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**When you've started eating
and someone starts praying...**



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When you come into your neighbor's standing grain,
you may pluck the heads with your hand, but you shall not
use a sickle on your neighbor's standing grain.

Deuteronomy 23:25

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but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD your God.
In it you shall do no work: you, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your male servant, nor your female servant, nor your cattle, nor your stranger who is within your gates.

Exodus 20:10

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39 Categories Of Work

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| 1. Carrying | 11. Knotting | 21. Sifting | 31. Building |
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| 5. Writing | 15. Planting | 25. Spinning | 35. Slaughtering |
| 6. Erasing | 16. Reaping | 26. Dyeing | 36. Skinning |
| 7. Cooking | 17. Harvesting | 27. Chain-stitching | 37. Tanning |
| 8. Washing | 18. Threshing | 28. Warping | 38. Smoothing |
| 9. Sewing | 19. Winnowing | 29. Weaving | 39. Marking |
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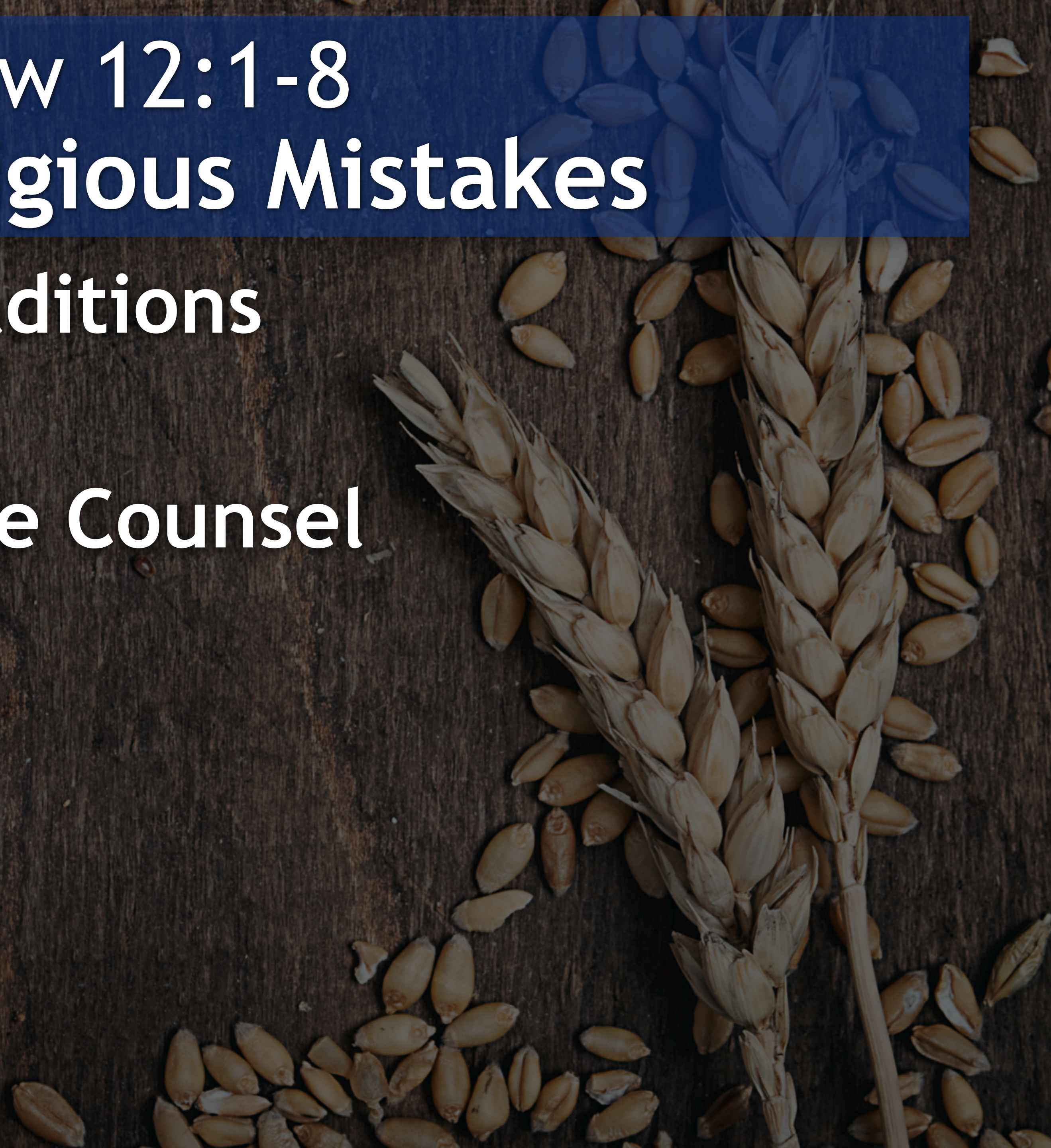
For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments. And His commandments are not burdensome.

1 John 5:3

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And it shall be for Aaron and his sons, and they shall eat it in a holy place; for it is most holy to him from the offerings of the LORD made by fire, by a perpetual statute."

Leviticus 24:9

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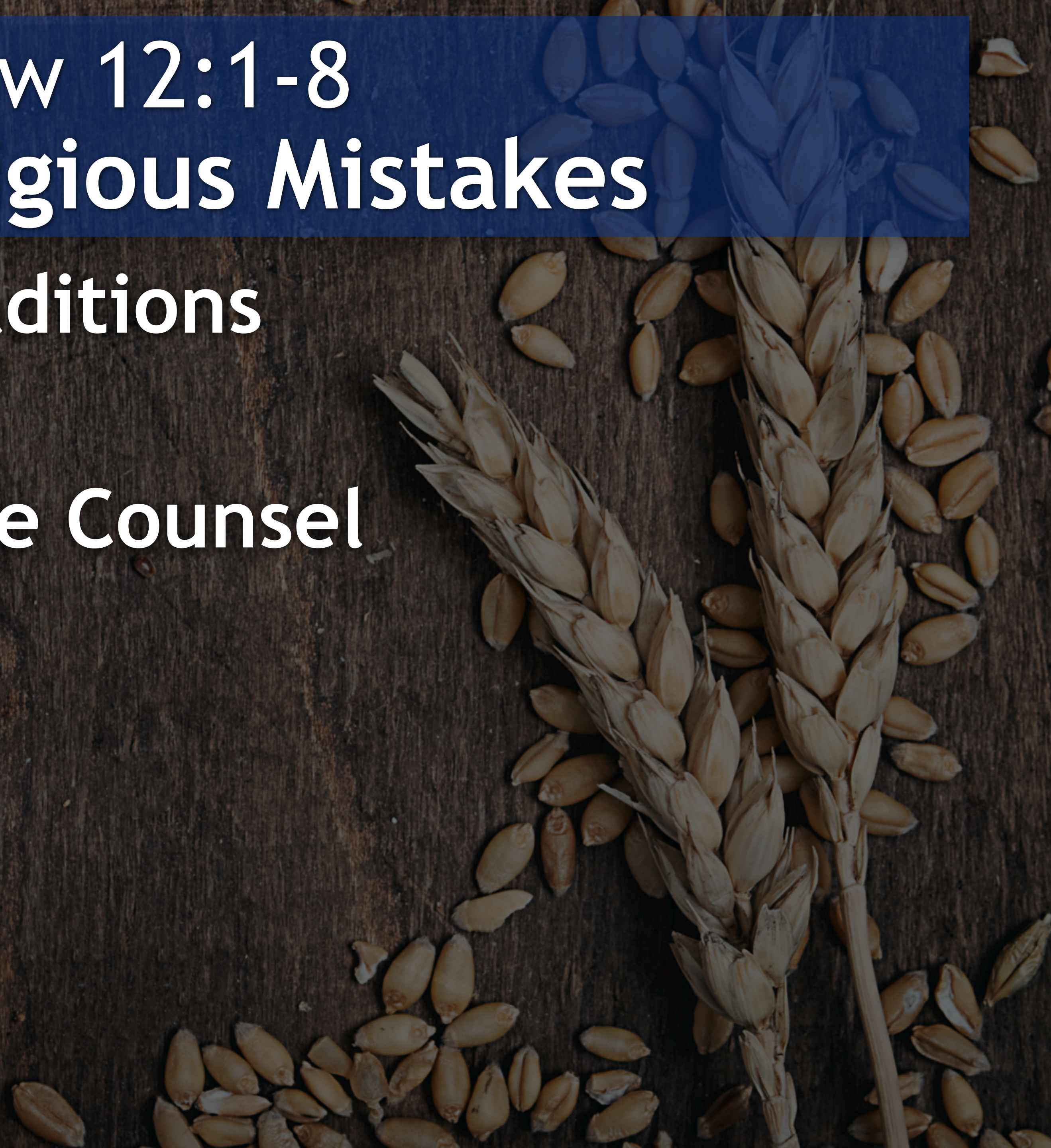
Numbers 28

9 And on the Sabbath day two lambs in their first year, without blemish, and two-tenths of an ephah of fine flour as a grain offering, mixed with oil, with its drink offering—
10 this is the burnt offering for every Sabbath, besides the regular burnt offering with its drink offering.

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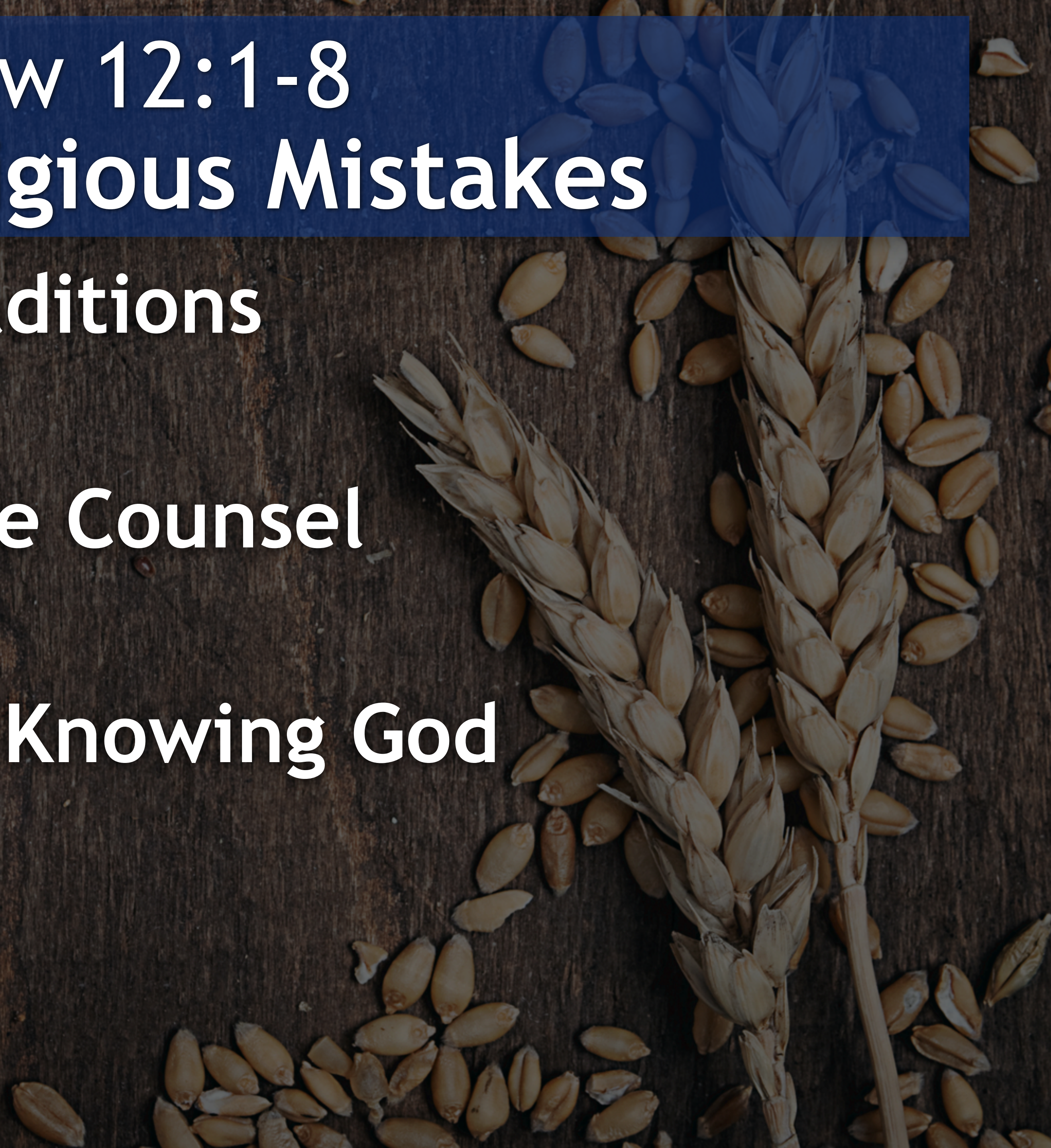
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You search the Scriptures, for in them you think you have eternal life; and these are they which testify of Me.

John 5:39

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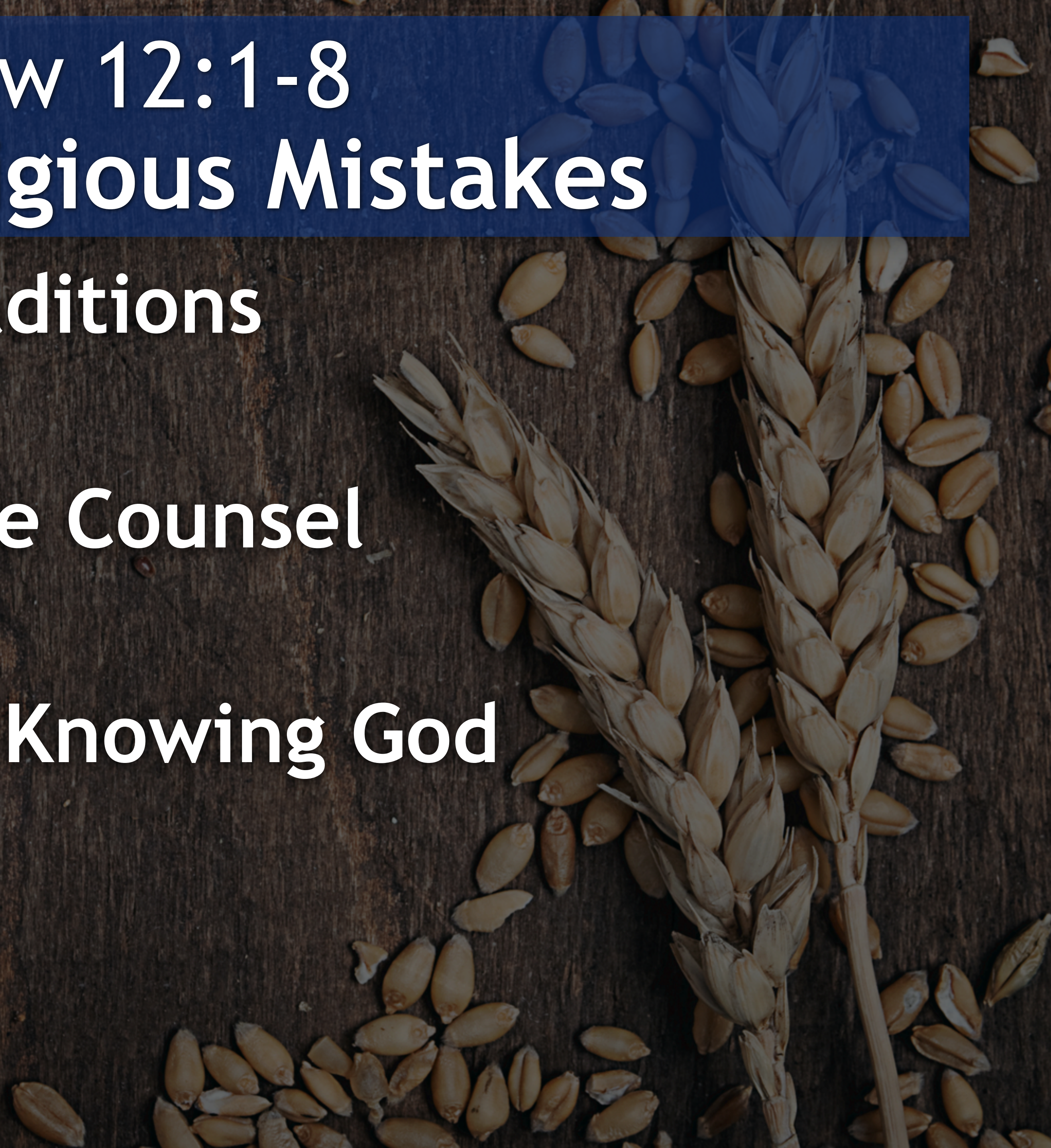
Jesus said to them, "If God were your Father, you would love Me, for I proceeded forth and came from God; nor have I come of Myself, but He sent Me.

John 8:42

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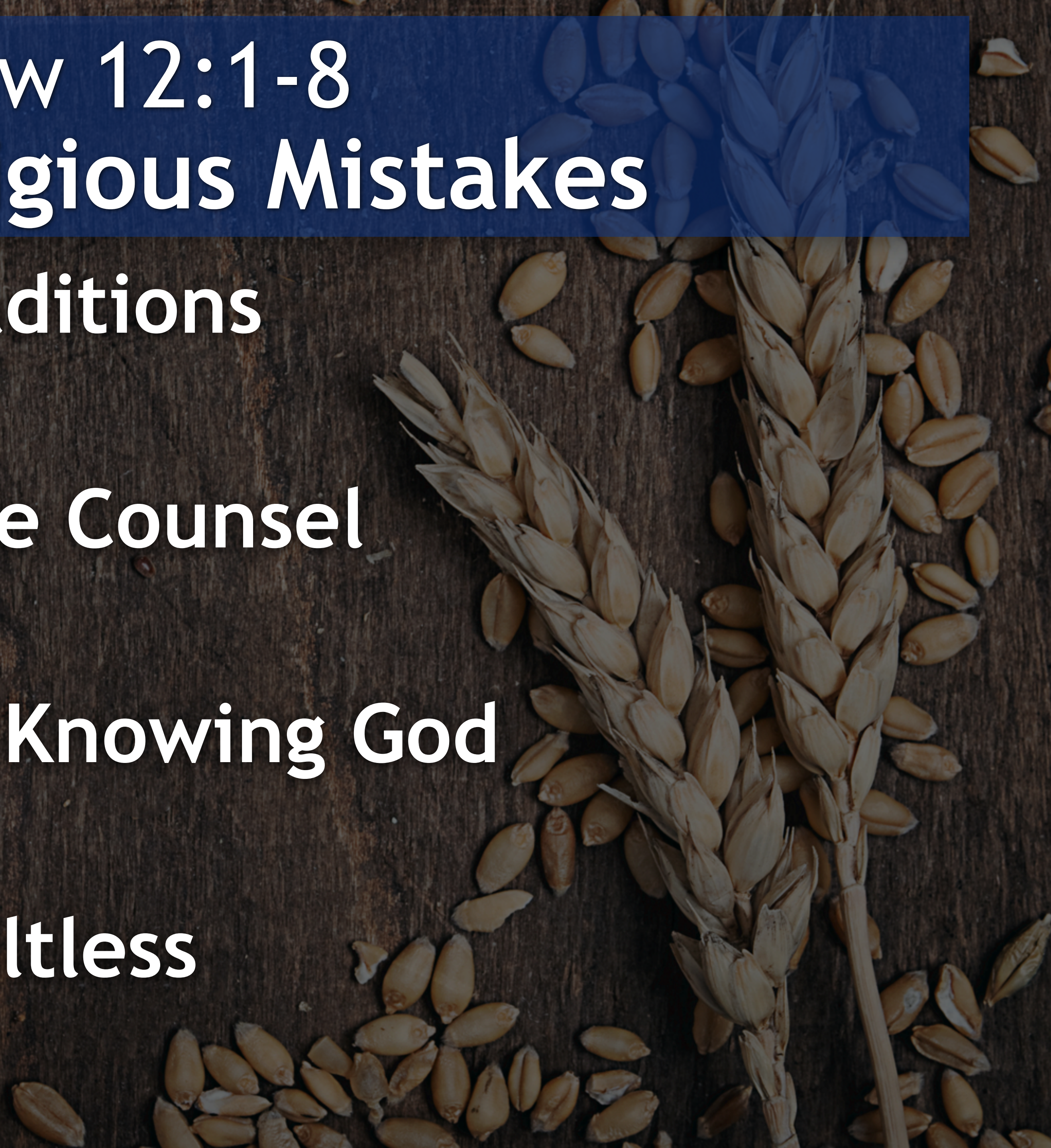
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For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.

John 3:17

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4. Condemning The Guiltless (v7-8)

“ We are free while we are doing anything for Christ; His sacrifice is the service of Christ, in heart, and life, and work. We are not free to do anything we please; but we are free to do anything needful or helpful, while we are doing any service to Christ. ”

Alfred Edersheim, The Life and Times of Jesus the Messiah

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