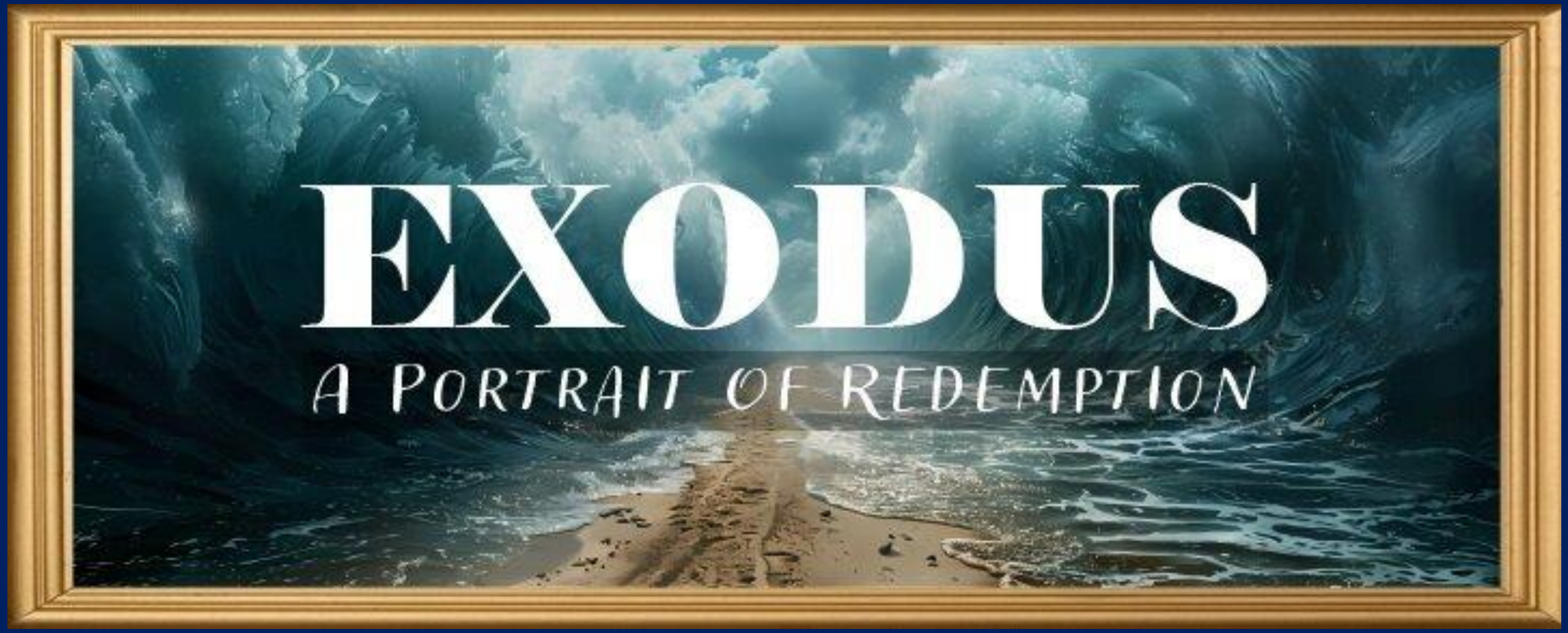

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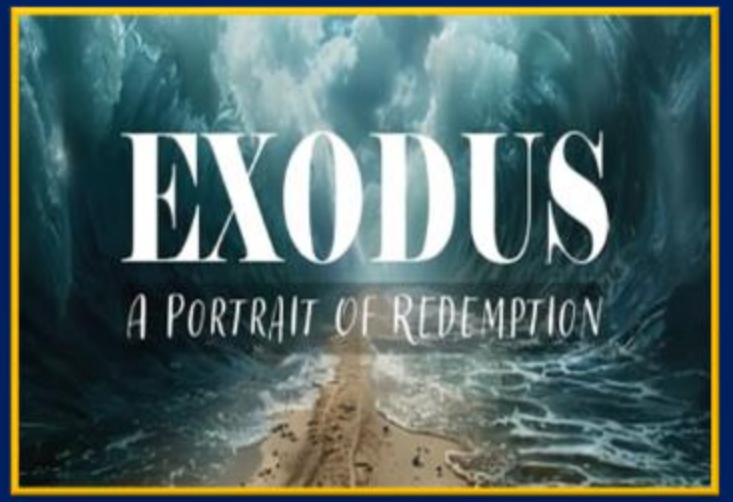

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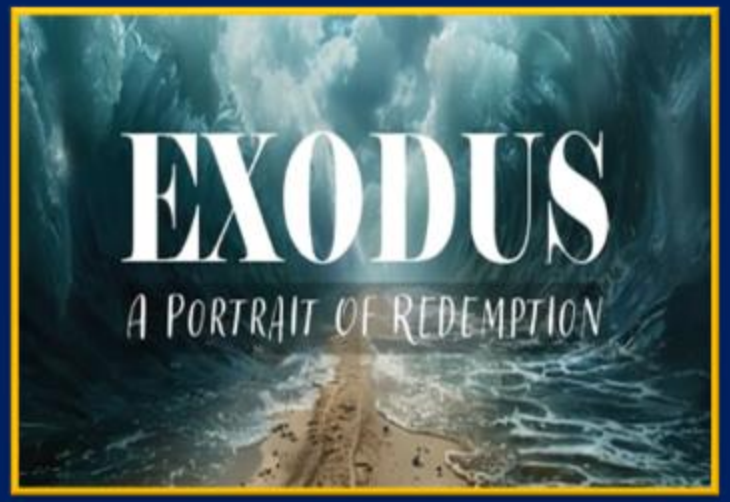

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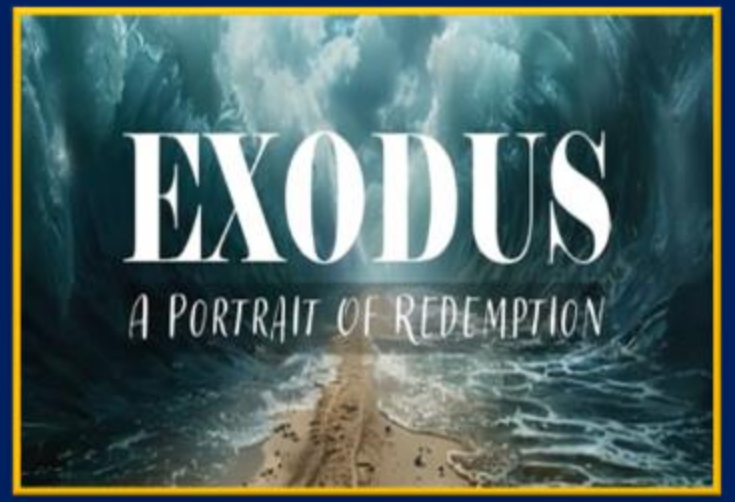

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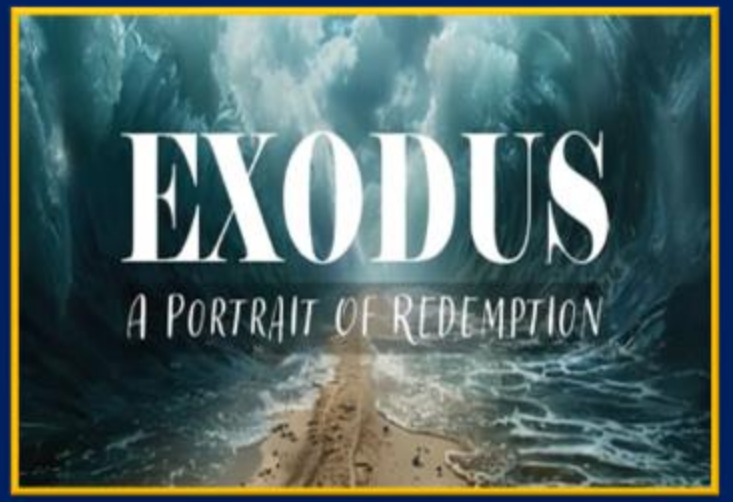

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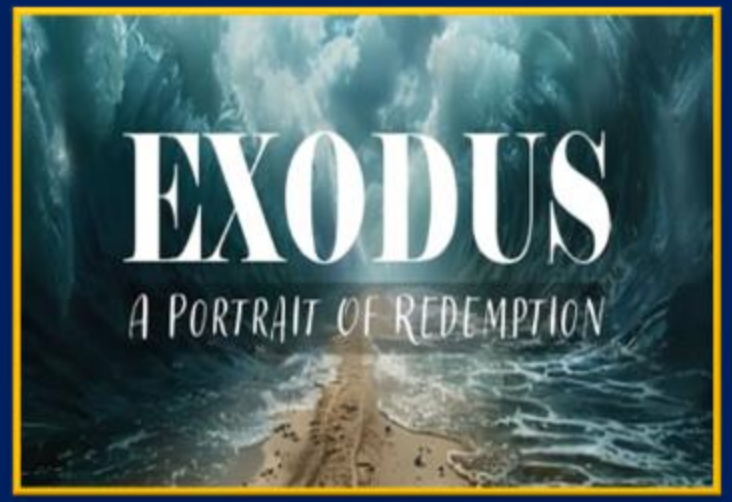

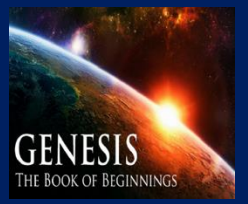
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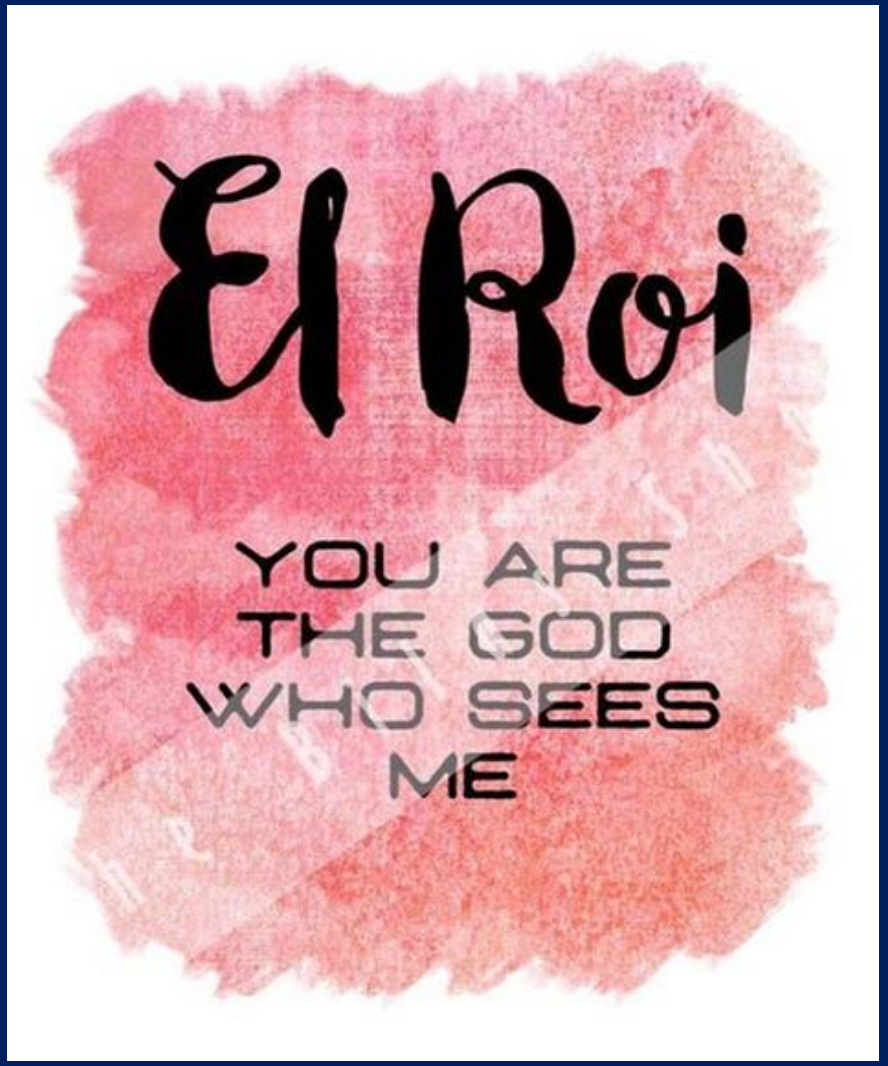
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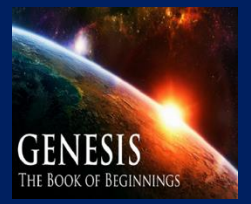
Names for God in Genesis



1. Elohim (1:1) – Power
2. Yahweh (2:4) – Relational
3. **El Roi (Gen. 16:13) – Aware**
4. El Olam (21:33) – Eternal
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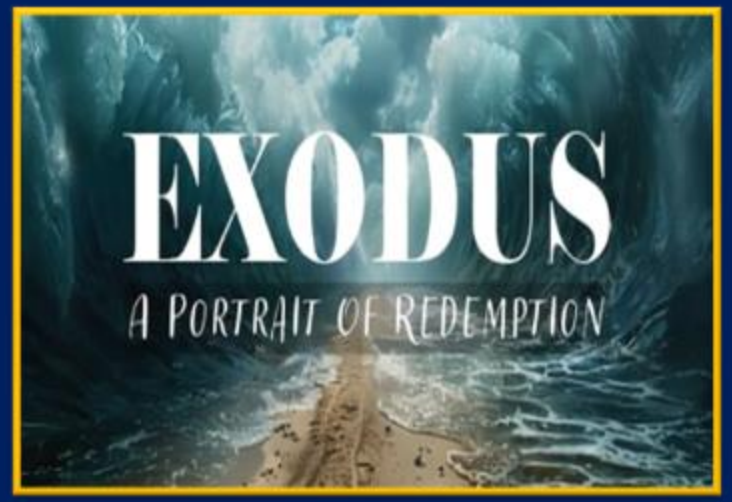

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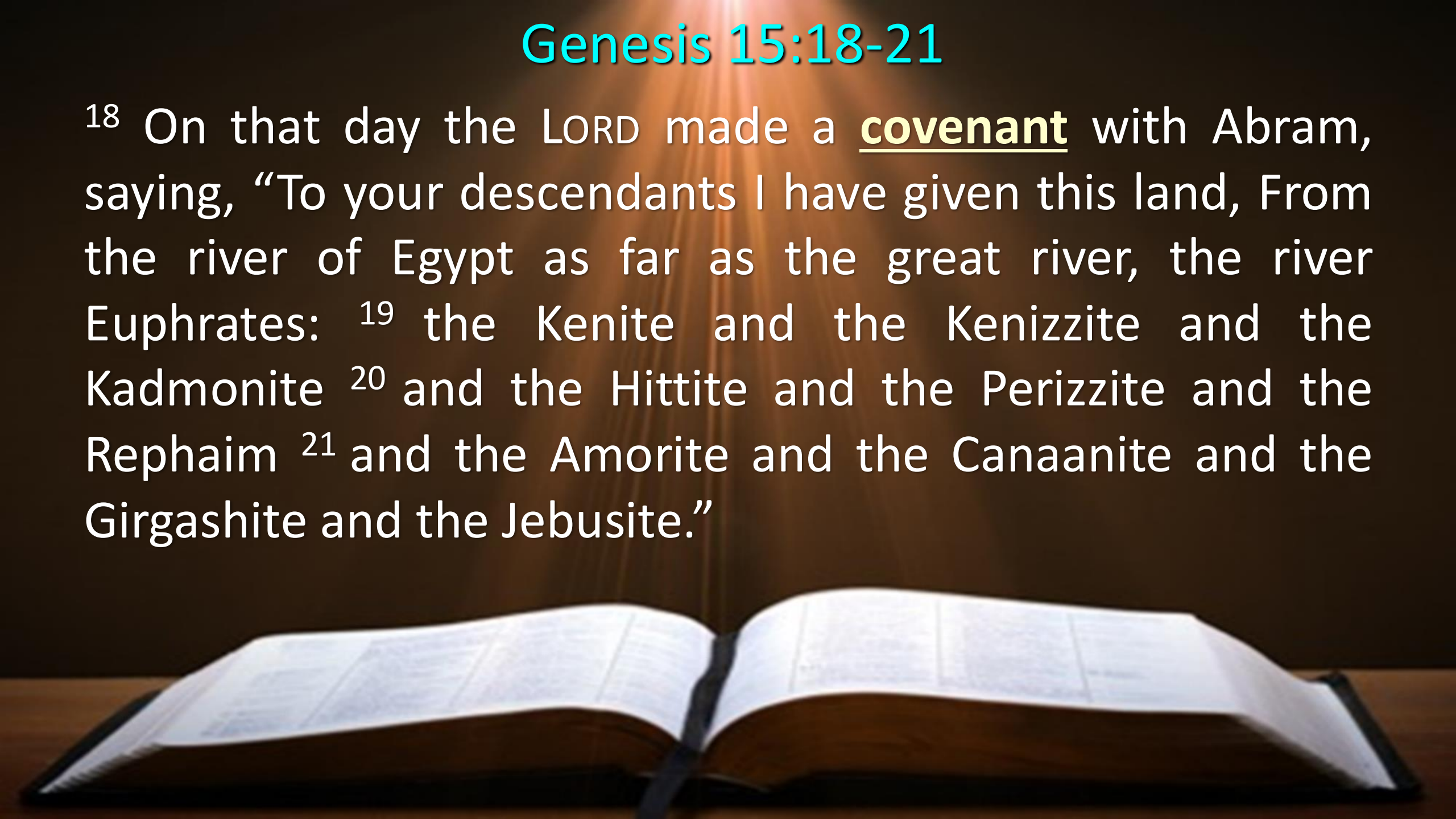

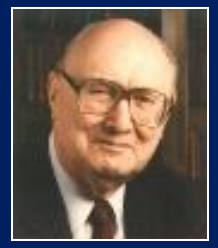

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- ANE covenant ratification ceremony (Gen 15)
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- Covenant's immutability (Heb 6:13-18; Mal. 3:6)
- Trans-generational reaffirmation despite perpetual national disobedience (Jer 31:35-37)

Walvoord, *The Millennial Kingdom*, 149-52

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- Extended context (Josh 13:1-7; Judges 1:19, 21, 27, 29, 30-36)
- Land gained in conquest was only a fraction of what was promised (1 Kgs. 4:25)
- Jerusalem not conquered in Joshua's day (Josh 15:63; 2 Sam 5)
- Solomon's reign extended to the border of Egypt (1 Kgs. 4:21) and not the River of Egypt (Gen. 15:18)
- Solomon's reign was tributary only (1 Kgs. 4:21)
- Forever? (Gen 17:7-8, 13, 19)
- Reaffirmation of land promises long after Joshua and Solomon's time (Amos 9:11-15)

Fruchtenbaum, *Israelology*, 521-22, 631-32

Abrahamic Covenant

ABRAHAMIC
Genesis
15

LAND	SEED	BLESSING
LAND **Deuteronomy** **29-30**	**DAVIDIC** **2 Samuel** **7:12-16**	**NEW** **Jeremiah** **31:31-34**

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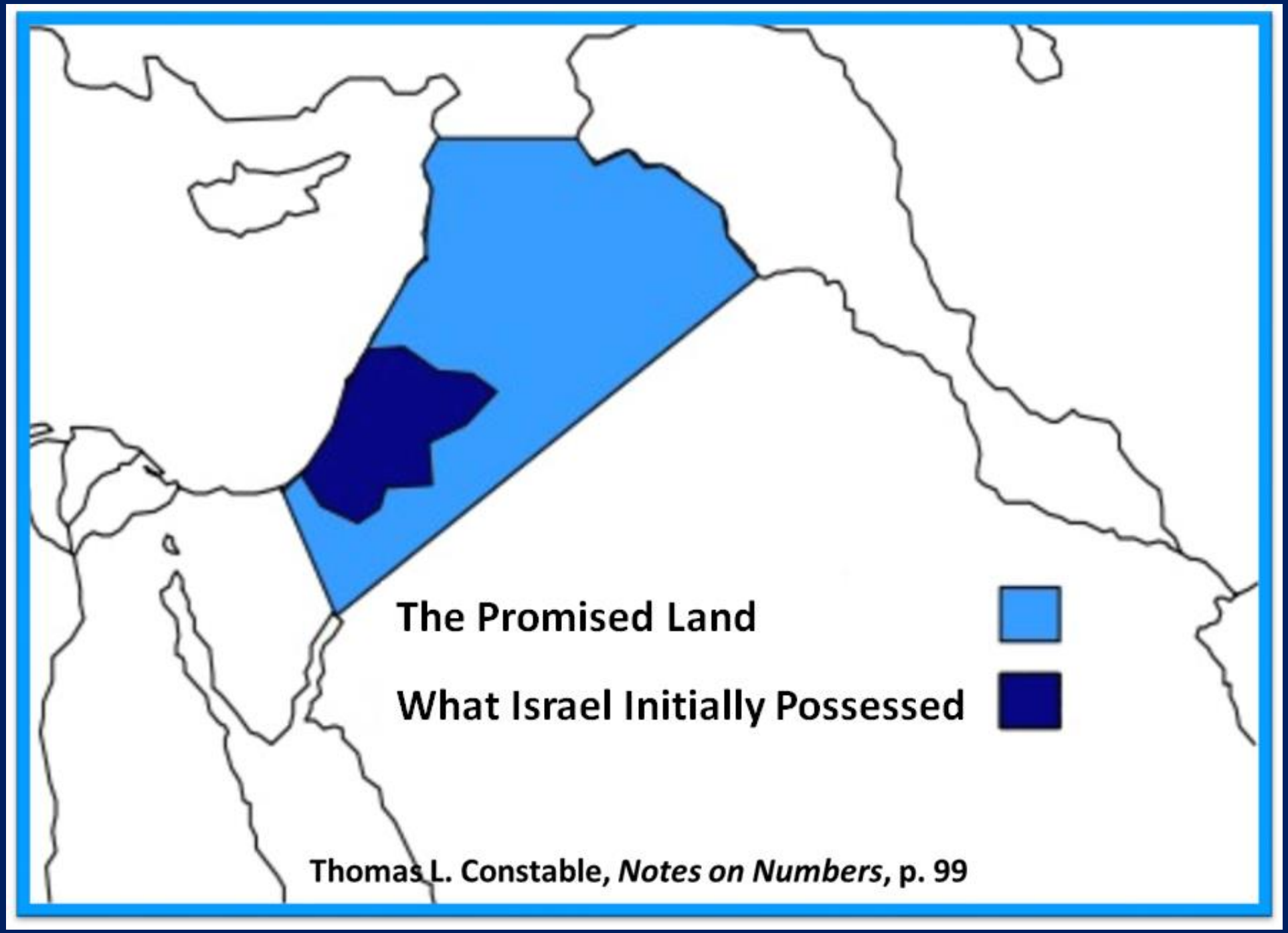
The Promised Land
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Thomas L. Constable, *Notes on Numbers*, p. 99

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Turkey
Lake Urmia
Tehran
Nicosia
Cyprus
Syria
Lebanon
Beirut
Damascus
Baghdad
Iran
West Bank
Amman
Jerusalem
Gaza Strip
Israel
Abraham travelled from Ur near the Persian Gulf, north-west up the Euphrates River along the Fertile Crescent to modern-day Israel
Ur of the Caldees
THE FULL PROMISED LAND OF ISRAEL
(Southern lines beyond the Sinai Peninsula are approximate)
Cairo
Kuwait City
Israel lived in captivity in Egypt before the Exodus had them wander the Sinai Peninsula for years
Gulf of Suez
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(Genesis 15:18)
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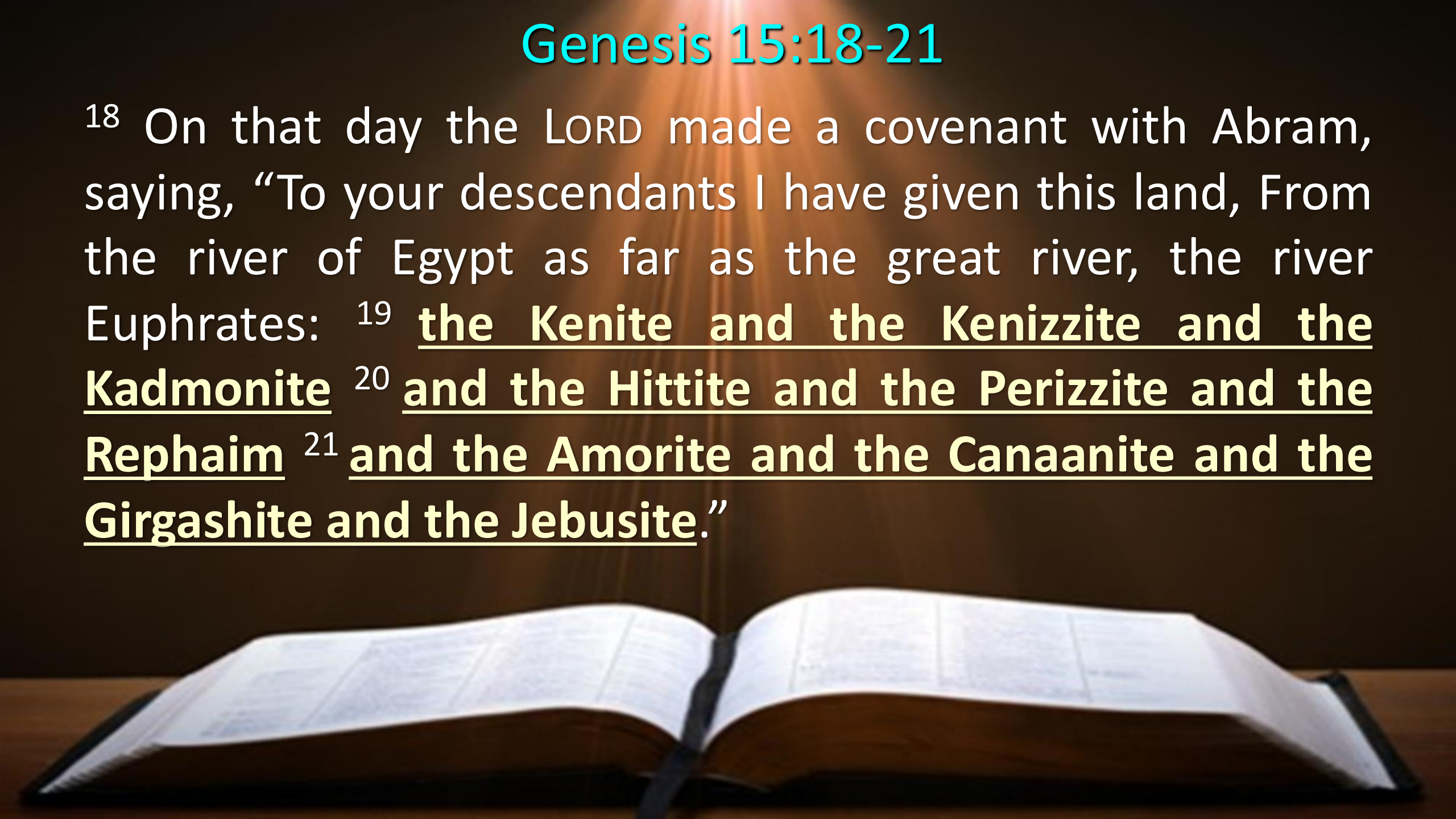

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3rd	From the Diaspora to Israel's restoration	Ezekiel 36:24-28	Millennial Kingdom

CASPIAN SEA
HARRAN
ASSYRIA
NINEVEH
Tigris River
Euphrates River
CYPRUS
MEDITERRANEAN SEA
SIDON
TYRE
DAMASCUS
SAMARIA
JERUSALEM
Jordan River
BABYLON
Chebar River
SUSA
BABYLONIA
ELAM
UR
CHALDEA
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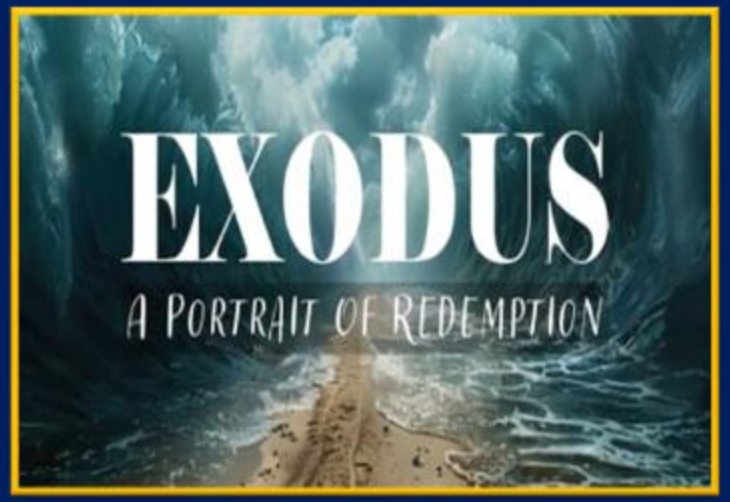

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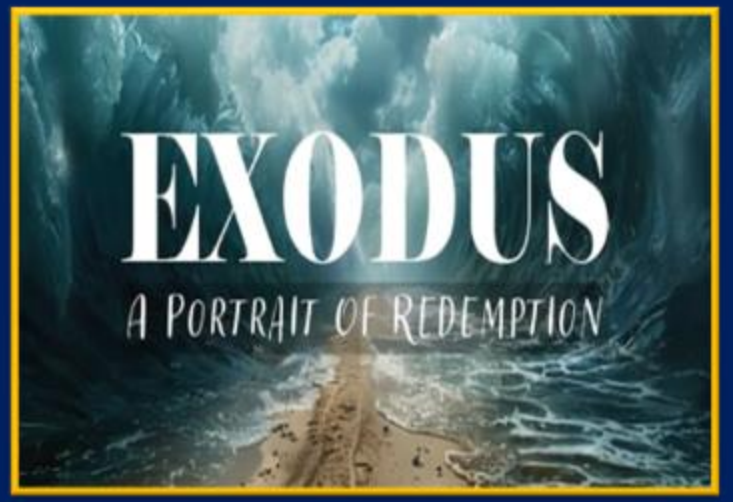

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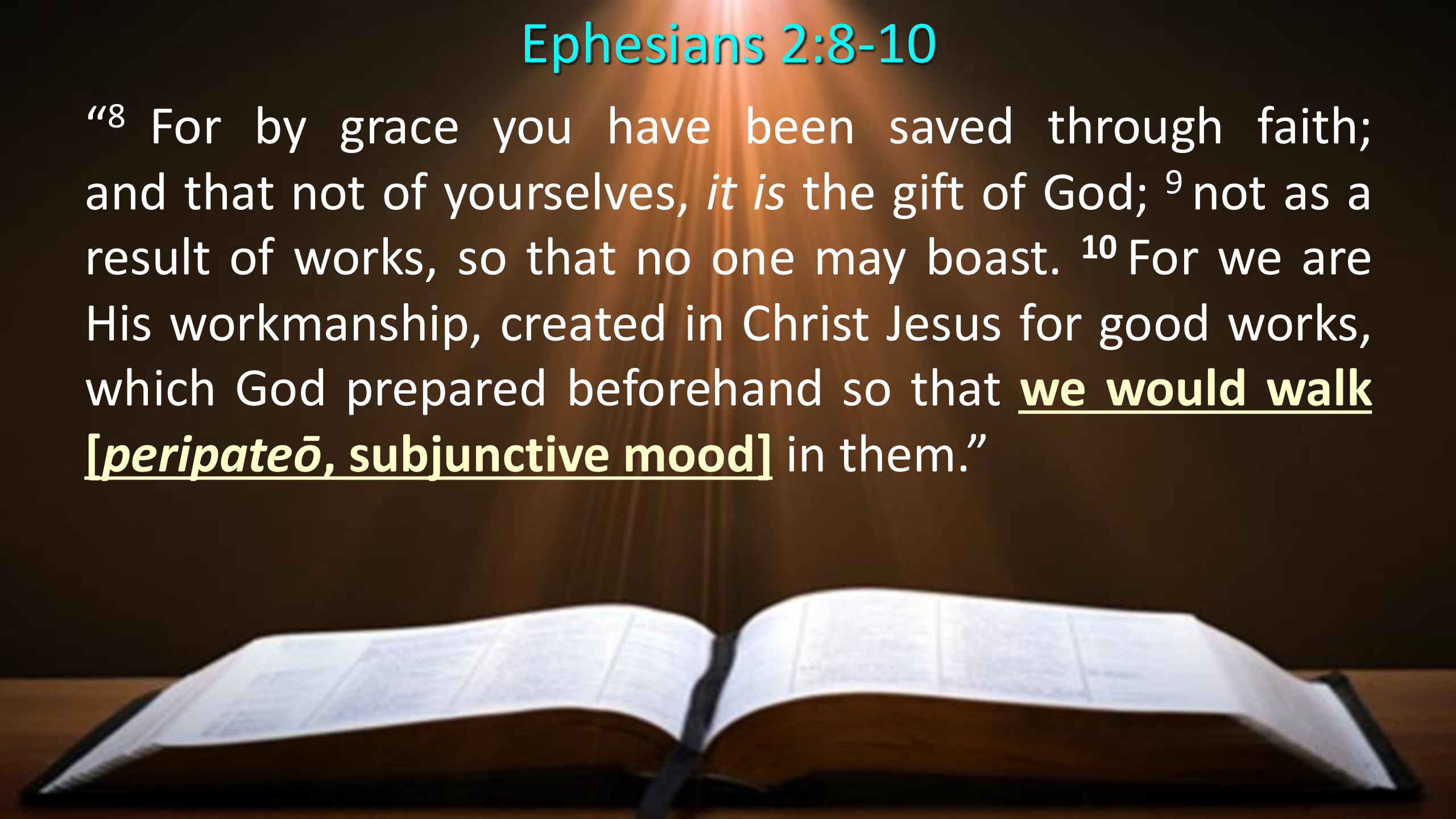

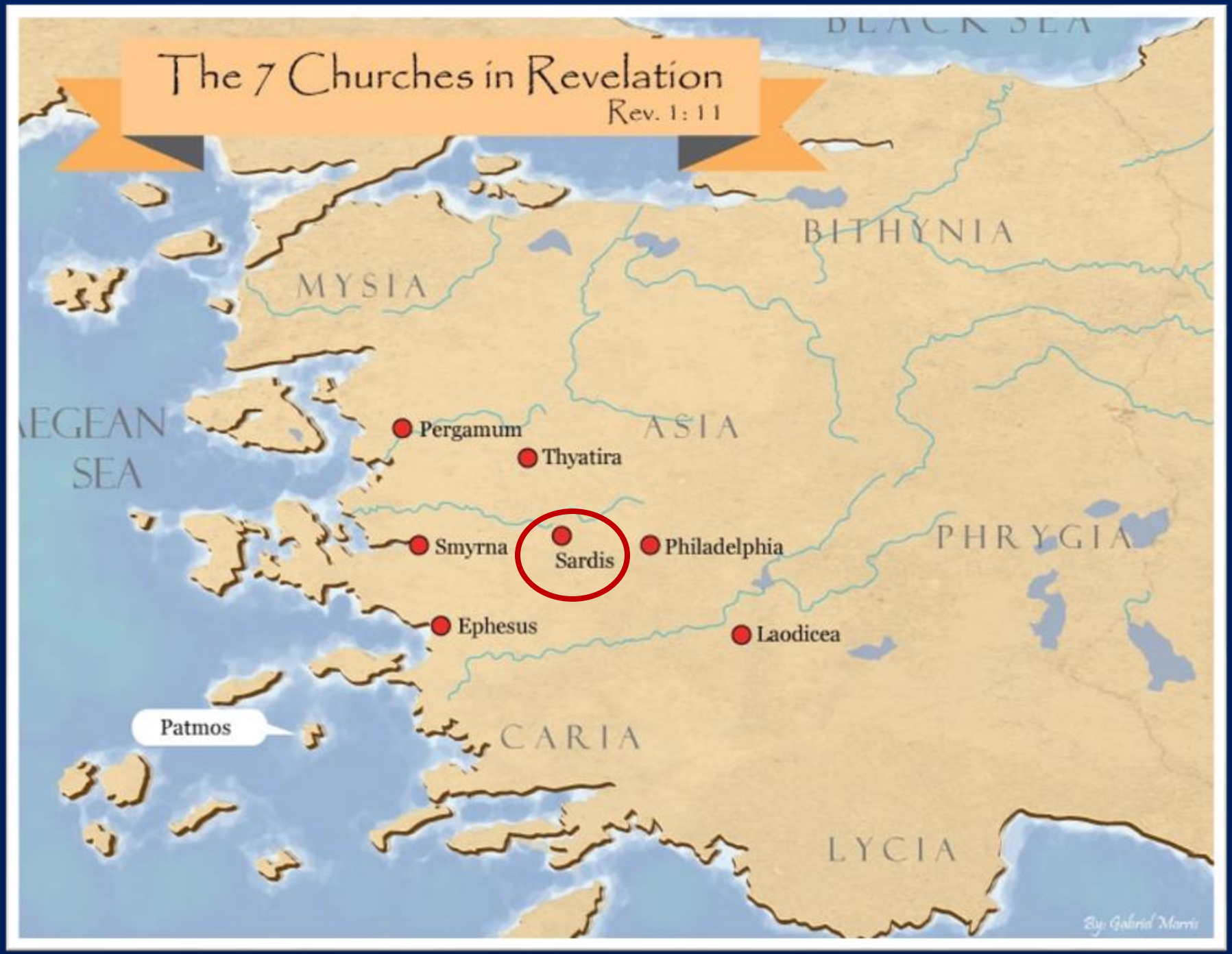
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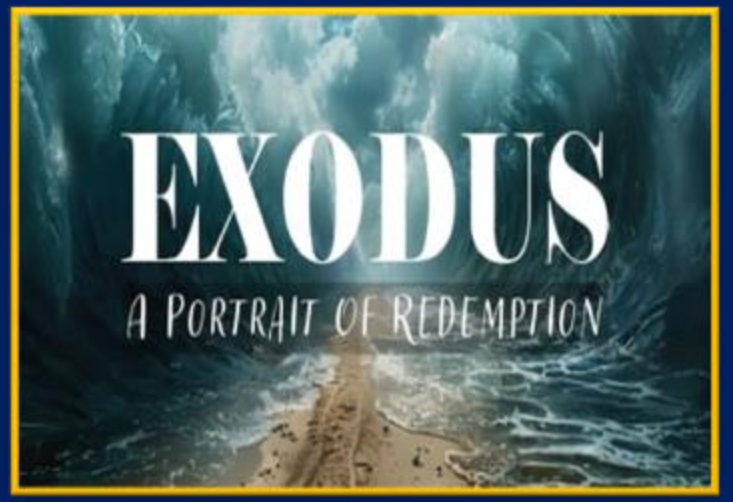

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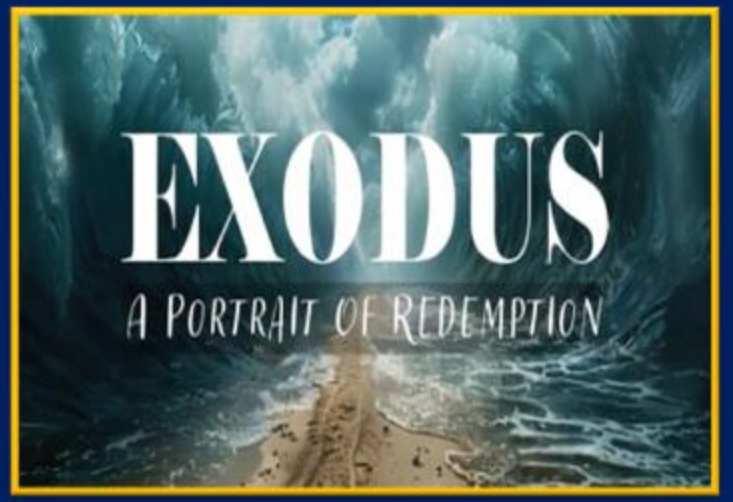

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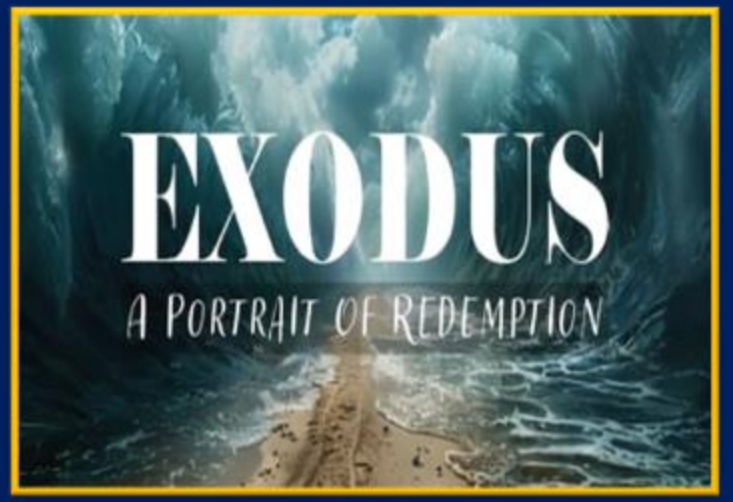

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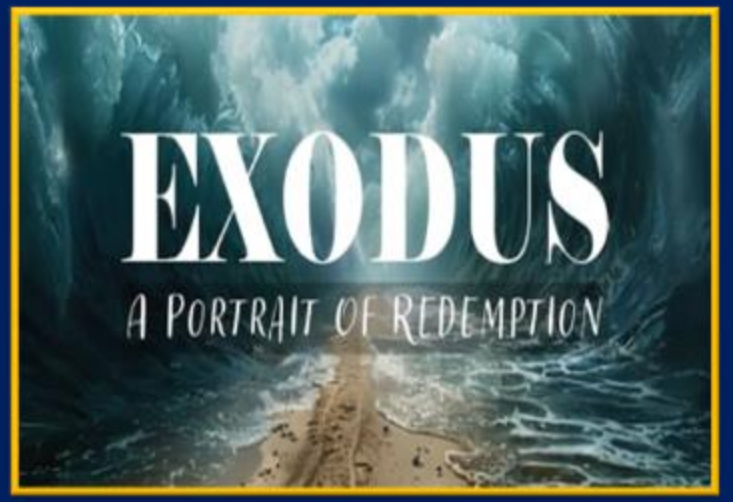

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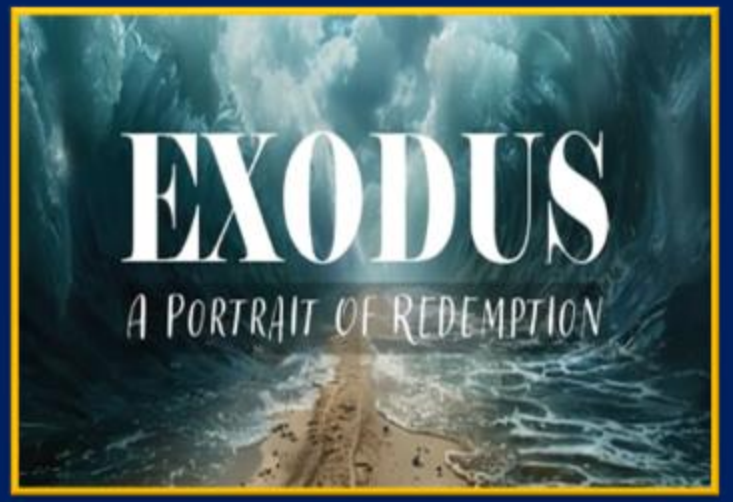

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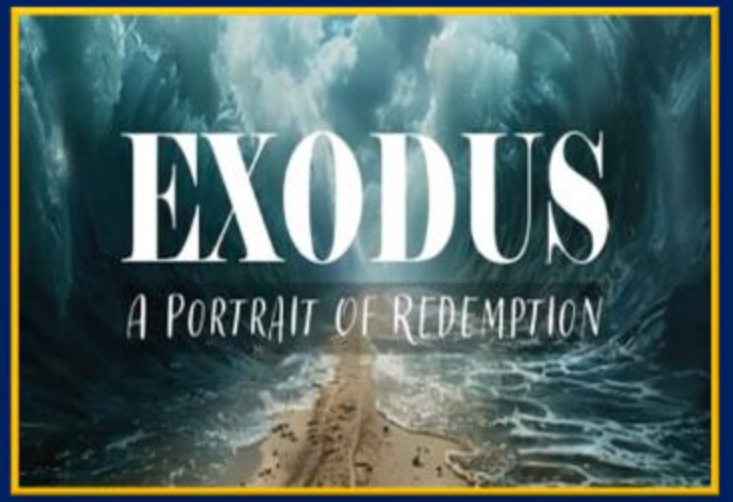

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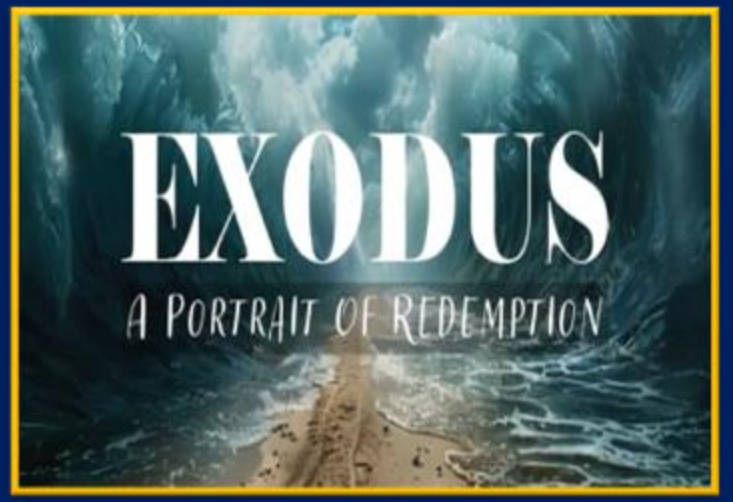

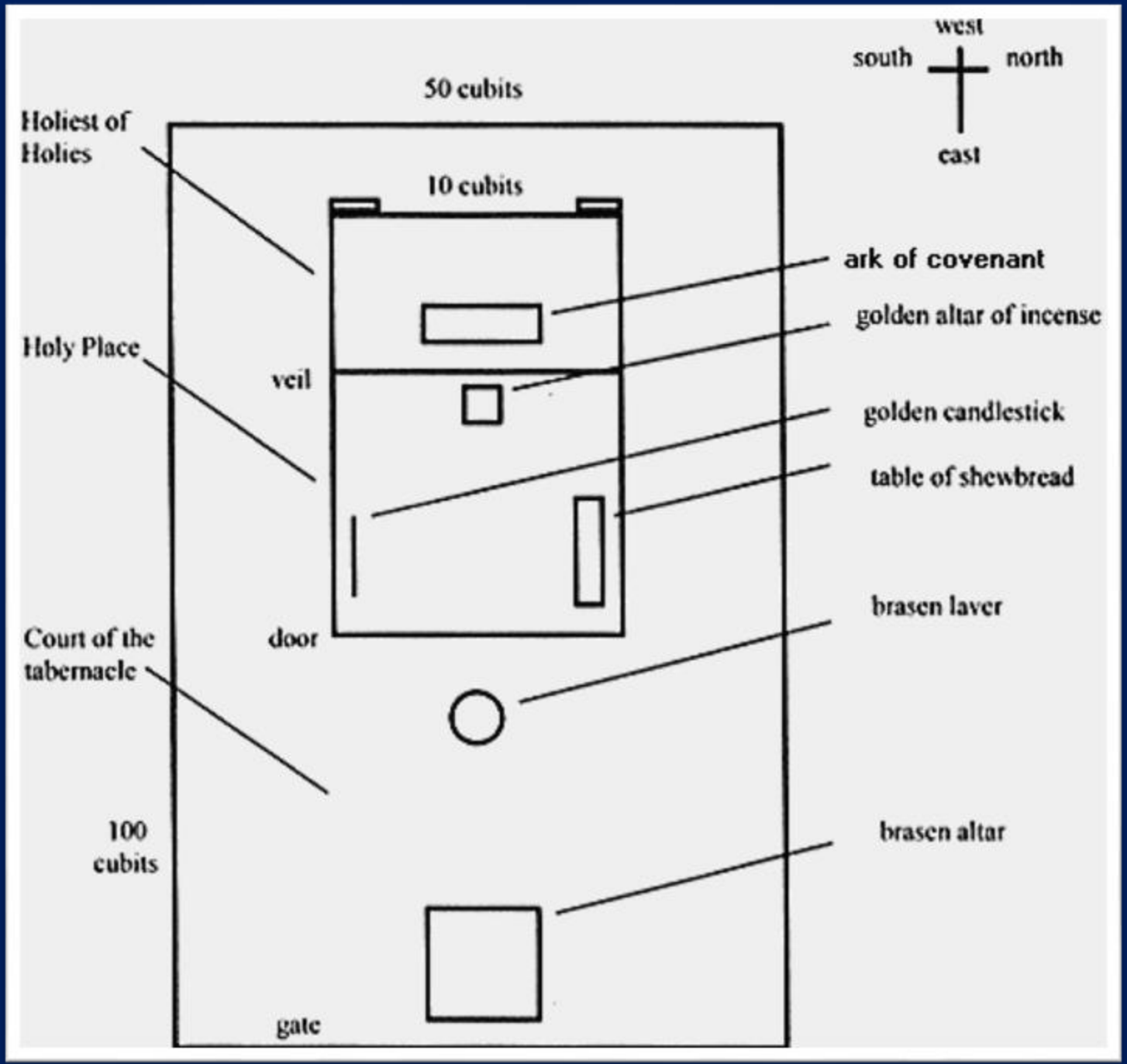
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ark of covenant
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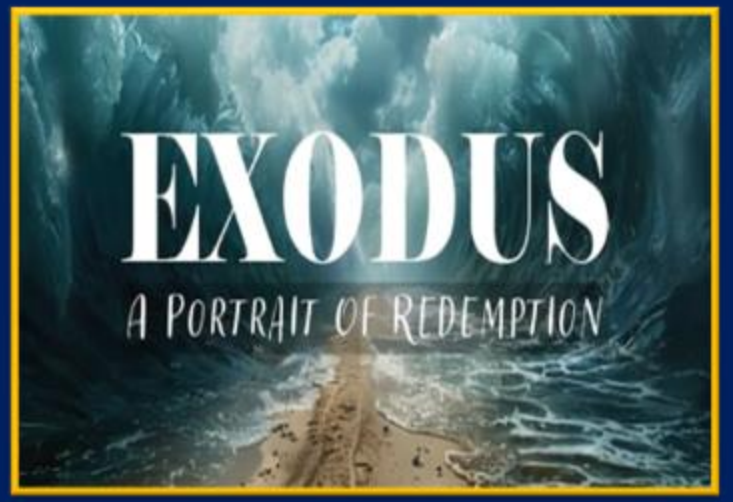

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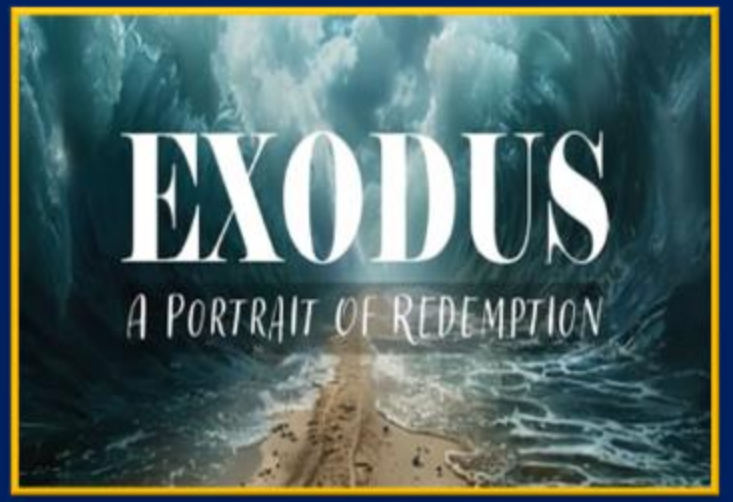

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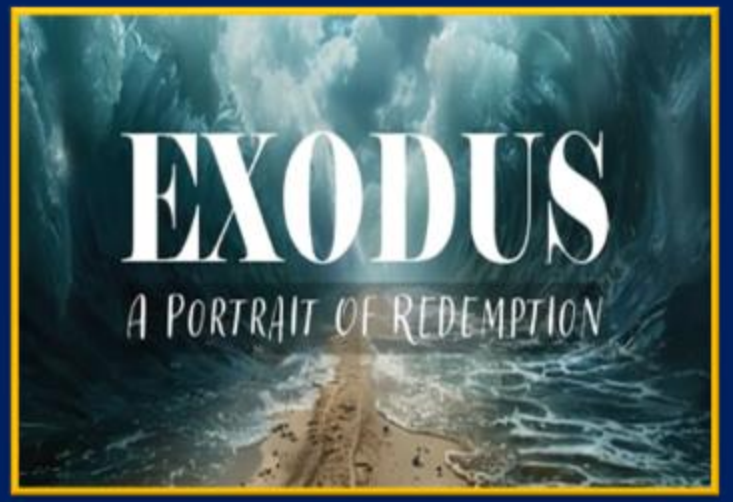

THREE PHASES OF MOSES' 120 YEAR LIFE

LIFE PHASE	SCRIPTURE	YEARS	AGE	ACTIVITY
Natural Training	Acts 7:23	1526–1486 B.C.	1-40	Egyptian Education
Spiritual Training	Exod. 7:7	1486–1446 B.C.	40-80	Midian Shepherding
Ministry	Deut. 31:2; 34:7; Acts 7:36	1446–1406 B.C.	80-120	Exodus, Law, Wilderness Preservation, Pentateuch Authorship

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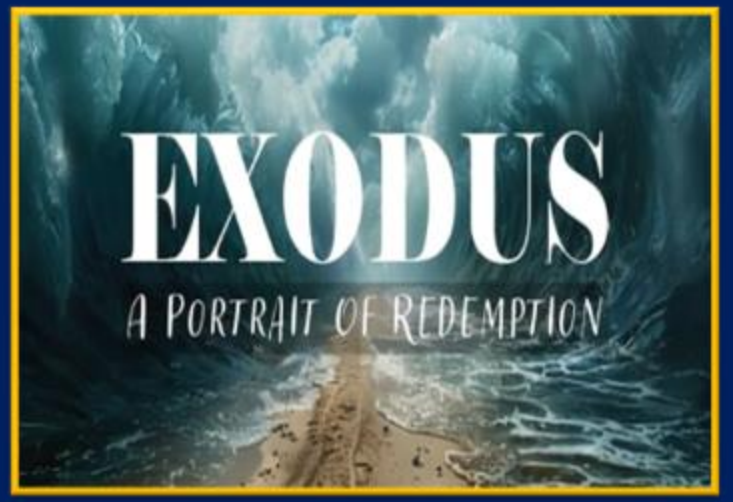

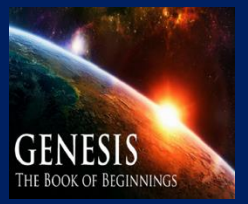
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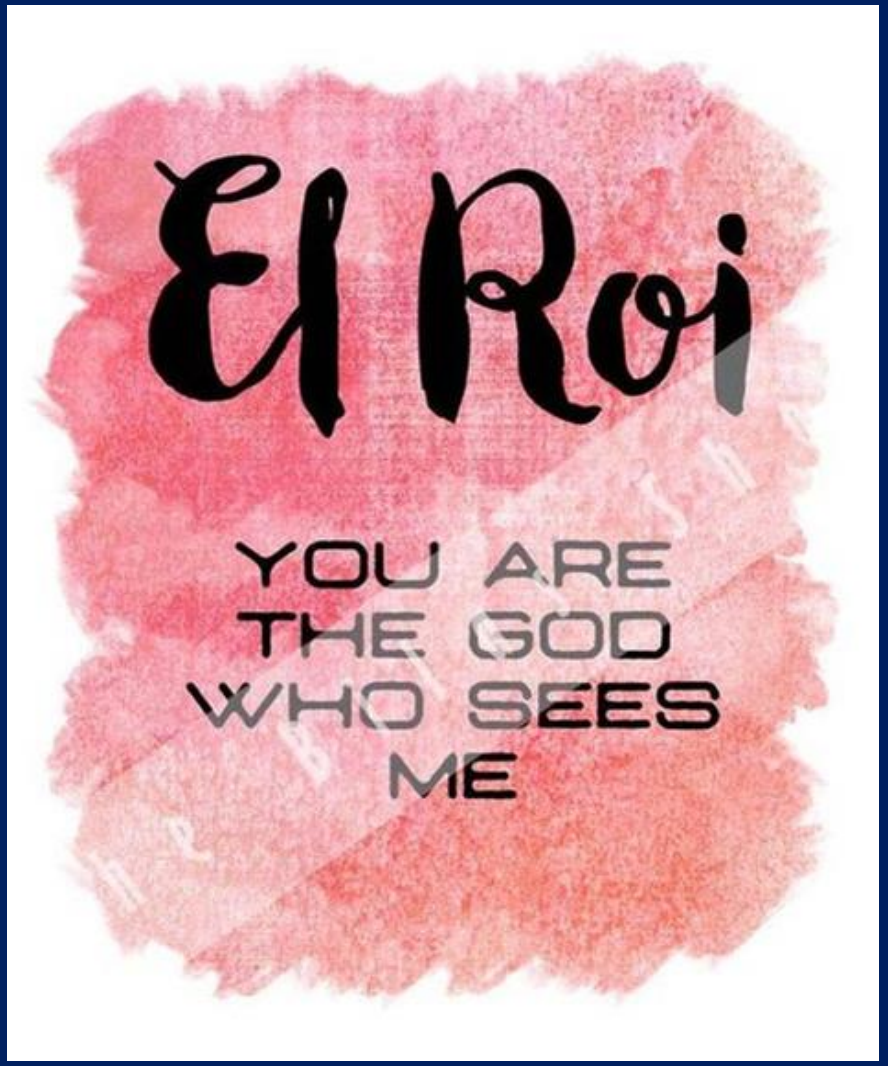
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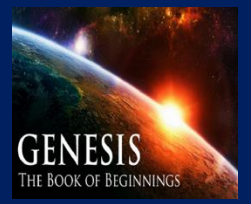

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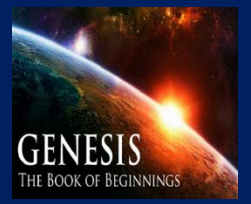

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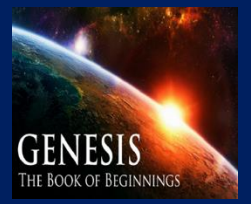
Names for God in Genesis



1. Elohim (1:1) – Power
2. Yahweh (2:4) – Relational
3. El Roi (Gen. 16:13) – Aware
4. El Olam (21:33) – Eternal
5. Jehovah Jireh (22:14) – Provision
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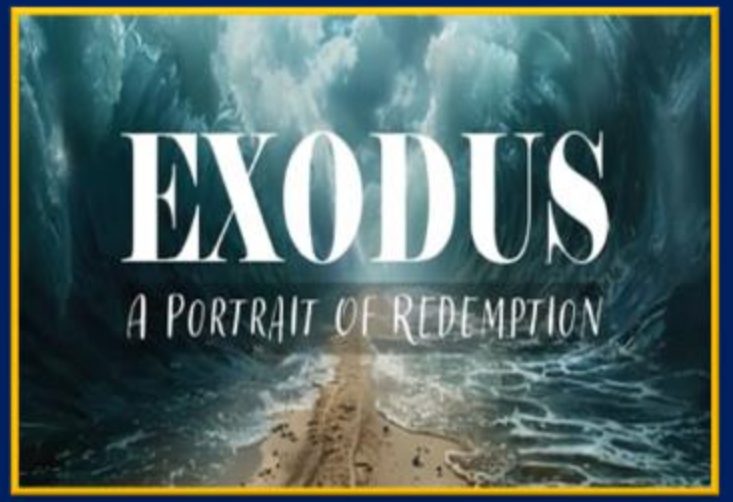

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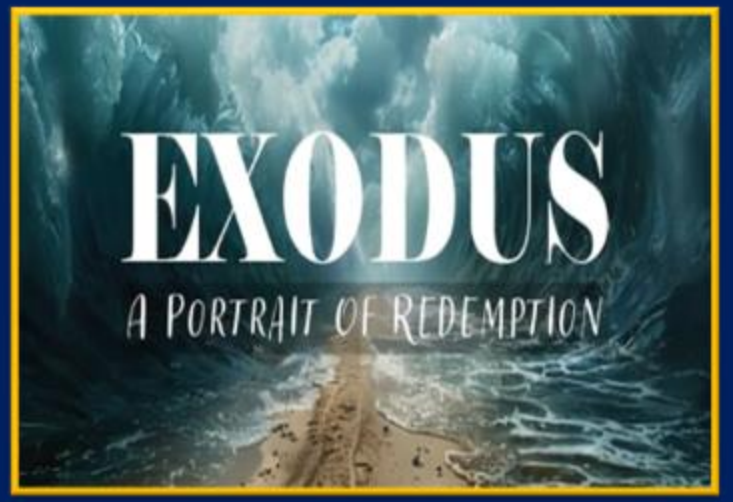

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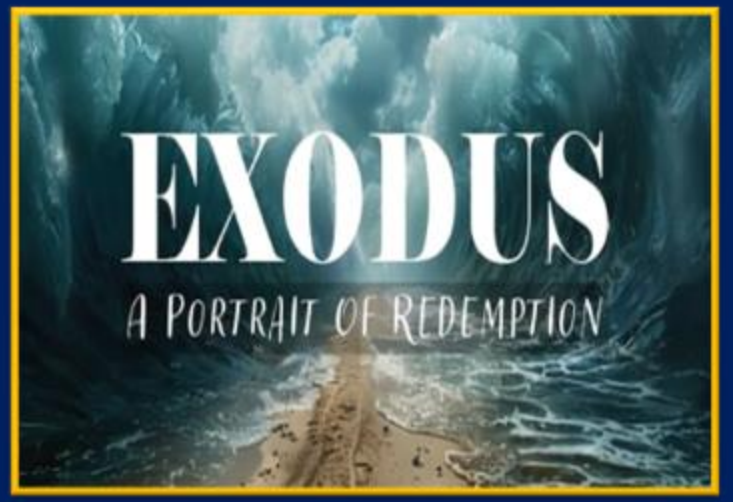

Reliability of the "Divine Regathering" Predictions

	RETURN	PREDICTED	FULFILLED
1st	From Egypt to Canaan	Gen. 15:13-14	Joshua 1–12
2nd	From Babylon to Israel	Jer. 25:11; 29:10	Ezra & Nehemiah
3rd	From the Diaspora to Israel's restoration	Ezekiel 36:24-28	Millennial Kingdom

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NINEVEH
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Euphrates River
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MEDITERRANEAN SEA
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DAMASCUS
TYRE
SAMARIA
JERUSALEM
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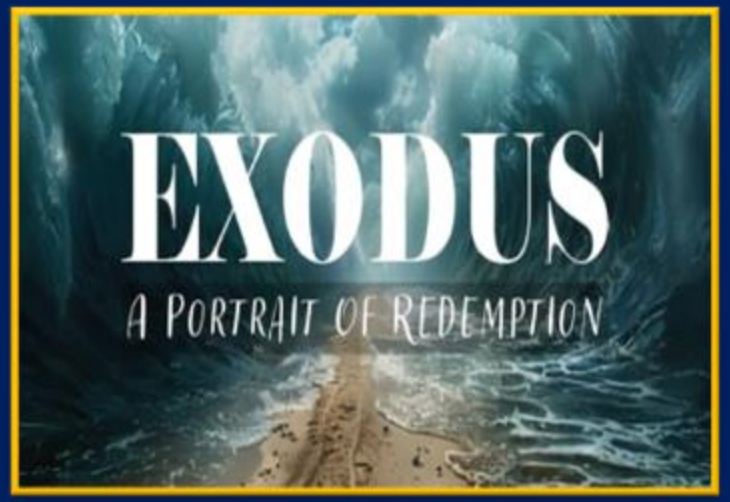

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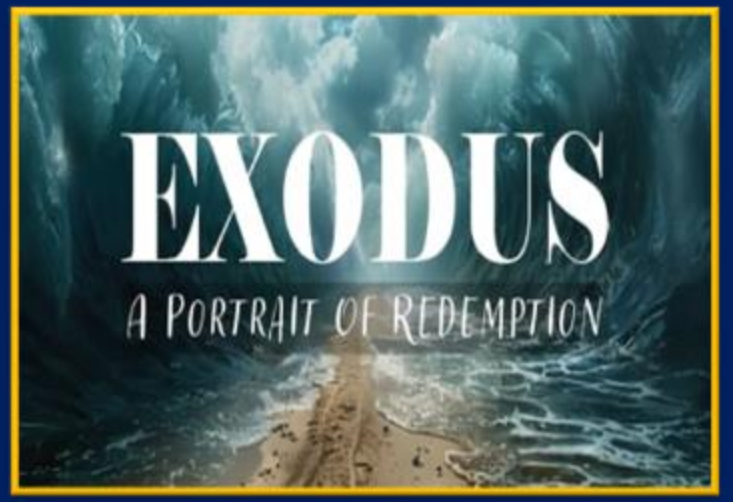

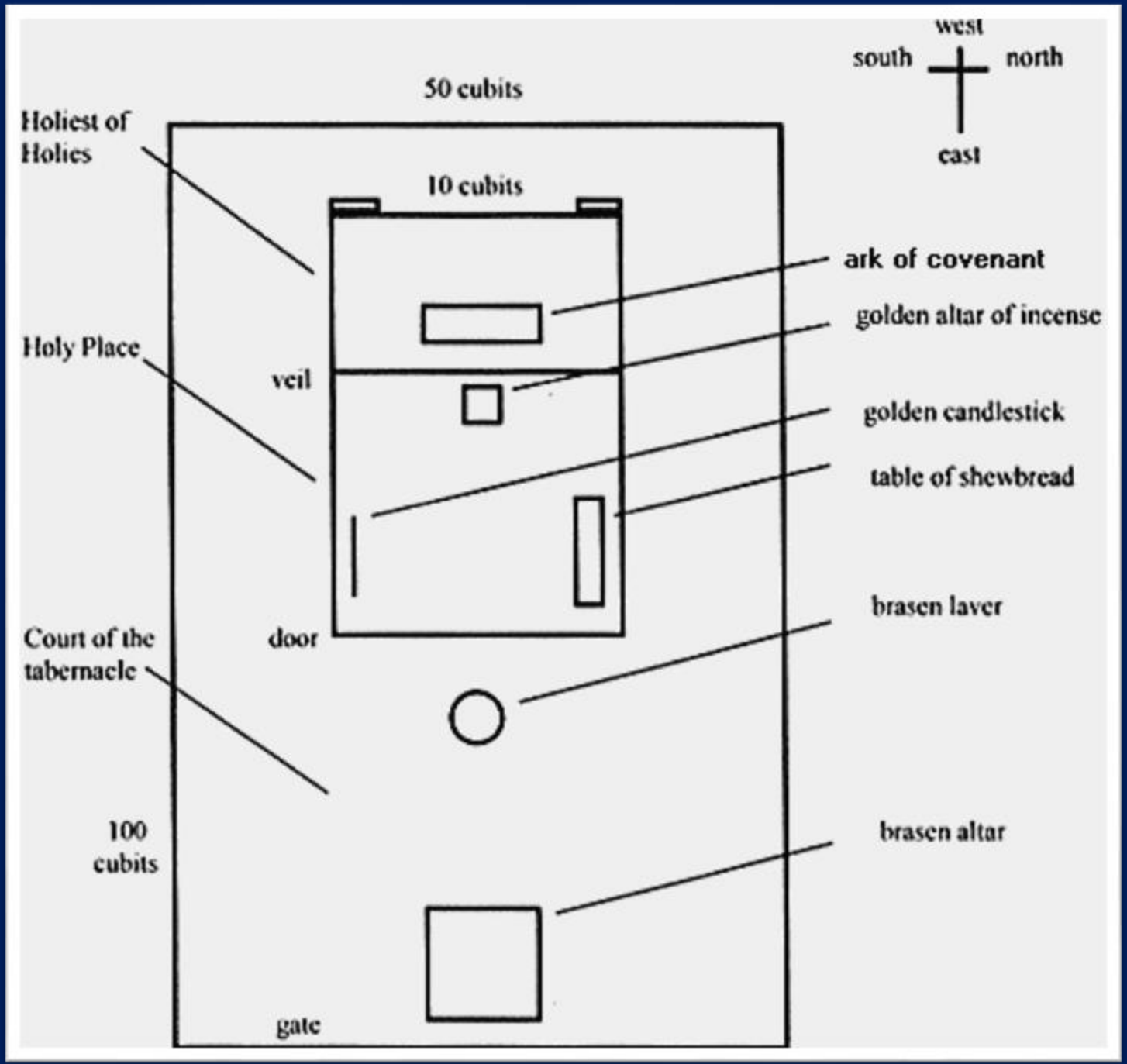
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SHAPING AND POPULATING (GEN 1:1)

Day 1:	Light	Day 4:	Luminaries
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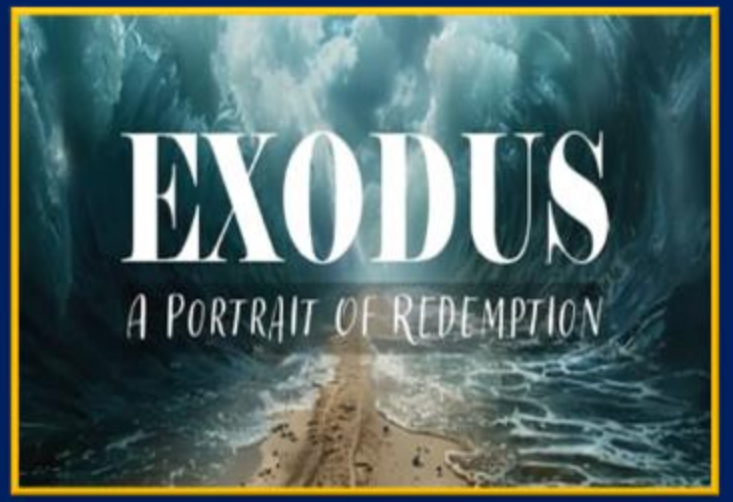

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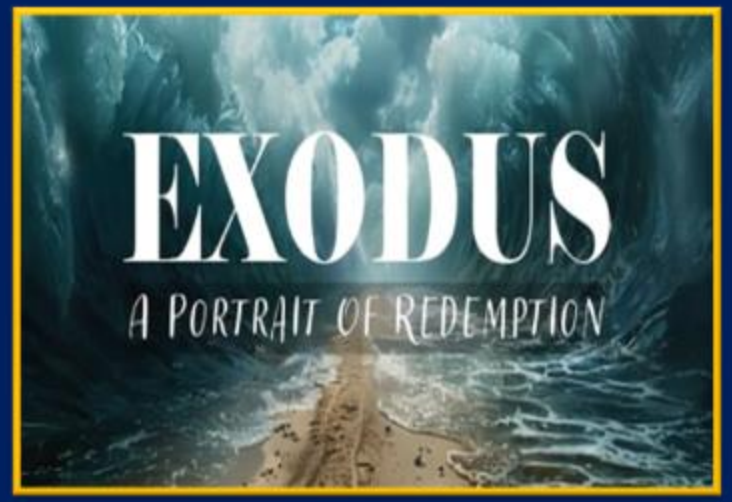

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NO.	DESCRIPTION	SCRIPTURE	Egyptian Deity
1.	Water to Blood	Exod. 7:14-25	Hapi, Khnum
2.	Frogs	Exod. 8:1-15	Heqt
3.	Gnats	Exod. 8:16-19	Set
4.	Flies	Exod. 8:20-32	Uatchit
5.	Disease on Cattle	Exod. 9:1-7	Hathor, Apis
6.	Boils	Exod. 9:8-12	Sekhmet, Serapis
7.	Hail	Exod. 9:13-35	Seth, Nut
8.	Locusts	Exod. 10:1-20	Seth, Nut, Osiris
9.	Darkness	Exod. 10:21-29	Re, Horus, Atum
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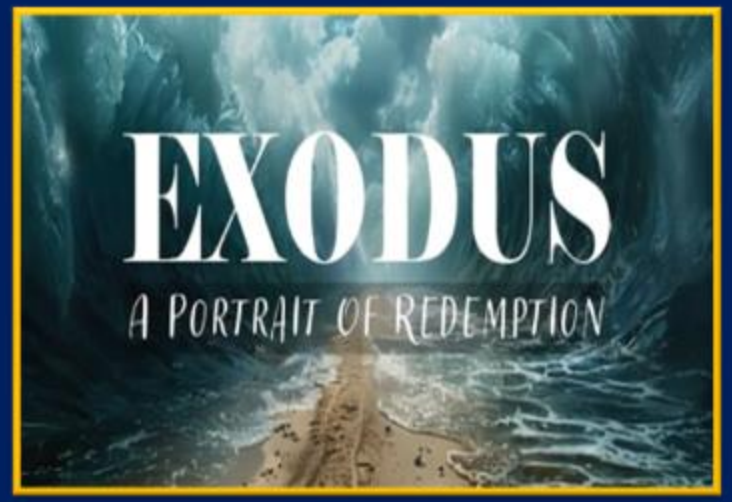

Genesis 15:13, 16

“13 **God** said to Abram, ‘Know for certain that your descendants will be strangers in a land that is not theirs, where they will be **enslaved and oppressed four hundred years**… 16 Then in the **fourth generation** they will return here, for the wrongdoing of the Amorite is not yet complete.’”

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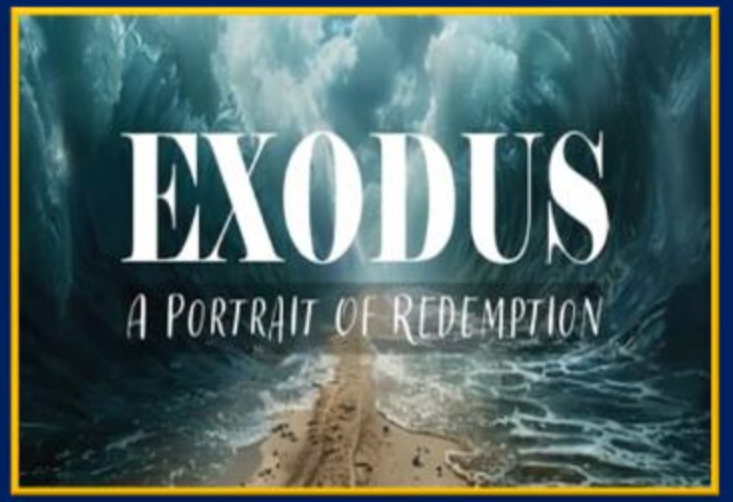

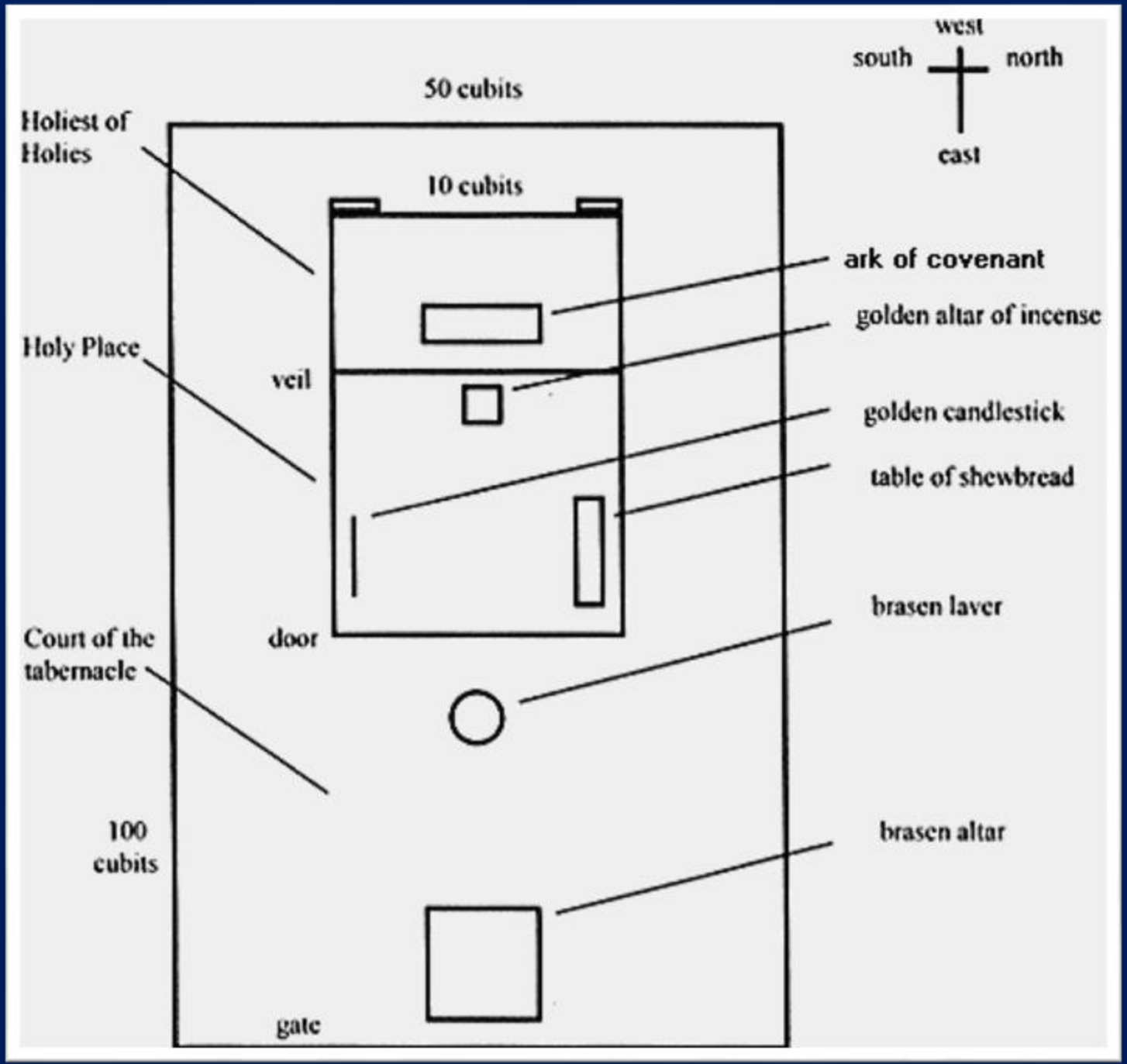
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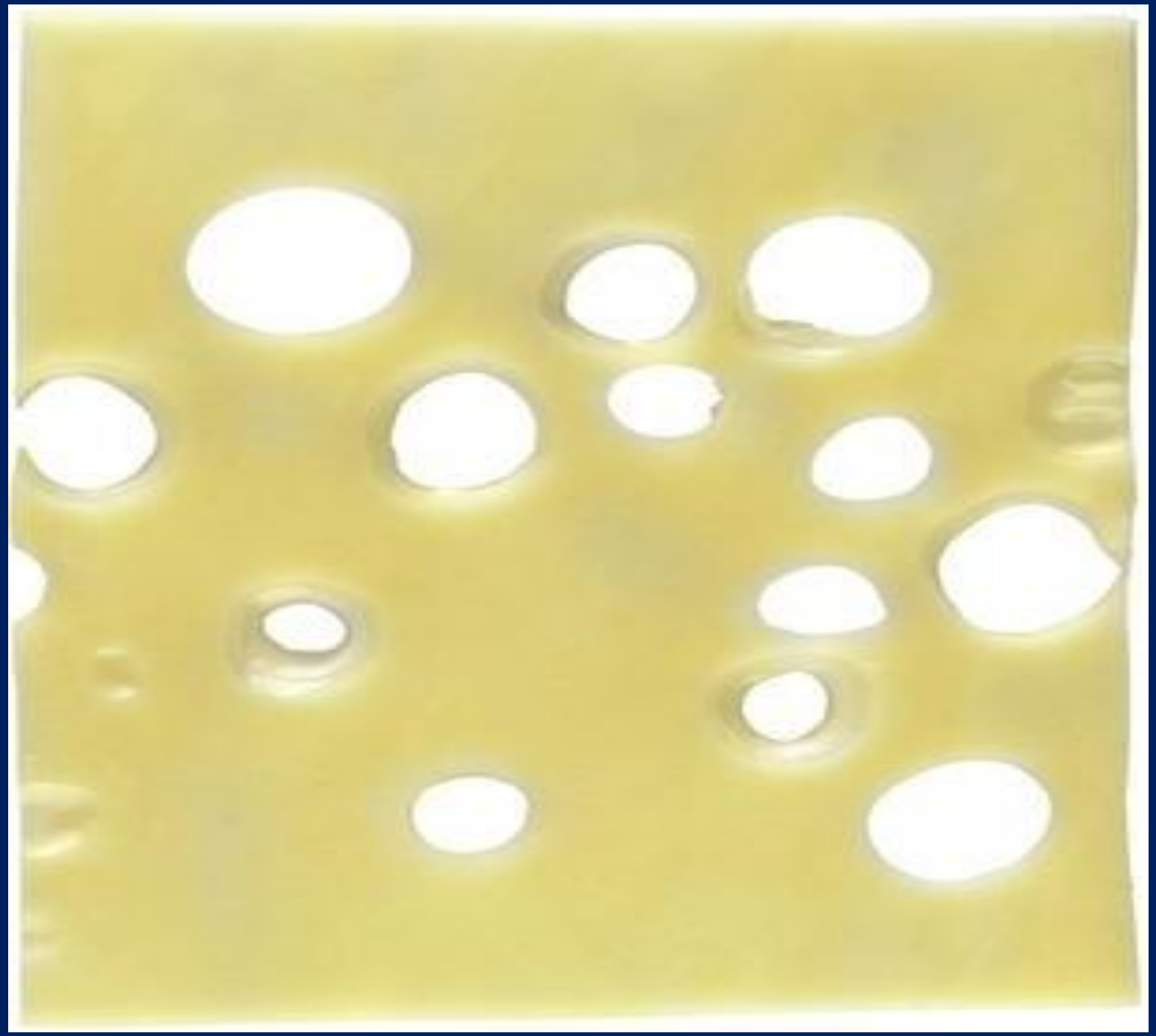

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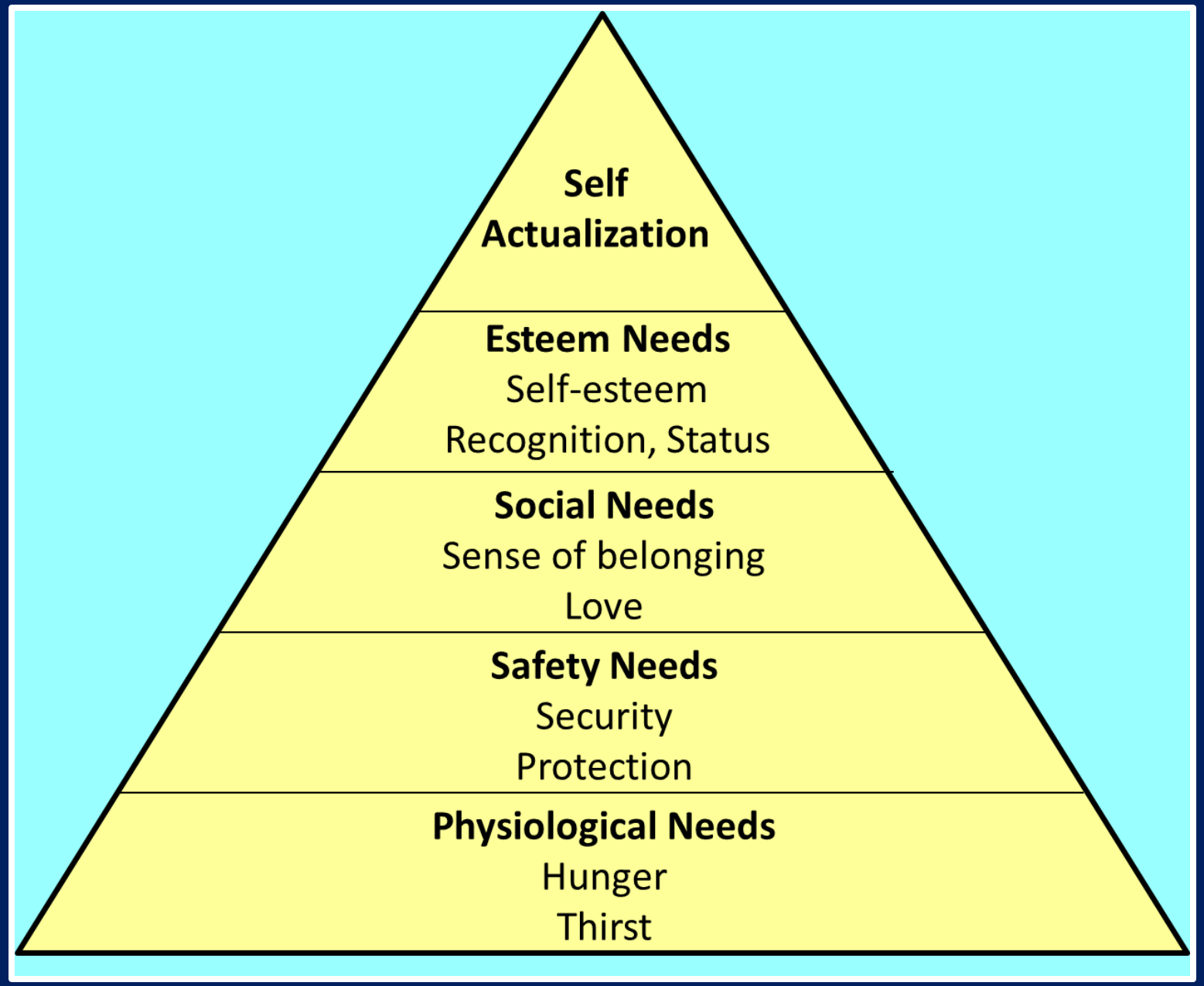

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“16 **All Scripture** is **inspired by God [*theopneustos*]** and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; 17 so that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for **every** good work.”

2 Peter 1:3-4

“[3] Seeing that His divine power has granted to us **everything** pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence. [4]For by these He has granted to us His precious and magnificent **promises**, so that by them you may become partakers of *the* divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust.”

1 Peter 2:2

"like newborn babies, long for the **pure [*adolos*] milk of the word**, so that by it you may grow in respect to salvation, [3] if you have tasted the kindness of the Lord."

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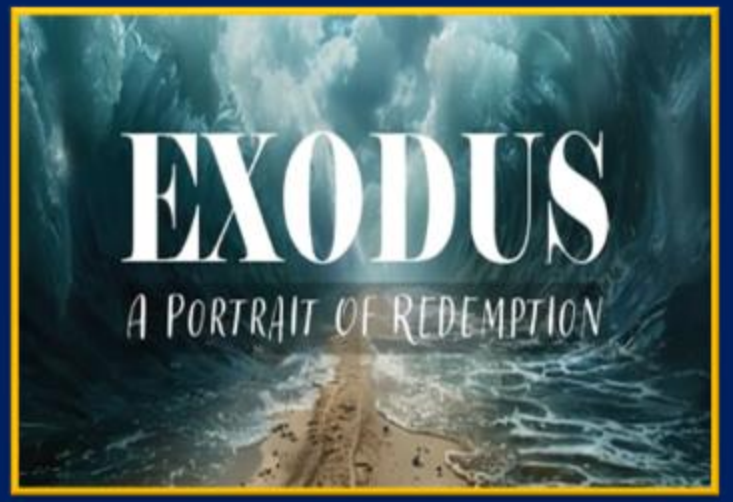

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Numbers 6:24–26 (NASB95)