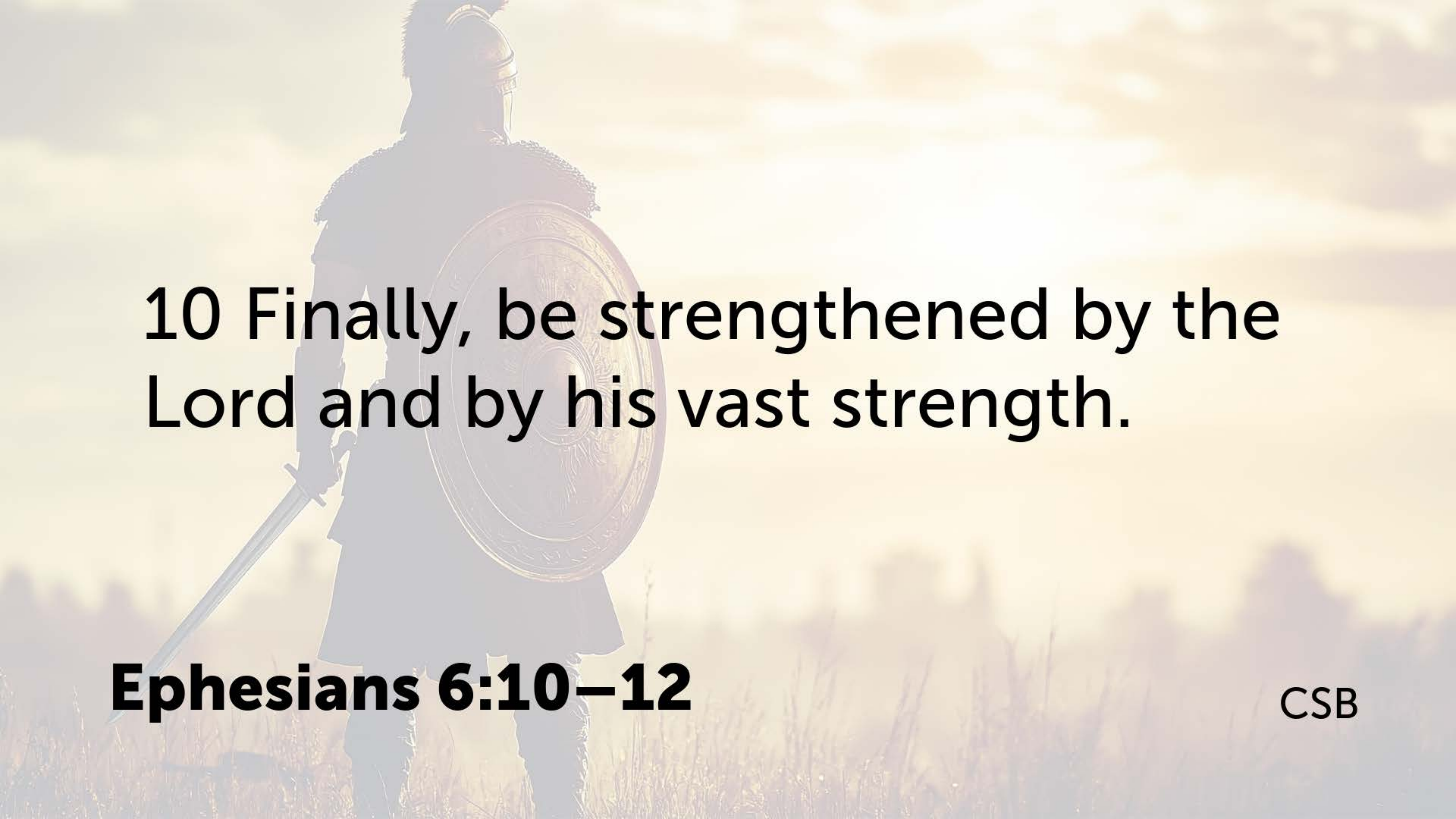
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A Roman soldier in silhouette, wearing a helmet and holding a sword and a large shield, stands in a field at sunset. The soldier is positioned on the left side of the frame, facing right. The background is a warm, golden sunset sky with soft clouds. The soldier's shield is large and circular, with a central emblem. The overall mood is heroic and inspirational.

God Equips Us With Effective Weapons

Ephesians 6:10-18

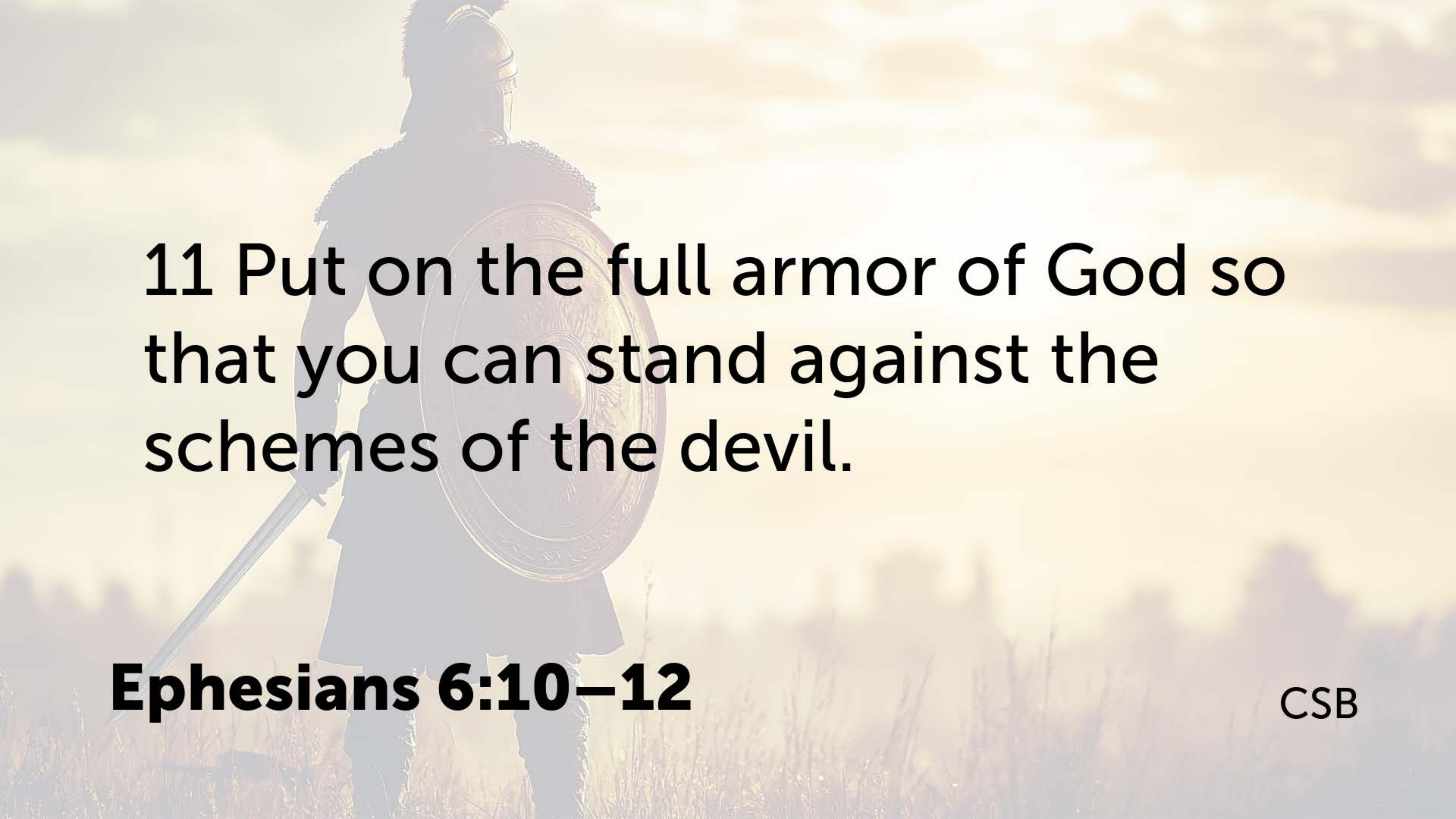
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10 Finally, be strengthened by the
Lord and by his vast strength.

Ephesians 6:10–12

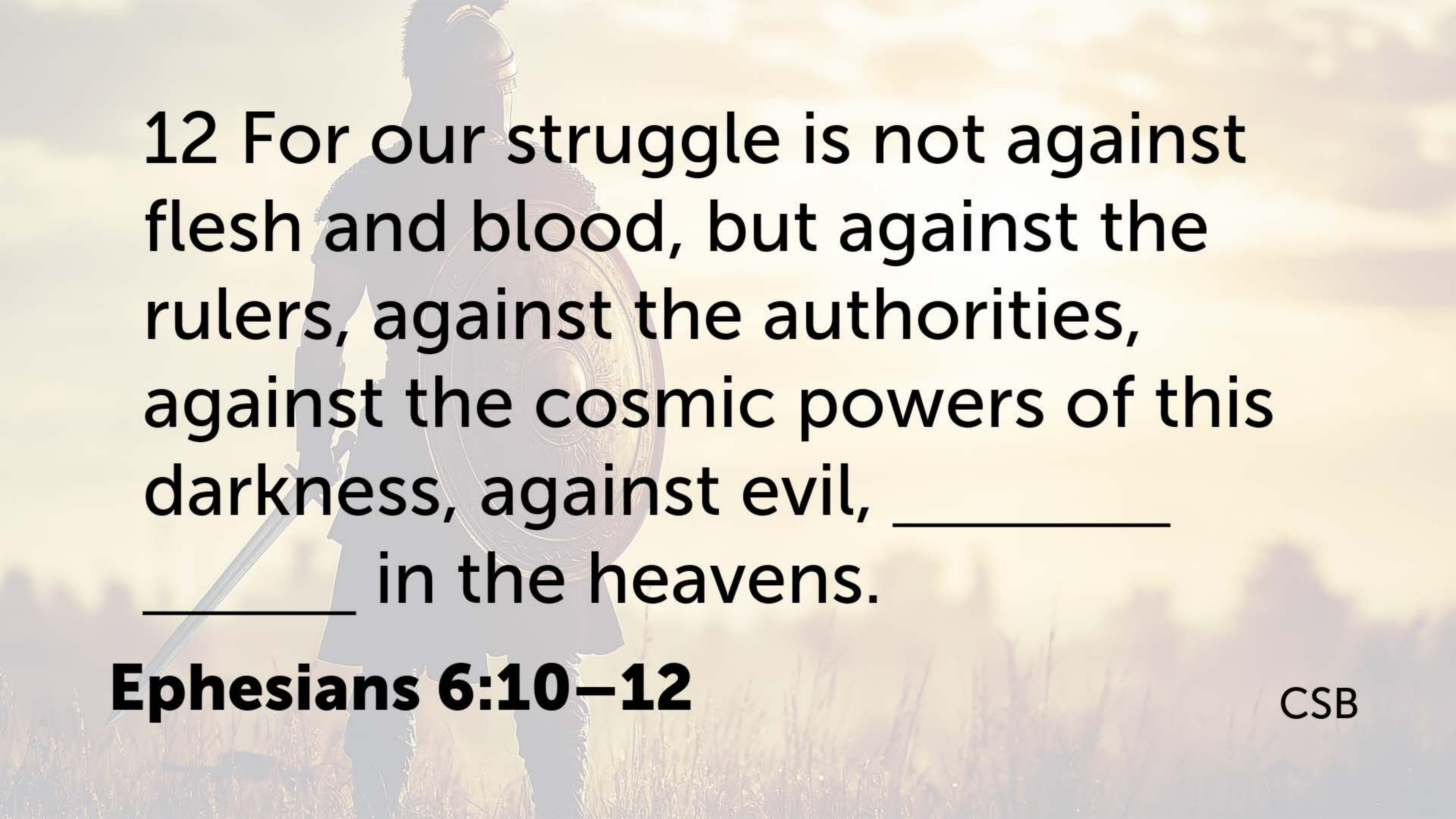
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11 Put on the full armor of God so
that you can stand against the
schemes of the devil.

Ephesians 6:10–12

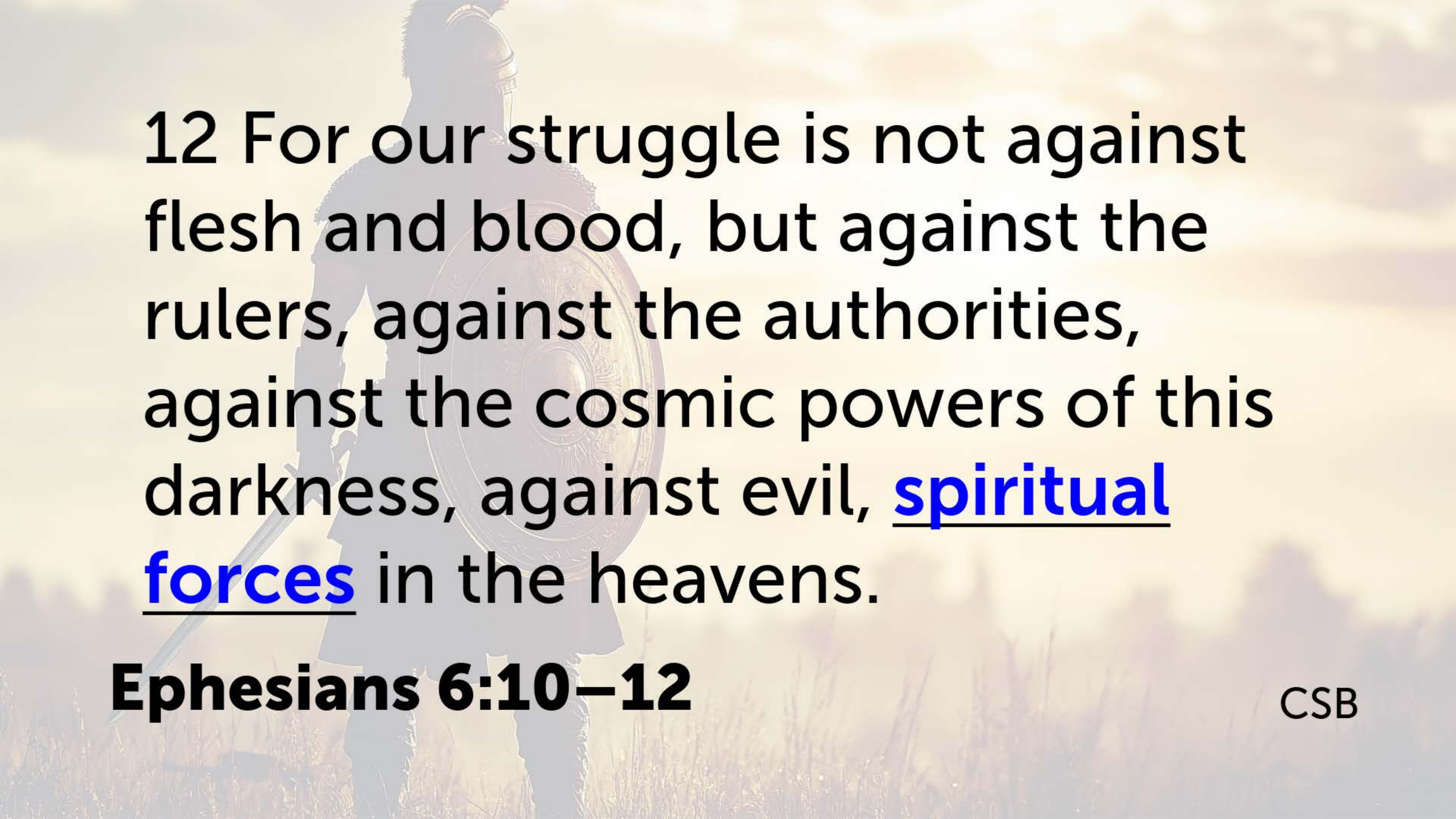
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12 For our struggle is not against
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_____ in the heavens.

Ephesians 6:10–12

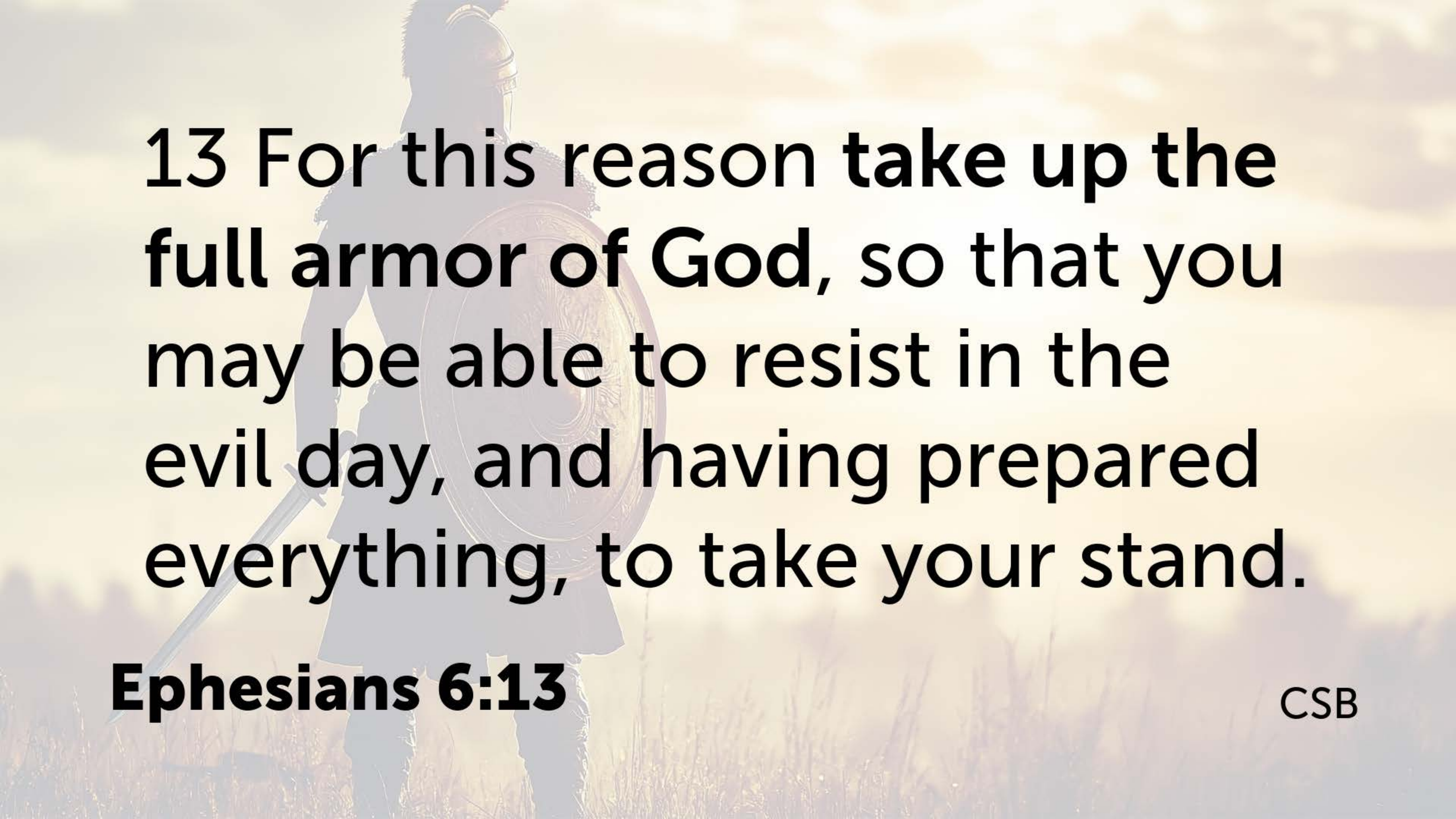
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A knight in full plate armor stands in a field of tall grass at sunset. The knight is holding a sword in their right hand and a large, ornate shield in their left. The background is a warm, golden sunset sky with soft clouds. The knight's armor is detailed with various patterns and a helmet with a visor.

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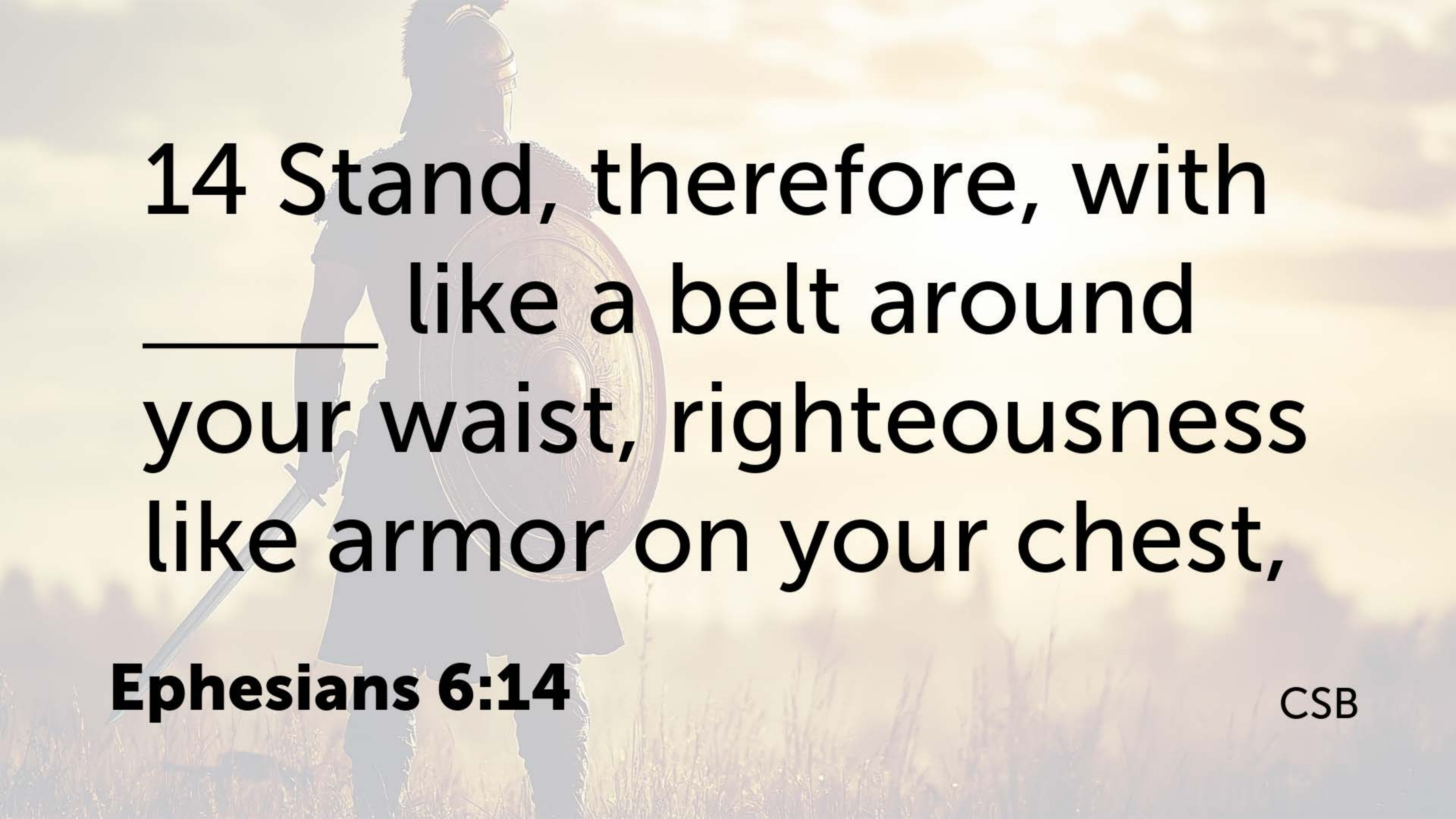
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A faint, artistic background image of a Roman soldier in full armor, including a helmet and a large circular shield, standing in a field of tall grass. The scene is set during a sunset or sunrise, with a warm, golden light filling the sky and the soldier's silhouette is visible against the bright background.

13 For this reason take up the full armor of God, so that you may be able to resist in the evil day, and having prepared everything, to take your stand.

Ephesians 6:13

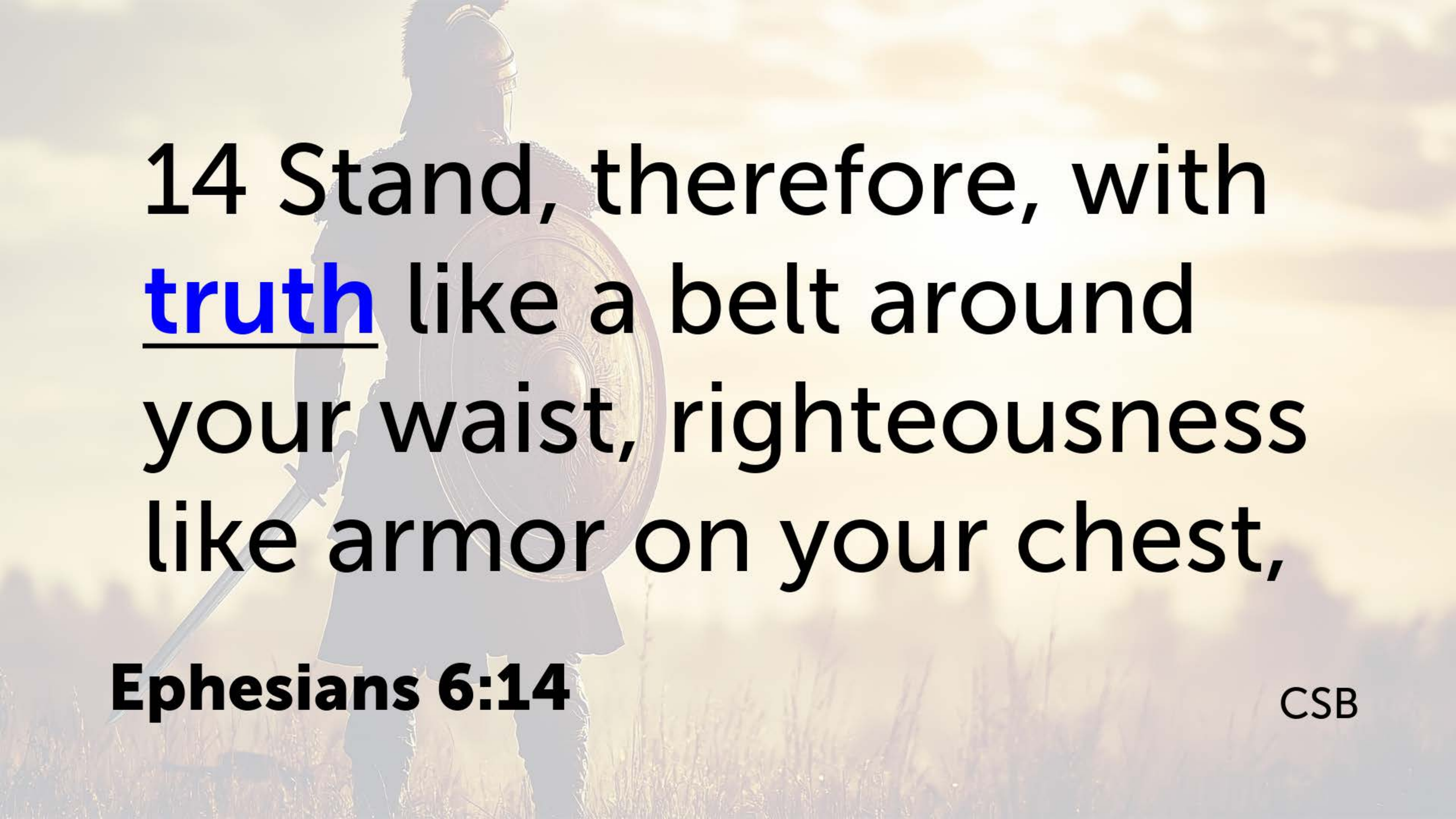
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14 Stand, therefore, with
_____ like a belt around
your waist, righteousness
like armor on your chest,

Ephesians 6:14

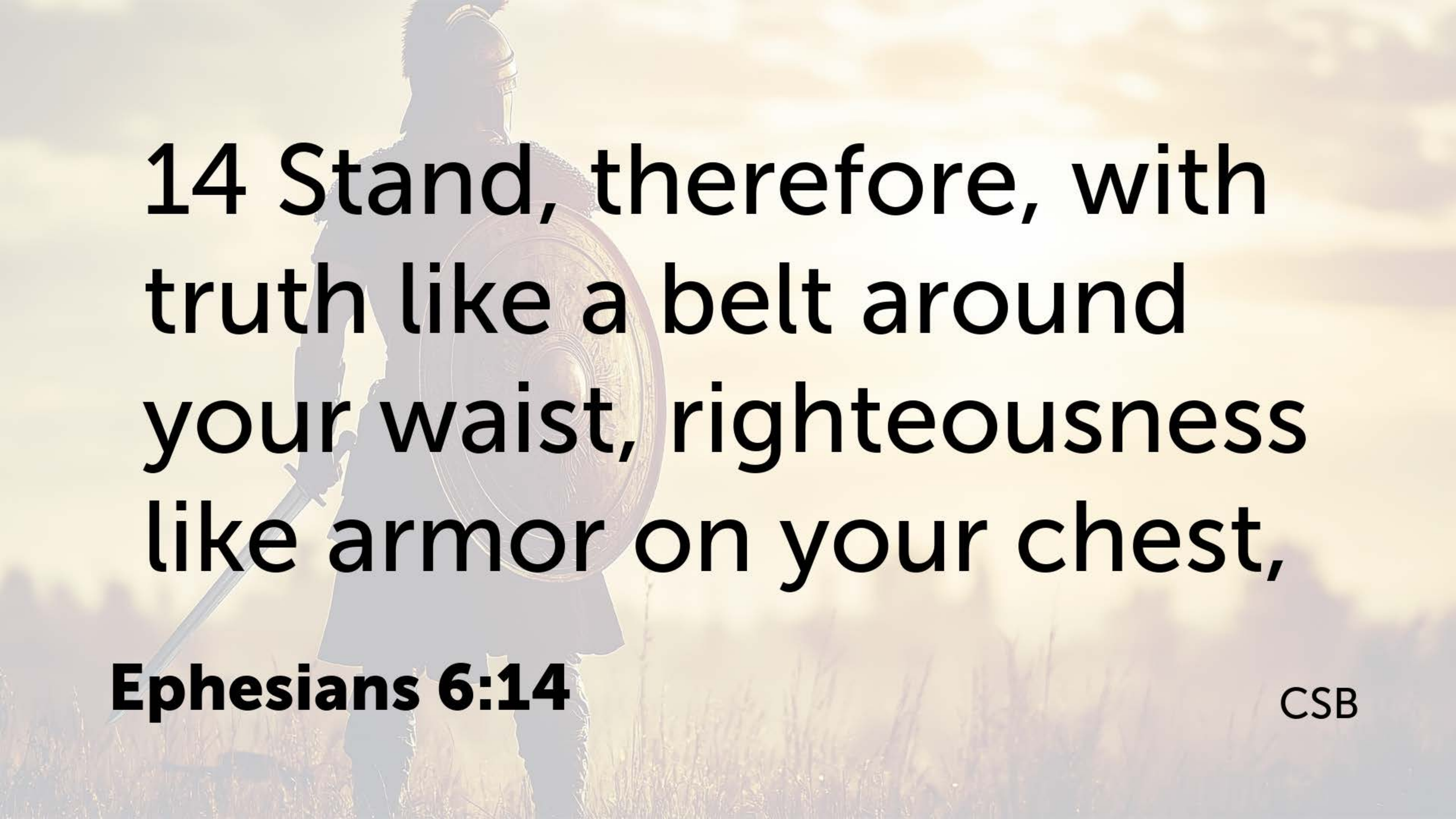
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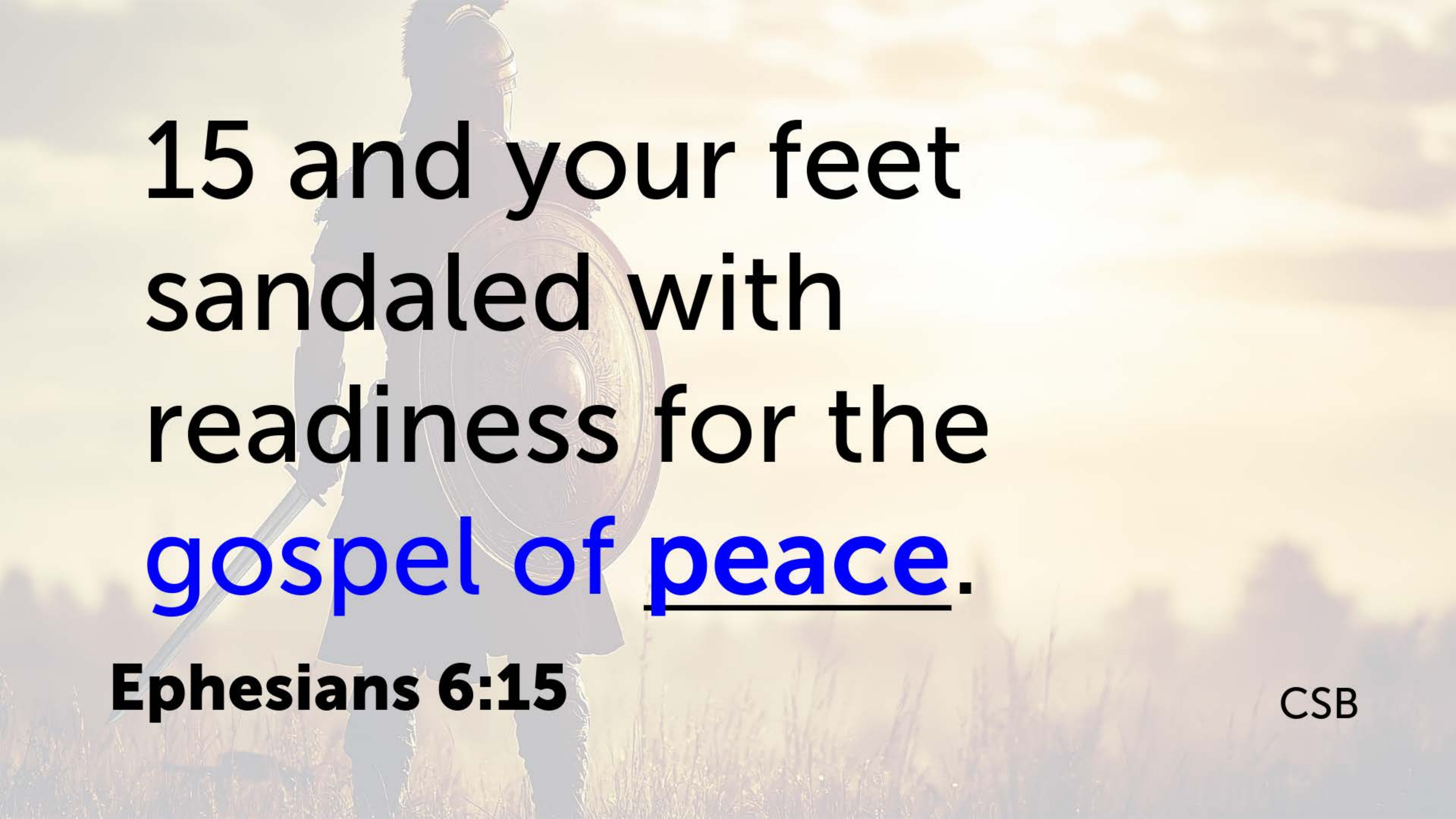
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15 and your feet
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Ephesians 6:15

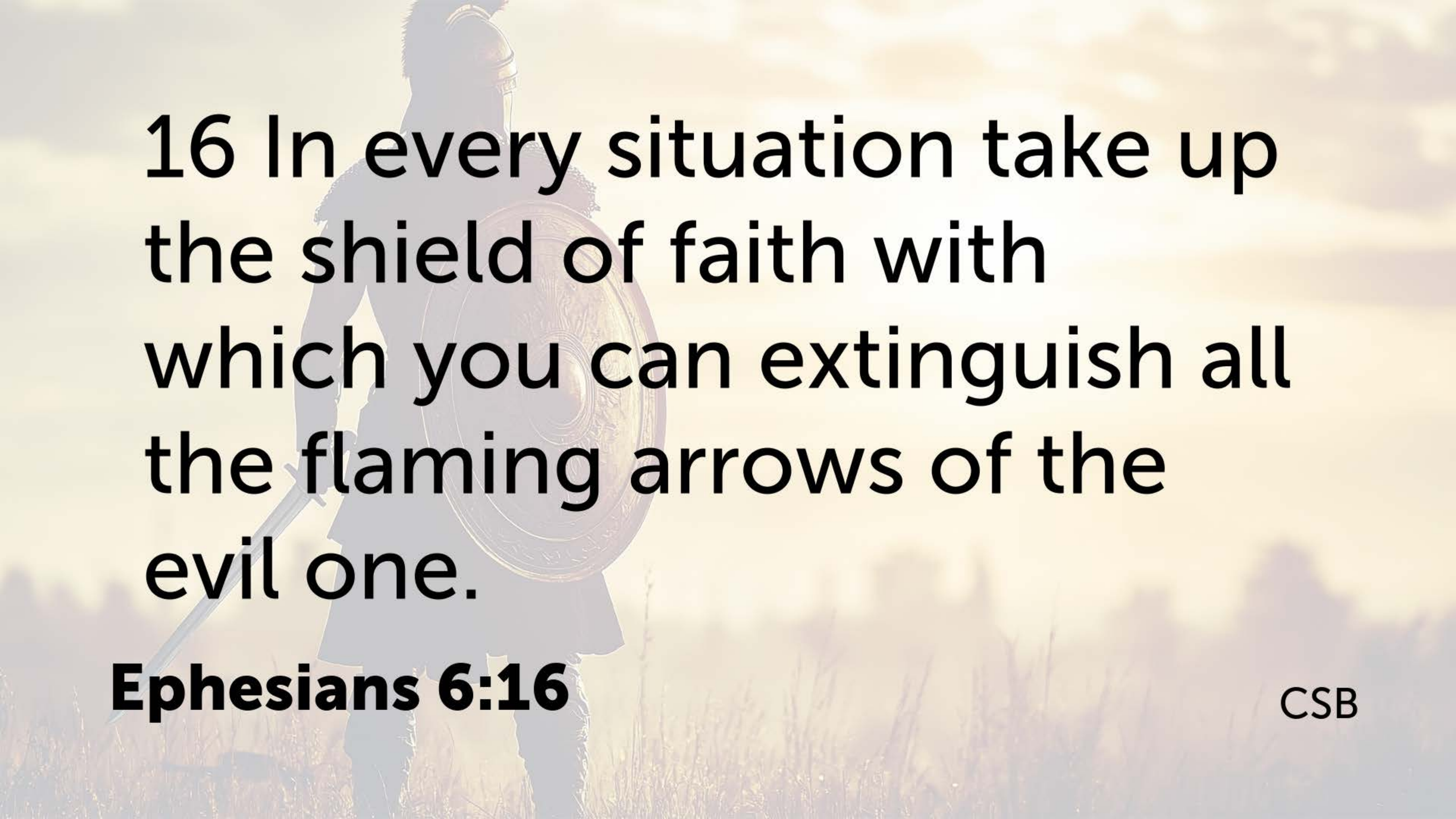
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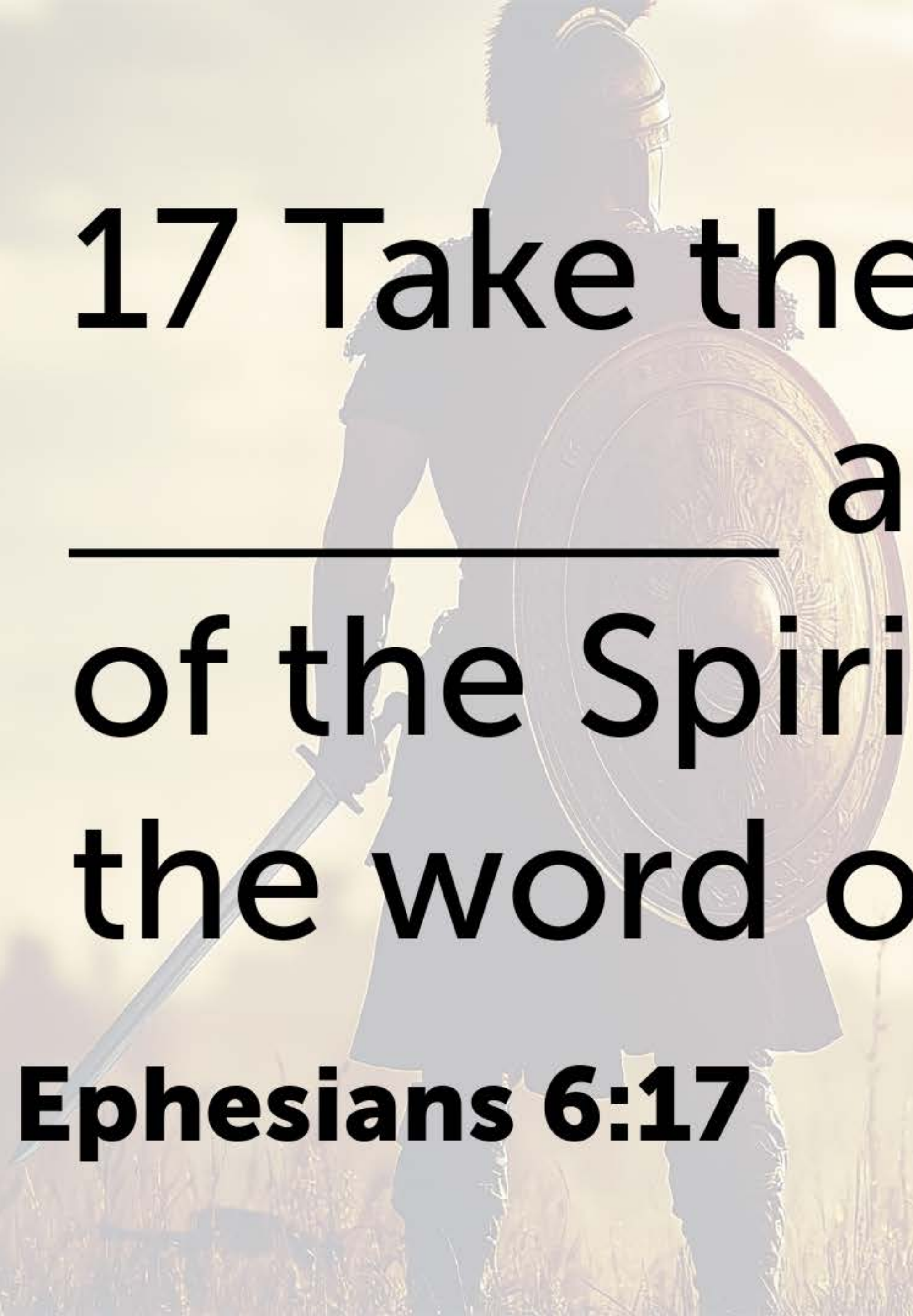
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A person in a Roman-style helmet and armor, holding a shield and sword, stands in a field at sunset. The person is positioned on the left side of the frame, facing right. The background is a warm, golden sunset sky with silhouettes of trees and grass in the foreground.

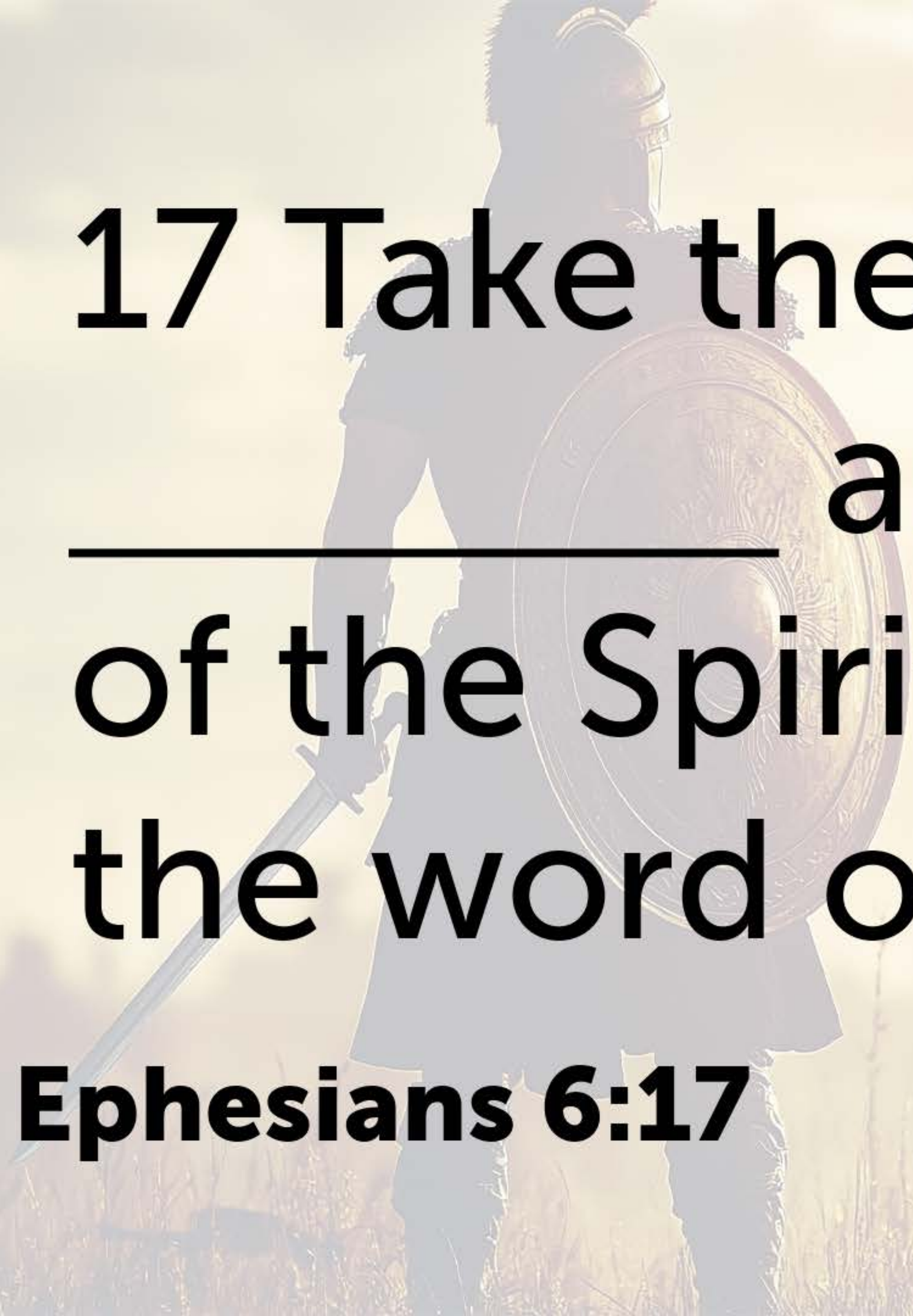
16 In every situation take up
the shield of faith with
which you can extinguish all
the flaming arrows of the
evil one.

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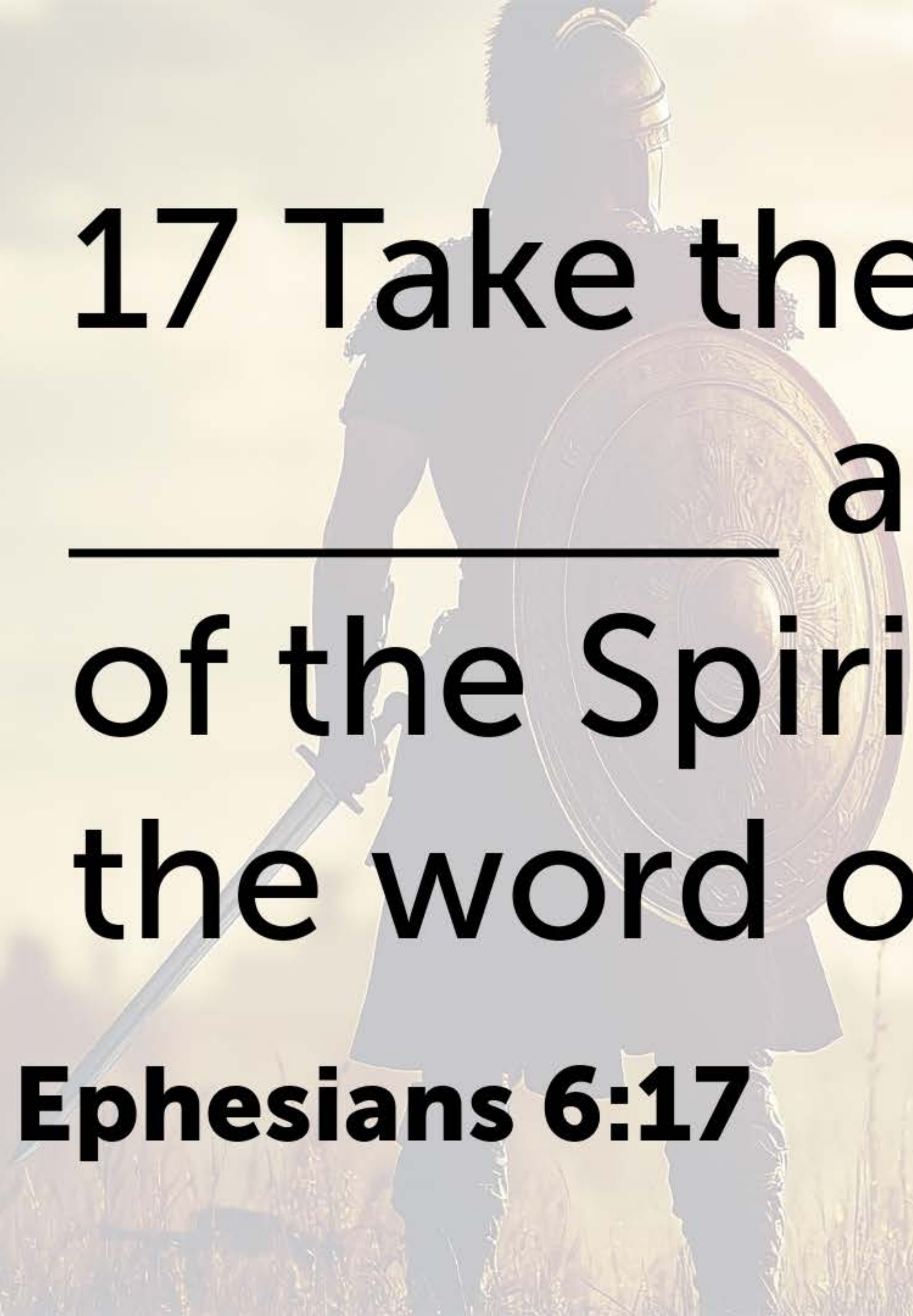
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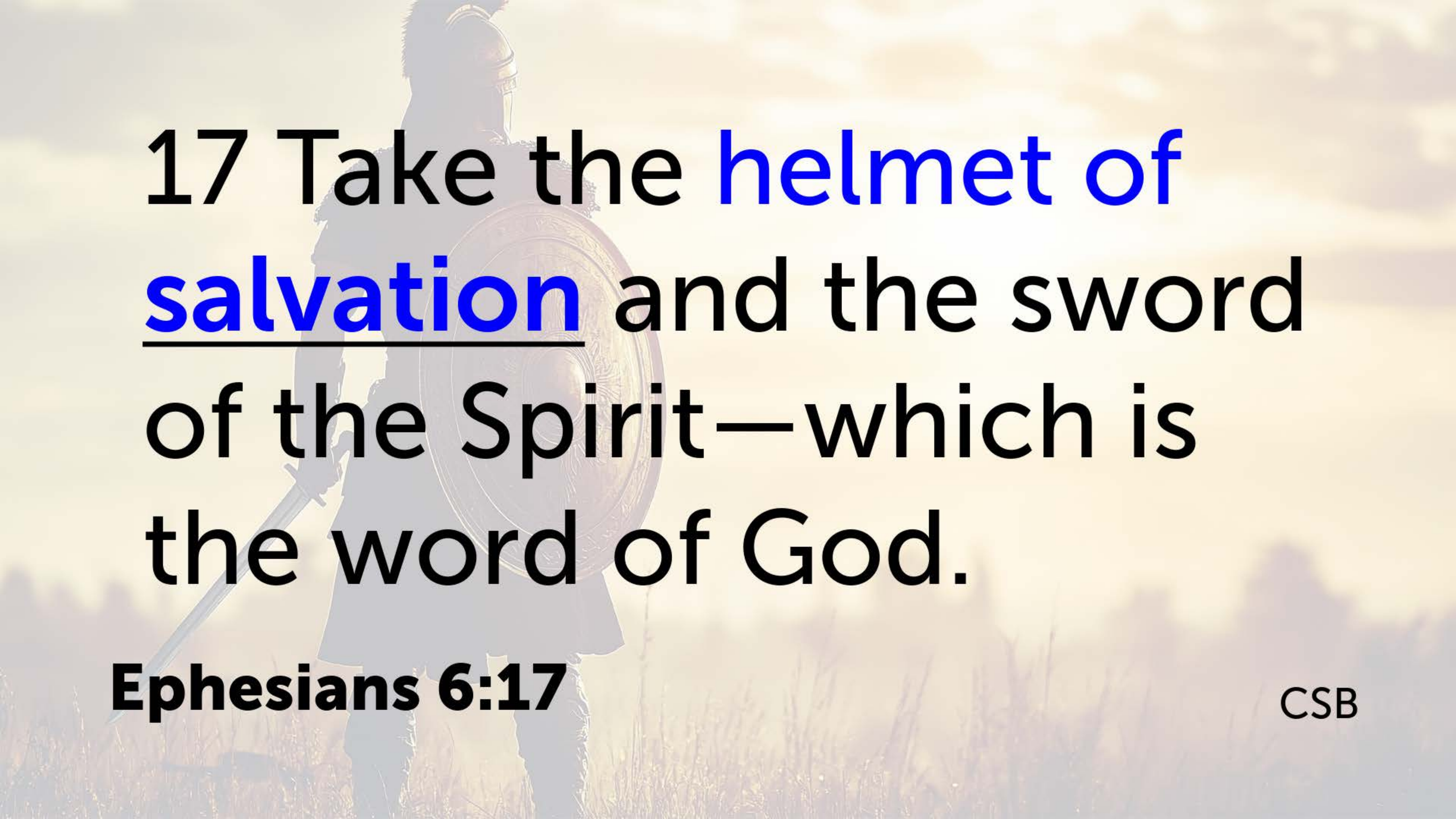
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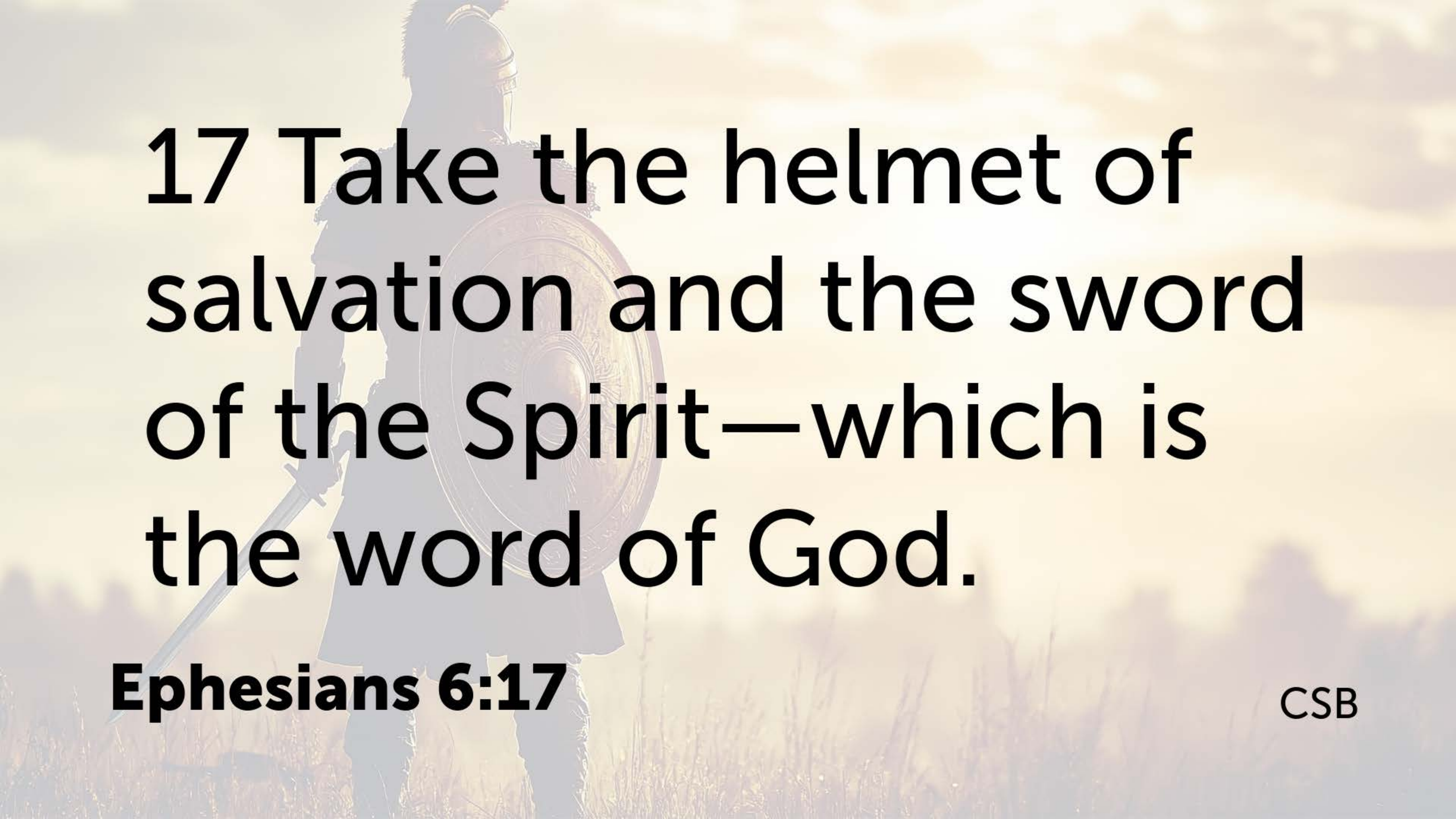
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17 Take the **helmet of
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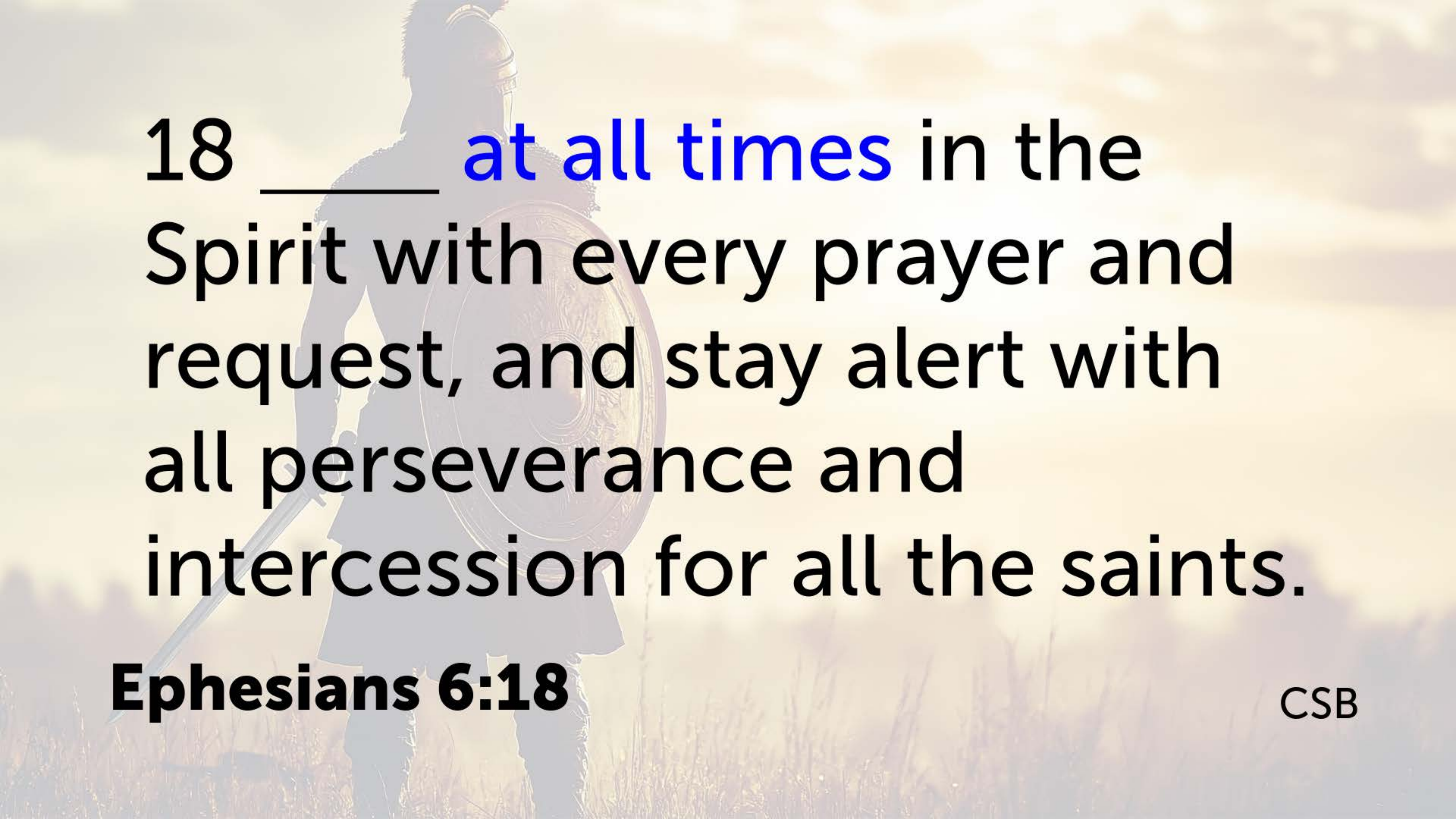
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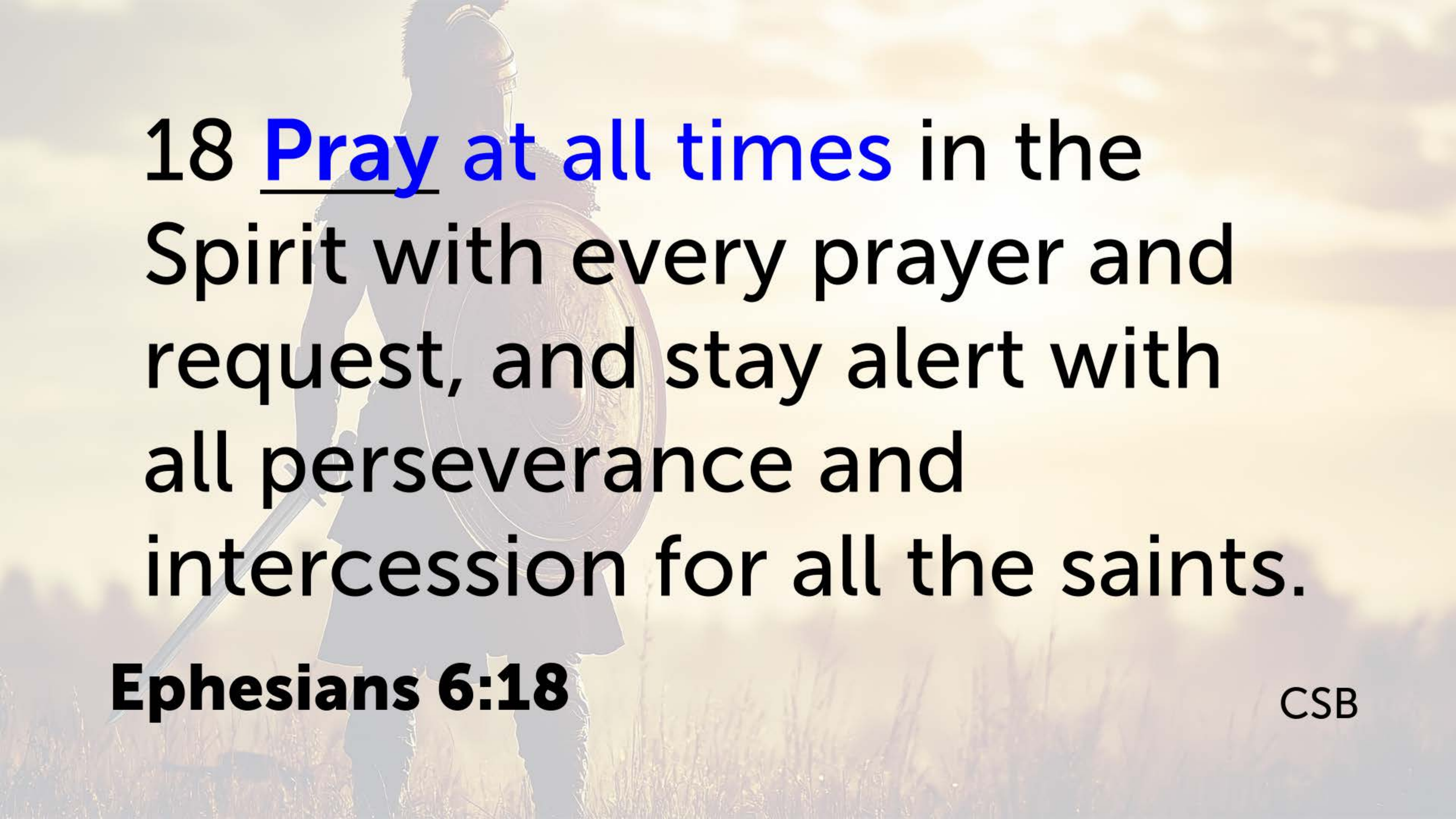
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18 _____ at all times in the Spirit with every prayer and request, and stay alert with all perseverance and intercession for all the saints.

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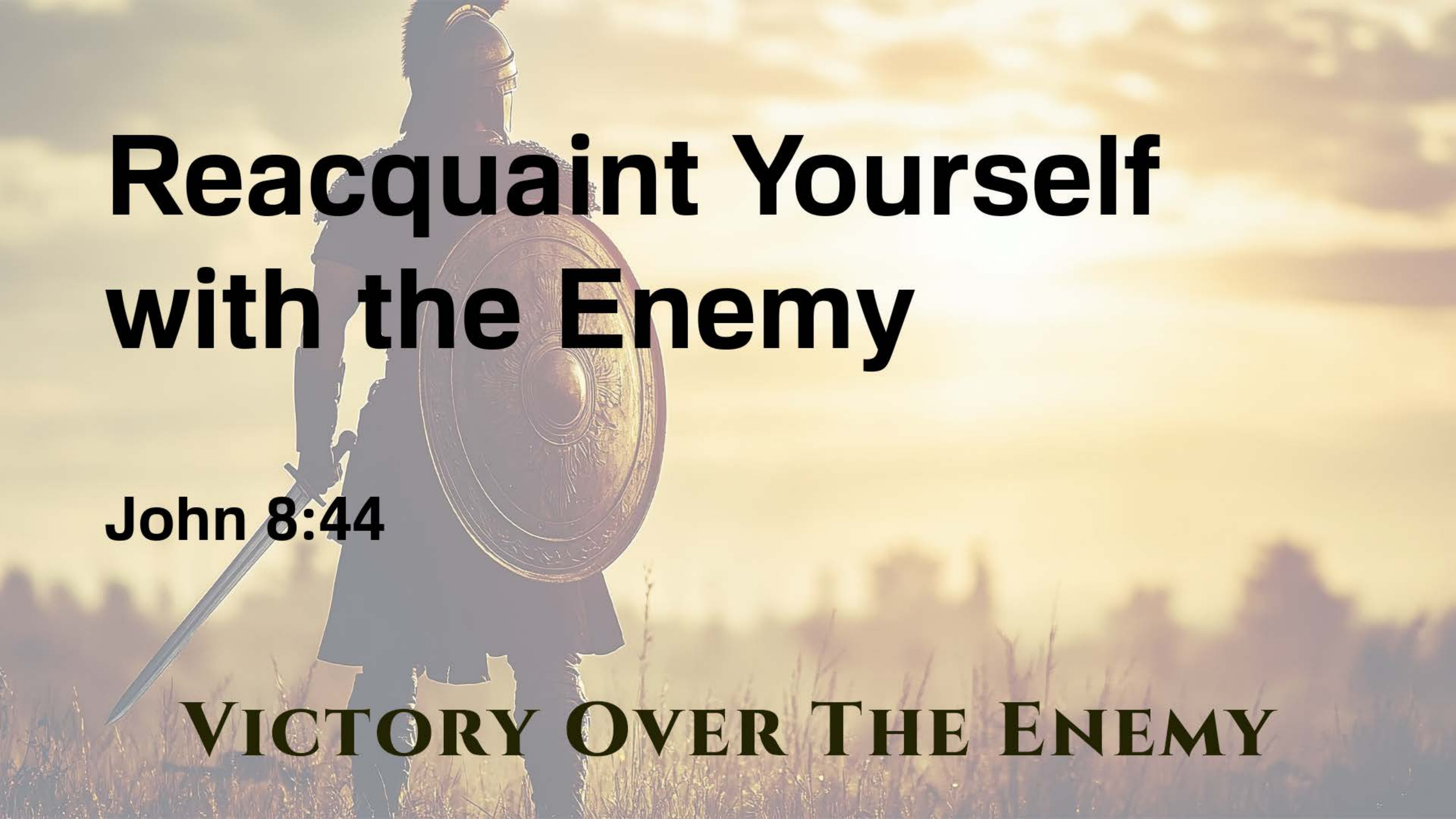
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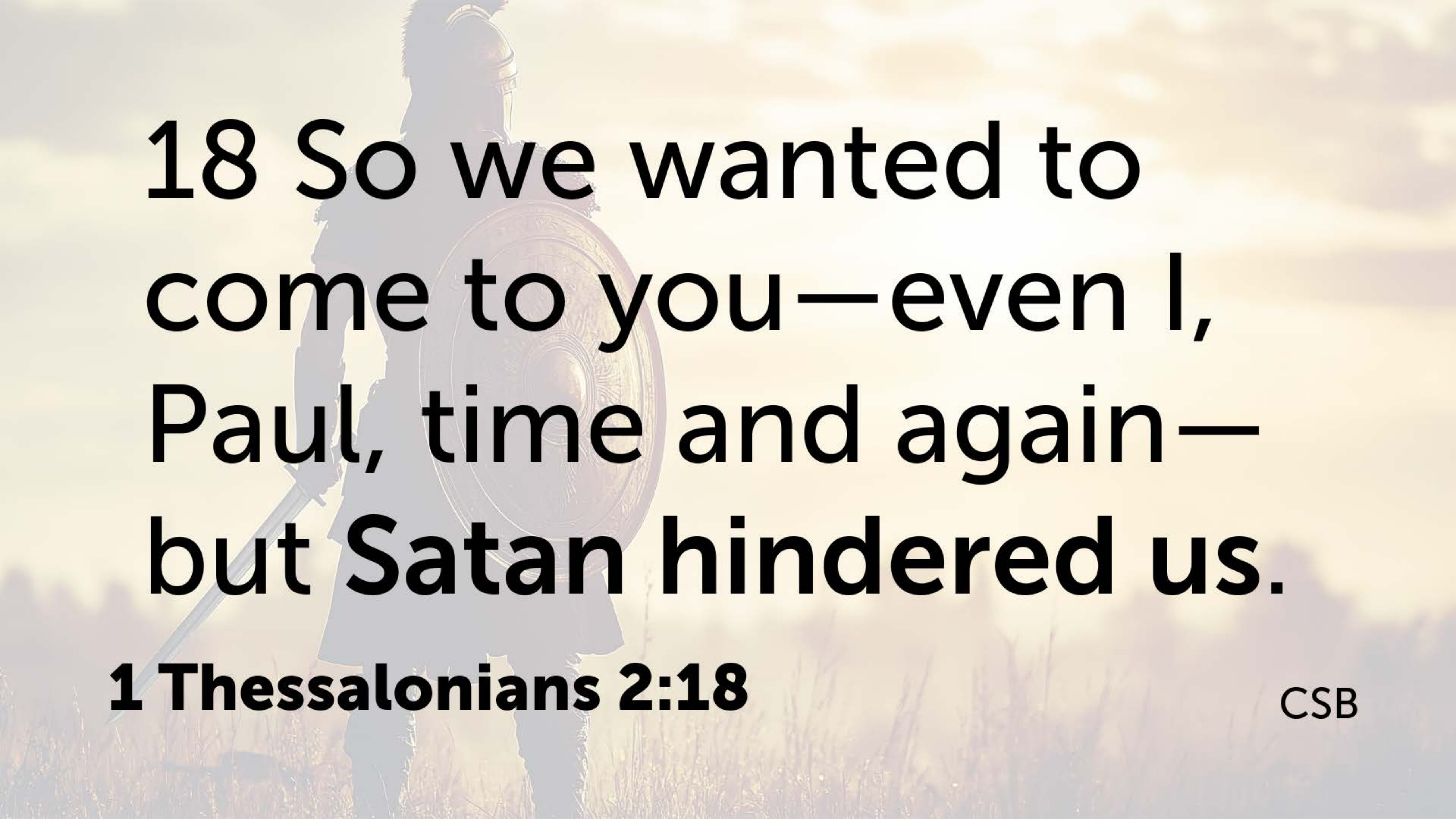
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Reacquaint Yourself with the Enemy

John 8:44

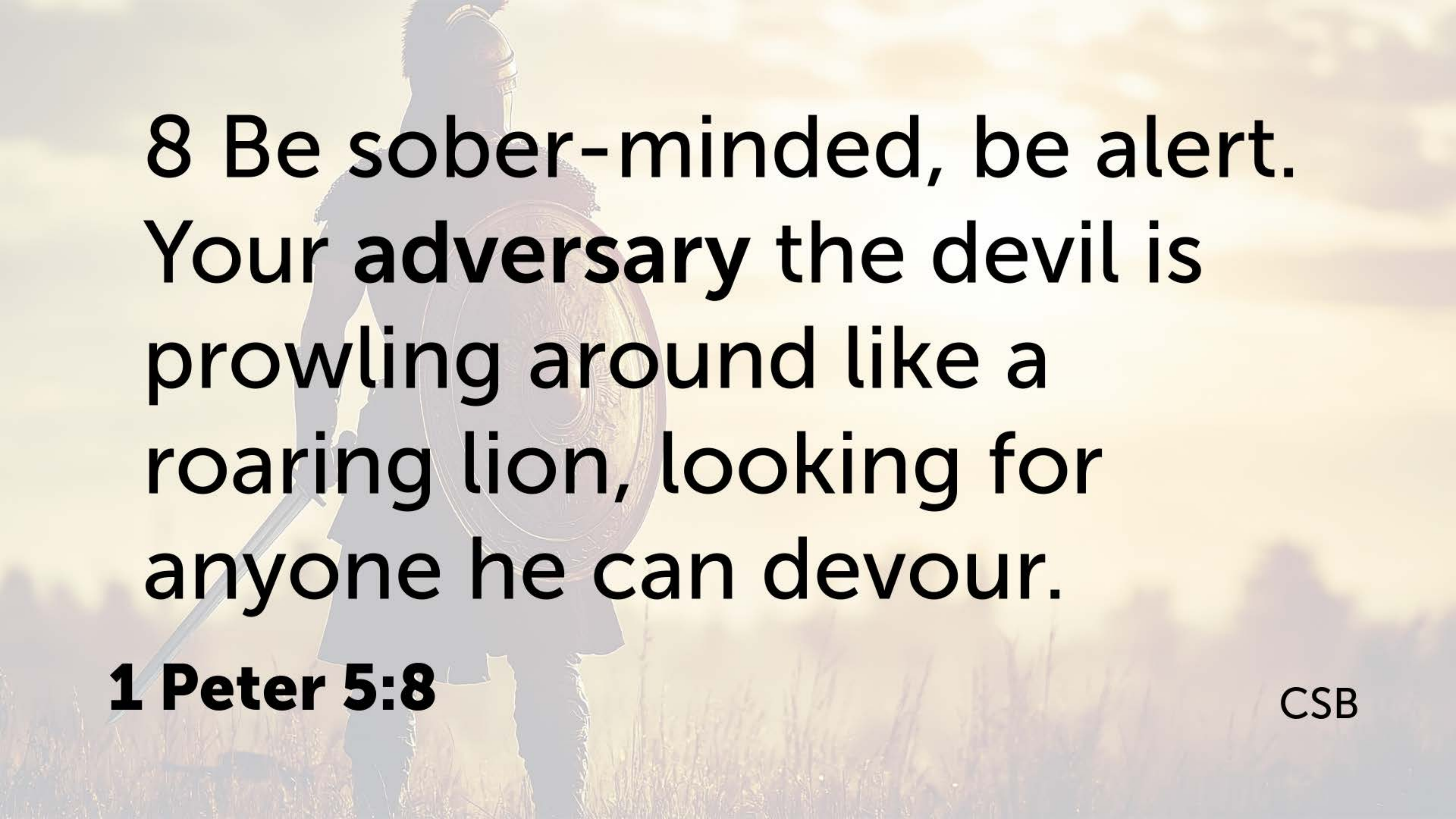
VICTORY OVER THE ENEMY

A Roman soldier in silhouette, wearing a helmet and holding a spear and shield, stands against a background of a sunset or sunrise over a field of tall grass. The soldier is positioned on the left side of the frame, facing right. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

18 So we wanted to
come to you—even I,
Paul, time and again—
but Satan hindered us.

1 Thessalonians 2:18

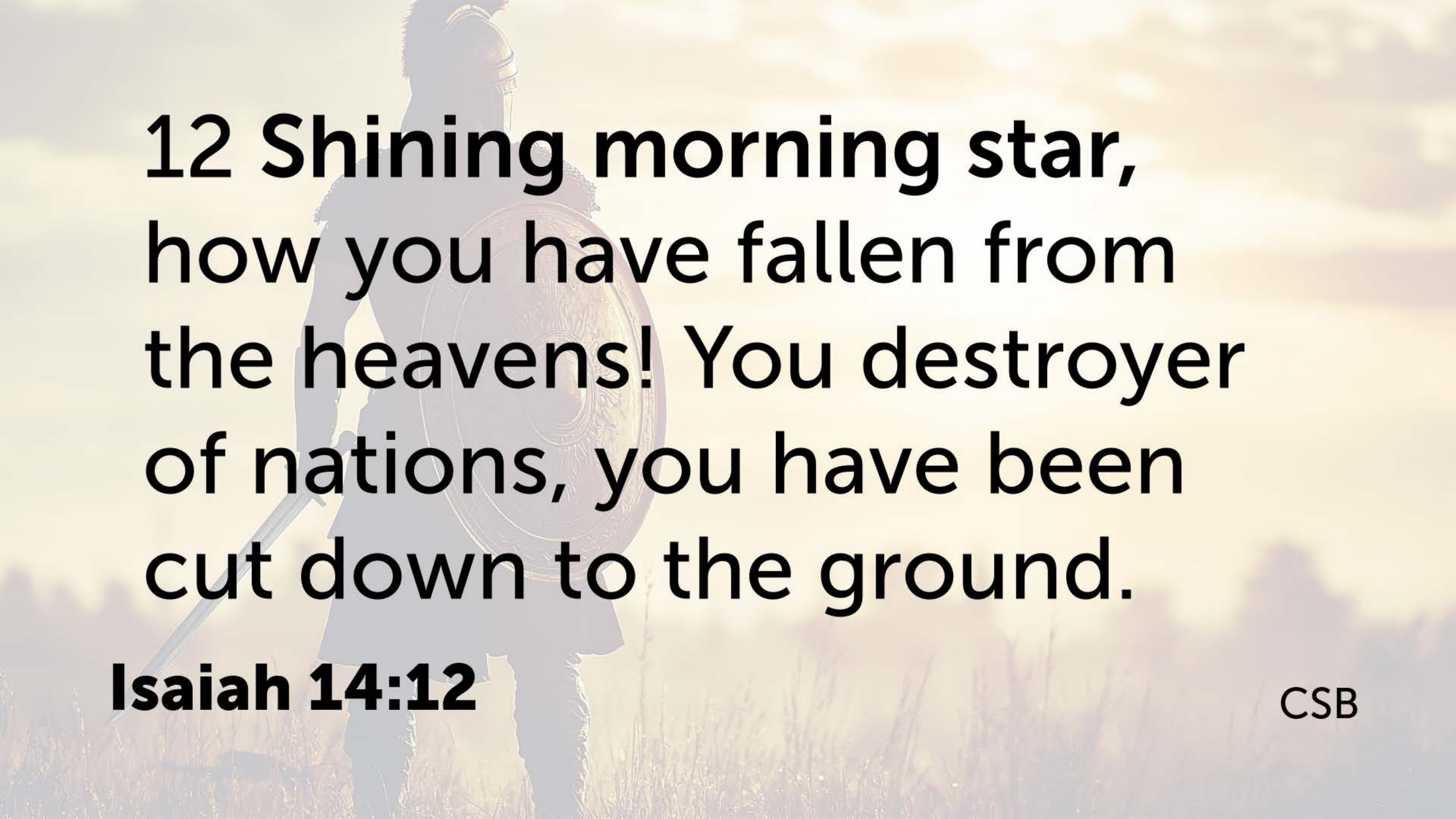
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A warrior in a helmet and armor, holding a sword and a shield, stands in a field of tall grass at sunset. The warrior is positioned on the left side of the frame, facing right. The background is a warm, golden sunset sky with soft clouds. The warrior's shield is large and circular, with a detailed design. The sword is held in the warrior's right hand, pointing downwards. The overall mood is one of vigilance and readiness.

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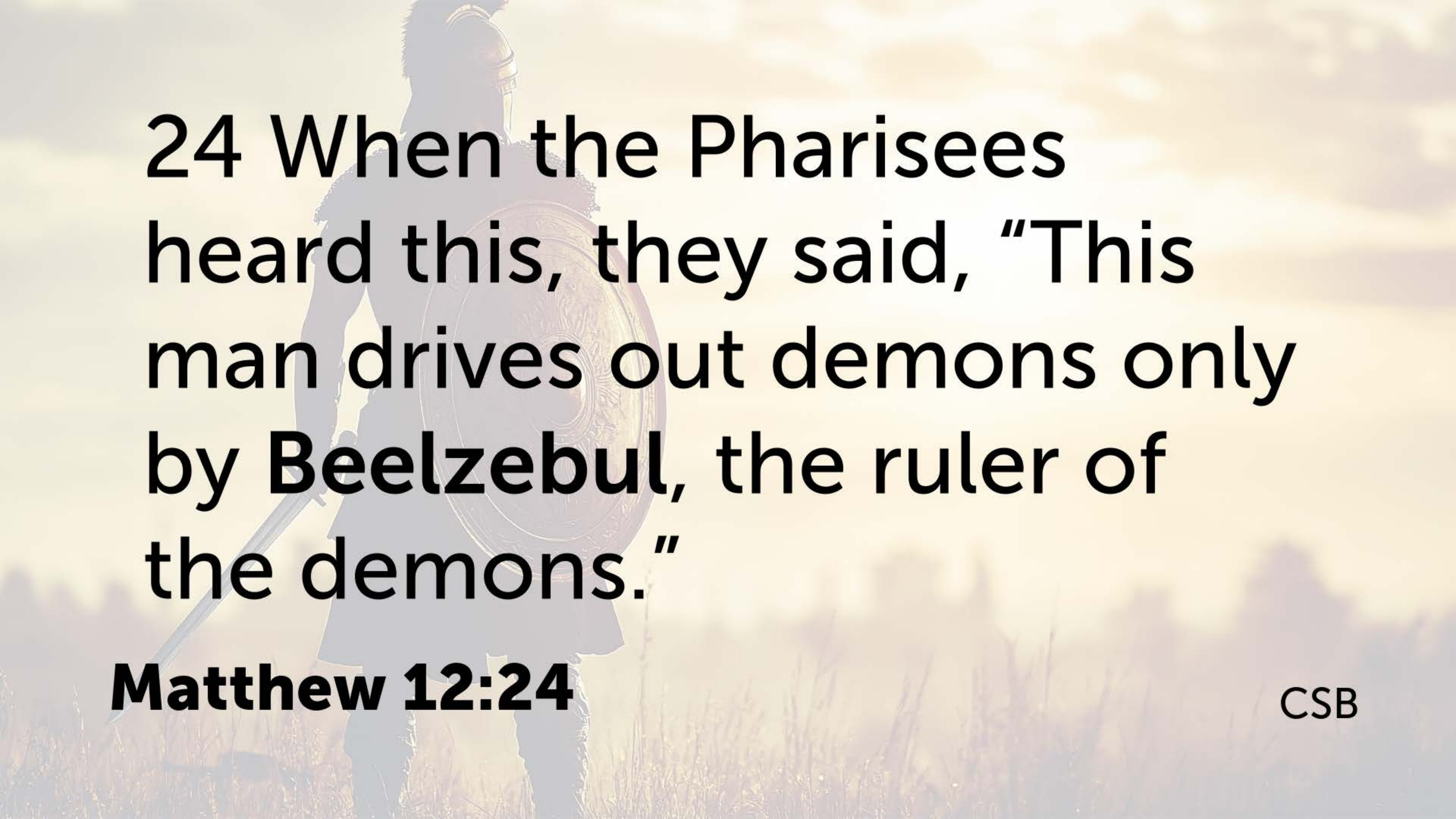
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**12 Shining morning star,
how you have fallen from
the heavens! You destroyer
of nations, you have been
cut down to the ground.**

Isaiah 14:12

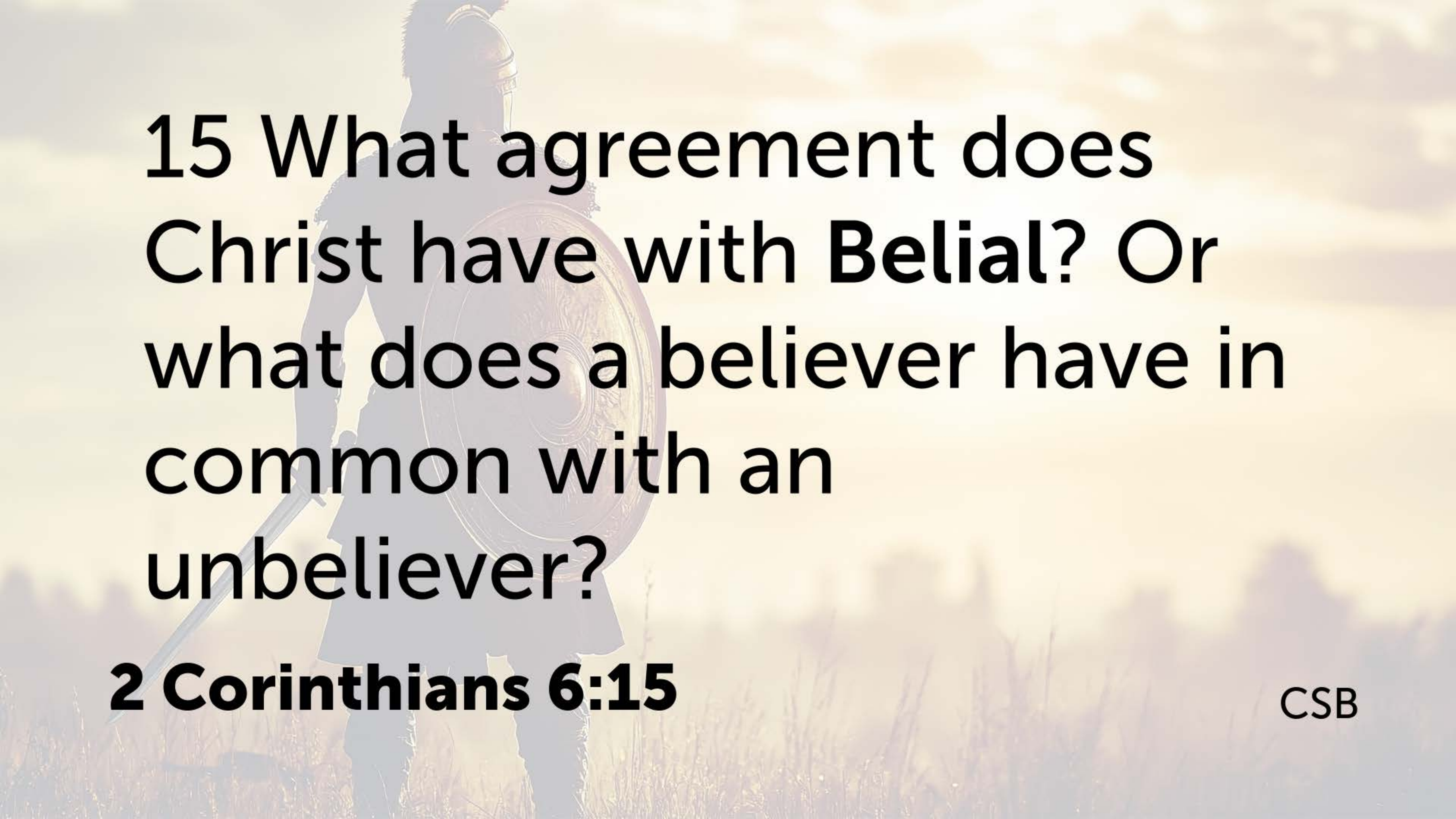
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24 When the Pharisees
heard this, they said, "This
man drives out demons only
by Beelzebul, the ruler of
the demons."

Matthew 12:24

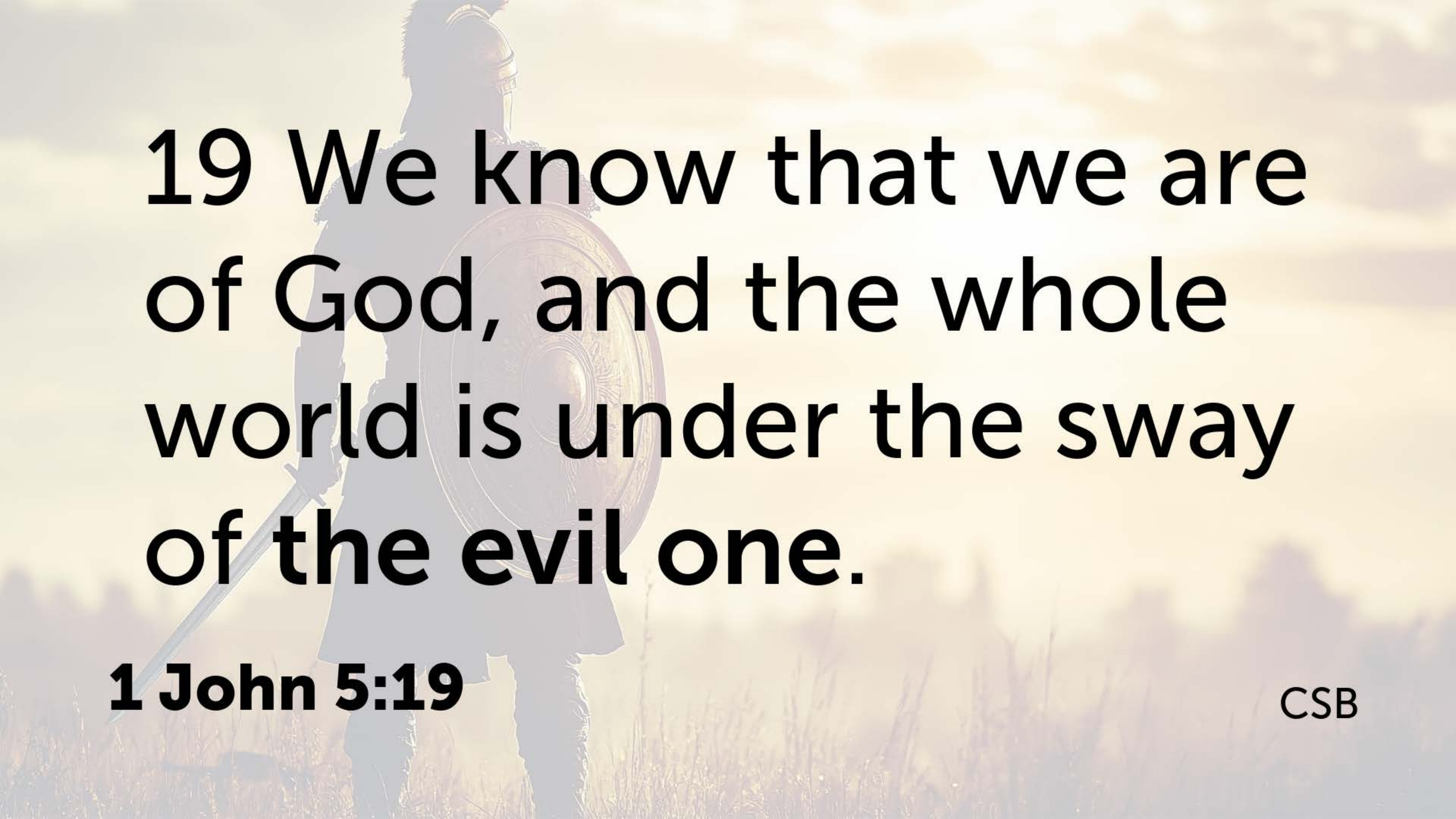
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15 What agreement does
Christ have with Belial? Or
what does a believer have in
common with an
unbeliever?

2 Corinthians 6:15

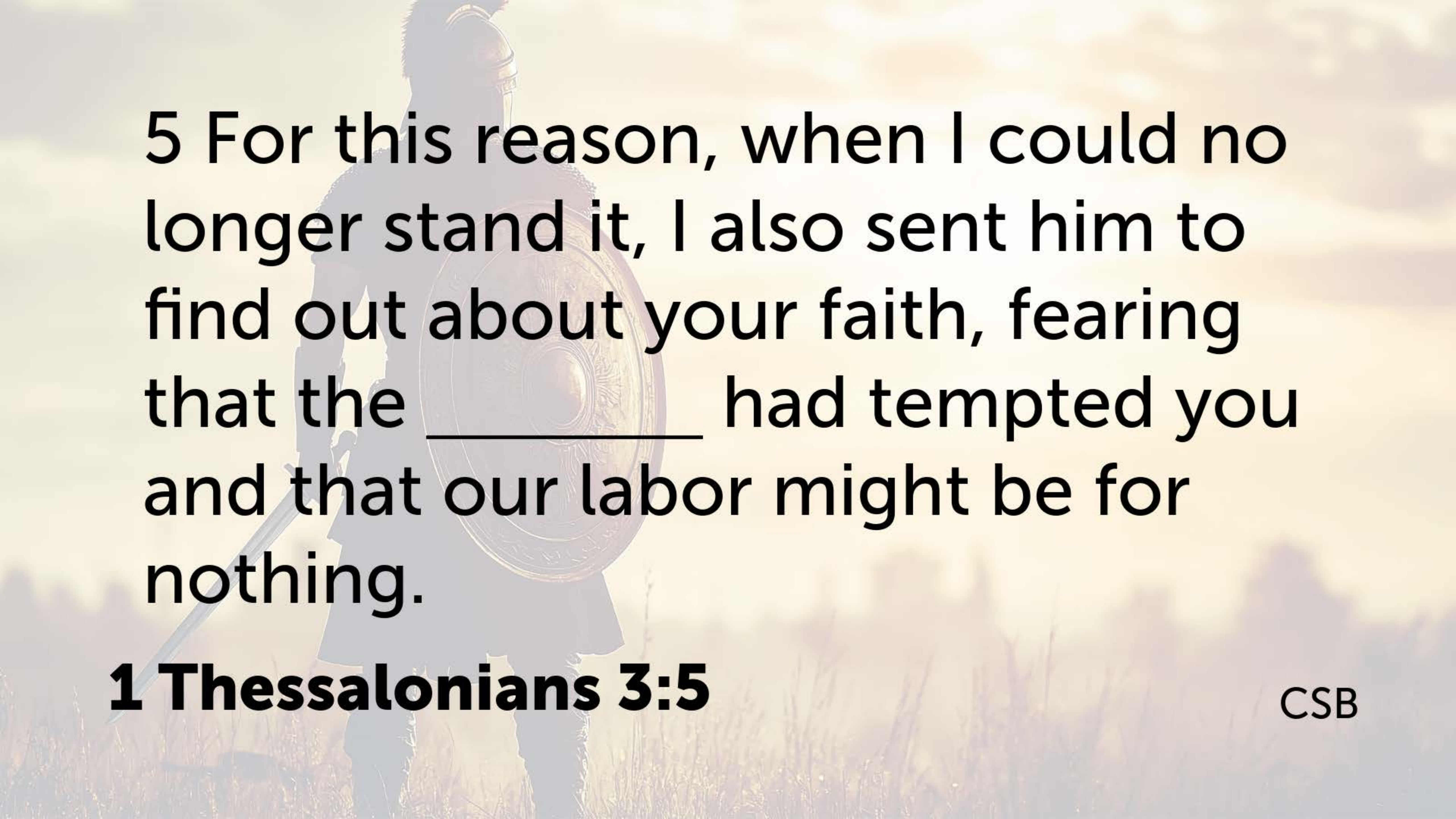
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19 We know that we are
of God, and the whole
world is under the sway
of the evil one.

1 John 5:19

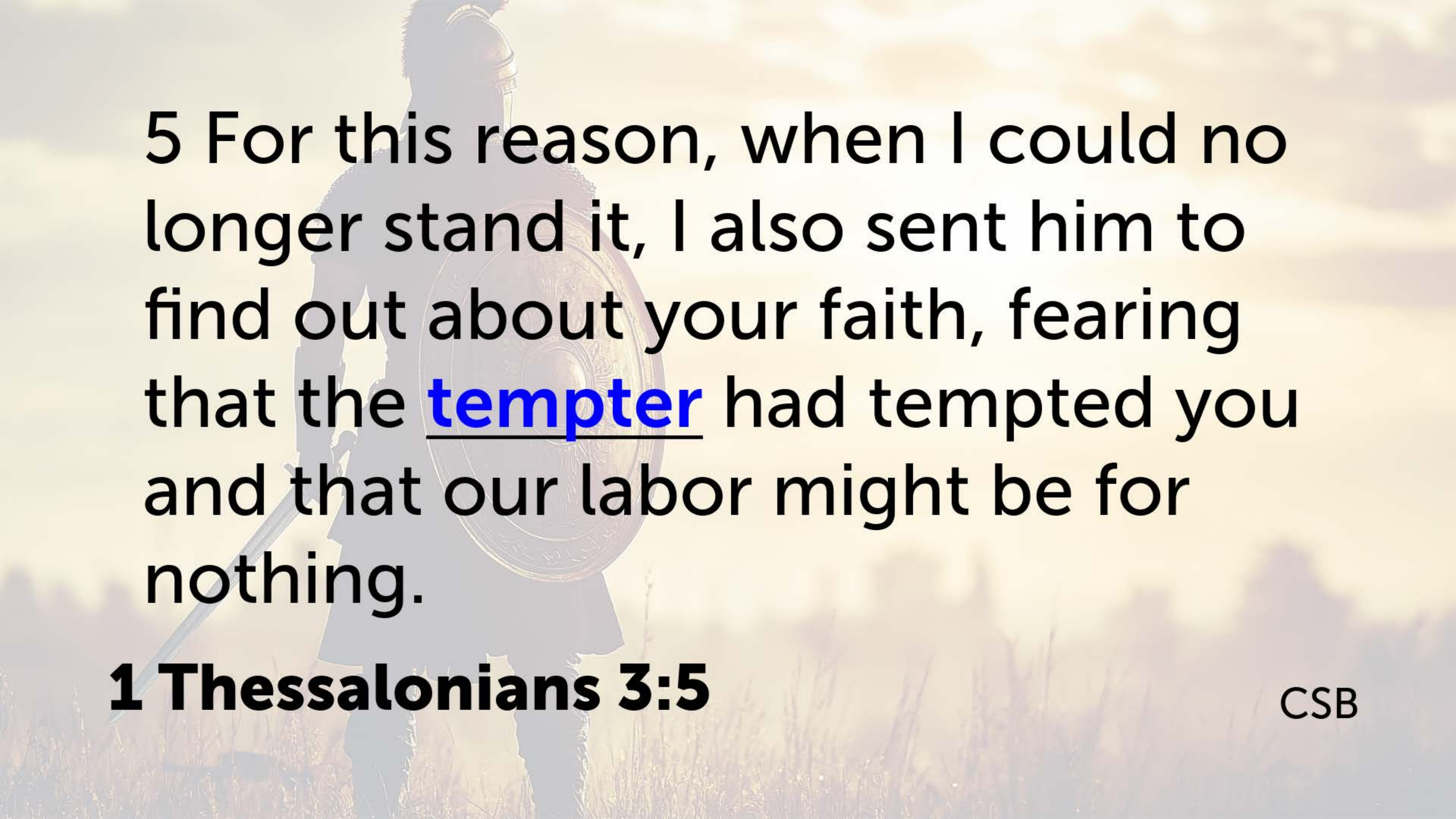
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1 Thessalonians 3:5

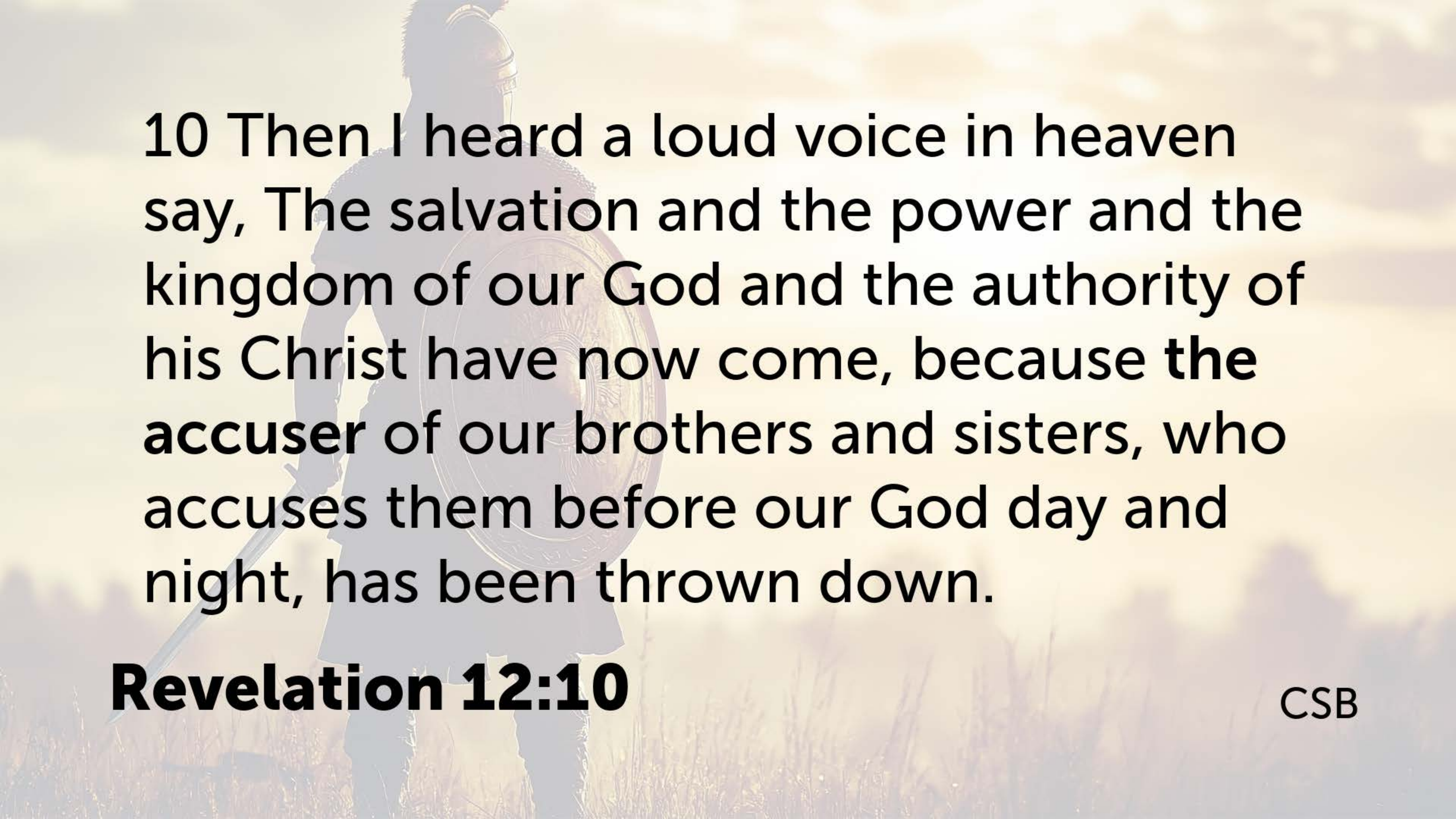
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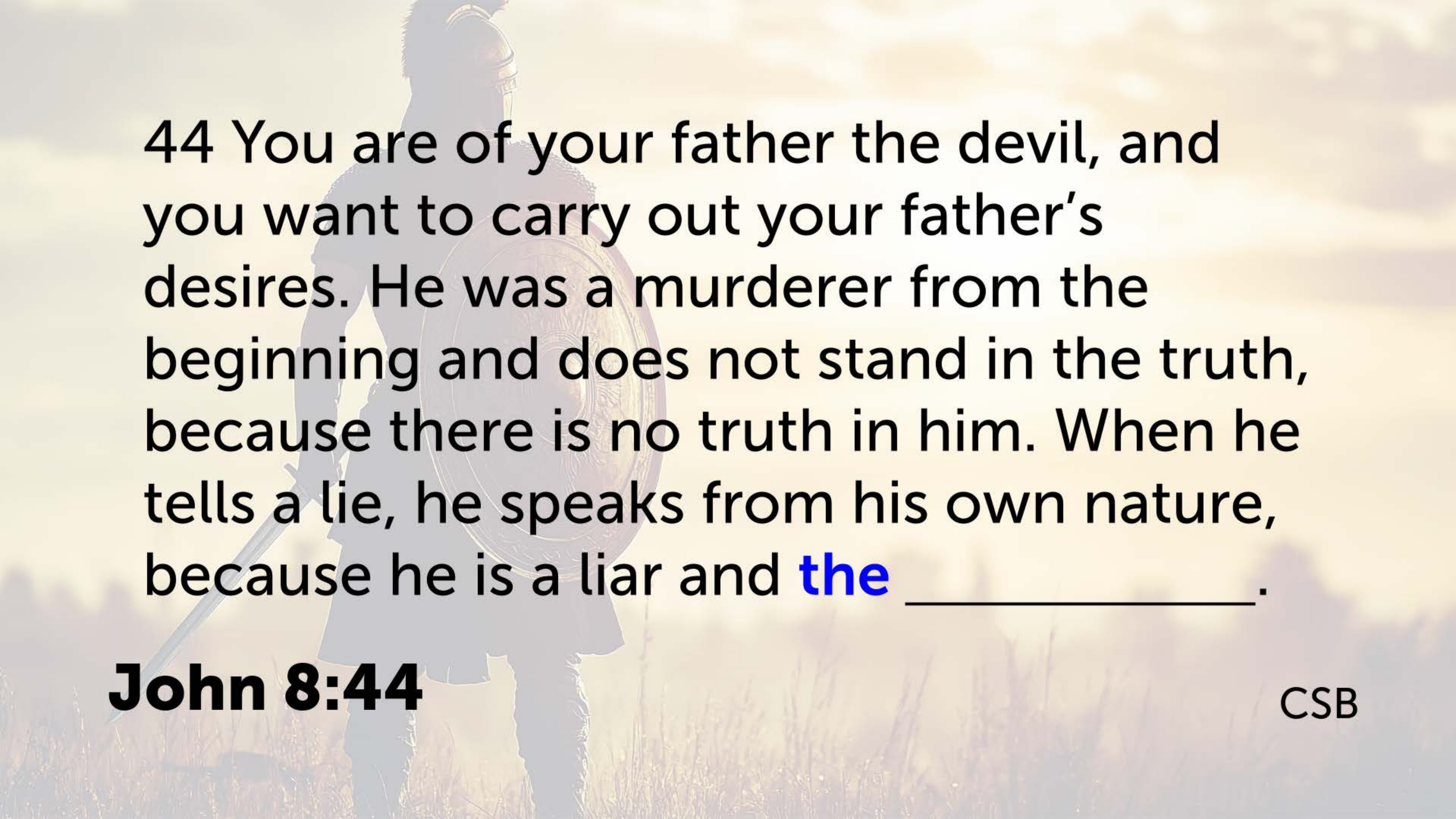
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10 Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say, The salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have now come, because the accuser of our brothers and sisters, who accuses them before our God day and night, has been thrown down.

Revelation 12:10

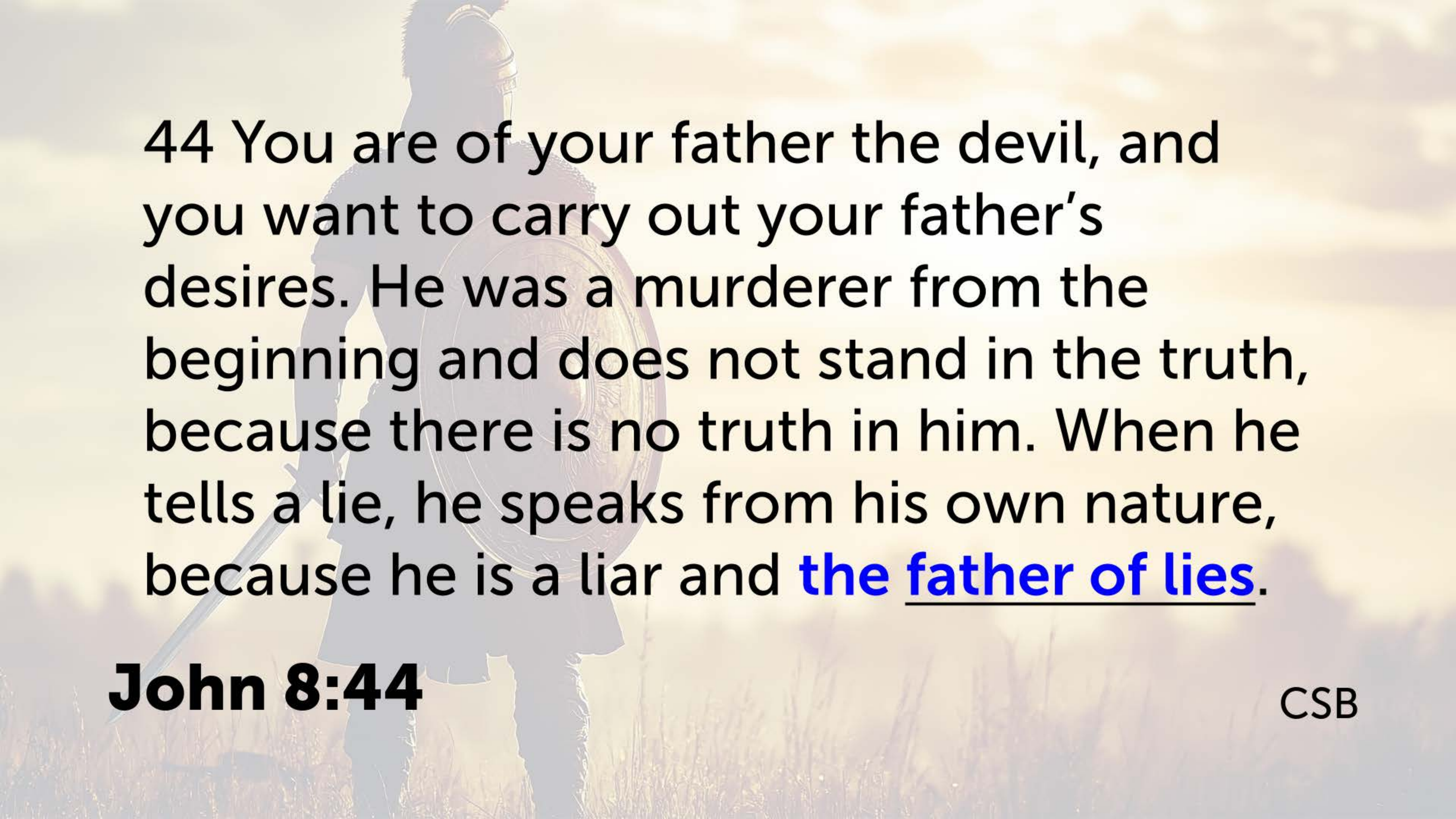
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44 You are of your father the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he tells a lie, he speaks from his own nature, because he is a liar and **the** _____.

John 8:44

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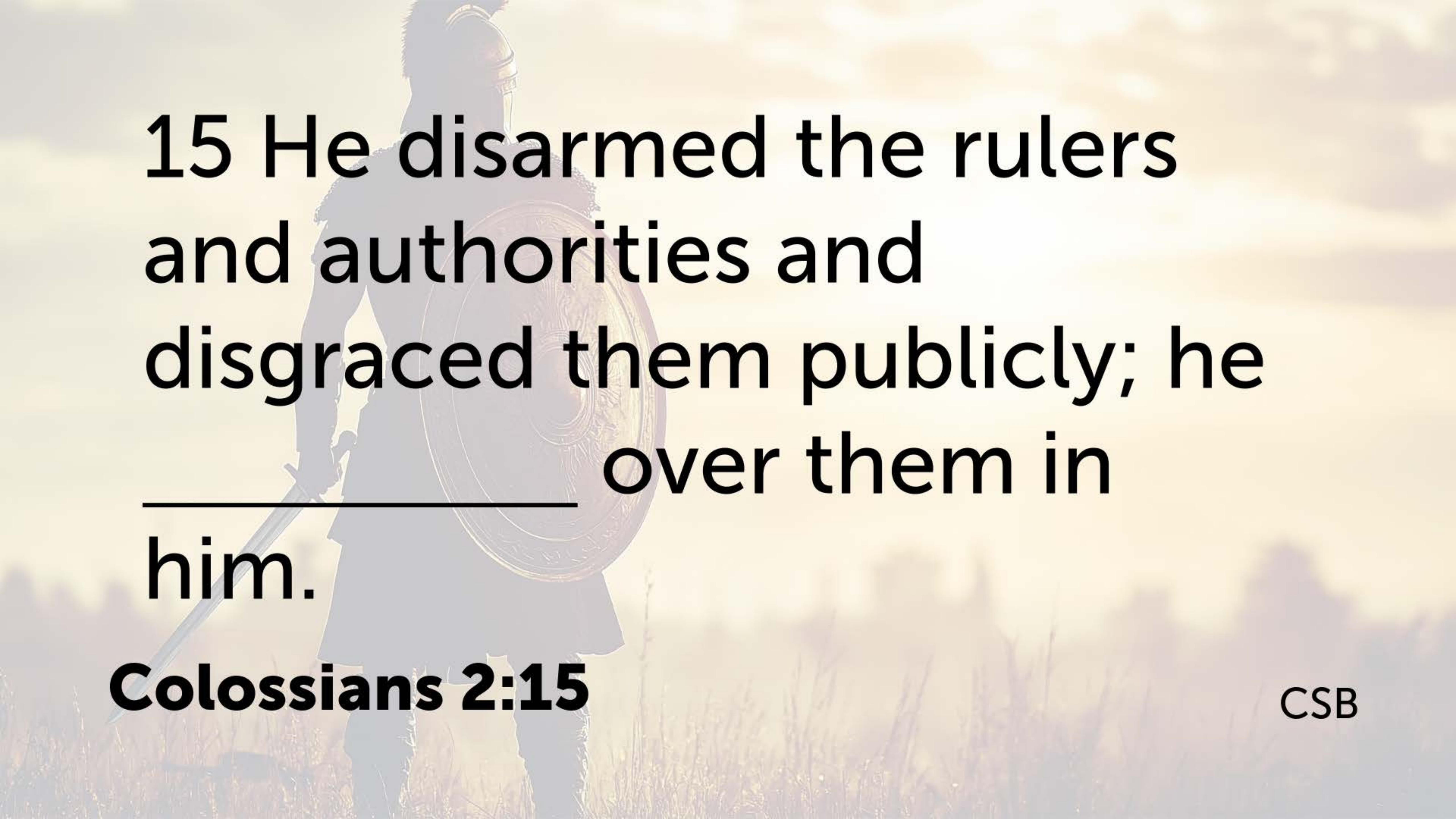
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We Don't Fight for Victory — We Fight from It

Colossians 2:15

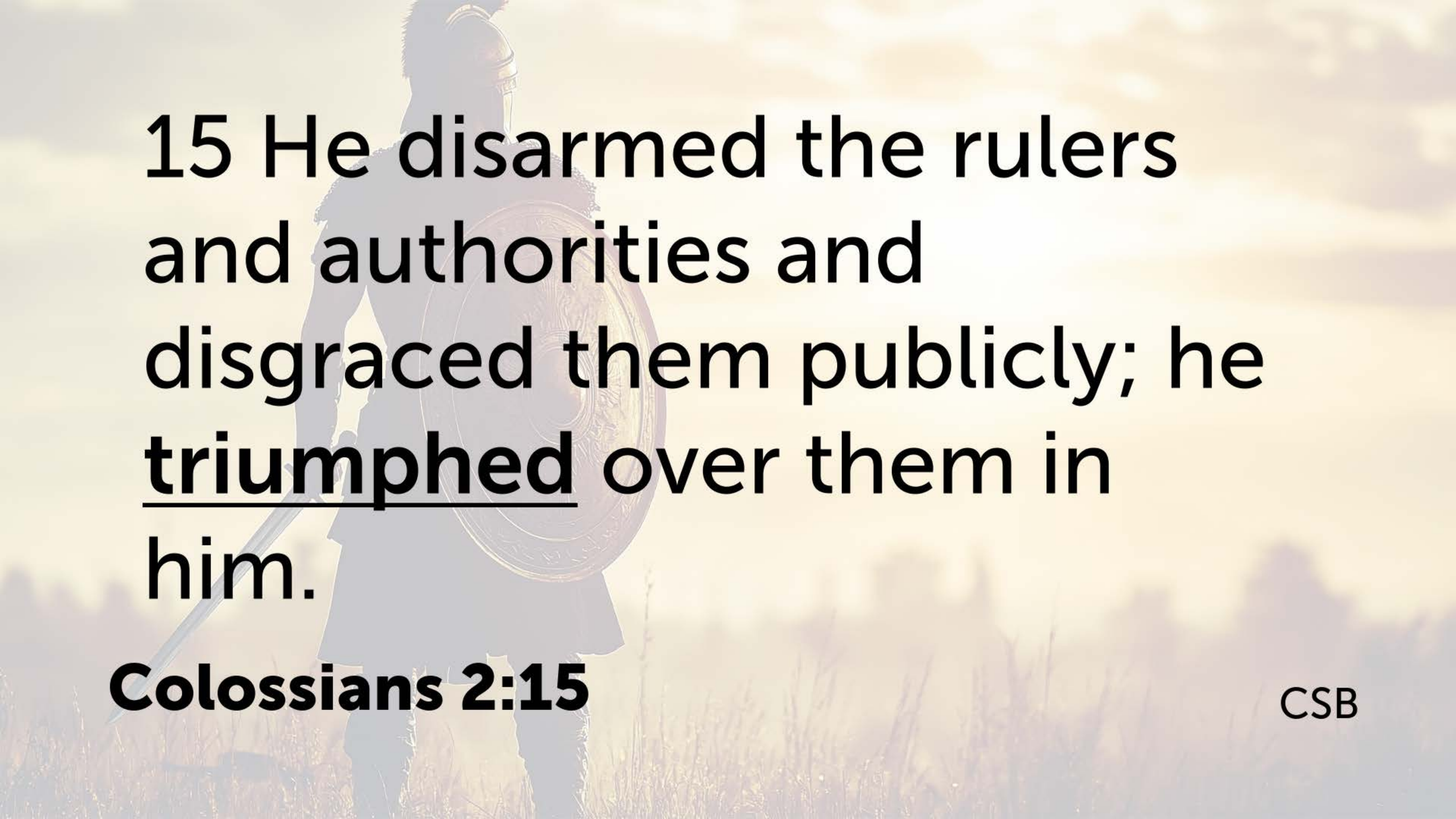
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15 He disarmed the rulers
and authorities and
disgraced them publicly; he
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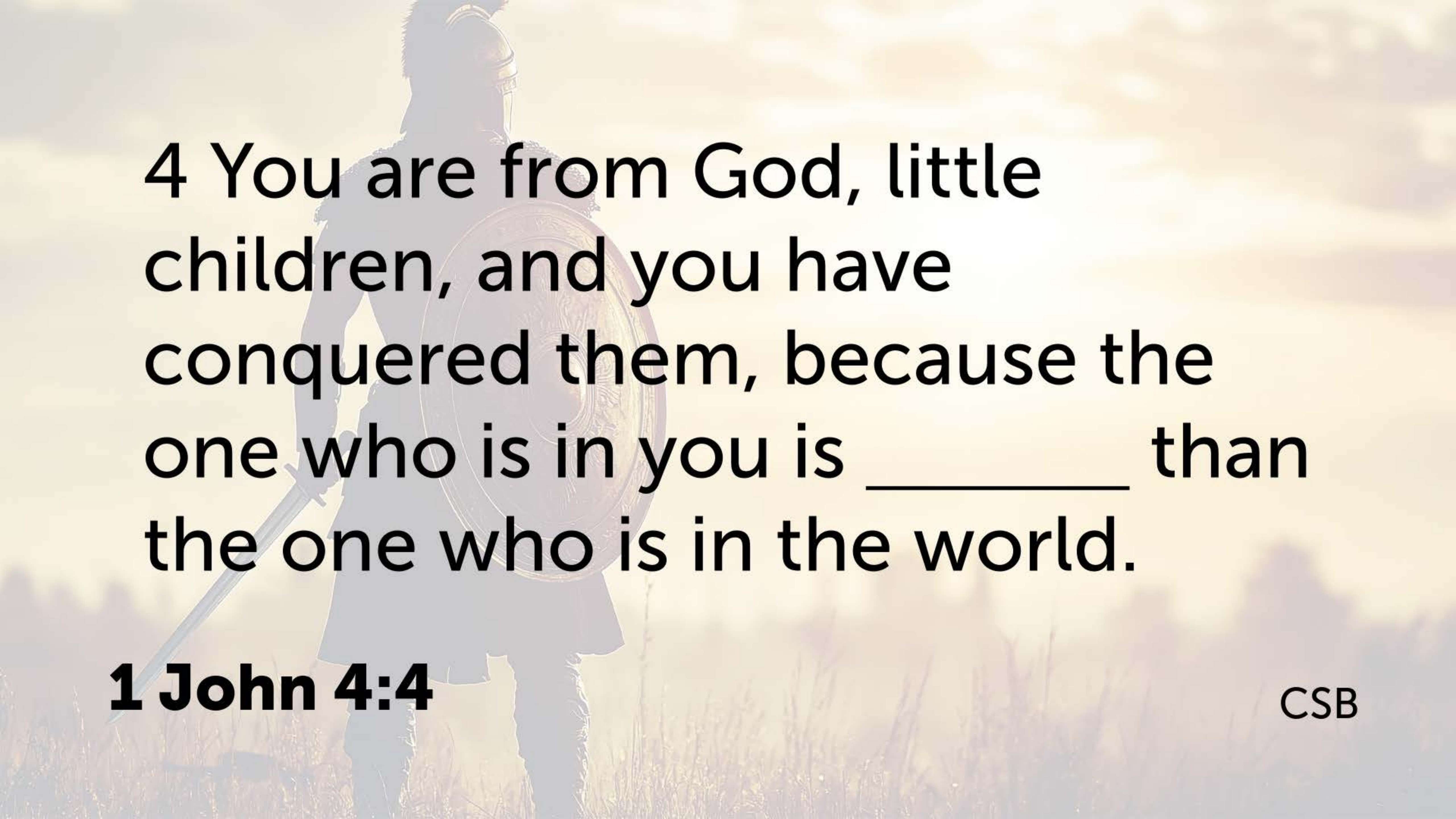
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A Roman soldier in silhouette, holding a spear and shield, standing in a field at sunset. The soldier is facing right, with the sun low on the horizon behind him, creating a strong backlighting effect. The field is filled with tall grass, and the sky is a mix of orange and yellow hues.

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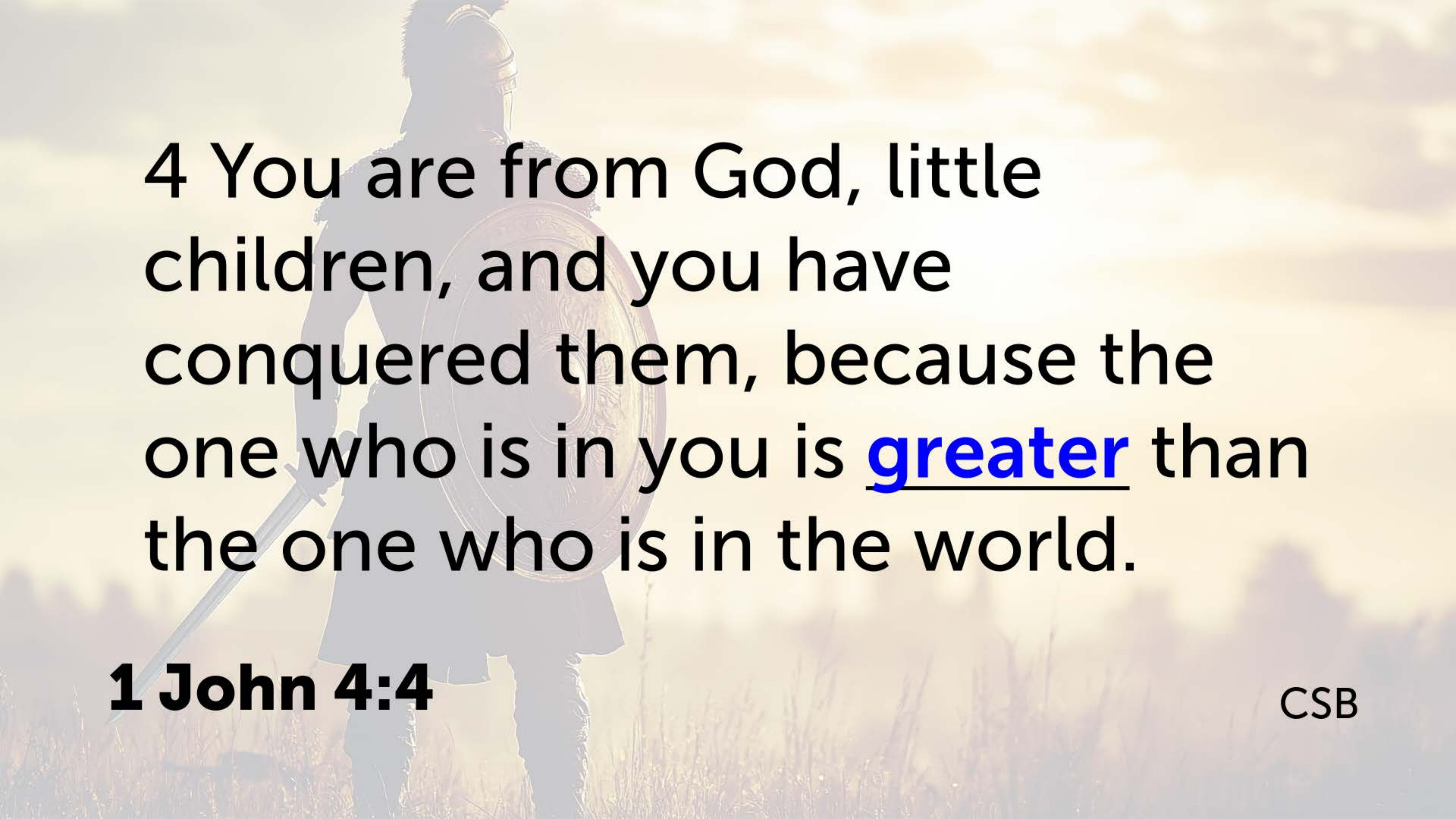
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A Roman soldier in a helmet and tunic stands in a field of tall grass at sunset. He holds a sword in his right hand and a large, ornate shield in his left. The background is a warm, golden sky with soft clouds.

4 You are from God, little children, and you have conquered them, because the one who is in you is _____ than the one who is in the world.

1 John 4:4

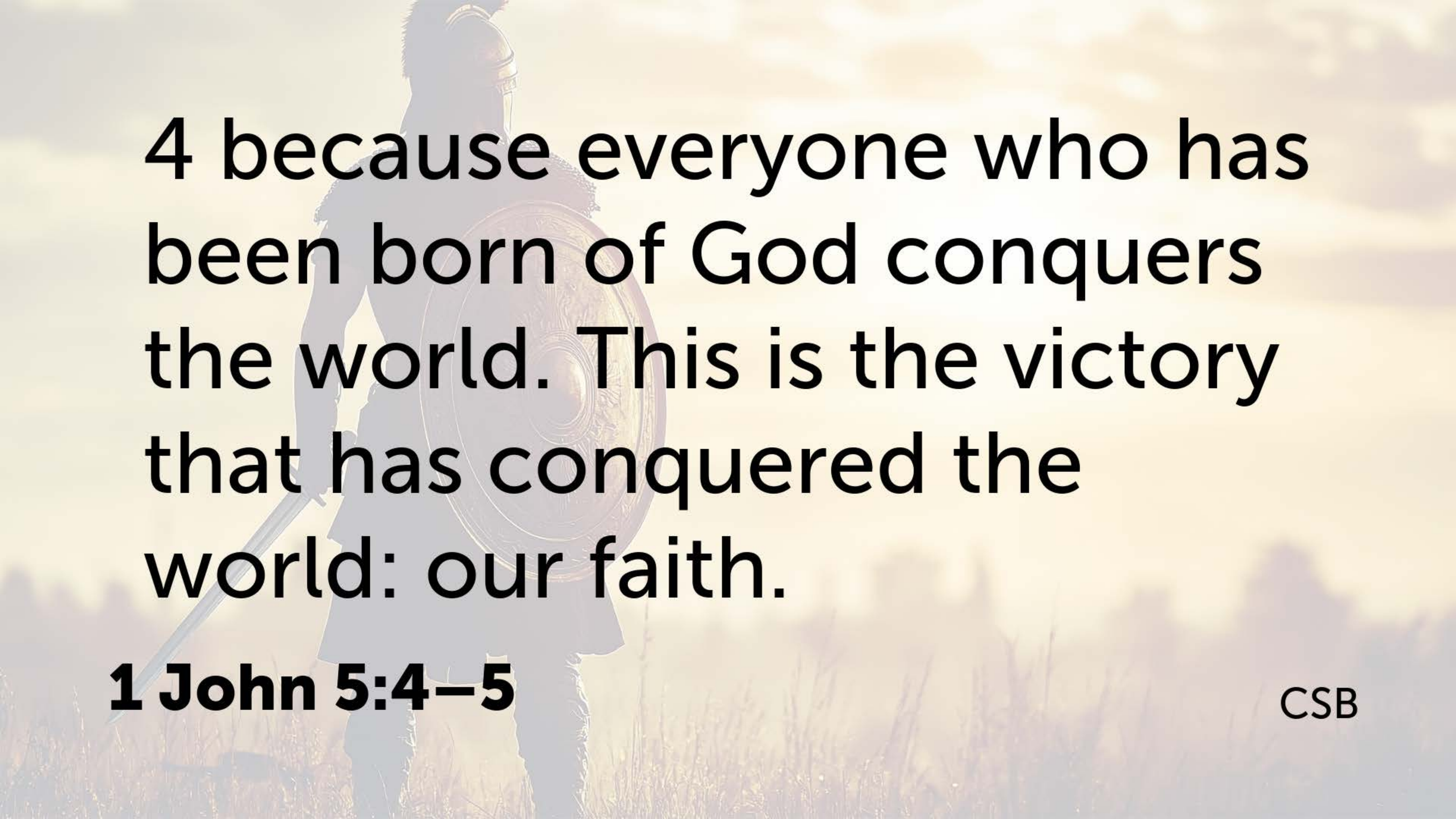
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4 You are from God, little children, and you have conquered them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

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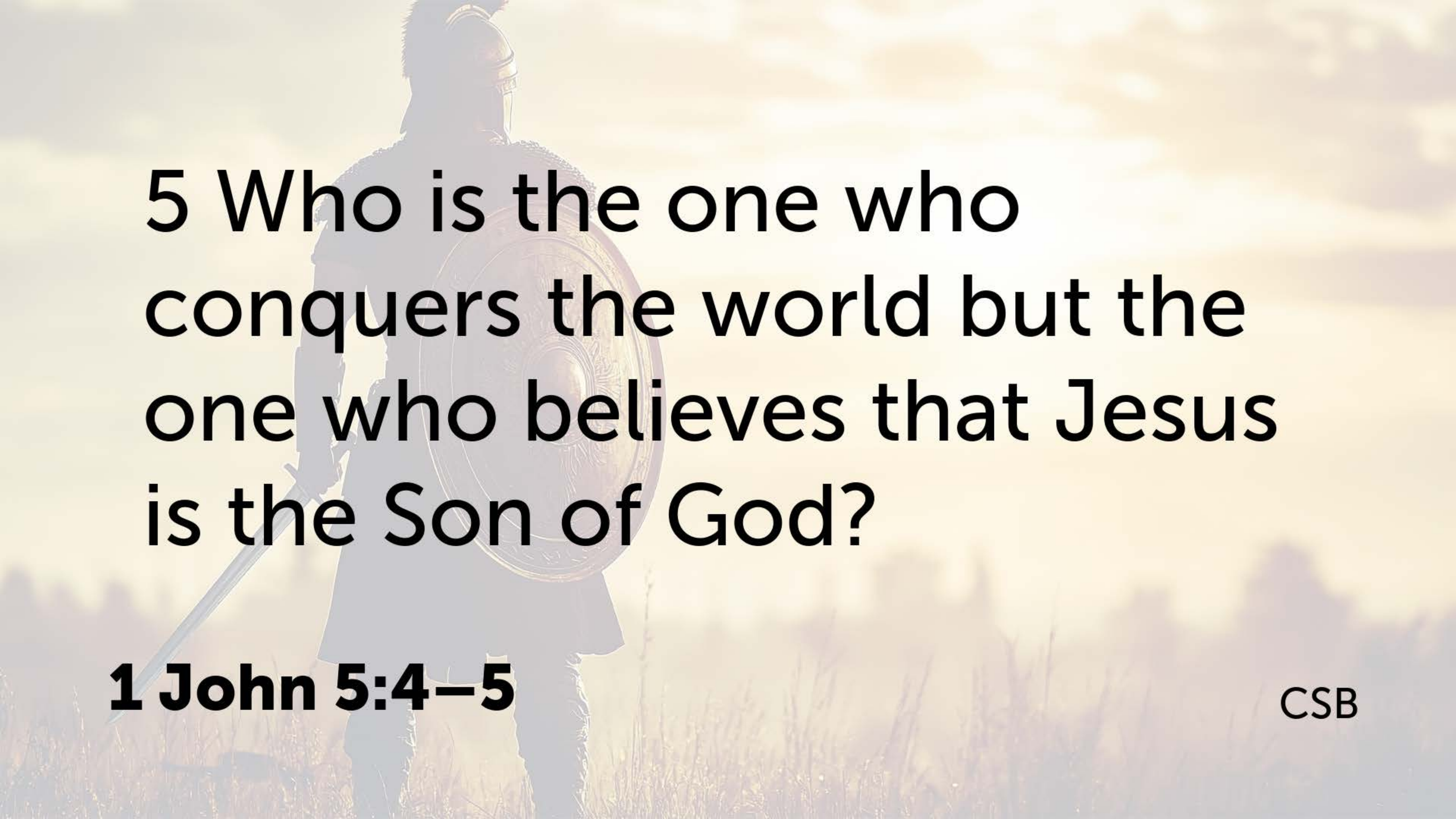
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4 because everyone who has
been born of God conquers
the world. This is the victory
that has conquered the
world: our faith.

1 John 5:4–5

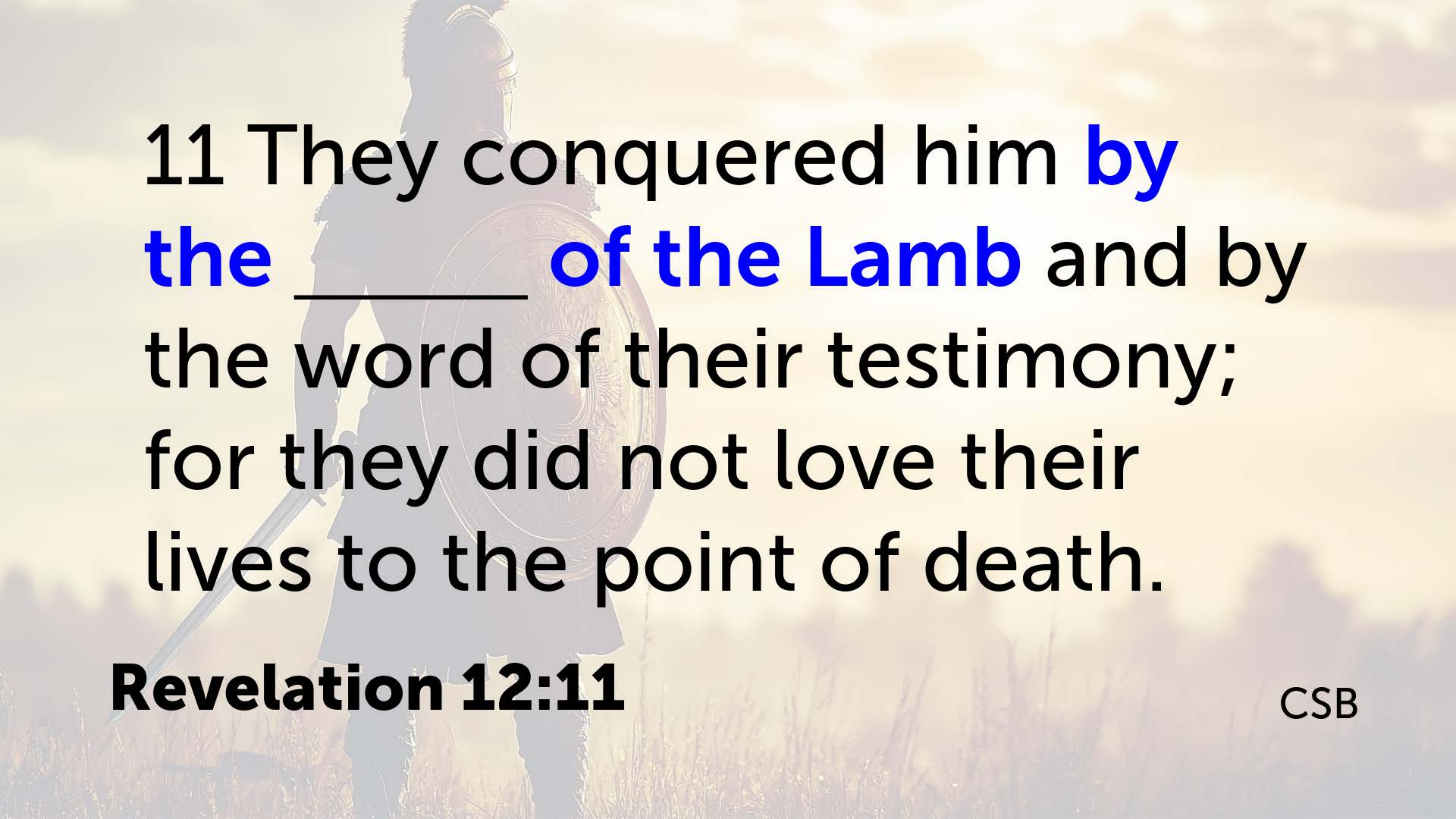
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5 Who is the one who
conquers the world but the
one who believes that Jesus
is the Son of God?

1 John 5:4–5

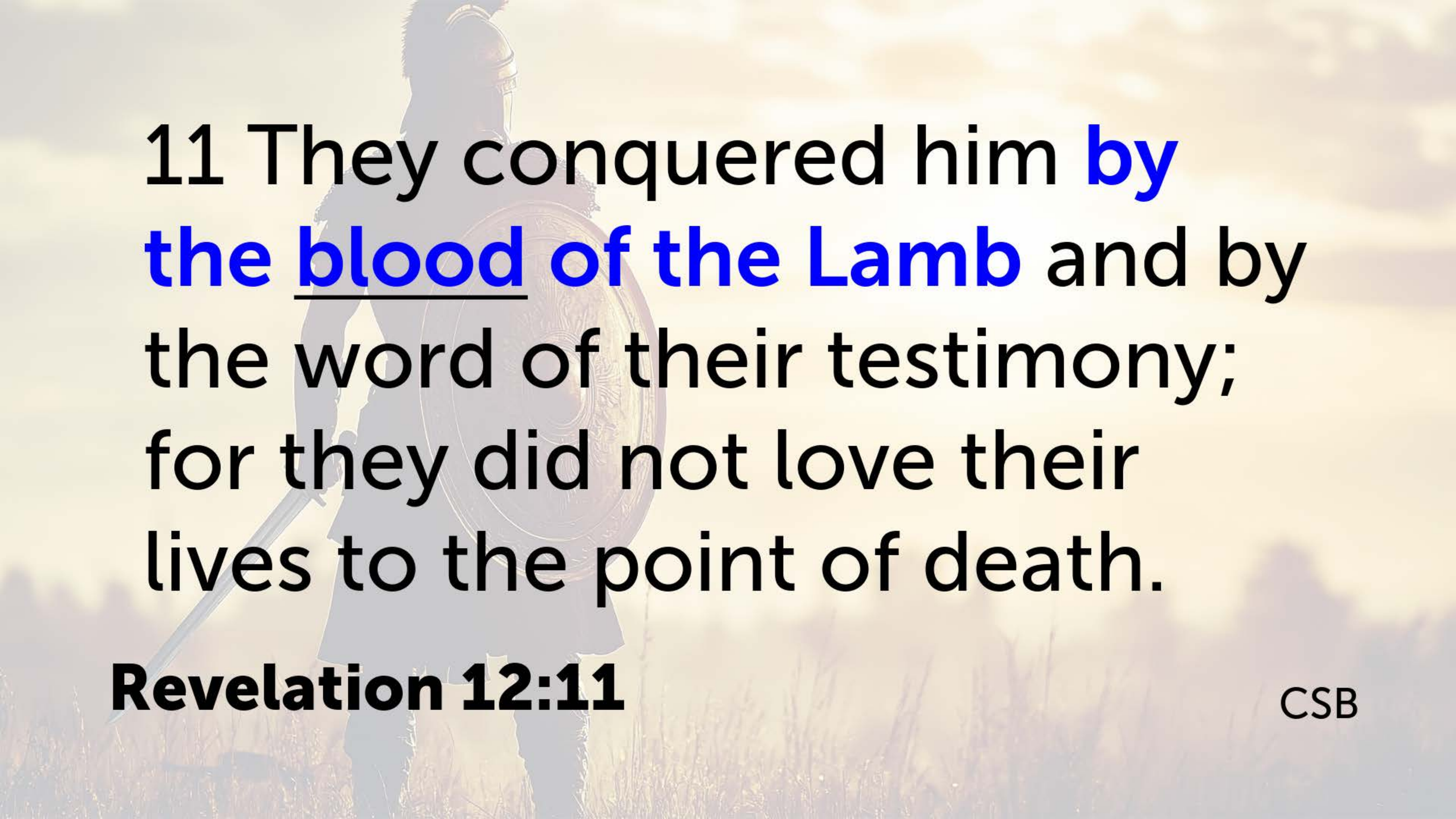
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11 They conquered him **by**
the _____ of the Lamb and by
the word of their testimony;
for they did not love their
lives to the point of death.

Revelation 12:11

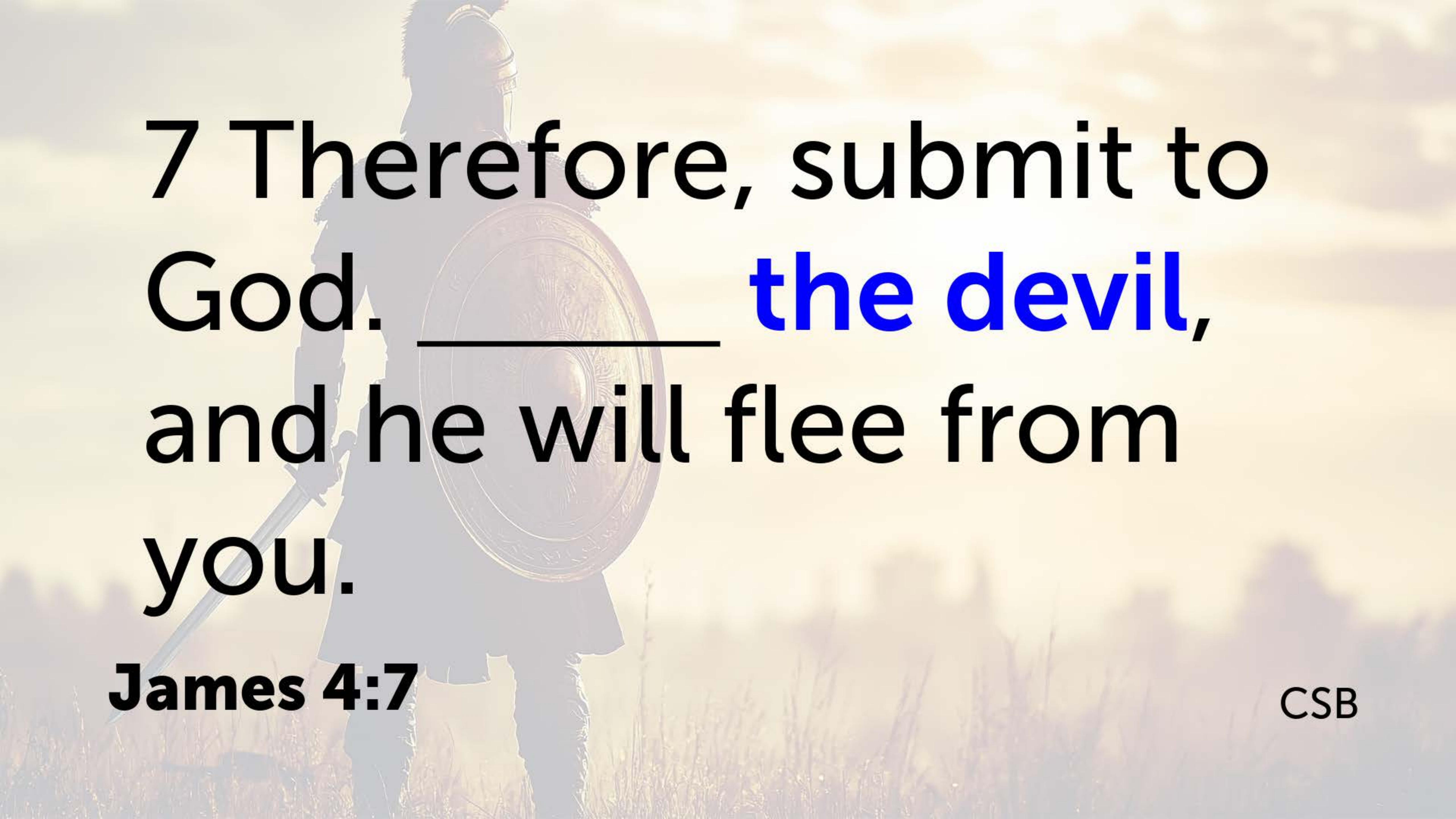
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11 They conquered him **by**
the blood of the Lamb and by
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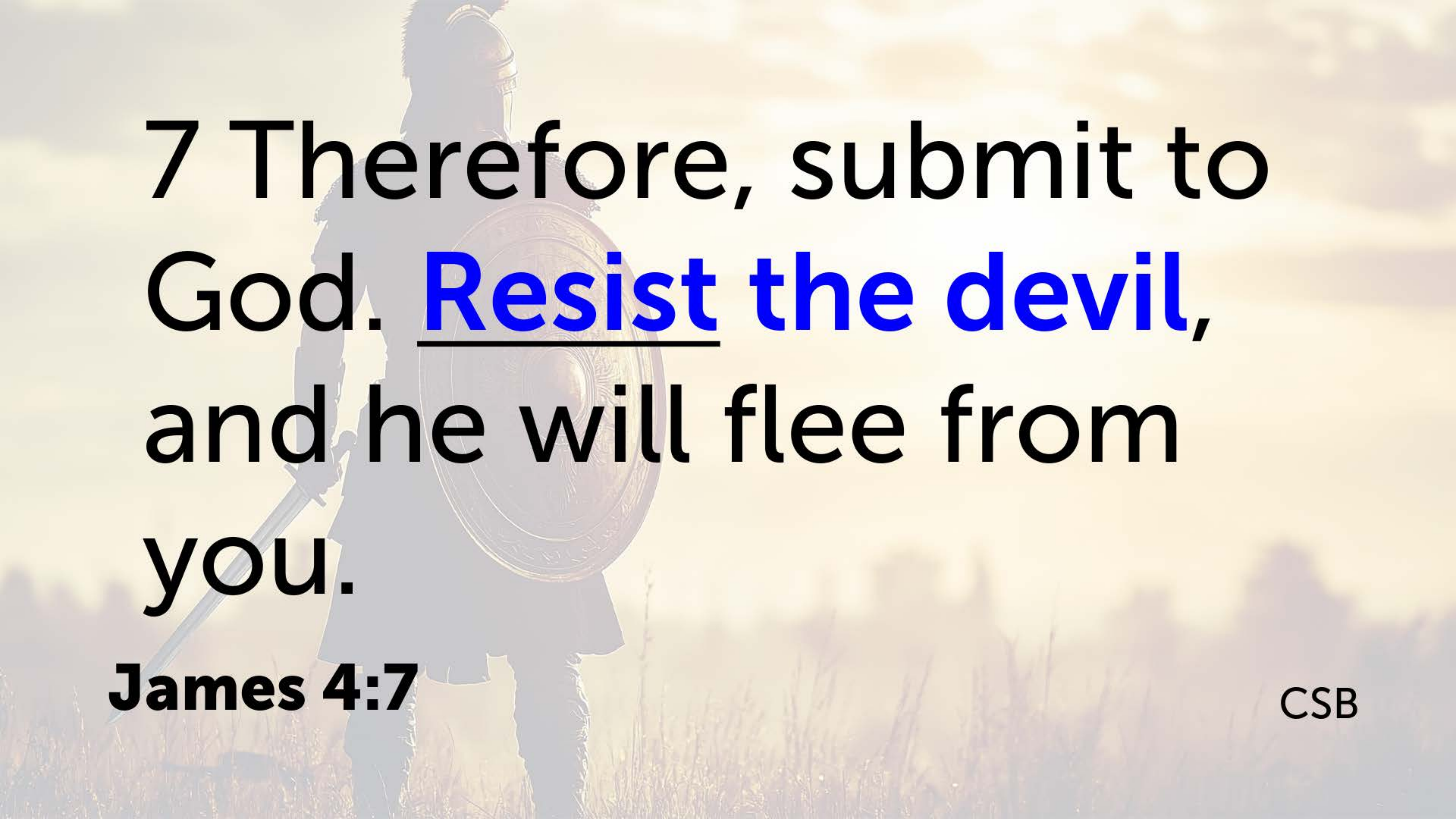
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7 Therefore, submit to
God. _____ **the devil,**
and he will flee from
you.

James 4:7

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7 Therefore, submit to
God. Resist the devil,
and he will flee from
you.

James 4:7

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A Roman soldier in silhouette stands in a field of tall grass, facing away from the viewer. He holds a sword in his right hand and a large, ornate shield on his back. The background is a bright, hazy sunset with a glowing sun and scattered clouds.

As We Close...

VICTORY OVER THE ENEMY



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EPHESIANS 6:10-18