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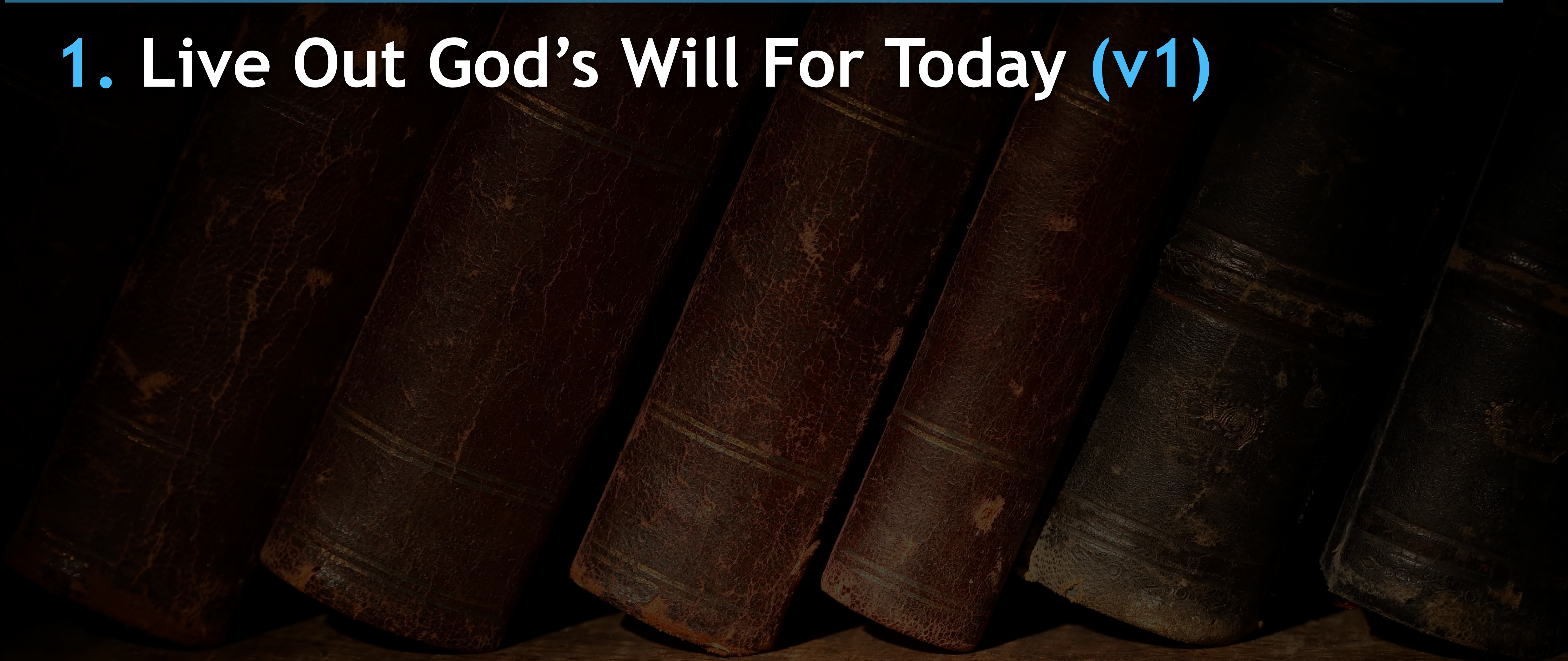




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#### James 4

13 Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit";

14 whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away.



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15 Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that."

16 But now you boast in your arrogance.  
All such boasting is evil.



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## Matthew 6

33 But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

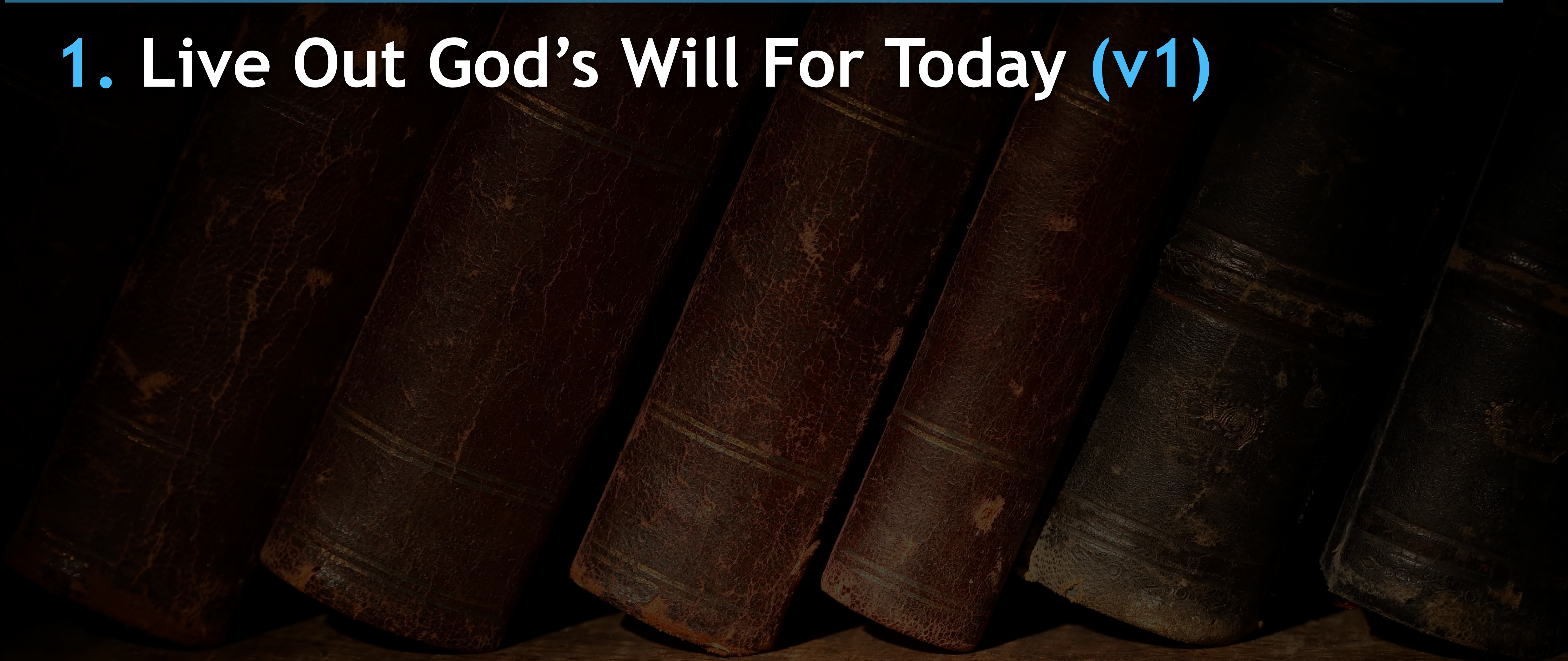
34 Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.



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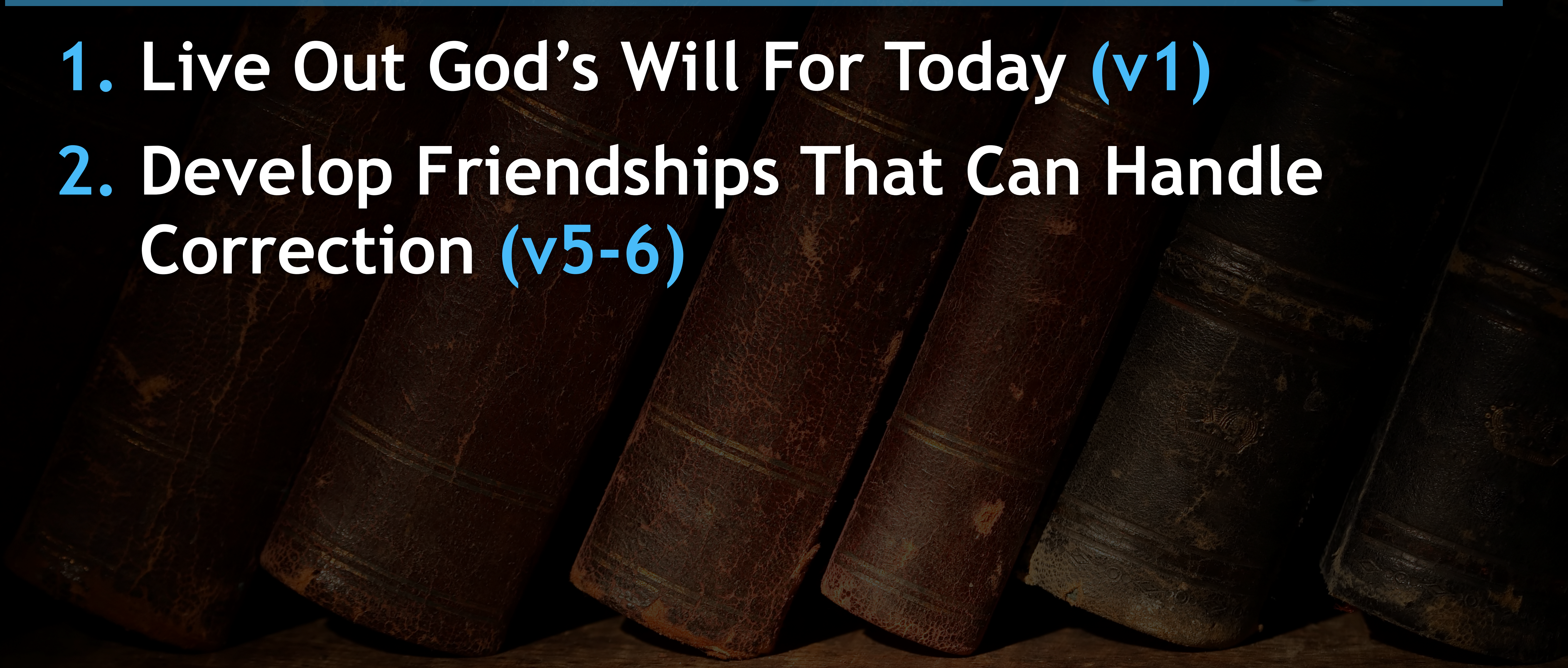




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## 2. Develop Friendships That Can Handle Correction (v5-6)

But when I saw that they were not straightforward about the truth of the gospel, I said to Peter before them all, "If you, being a Jew, live in the manner of Gentiles and not as the Jews, why do you compel Gentiles to live as Jews?"

**Galatians 2:14**



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## 2. Develop Friendships That Can Handle Correction (v5-6)

“ Most people do not want to be honest with you about your faults; they are afraid that you will turn against them. It is a true friend who is willing to risk your goodwill in order to help you by constructive criticism. ”

William MacDonald, Believer's Bible Commentary



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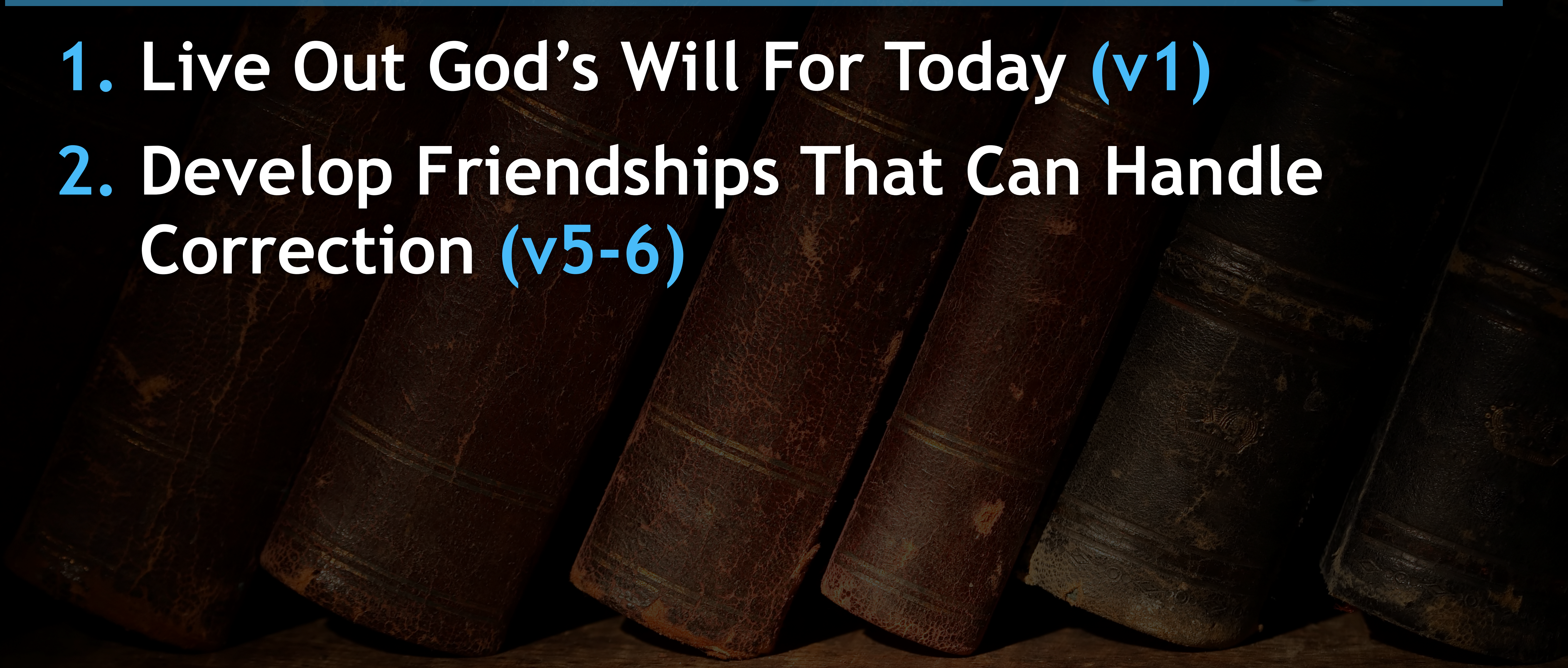
“ An enemy may seem to be a friend by his many kisses, and a true friend may seem to be an enemy by the wounds he inflicts (probably inner hurts that come from being rebuked or criticized). Yet, ironically, the rebukes may actually be more genuine expressions of friendship. ”



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### 3. Satisfy Your Soul With Things Of God (v7)

#### 1 Peter 2

1 Therefore, laying aside all malice, all deceit, hypocrisy, envy, and all evil speaking,

2 as newborn babes, desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby,

3 if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is gracious.



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### 5. Learn To Hear Other Perspectives (v14)

“ Blessing a neighbor is commendable, but not early in the morning. Timing and sensitivity to others who are sleeping are important. The wrong time for the right action causes it to be received as a curse. ”

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## 6. Abound In The Work Of The Lord (v18)

If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also. If anyone serves Me, him My Father will honor.

John 12:26



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