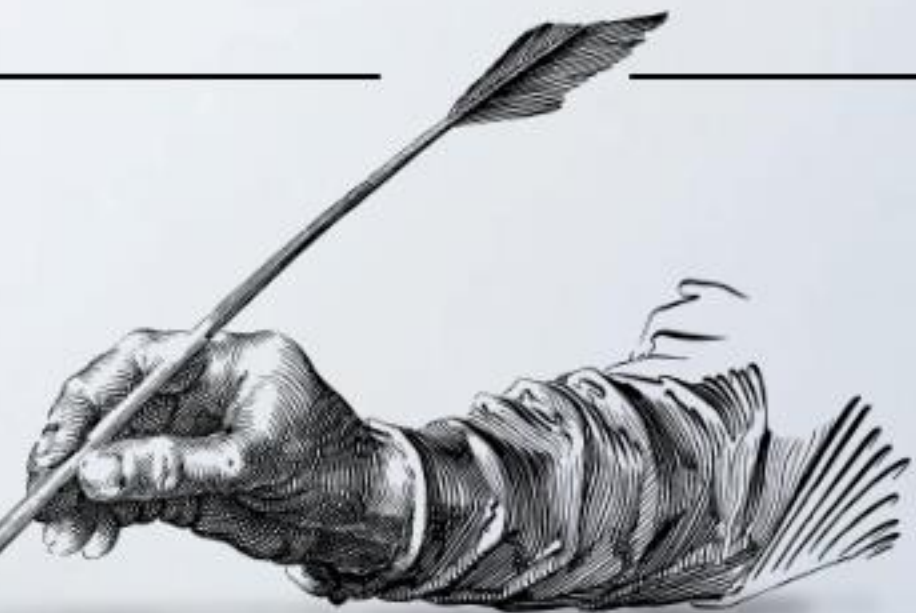


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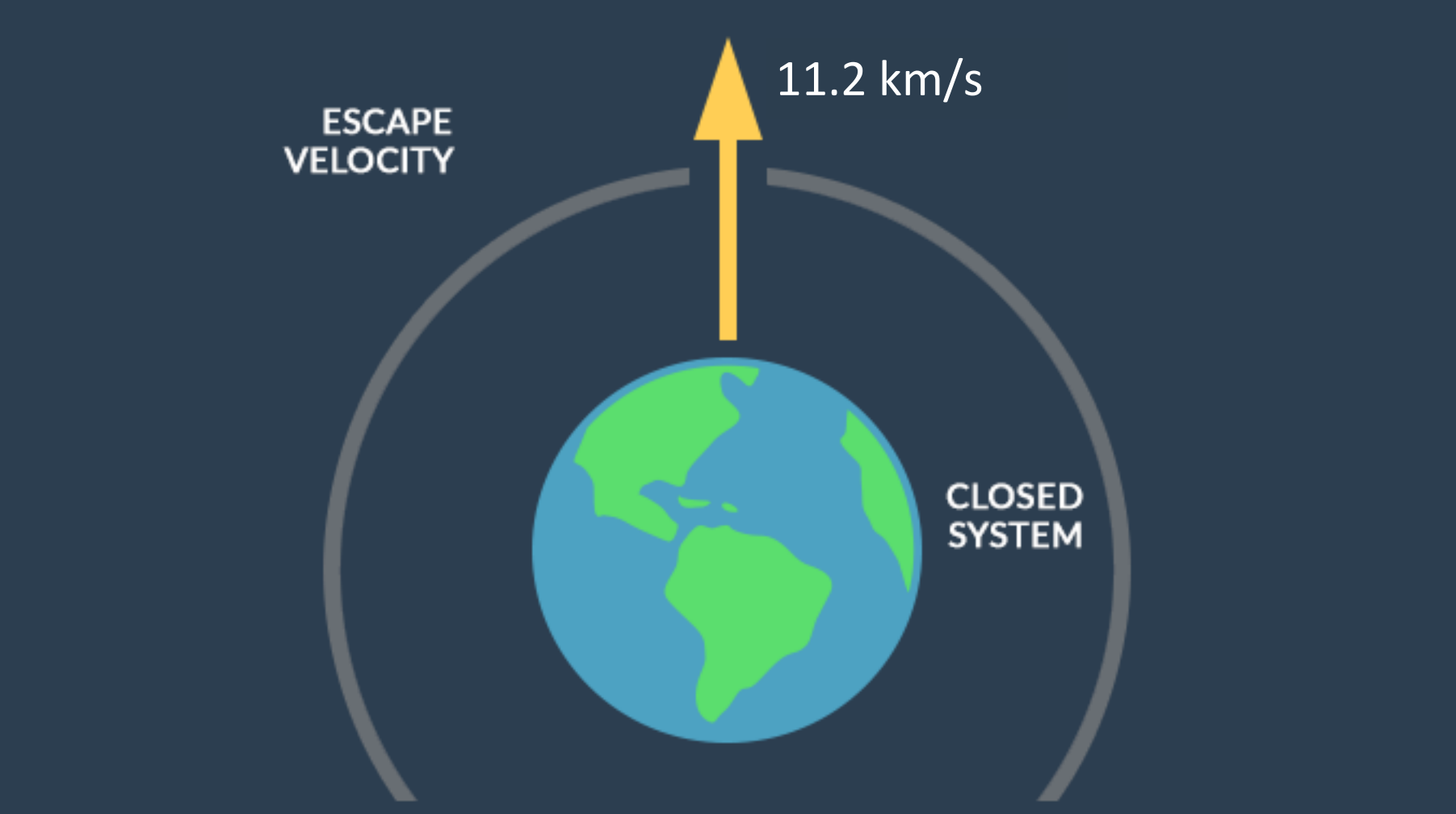
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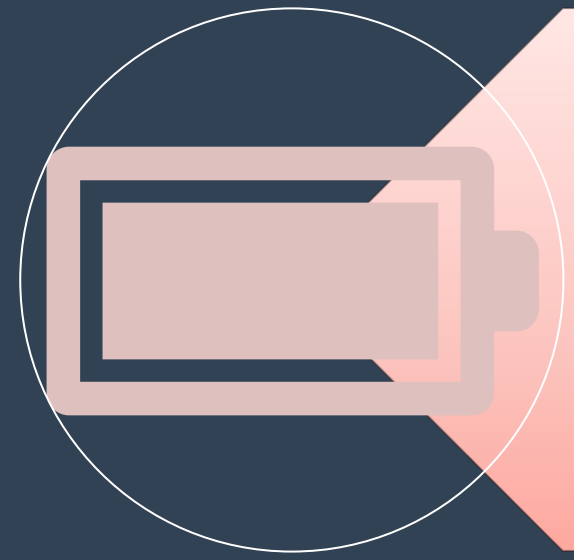


Be Faithful Stewards of the Gospel

Luke 8:1-21





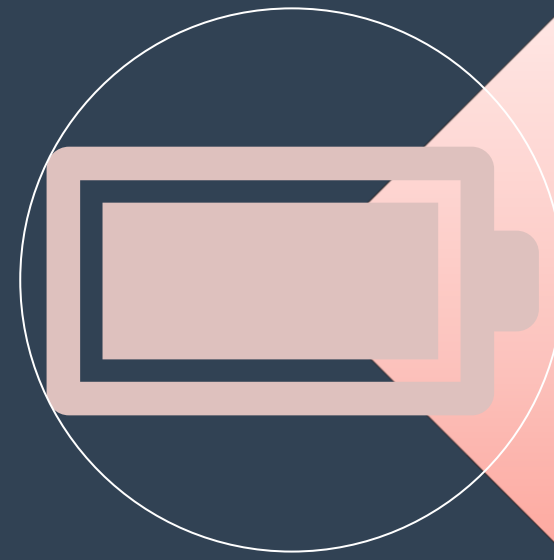


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1 John 5:4 *For whatever is born of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.*



1 John 5:5 *Who is the one who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?*



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The Holy Land in Jesus' time

SYRIA

Region of Galilee

Caesarea Philippi

Mount of Beatitudes

Capernaum

Bethsaida

Cana

Magdala

Tiberias

Sea of Galilee

Region of Samaria

Samaria

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Jerusalem

Mount Olivet

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Hebron

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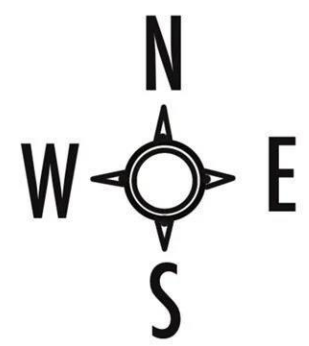
The Mediterranean Sea

Jordan River

The Dead Sea

EGYPT

10 Miles



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JESUS' CALLING & MISSION

Luke 4:18

“THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME,
BECAUSE HE ANOINTED ME TO PREACH THE GOSPEL TO THE POOR.
HE HAS SENT ME TO PROCLAIM RELEASE TO THE CAPTIVES,
AND RECOVERY OF SIGHT TO THE BLIND,
TO SET FREE THOSE WHO ARE OPPRESSED,

Luke 4:19

TO PROCLAIM THE FAVORABLE YEAR OF THE LORD.”

Luke 4:43 But He said to them, “I must preach the kingdom of God to the other cities also, for I was sent for this purpose.”

Luke 4:44 So He kept on preaching in the synagogues of Judea.



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Decoding



Sower: Gospel Proclaimers



Sowing: Proclaiming the Word



Seed: The Word of God



Birds: Satan



Soil: Hearts of People



BESIDE
THE ROAD



ROCKY
SOIL

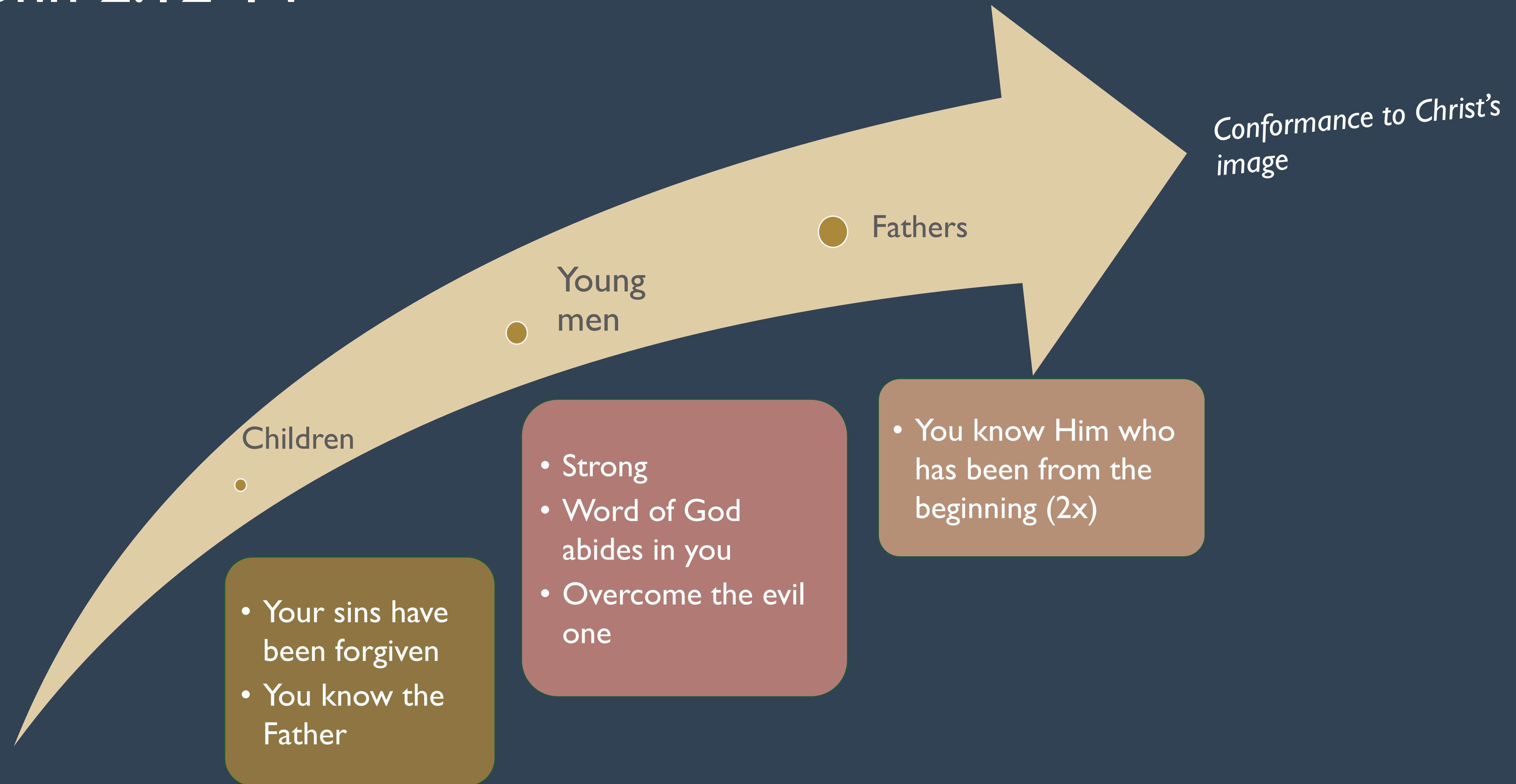


AMONG
THE
THORNS



INTO THE
GOOD
SOIL

I John 2:12-14





John 15:5 I am the vine, you are the branches; he who abides in Me and I in him, he bears much fruit, for apart from Me you can do nothing.



John 15:8 My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit, and so prove to be My disciples.



Matt. 7:16 You will know them by their fruits. Grapes are not gathered from thorn bushes nor figs from thistles, are they?



Psa. 1:3

*He will be like a tree firmly planted by streams of water
Which yields its fruit in its season. And its leaf does not wither;
And in whatever he does, he prospers*

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Why Parables?

Matt 13:13-15



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Luke 8:16 “Now no one after lighting a lamp covers it over with a container, or puts it under a bed; but he puts it on a lampstand, so that those who come in may see the light.”





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ARE YOU A
FAITHFUL
STEWARD OF
THE GOSPEL?

2 Cor. 5:18 Now all these things are from God, who reconciled us to Himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation,

1 Cor. 9:16 For if I preach the gospel, I have nothing to boast of, for I am under compulsion; for woe is me if I do not preach the gospel.

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