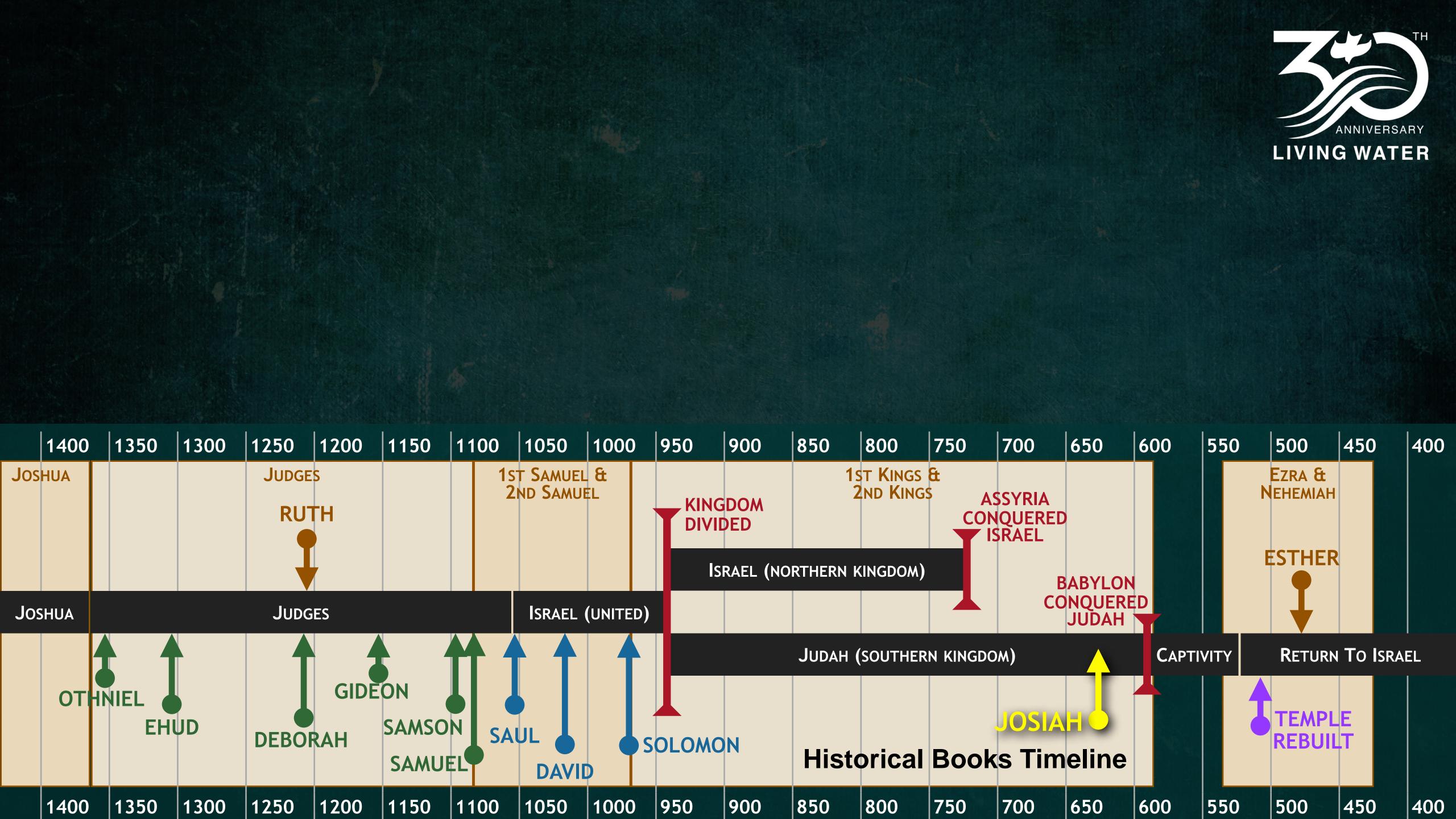
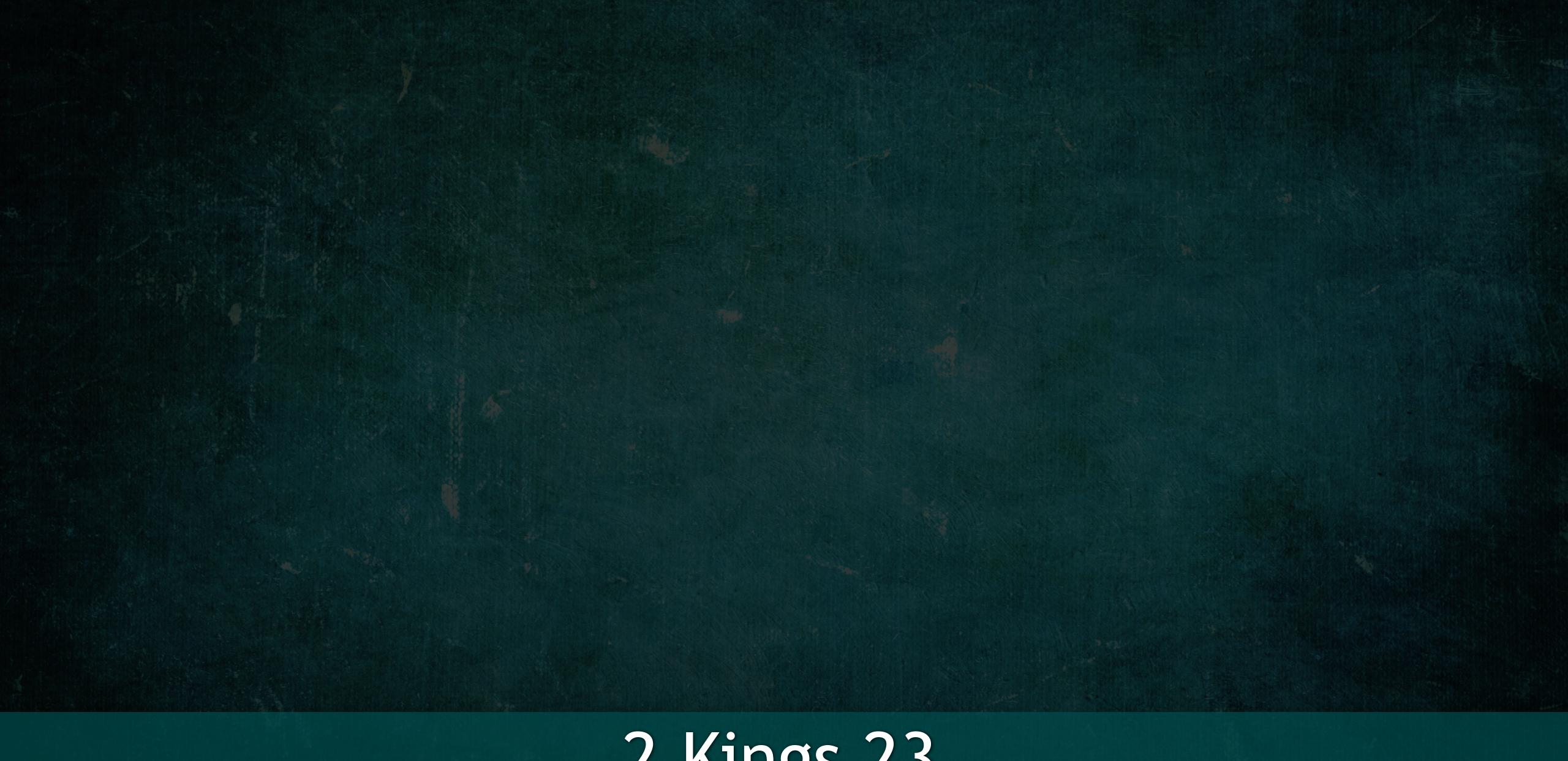
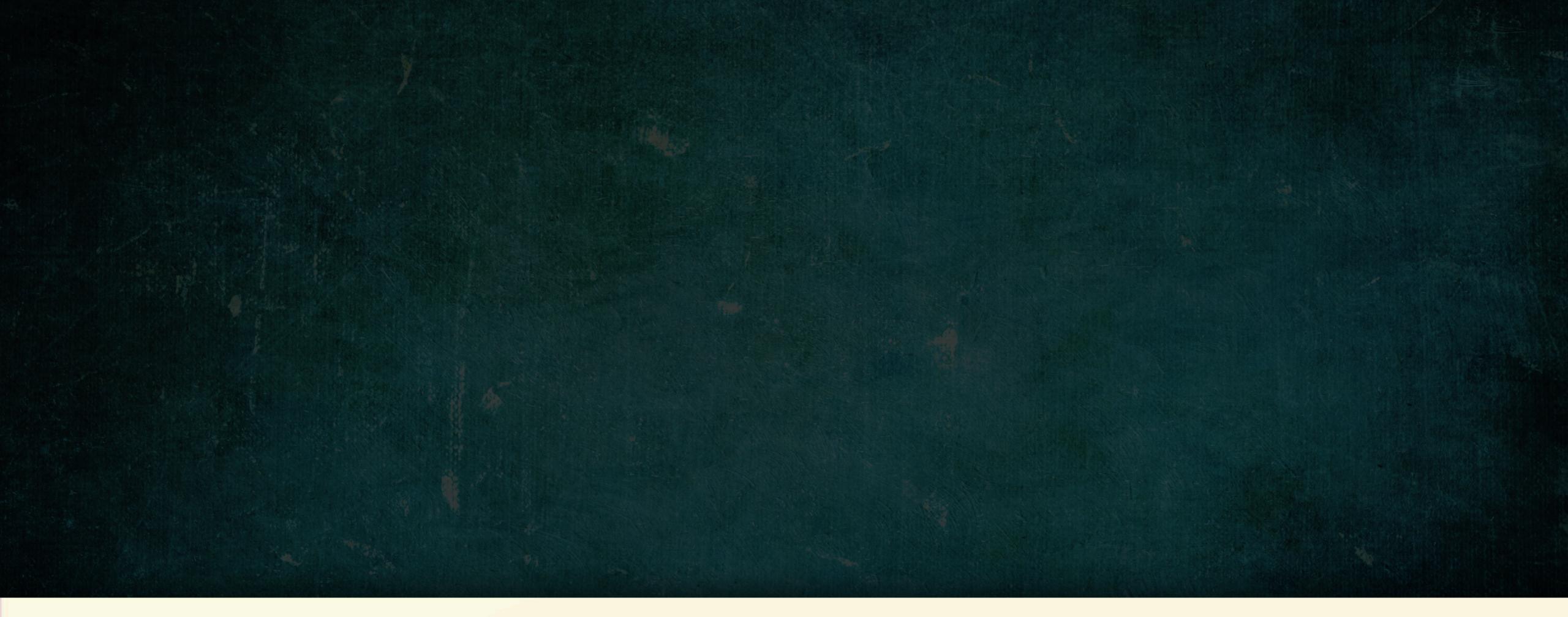


WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

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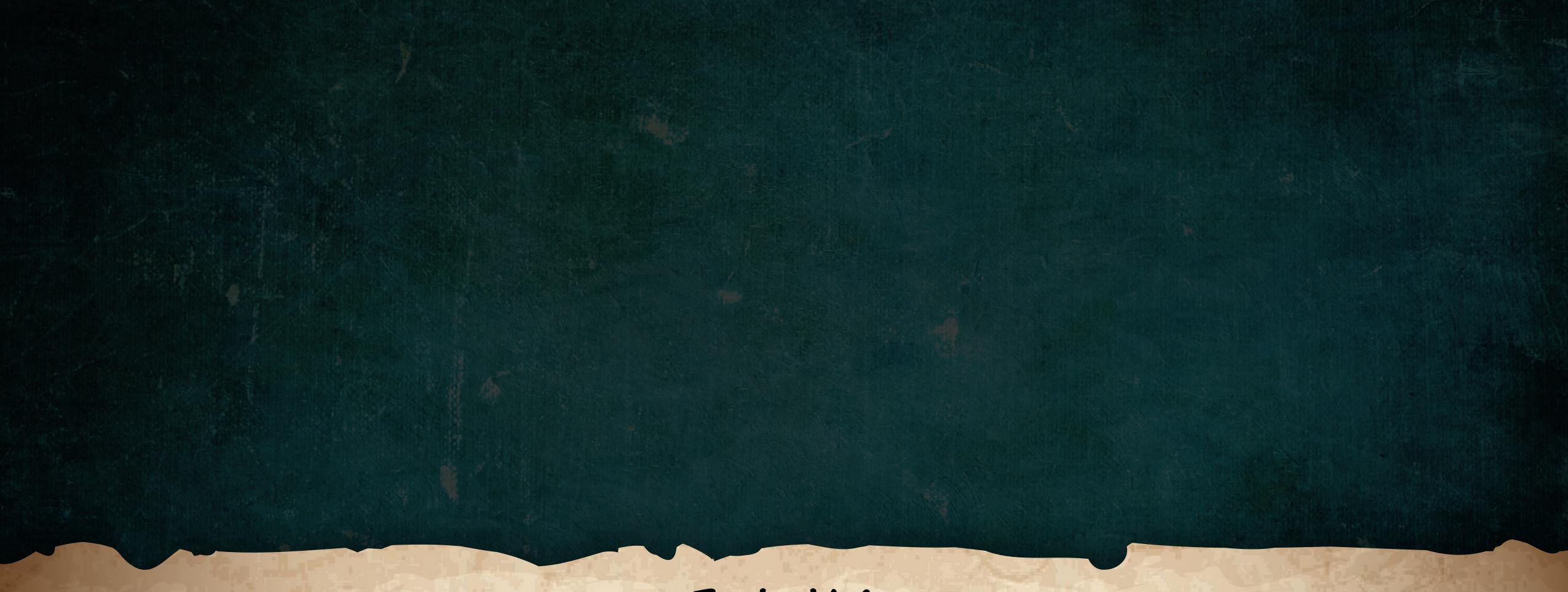






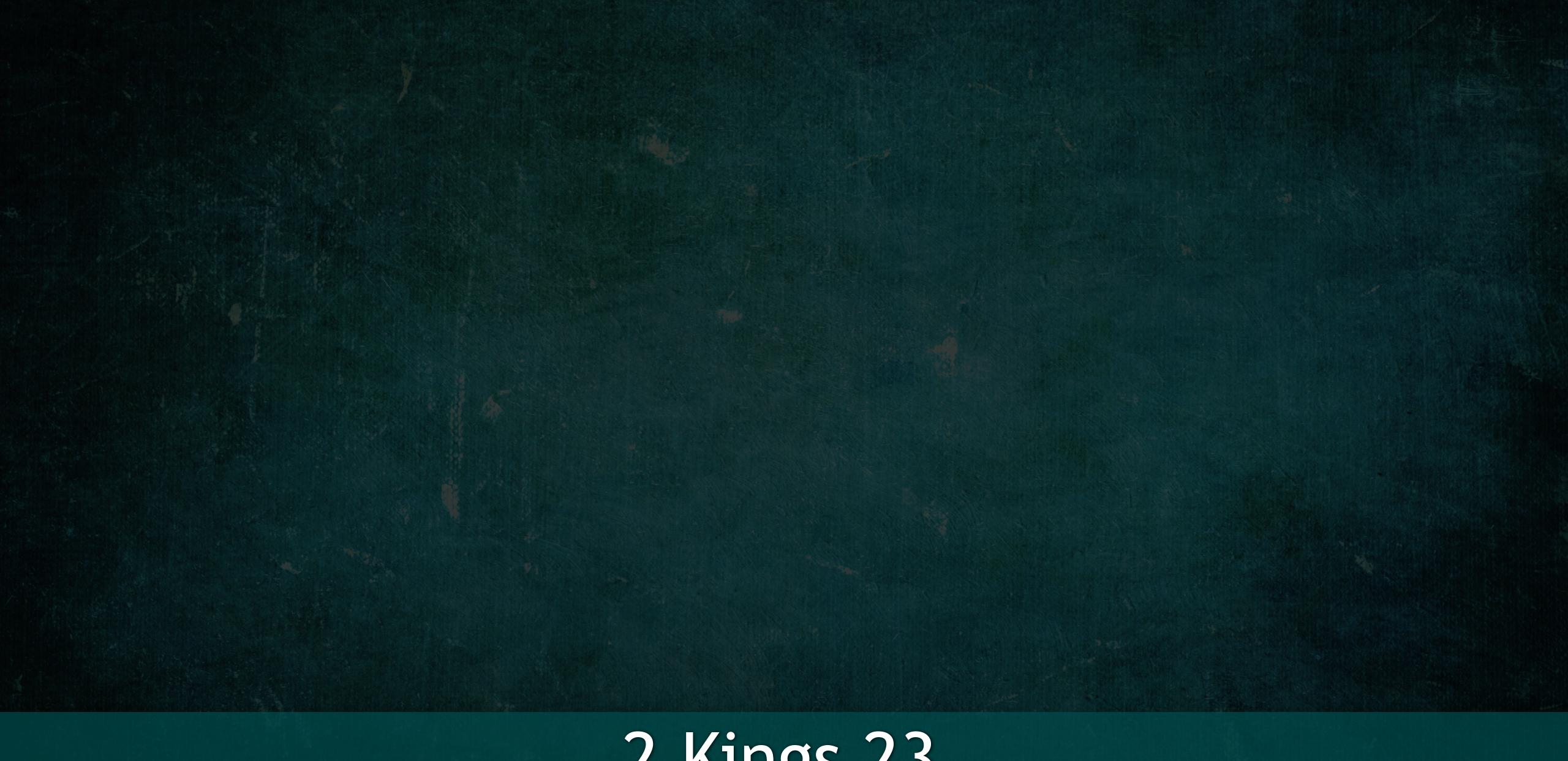
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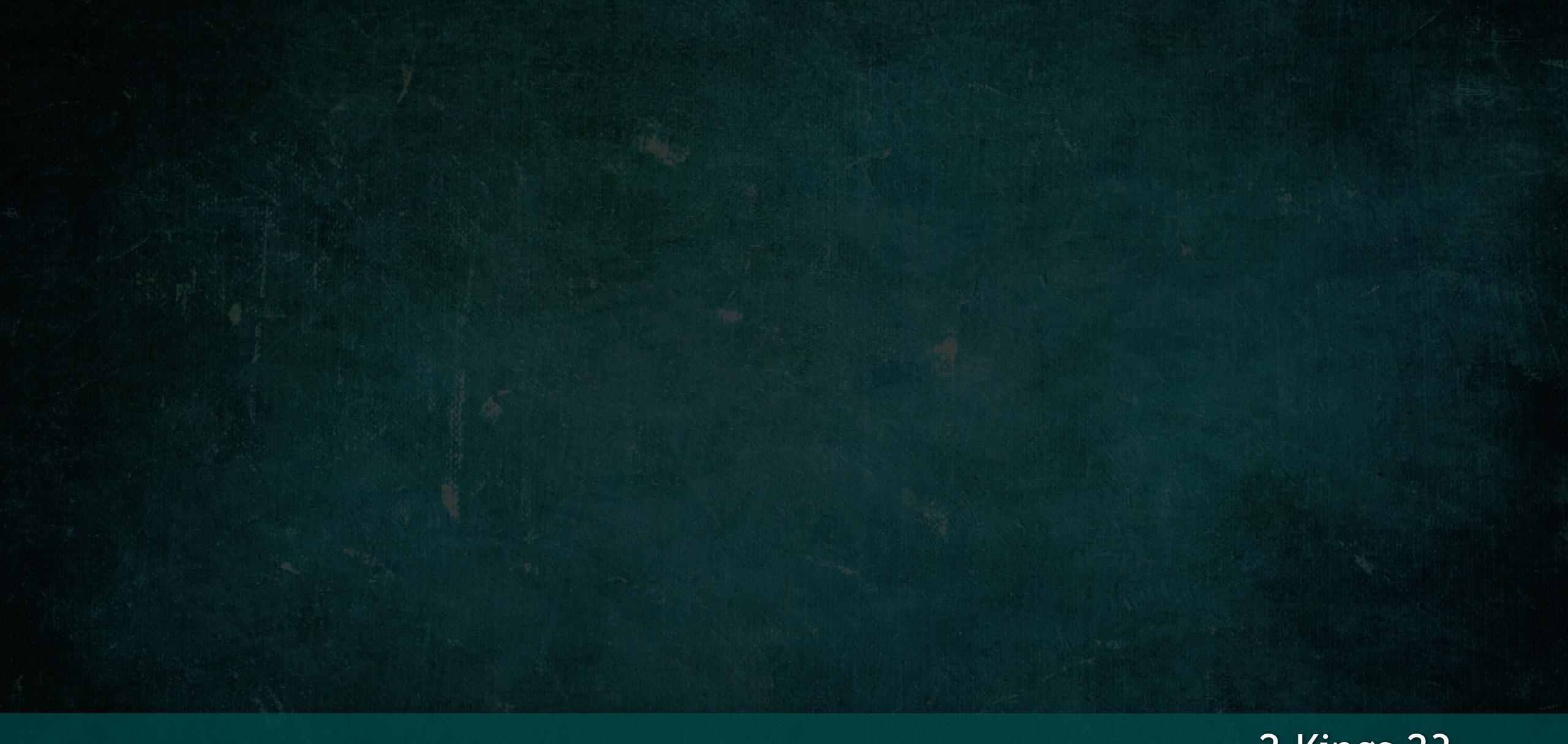
F.B. Meyer, Through The Bible Day By Day



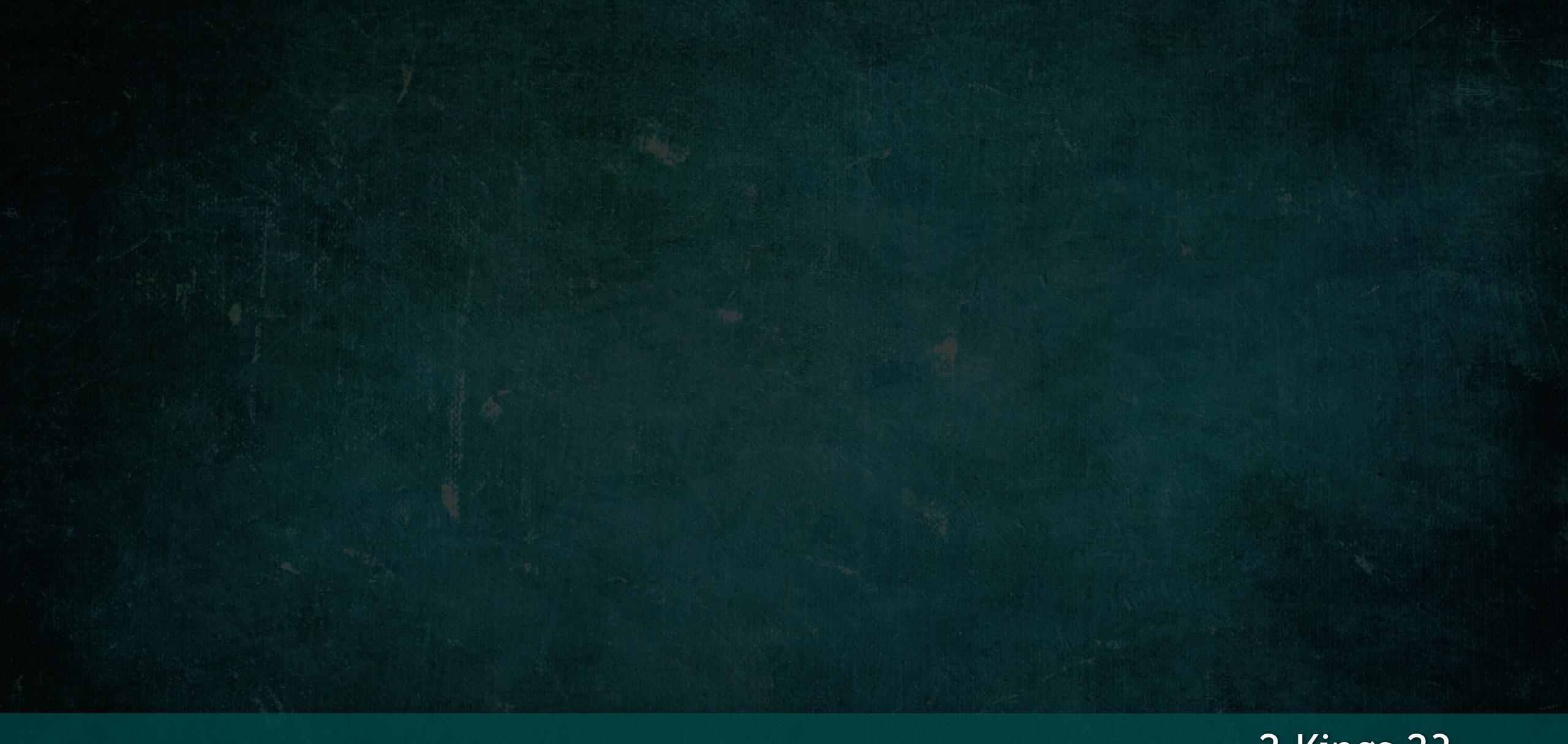
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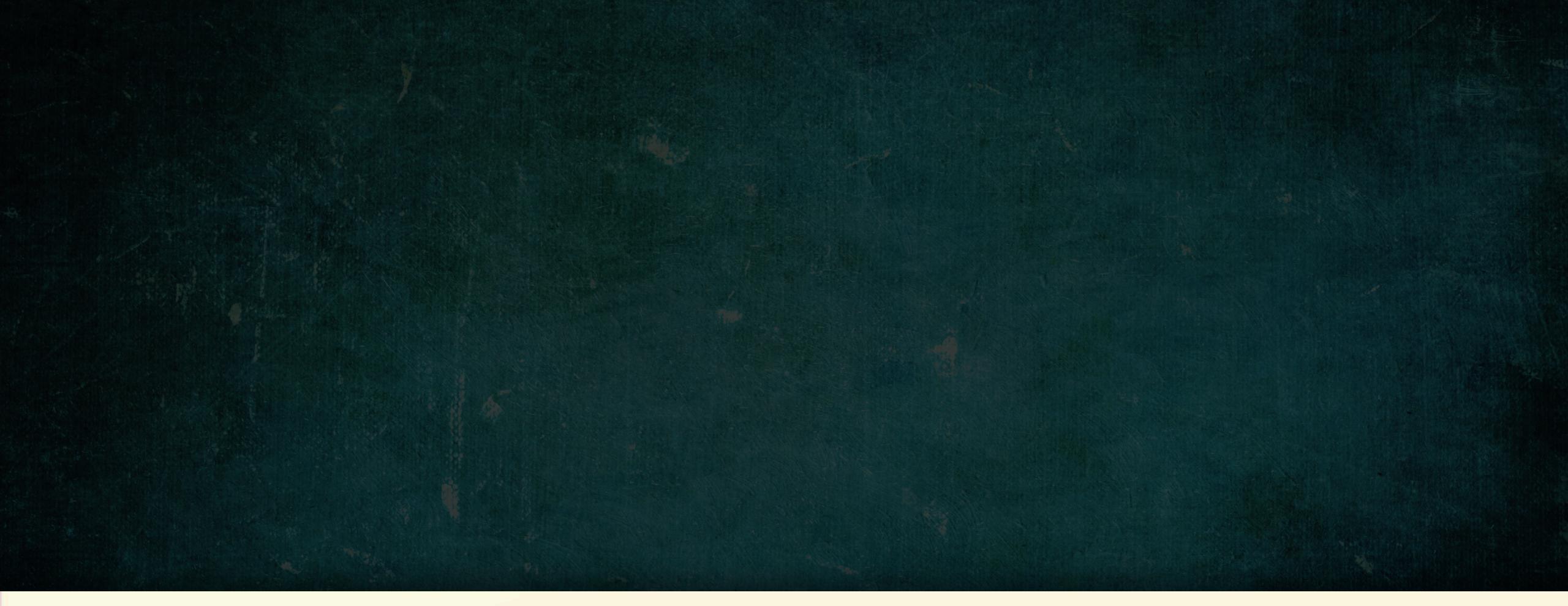




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David Guzik, Enduring Word Commentary

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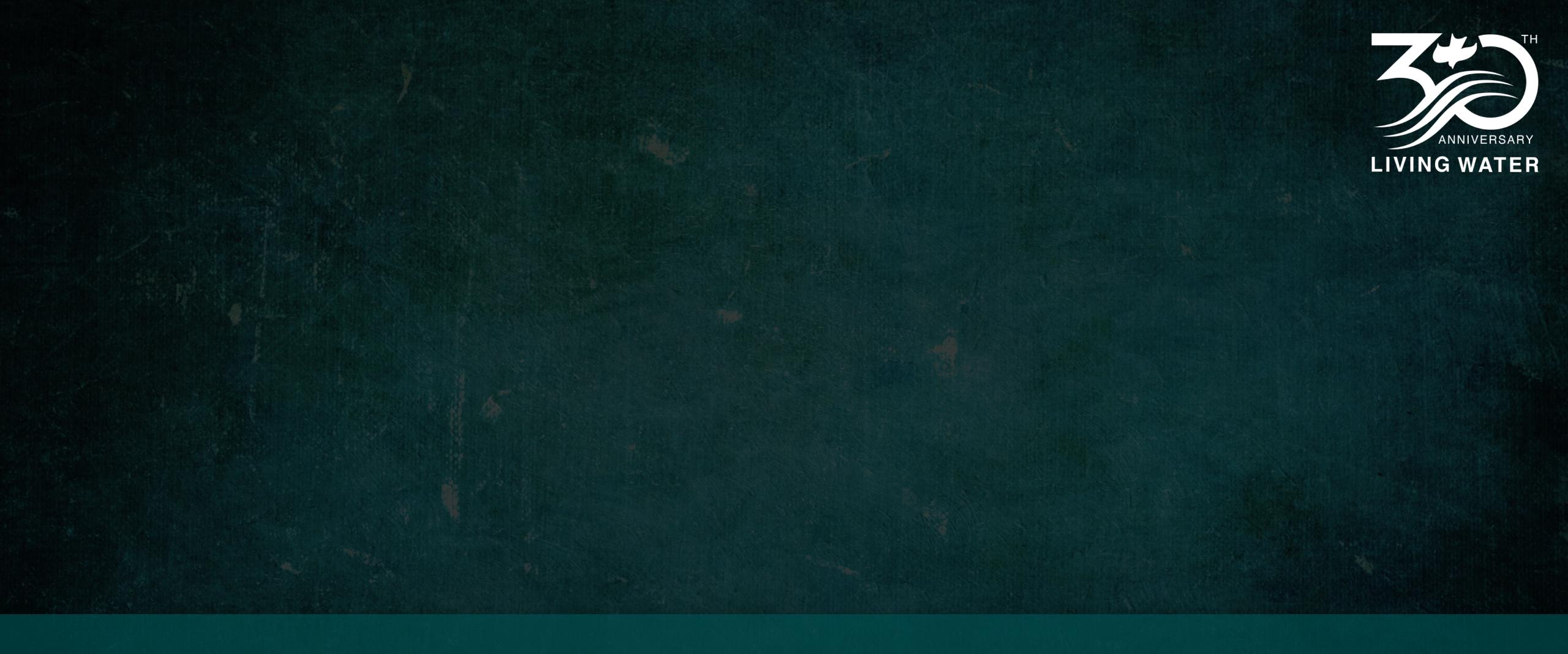
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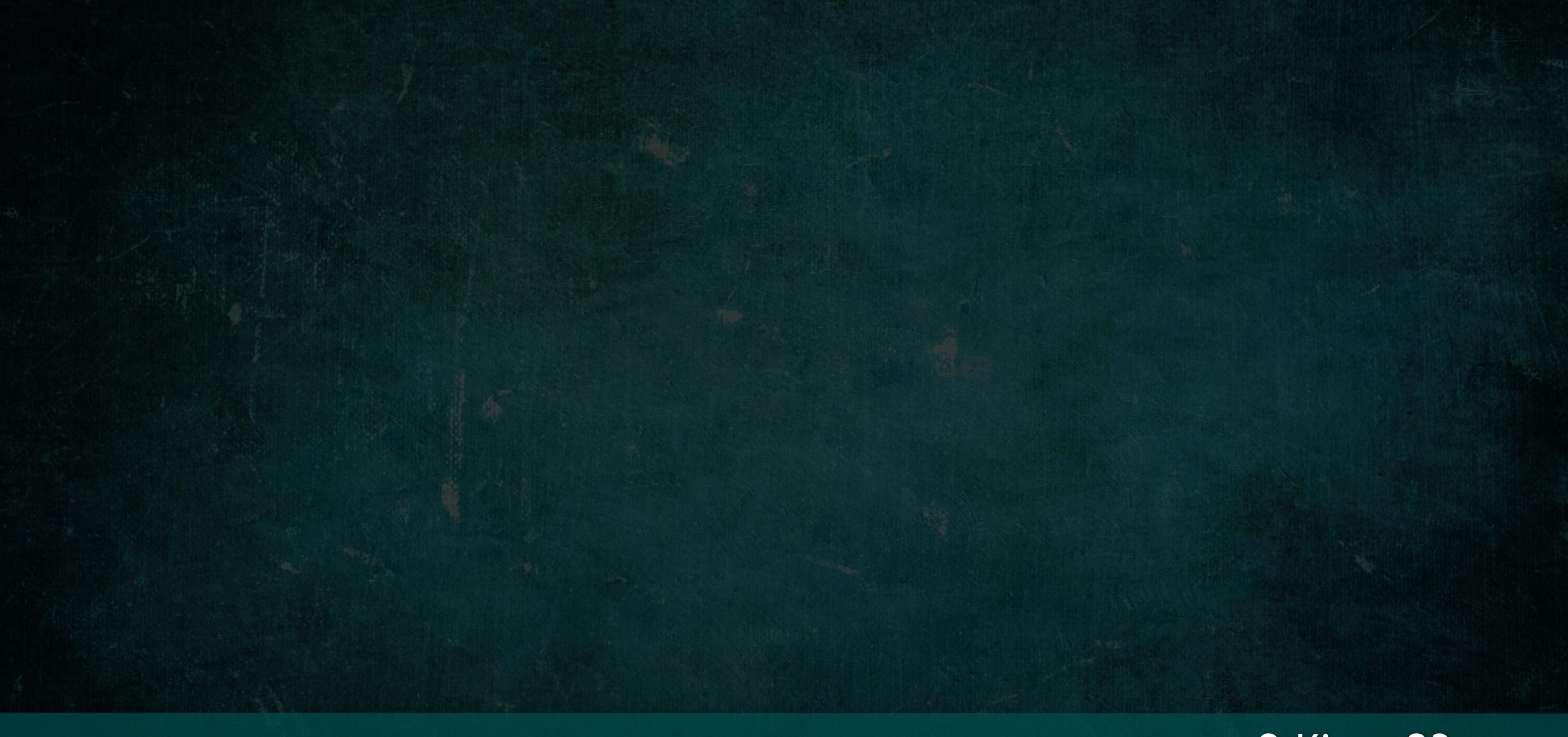
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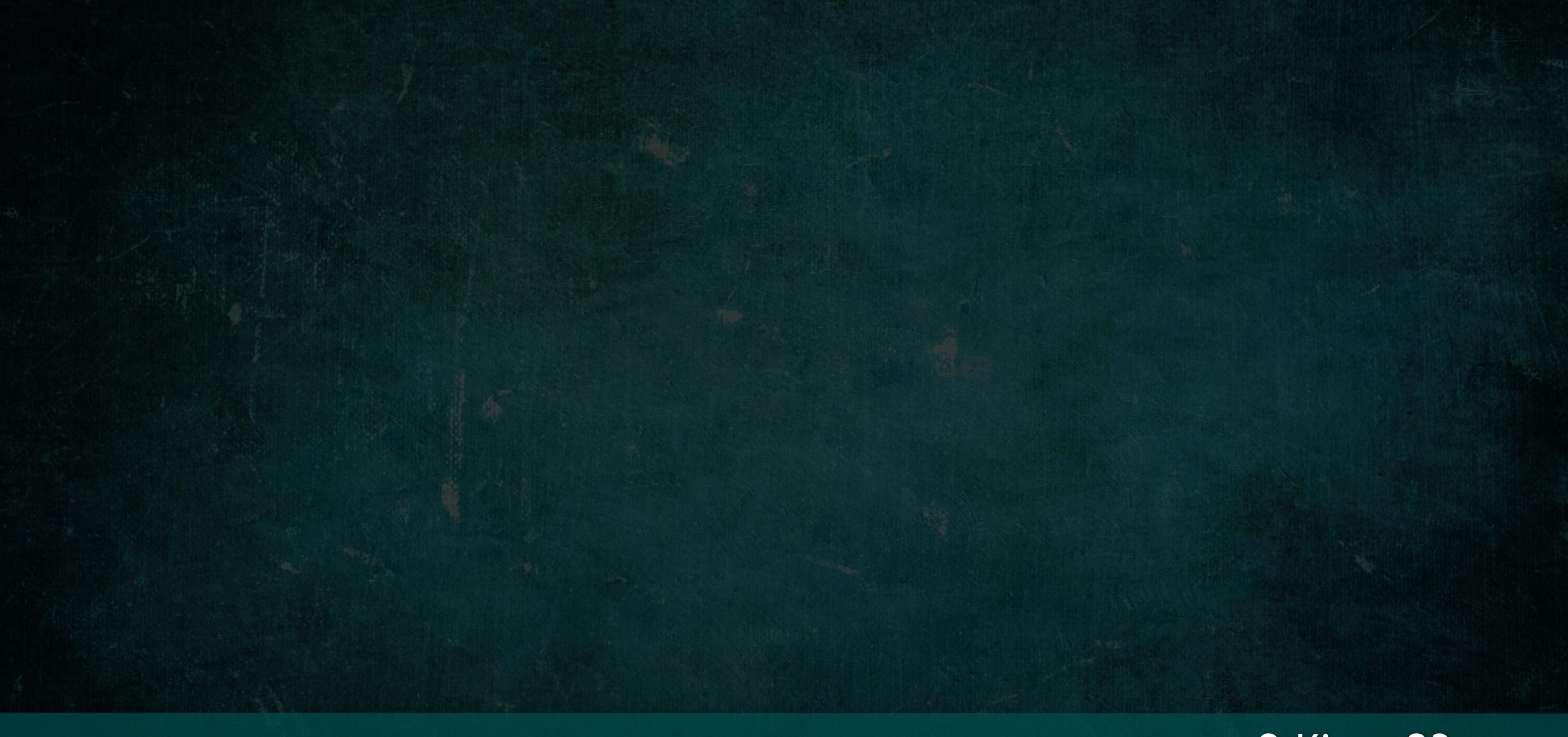


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For in the eighth year of his reign, while he was still young, he began to seek the God of his father David; and in the twelfth year he began to purge Judah and Jerusalem of the high places, the wooden images, the carved images, and the molded images.

2 Chronicles 34:3

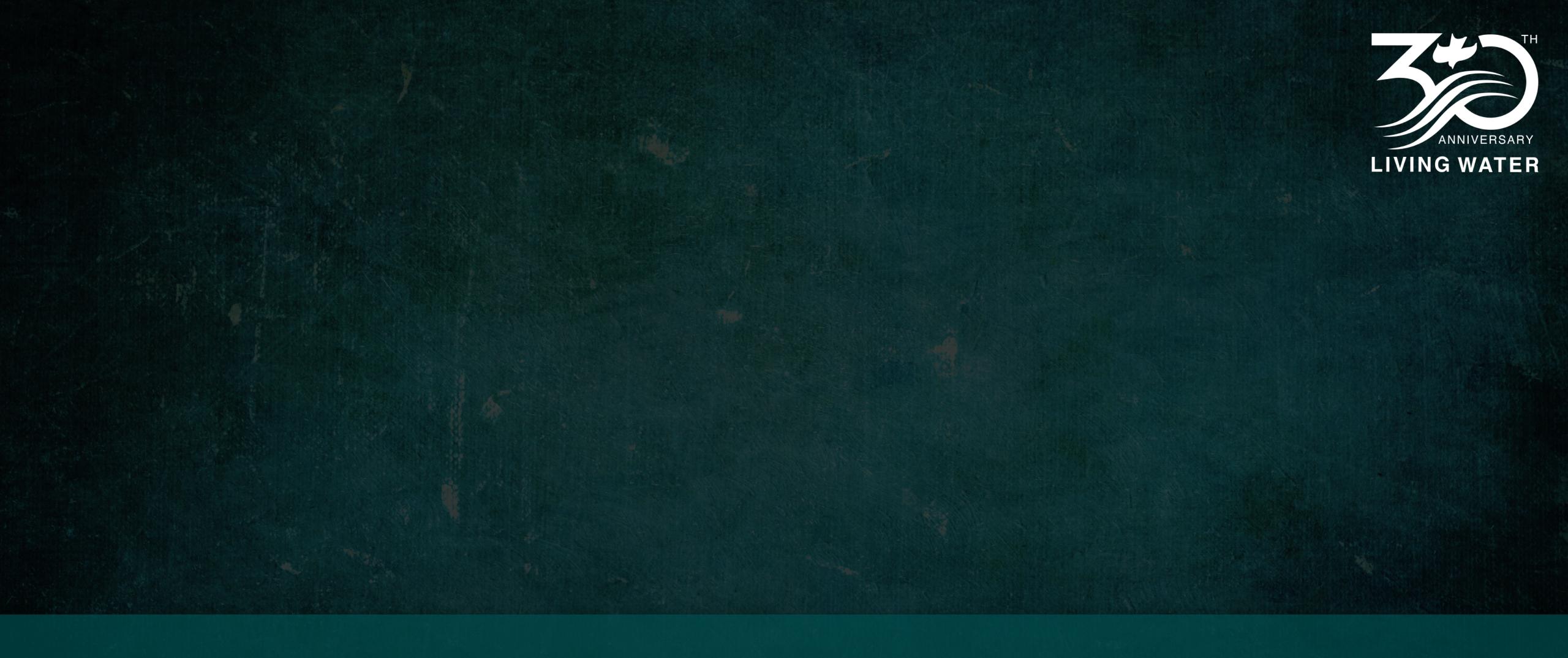


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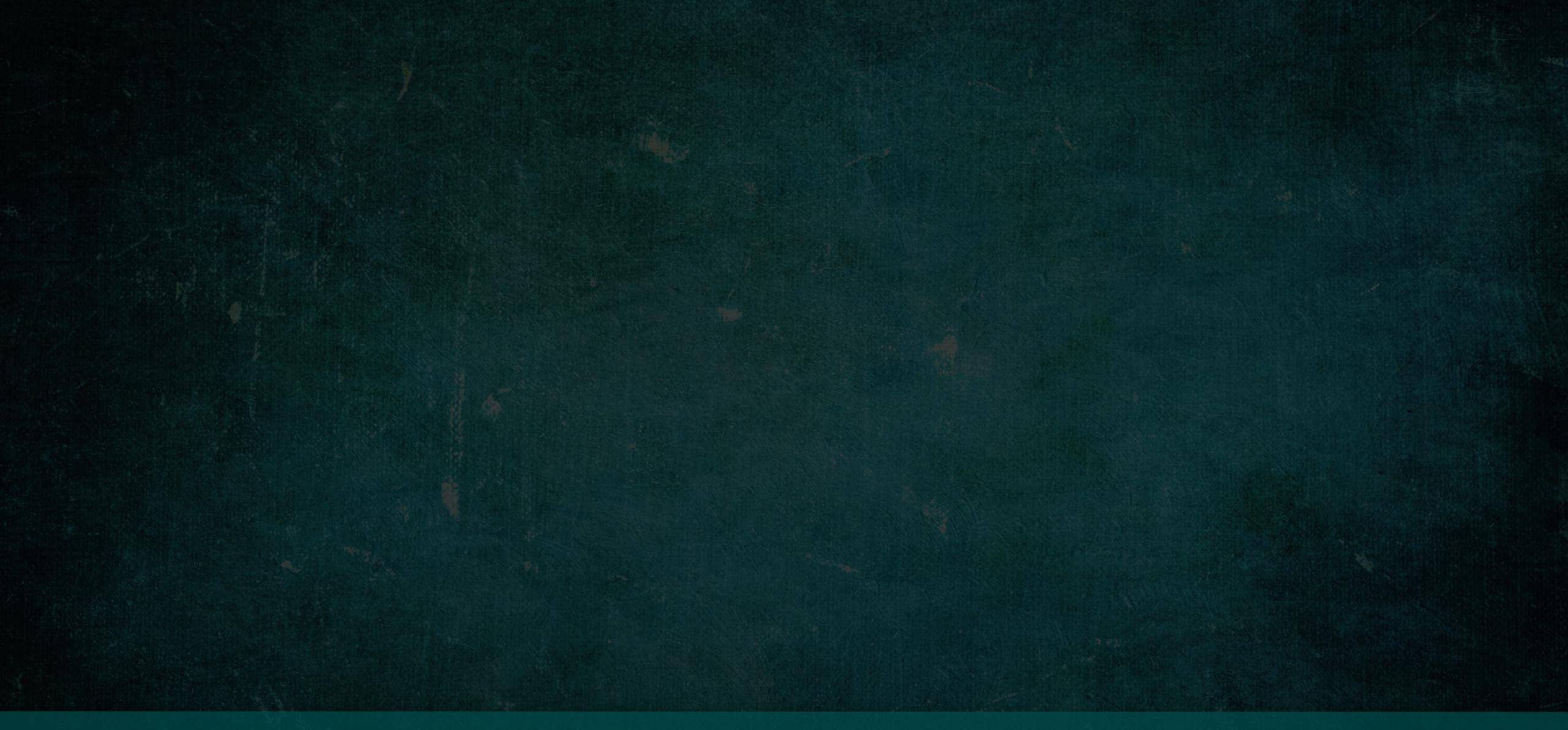
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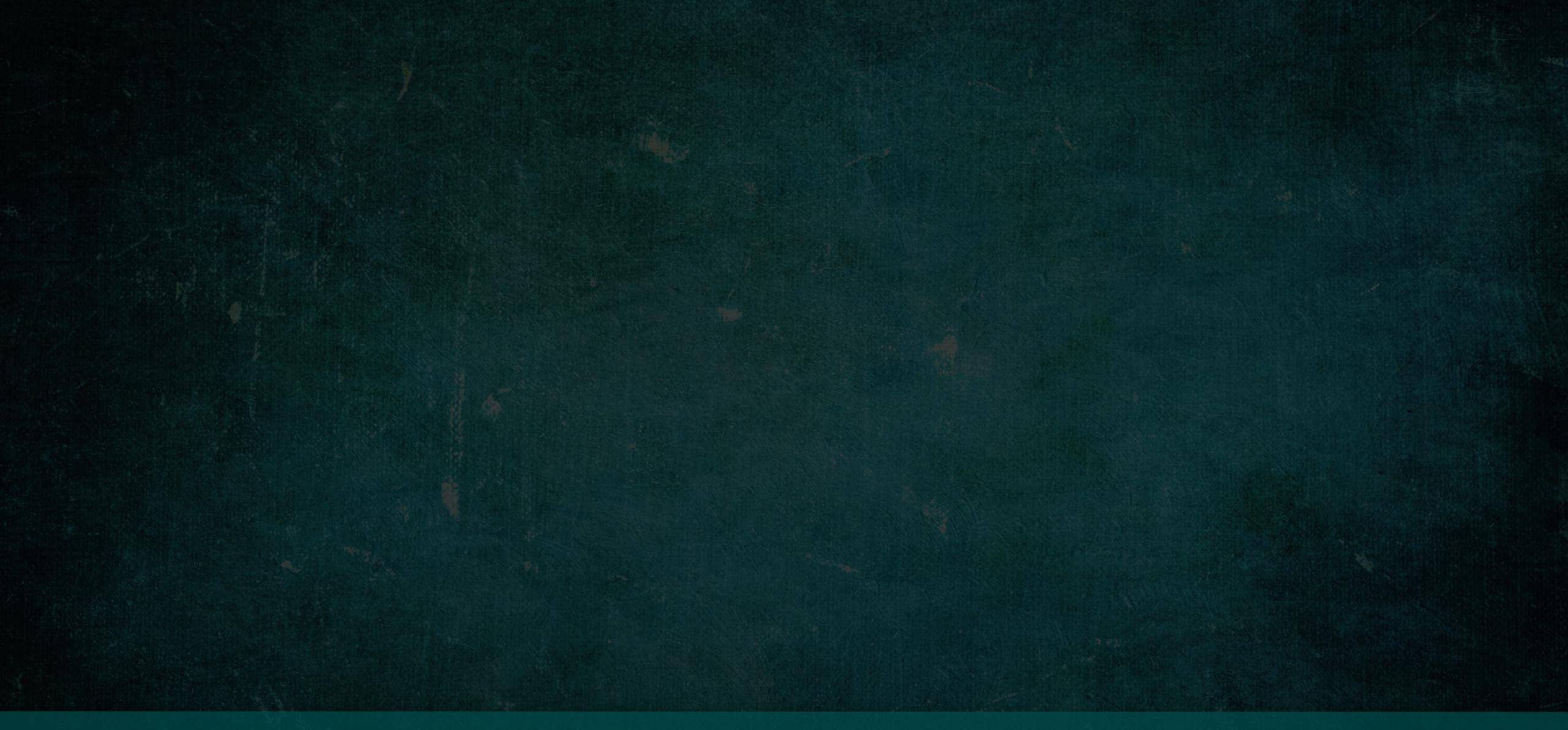


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If your hand or foot causes you to sin, cut it off and cast it from you. It is better for you to enter into life lame or maimed, rather than having two hands or two feet, to be cast into the everlasting fire.

Matthew 18:8

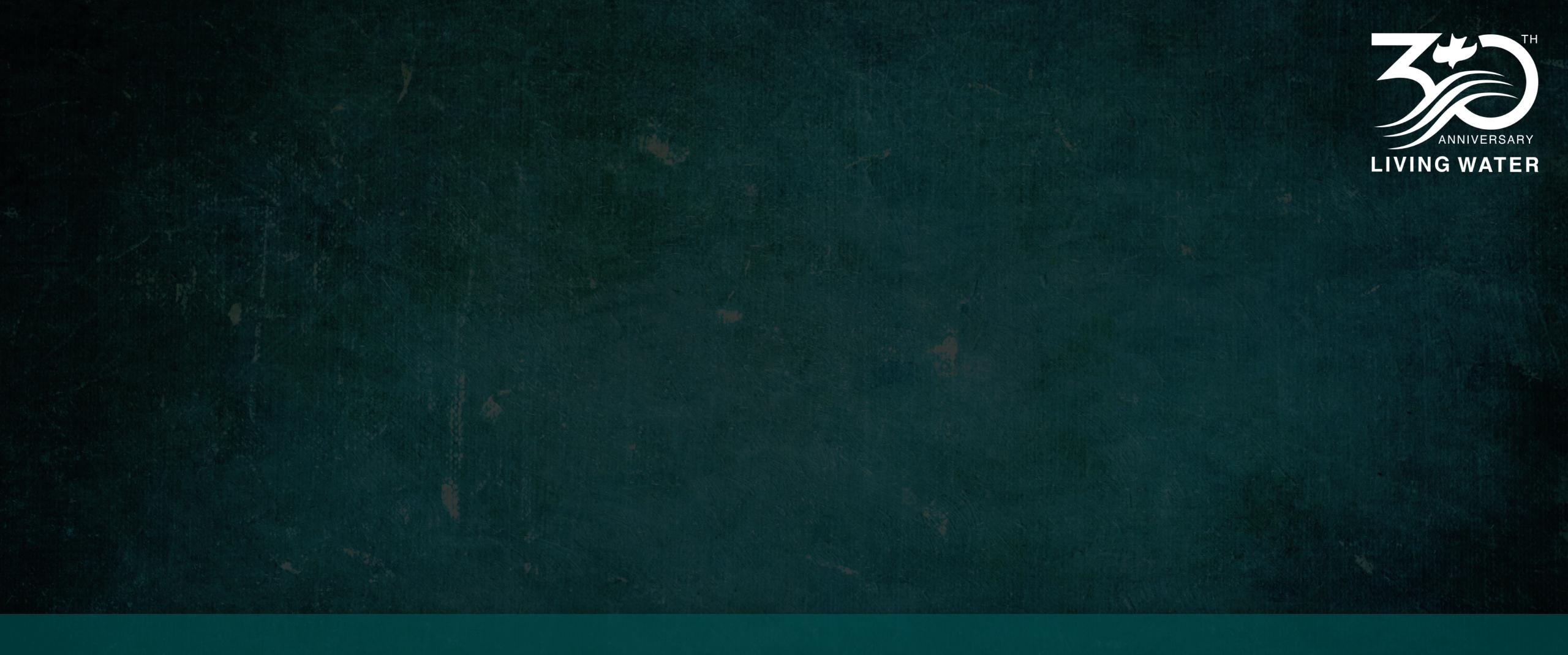


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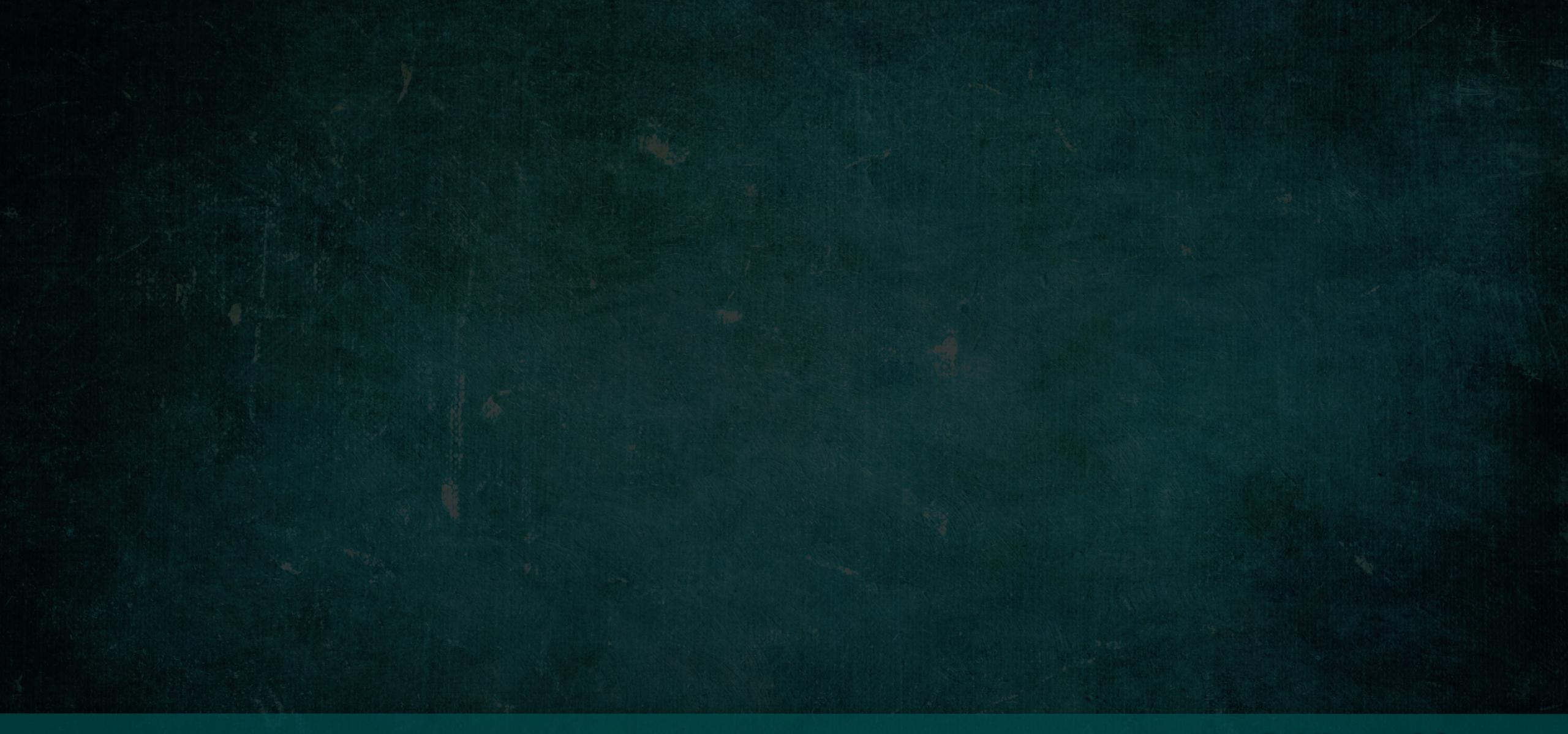
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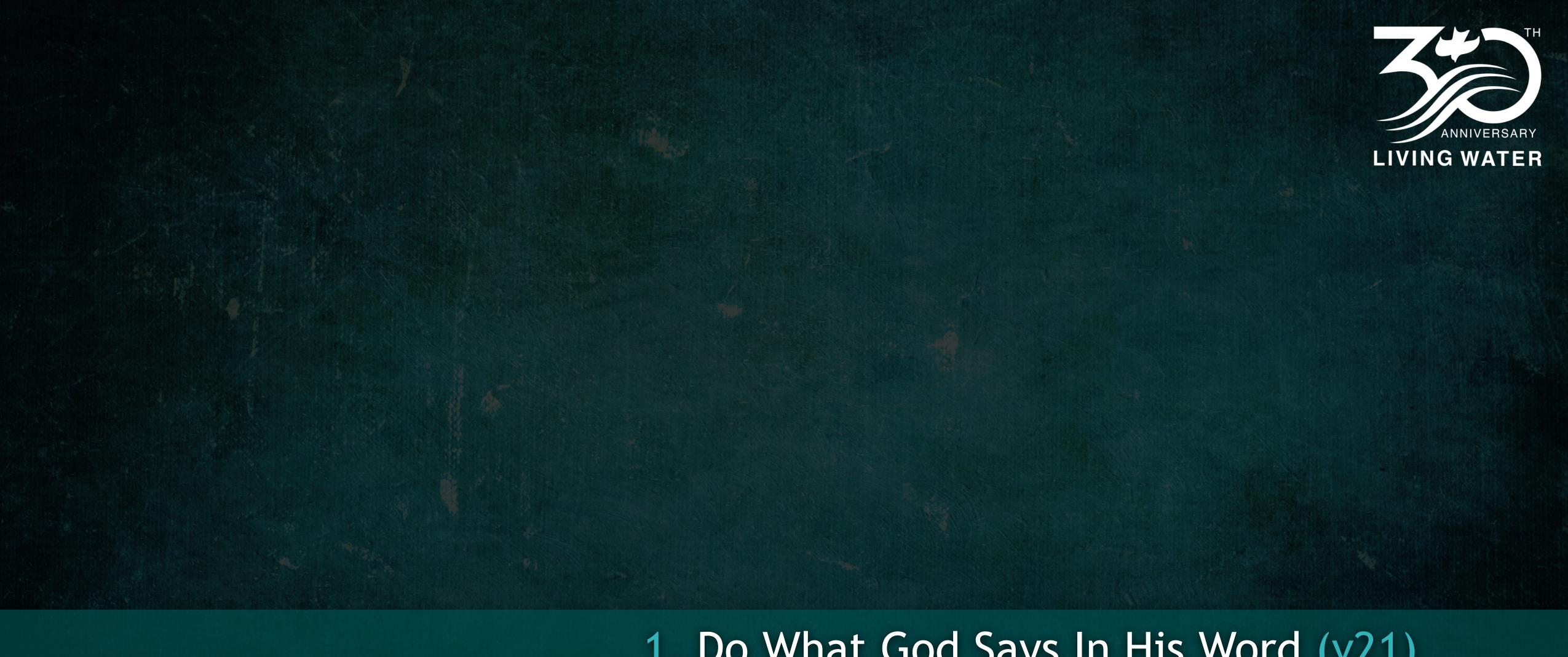
Matthew 22

37 Jesus said to him, "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.'38 This is the first and great commandment.

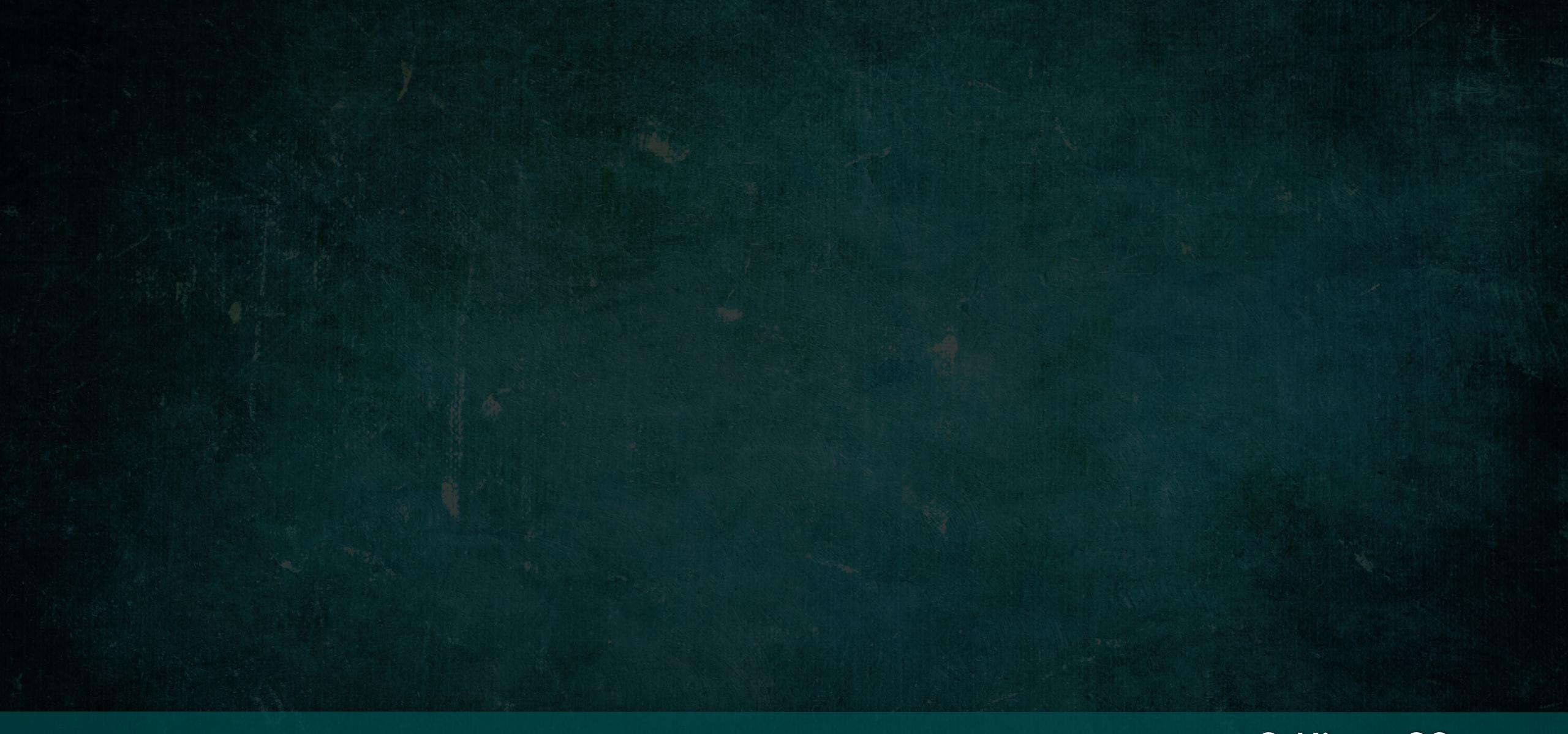
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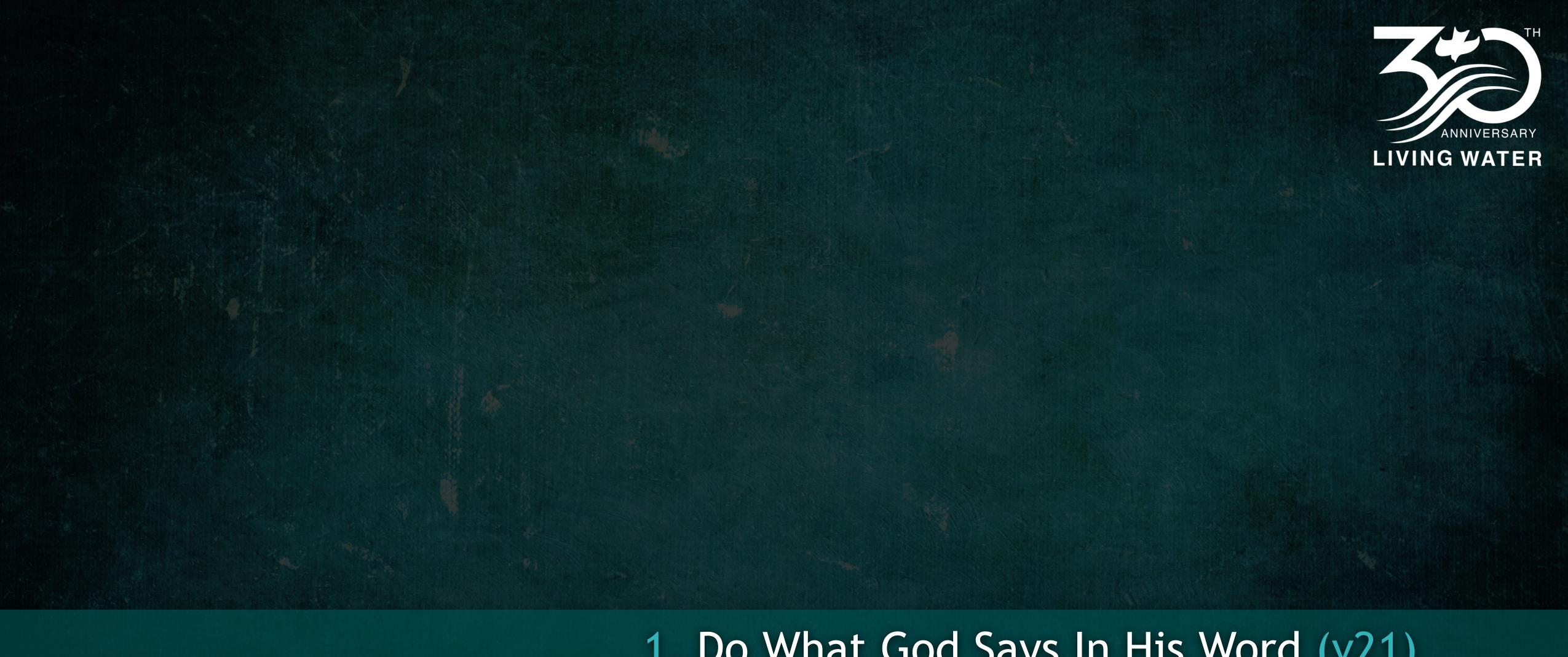
2 Chronicles 35

20 After all this, when Josiah had prepared the temple, Necho king of Egypt came up to fight against Carchemish by the Euphrates; and Josiah went out against him. 21 But he sent messengers to him, saying, "What have I to do with you, king of Judah? I have not come against you this day, but against the house with which I have war; for God commanded me to make haste. Refrain from meddling with God, who is with me, lest He destroy you." 22 Nevertheless Josiah would not turn his face from him, but disguised himself so that he might fight with him, and did not heed the words of Necho from the mouth of God. So he came to fight in the Valley of Megiddo.

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