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Love

Grace

Mercy

Provision

Salvation

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Healing

Purpose

Fellowship

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Matthew 1:12–17 CSB

After the exile to Babylon Jeconiah fathered Shealtiel, Shealtiel fathered Zerubbabel, Zerubbabel fathered Abiud, Abiud fathered Eliakim, Eliakim fathered Azor, Azor fathered Zadok, Zadok fathered Achim, Achim fathered Eliud, Eliud fathered Eleazar, Eleazar fathered Matthan, Matthan fathered Jacob...

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...and Jacob fathered Joseph the husband of Mary, who gave birth to Jesus who is called the Messiah.

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Psalm 137:1–4 CSB

By the rivers of Babylon— there we sat down and wept when we remembered Zion. There we hung up our lyres on the poplar trees, for our captors there asked us for songs, and our tormentors, for rejoicing: "Sing us one of the songs of Zion."
How can we sing the Lord's song on foreign soil?

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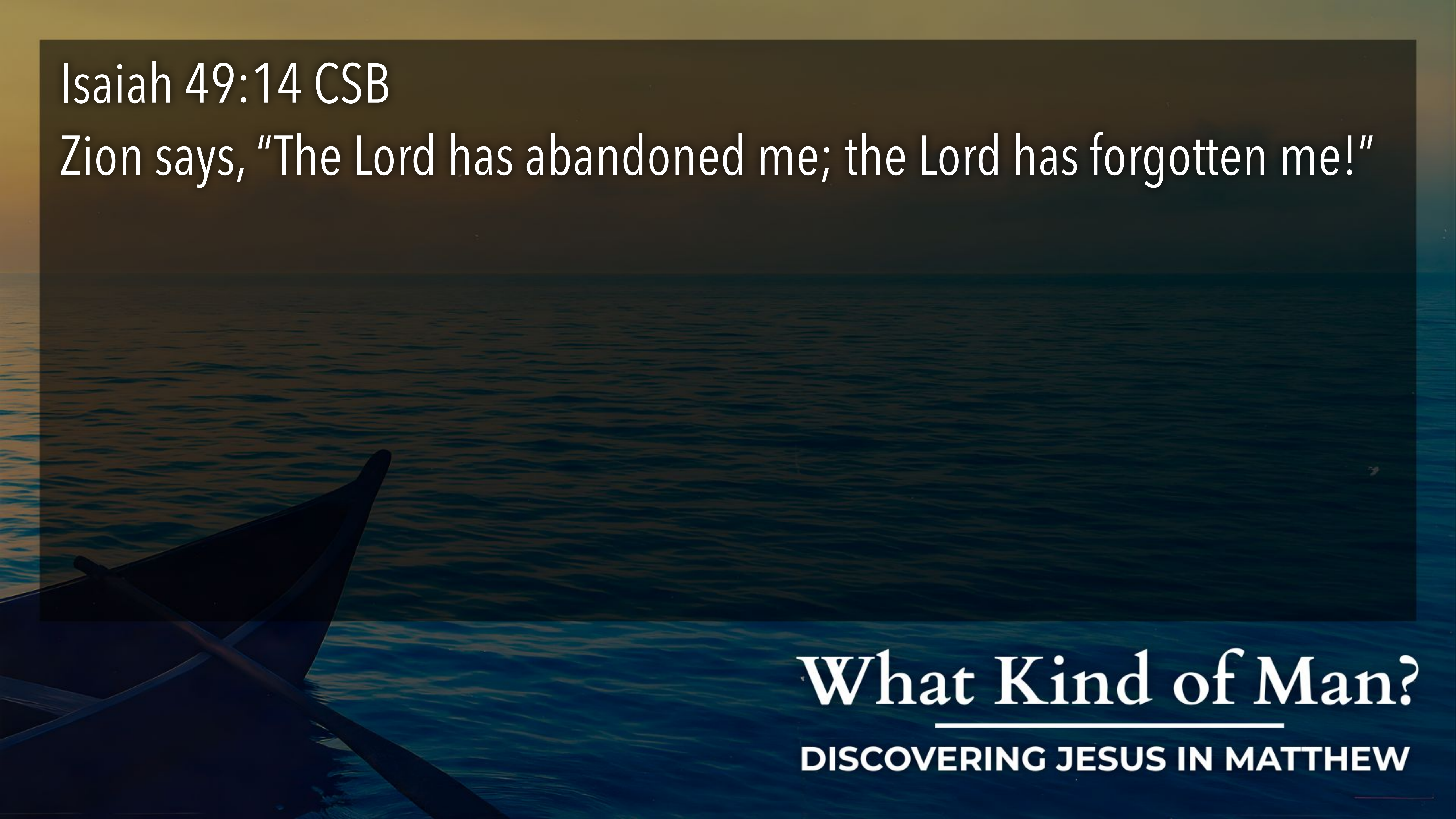


Lamentations 5:20 CSB

Why do you continually forget us, abandon us for our entire lives?

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Isaiah 49:14 CSB

Zion says, "The Lord has abandoned me; the Lord has forgotten me!"

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Daniel 1:8 CSB

Daniel determined that he would not defile himself with the king's food or with the wine he drank. So he asked permission from the chief eunuch not to defile himself.

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Jeremiah 29:4–7 CSB

'This is what the Lord of Armies, the God of Israel, says to all the exiles I deported from Jerusalem to Babylon: "Build houses and live in them. Plant gardens and eat their produce. Find wives for yourselves, and have sons and daughters. Find wives for your sons and give your daughters to men in marriage so that they may bear sons and daughters. Multiply there; do not decrease. Pursue the well-being of the city I have deported you to. Pray to the Lord on its behalf, for when it thrives, you will thrive."

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Daniel 3:17–18 CSB

If the God we serve exists, then he can rescue us from the furnace of blazing fire, and he can rescue us from the power of you, the king. But even if he does not rescue us, we want you as king to know that we will not serve your gods or worship the gold statue you set up.

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Lamentations 3:31–33 CSB

For the Lord will not reject us forever. Even if he causes suffering, he will show compassion according to the abundance of his faithful love. For he does not enjoy bringing affliction or suffering on mankind.

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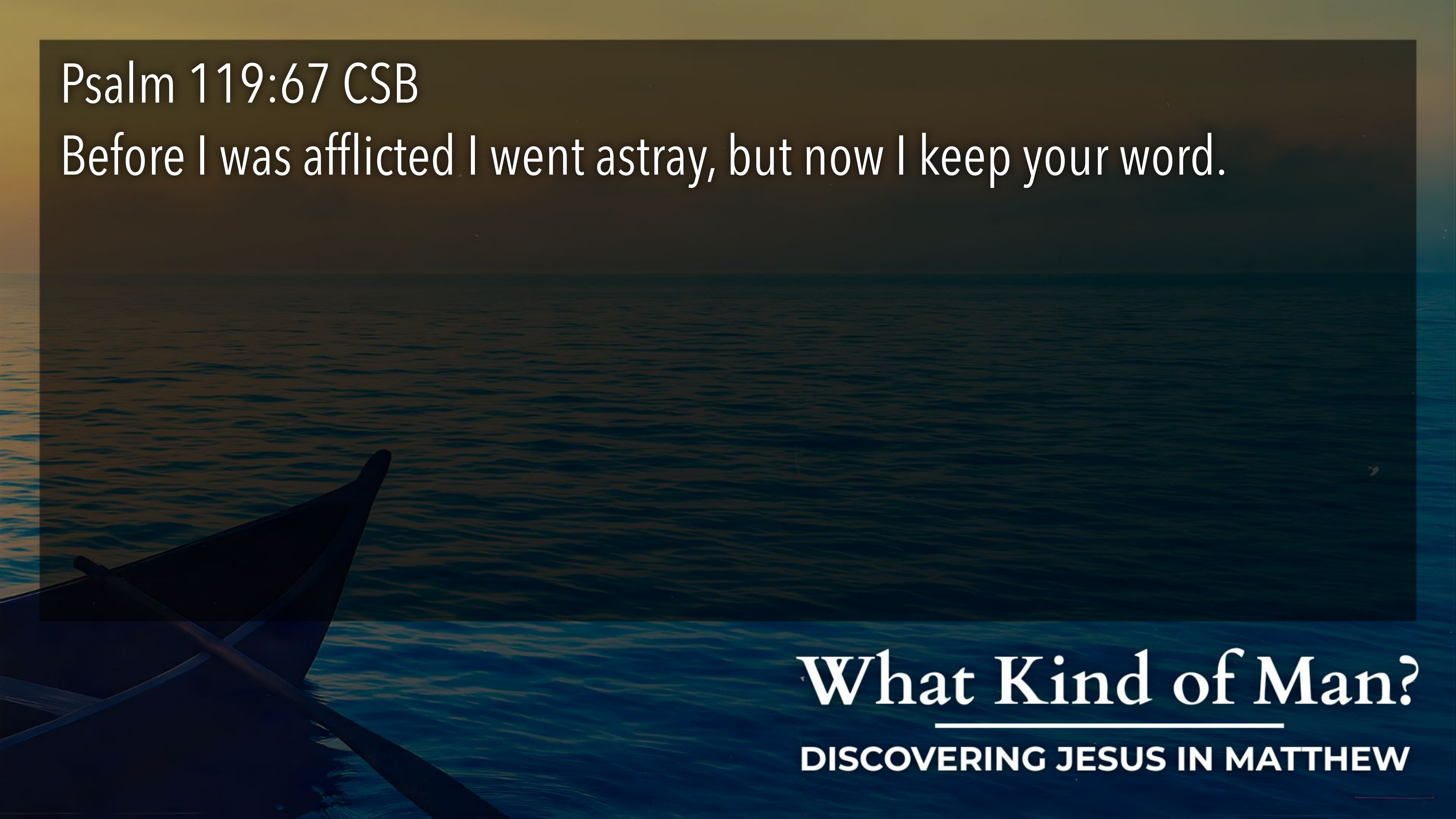
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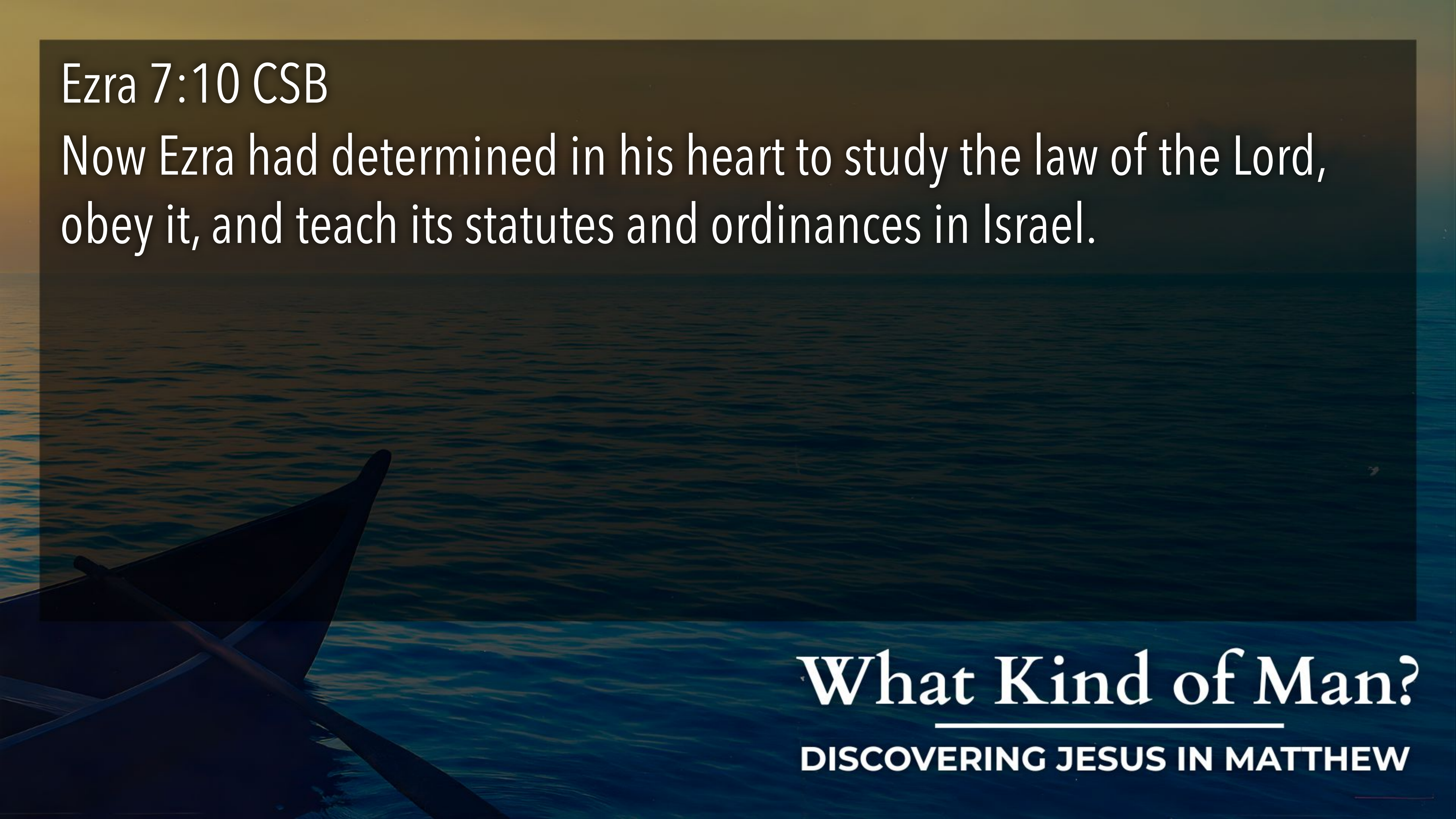
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Psalm 119:67 CSB

Before I was afflicted I went astray, but now I keep your word.

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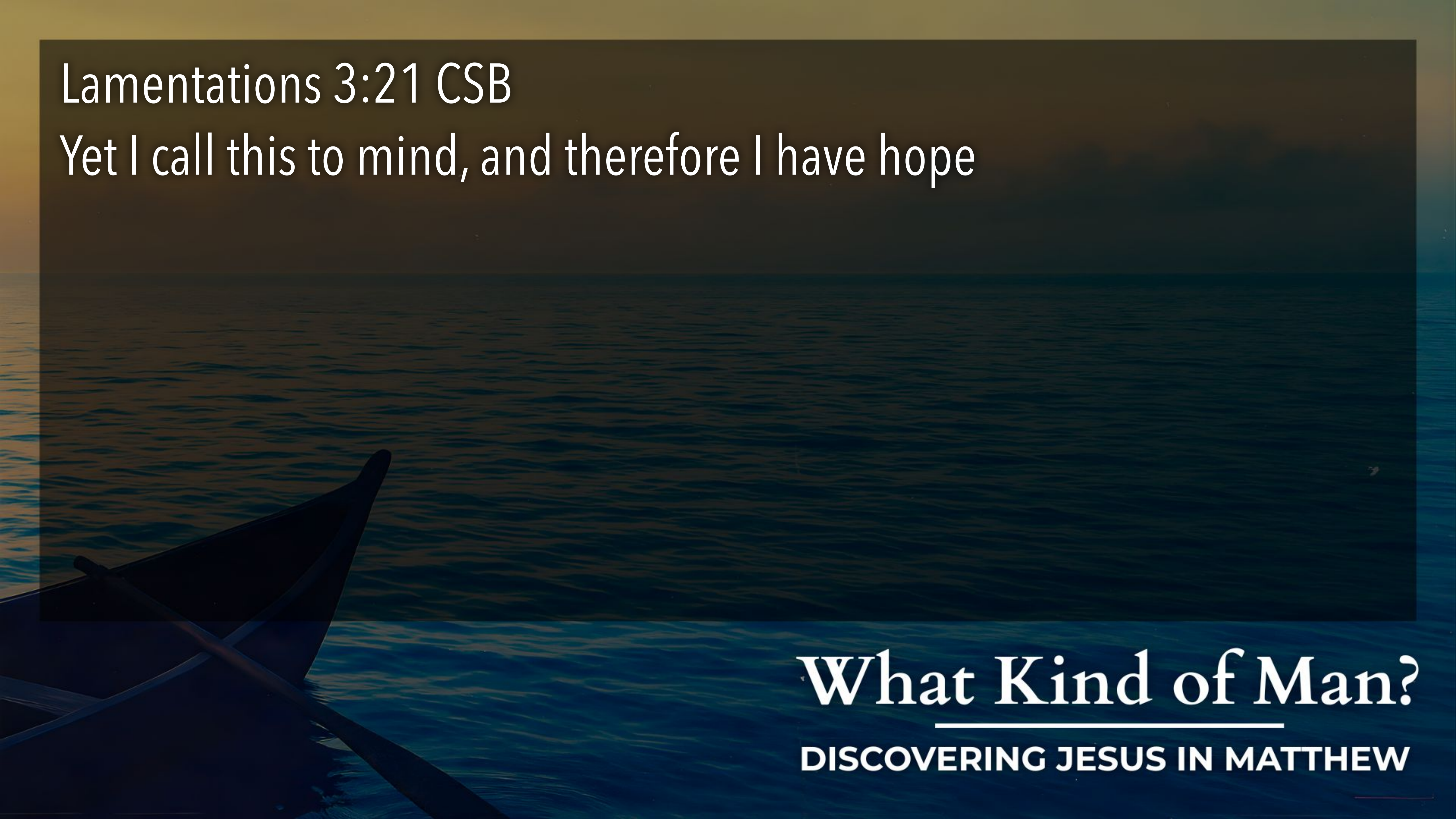


Ezra 7:10 CSB

Now Ezra had determined in his heart to study the law of the Lord, obey it, and teach its statutes and ordinances in Israel.

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Lamentations 3:21 CSB

Yet I call this to mind, and therefore I have hope

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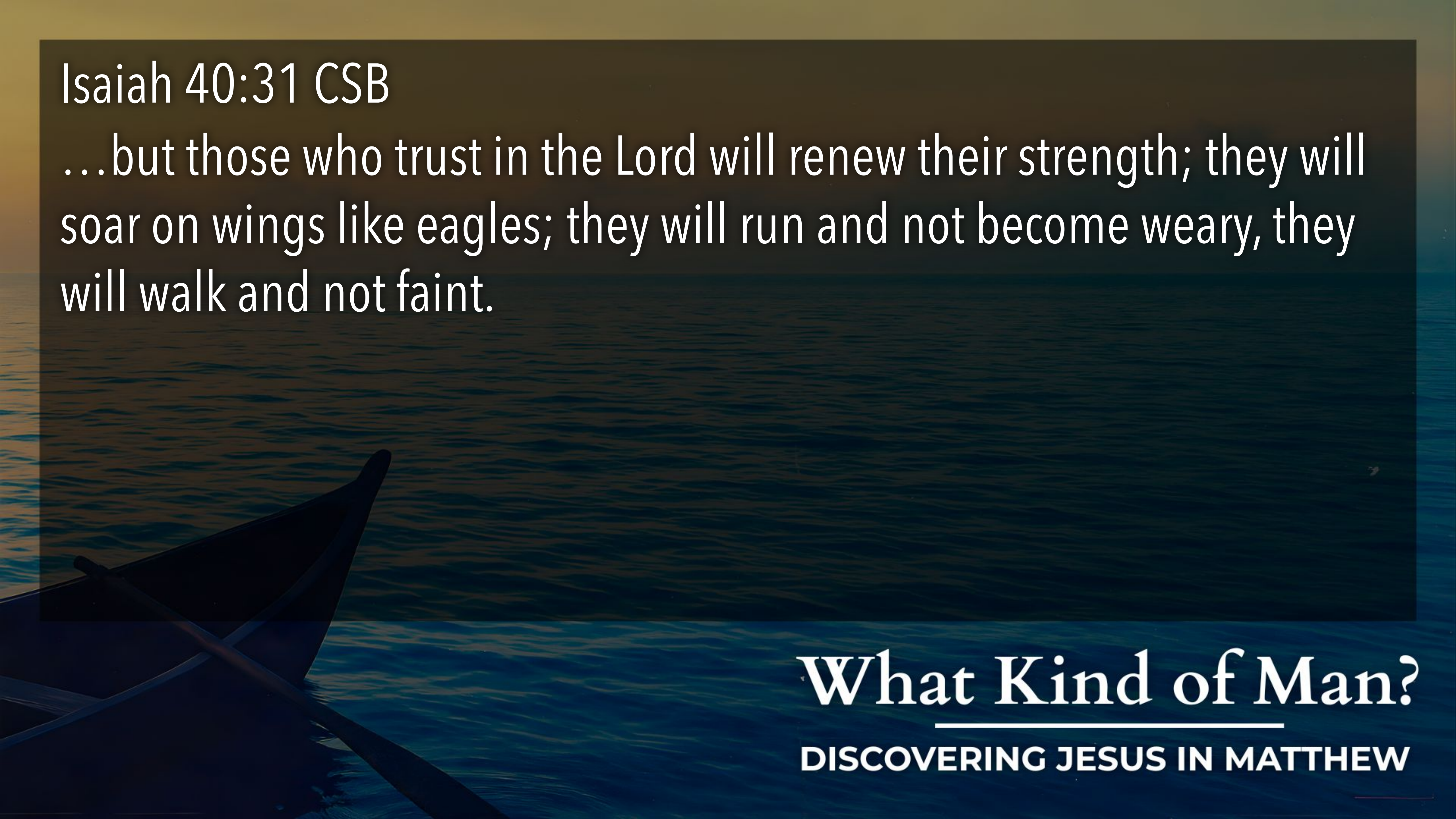
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Psalm 130:5–6 CSB

I wait for the Lord; I wait and put my hope in his word. I wait for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning— more than watchmen for the morning.

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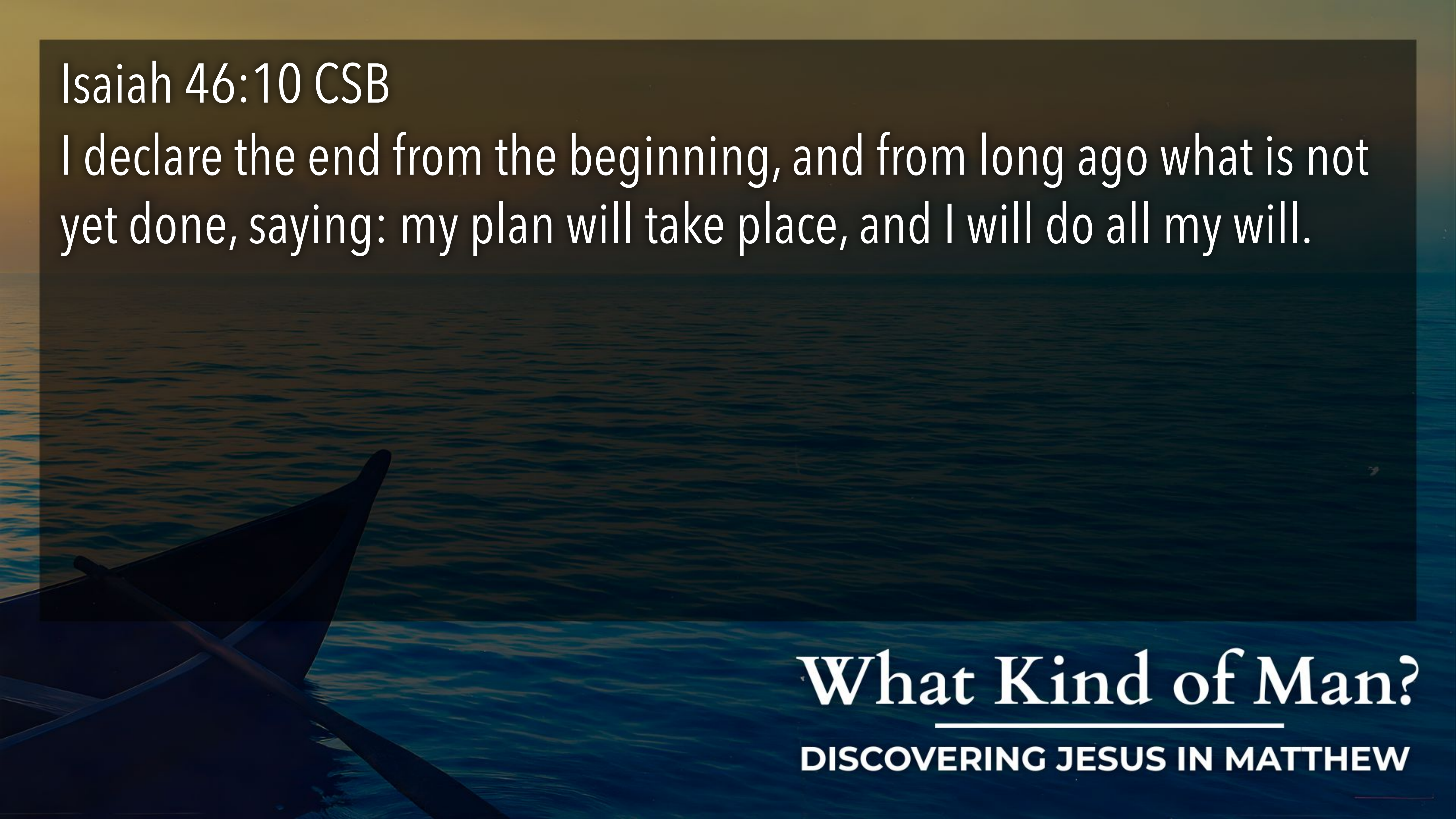


Isaiah 40:31 CSB

...but those who trust in the Lord will renew their strength; they will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not become weary, they will walk and not faint.

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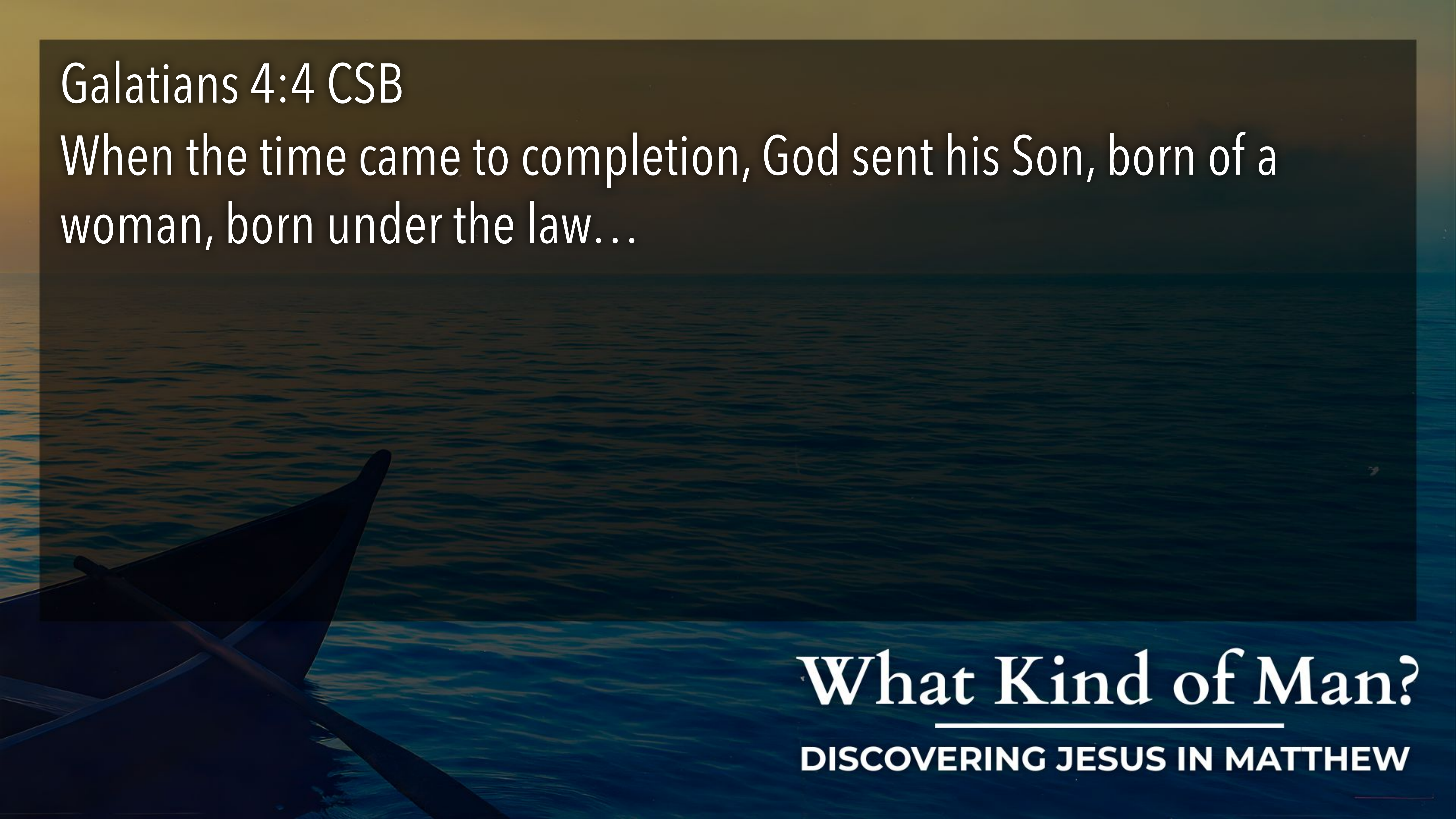


Isaiah 46:10 CSB

I declare the end from the beginning, and from long ago what is not yet done, saying: my plan will take place, and I will do all my will.

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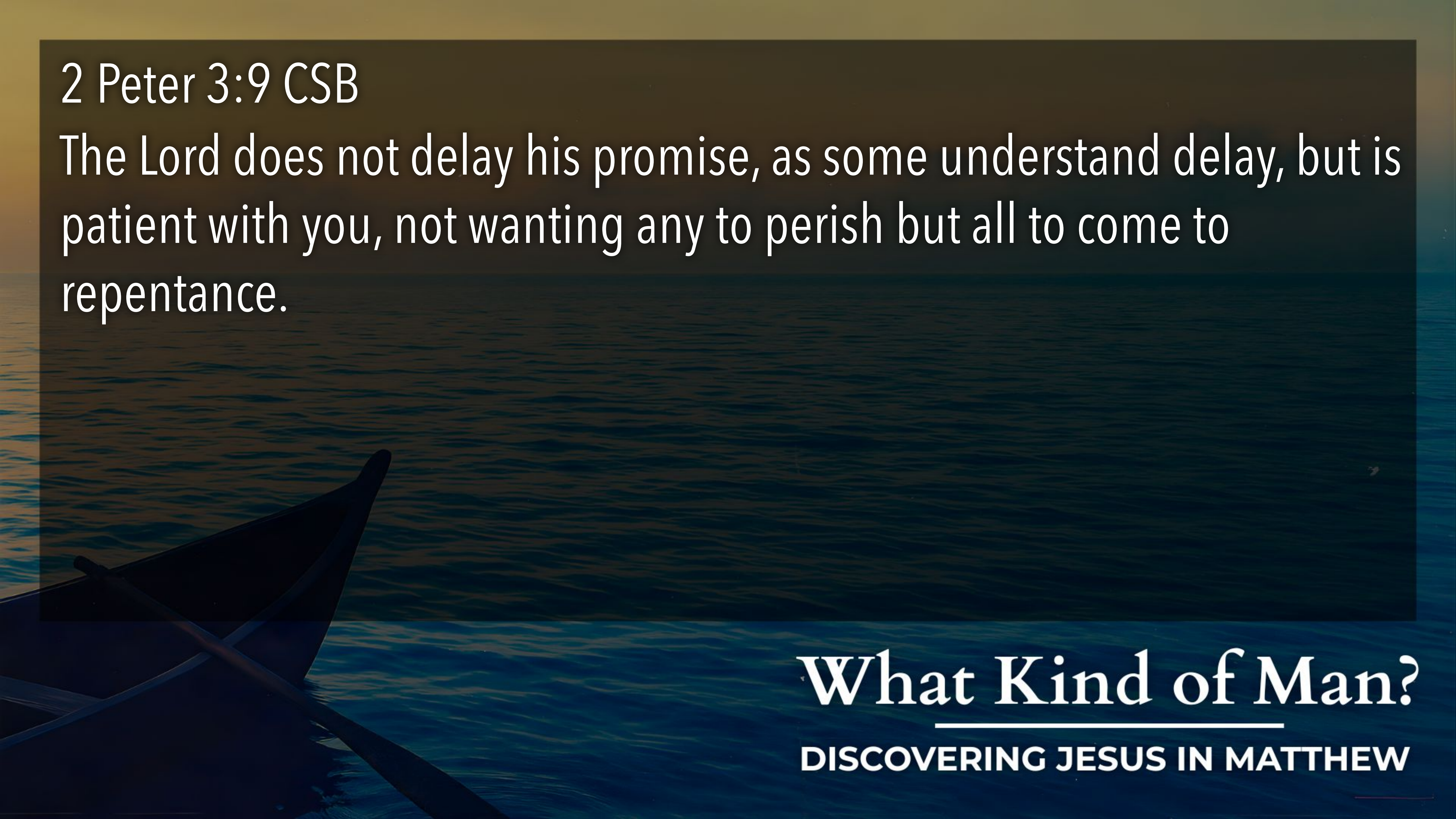


Galatians 4:4 CSB

When the time came to completion, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law...

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2 Peter 3:9 CSB

The Lord does not delay his promise, as some understand delay, but is patient with you, not wanting any to perish but all to come to repentance.

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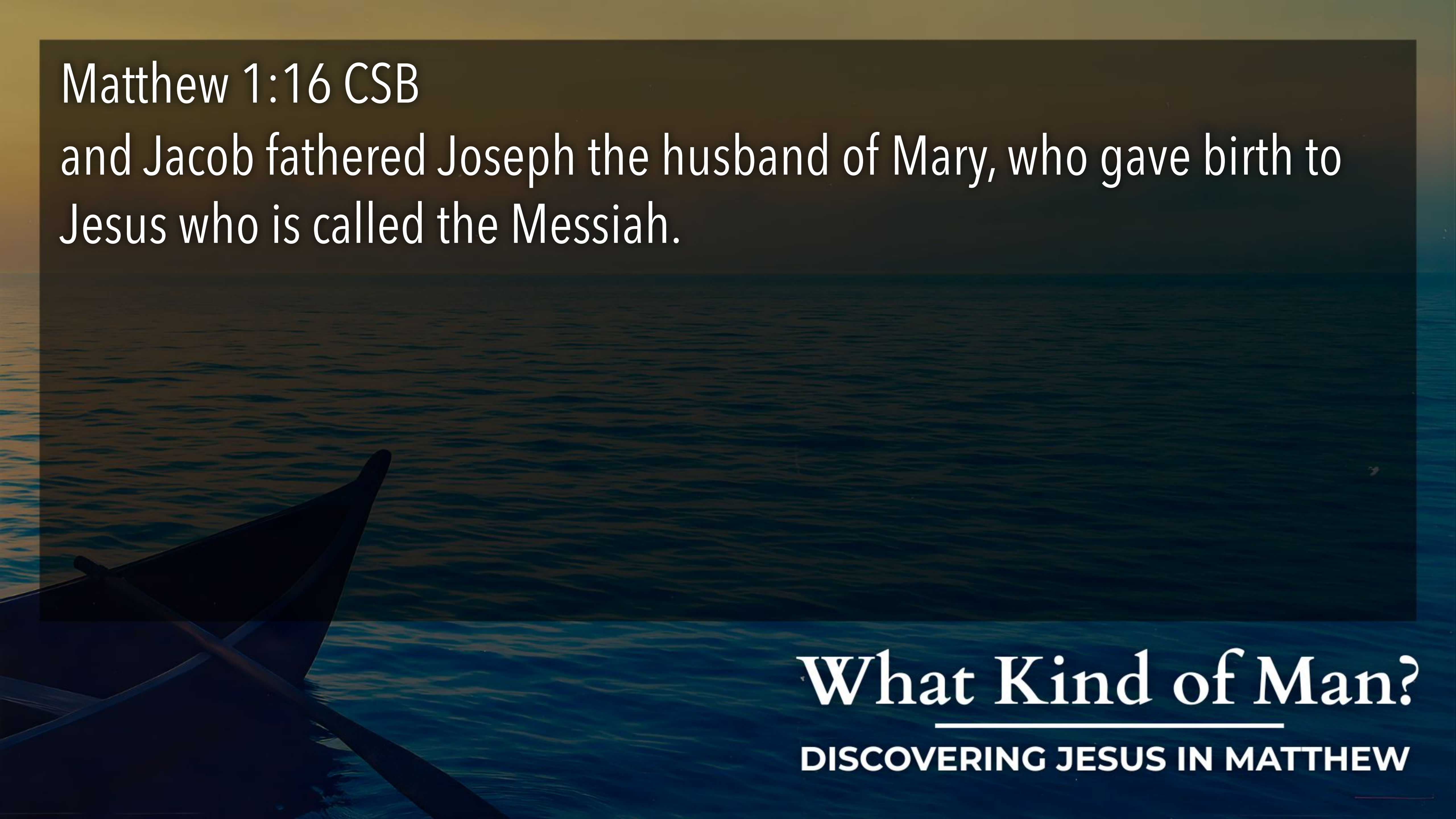
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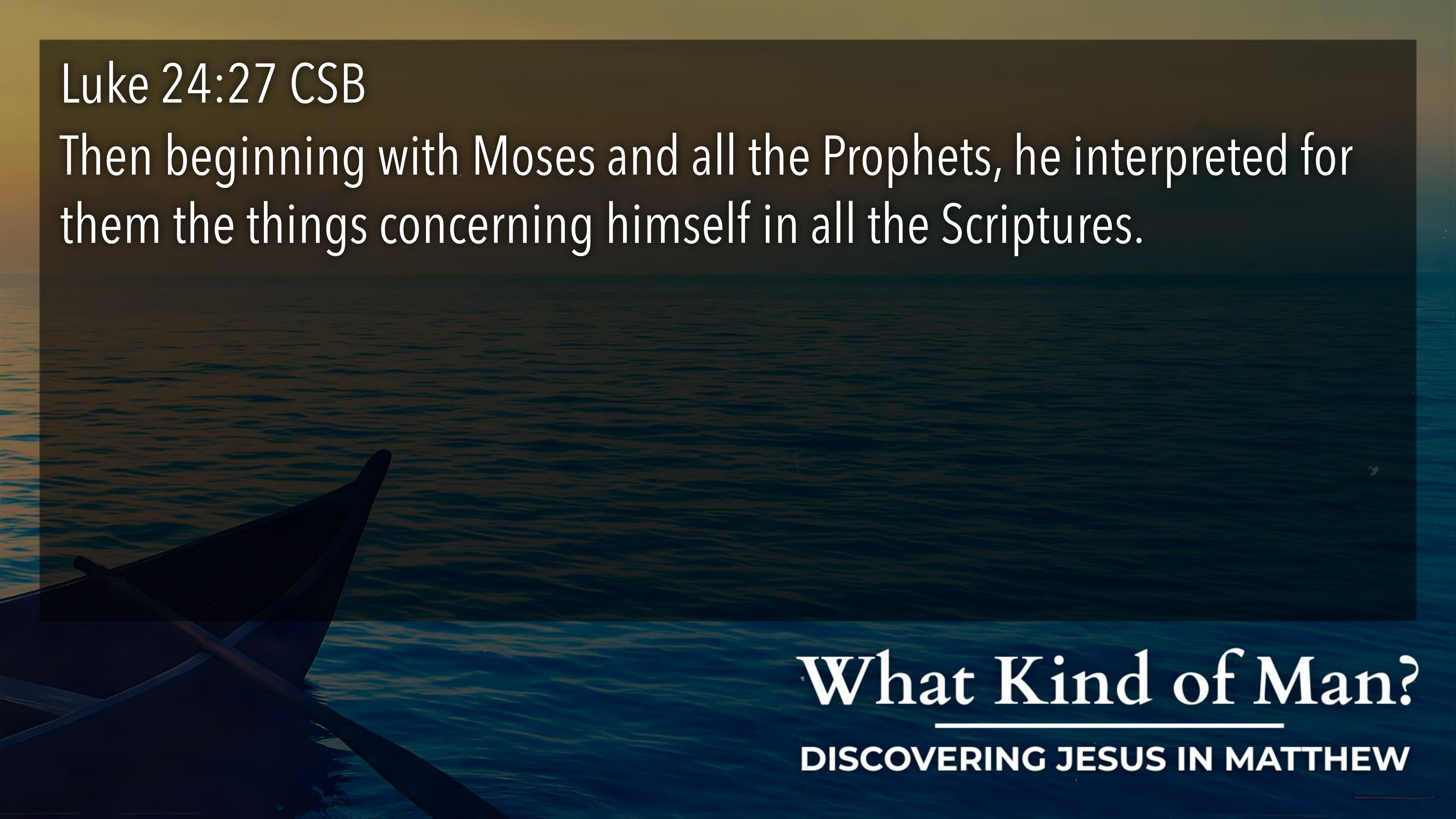
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2 Corinthians 1:20 CSB

For every one of God's promises is "Yes" in him. Therefore, through him we also say "Amen" to the glory of God.

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Luke 24:27 CSB

Then beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he interpreted for them the things concerning himself in all the Scriptures.

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