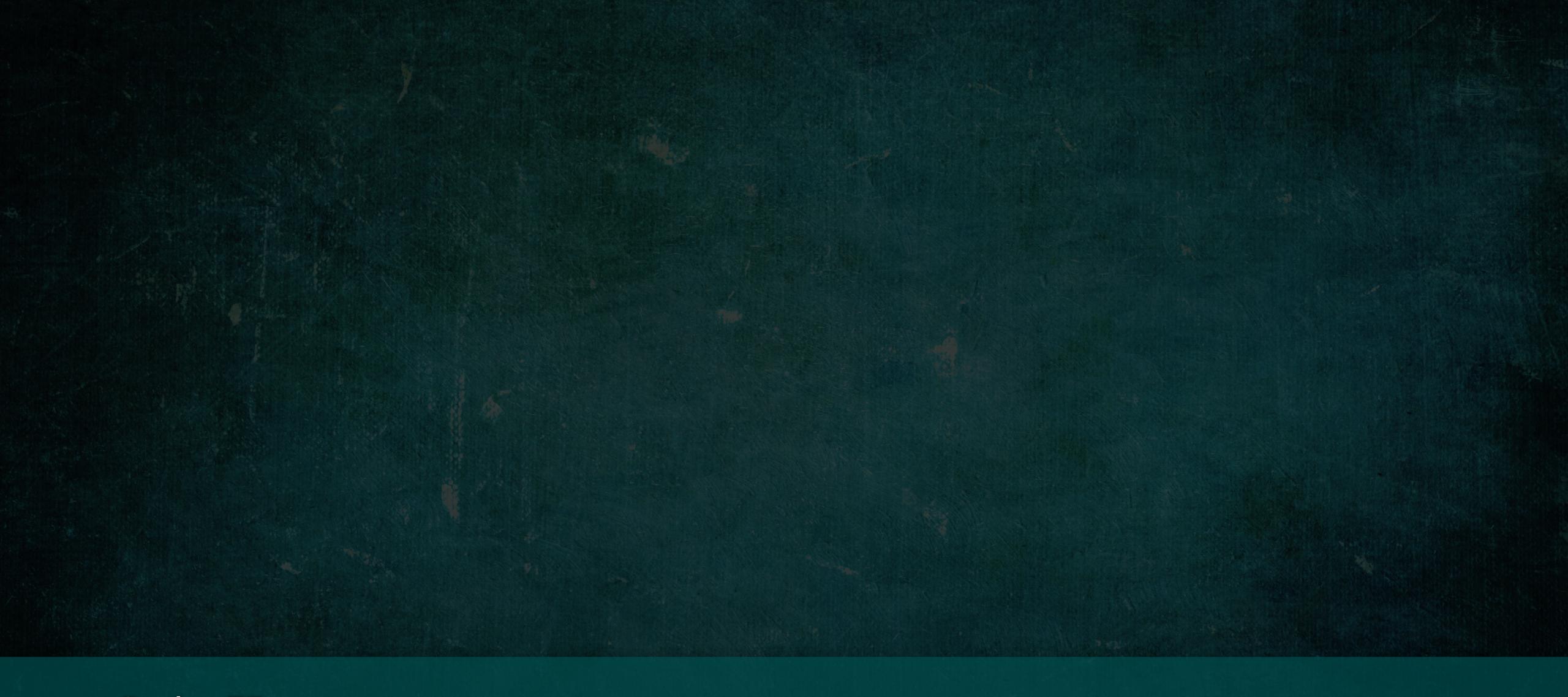
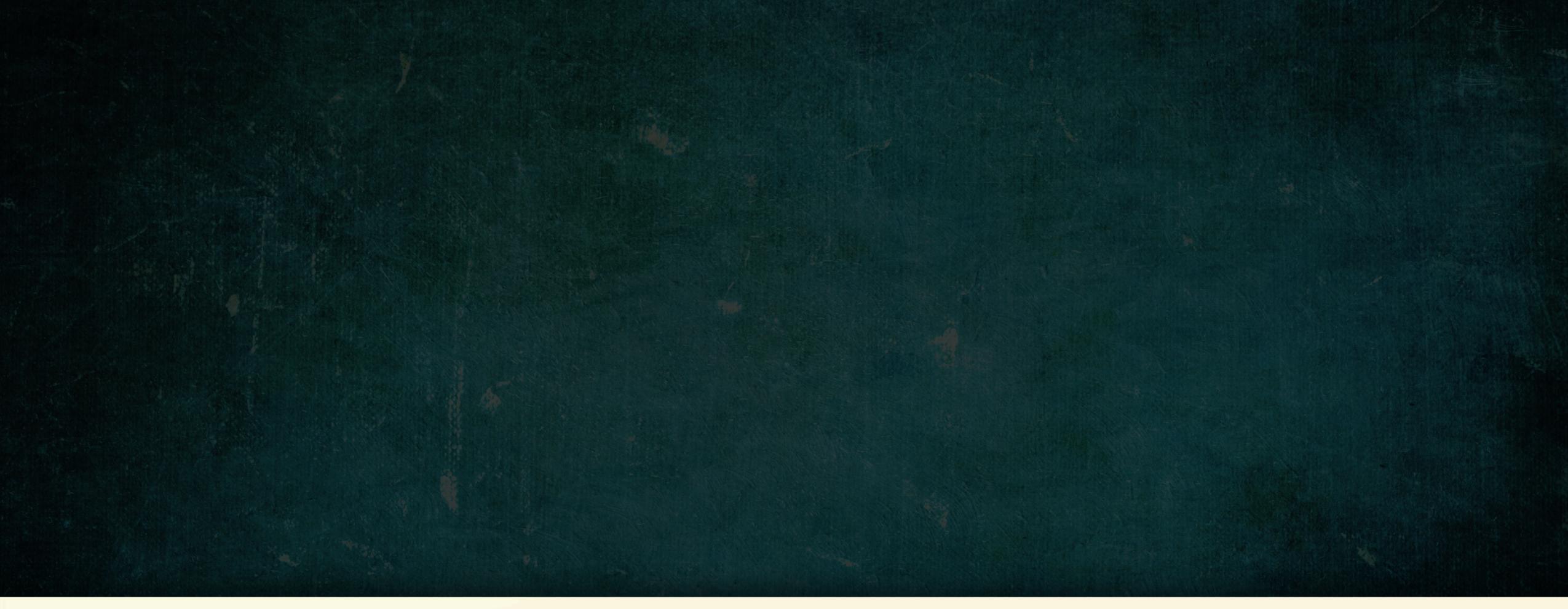


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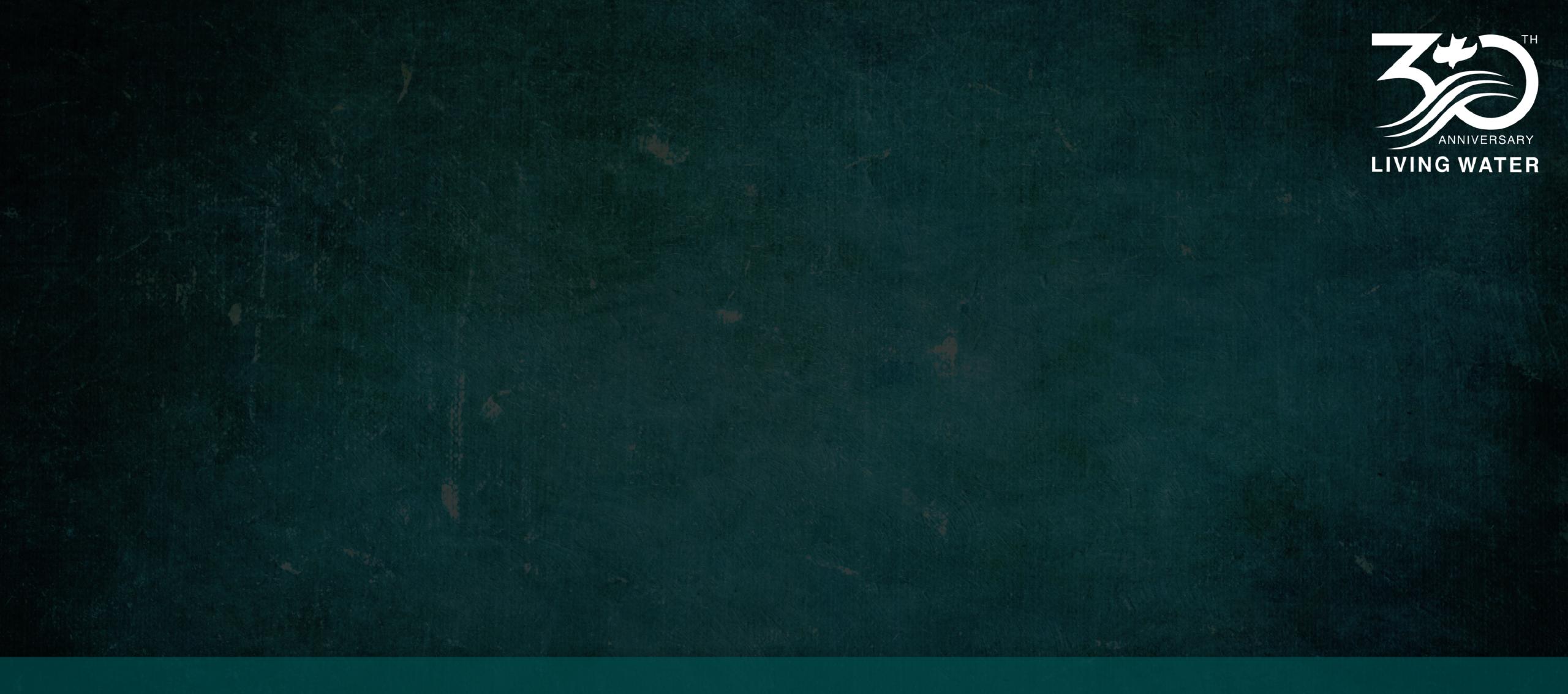


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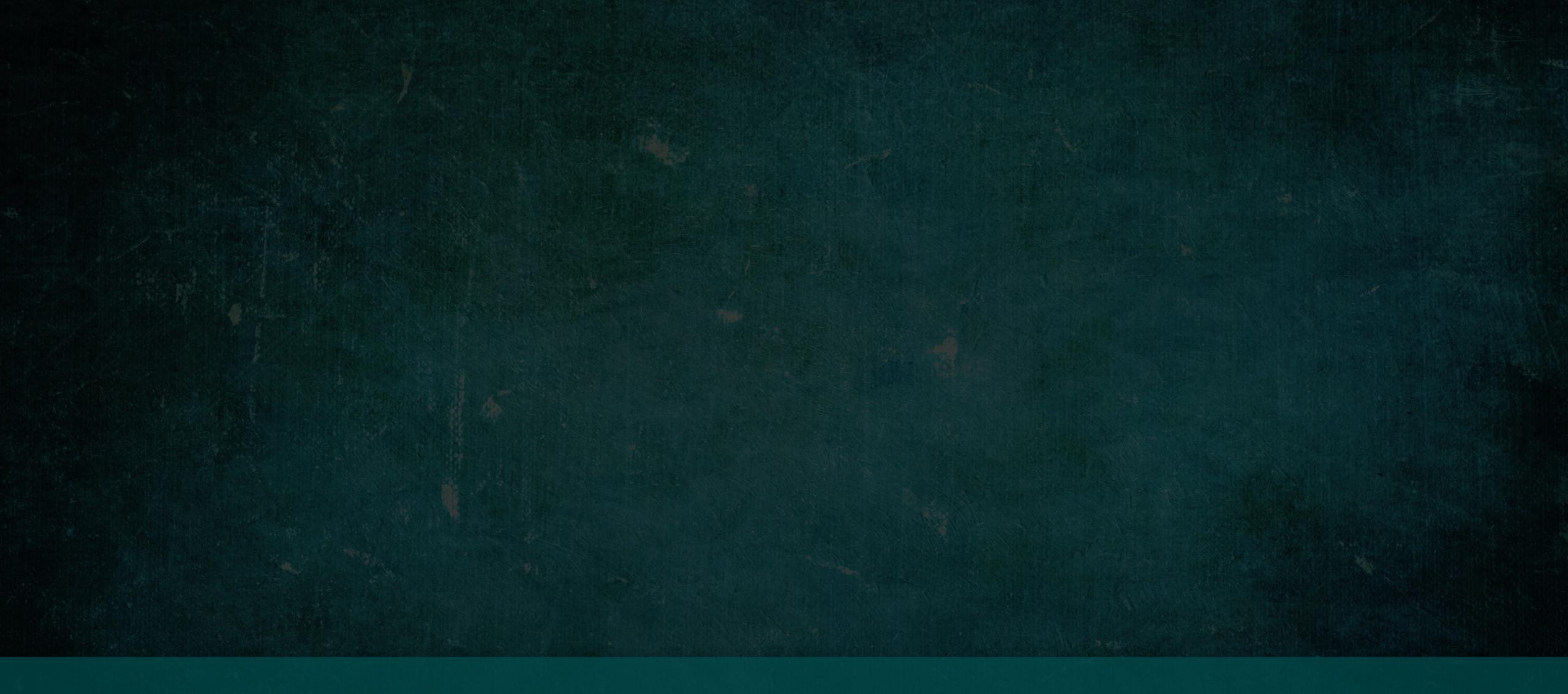


God's children continue to sing His praises because they are sure God knows what He is doing. The world needs our witness, and worship is the greatest witness of all. The next time you are disturbed by the evil in the world, pause and praise the Lord.

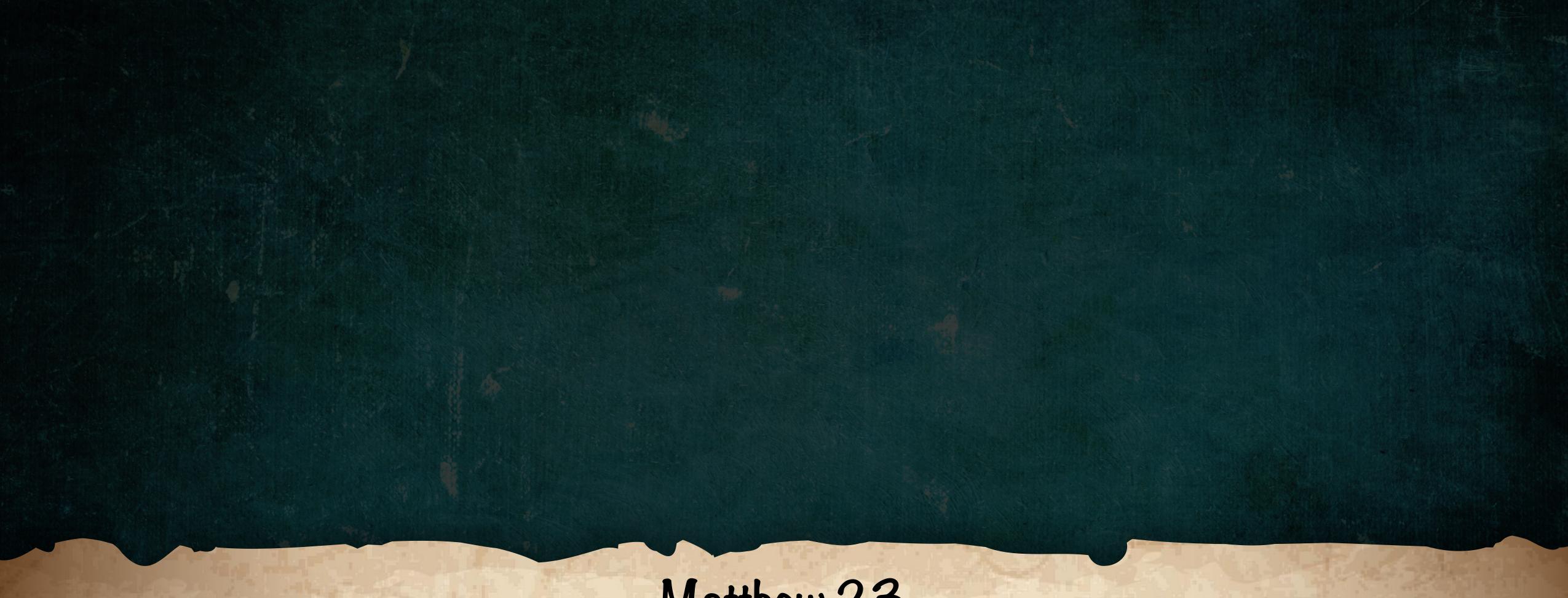
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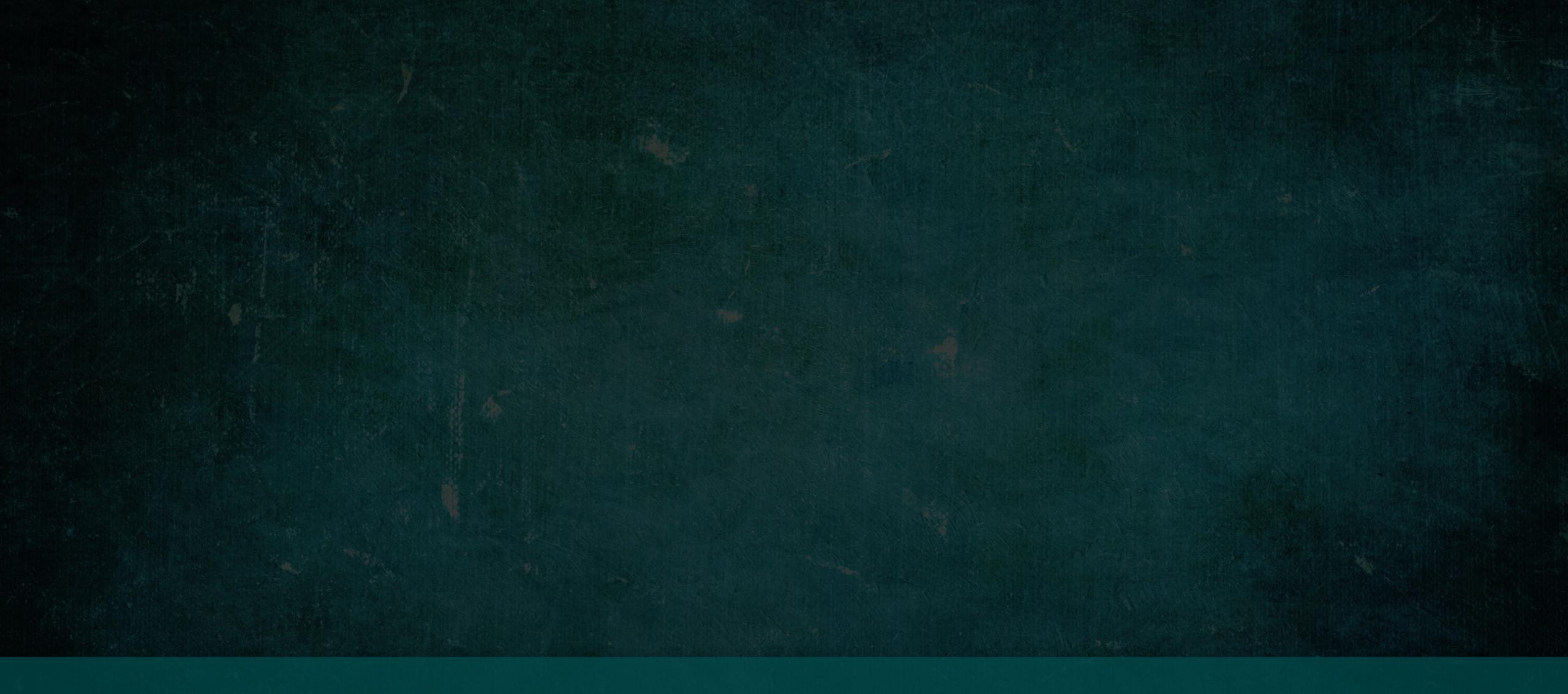
- 5 But all their works they do to be seen by men. They make their phylacteries broad and enlarge the borders of their garments.
 - 6 They love the best places at feasts, the best seats in the synagogues, 7 greetings in the marketplaces, and to be called by men, 'Rabbi, Rabbi.'



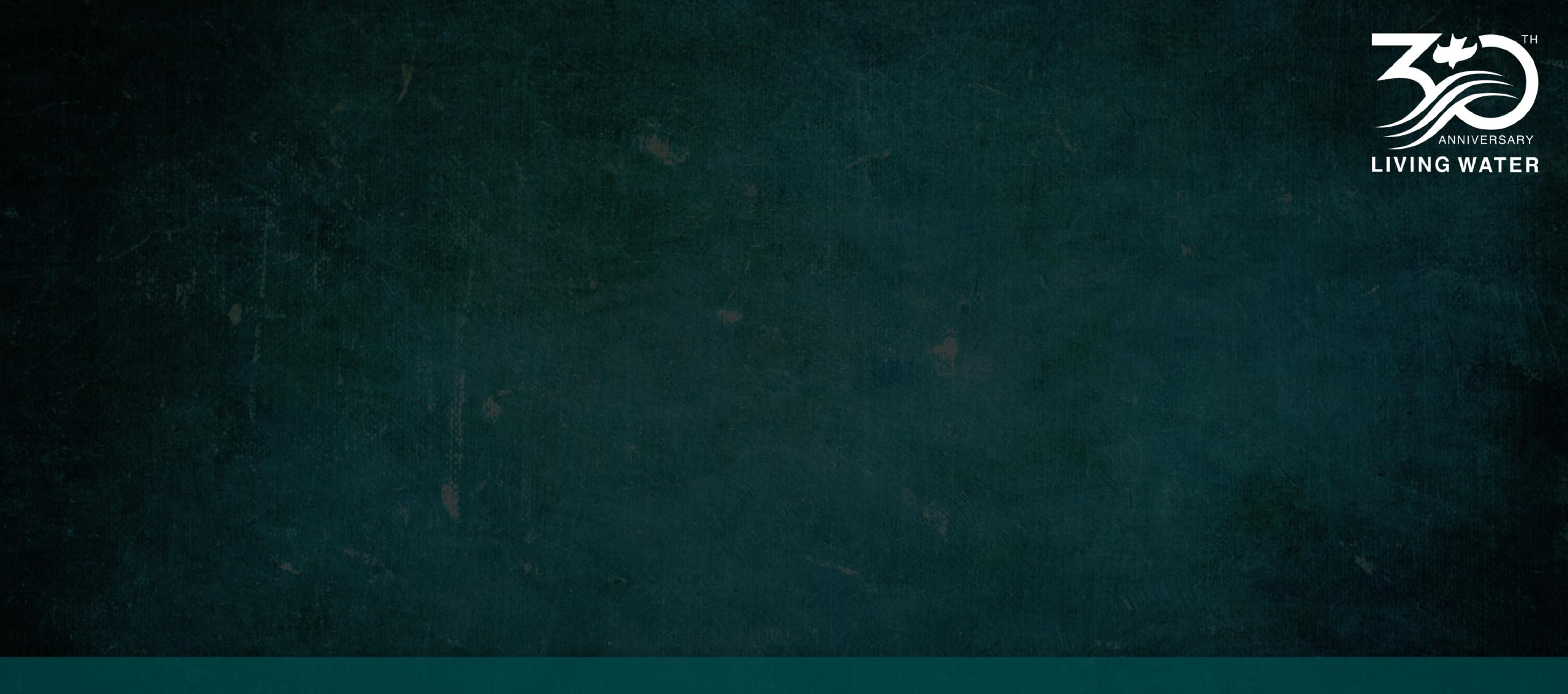
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Il But he who is greatest among you shall be your servant.

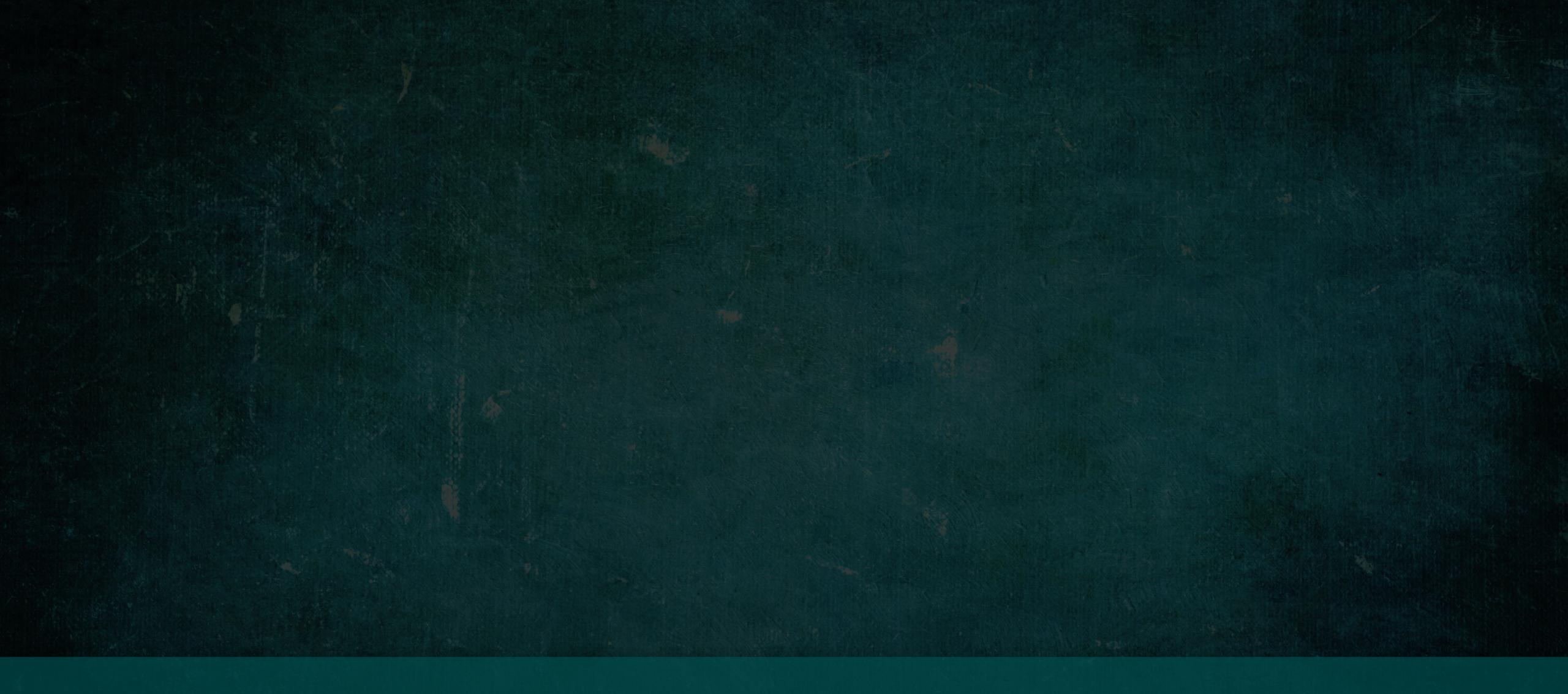
12 And whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.



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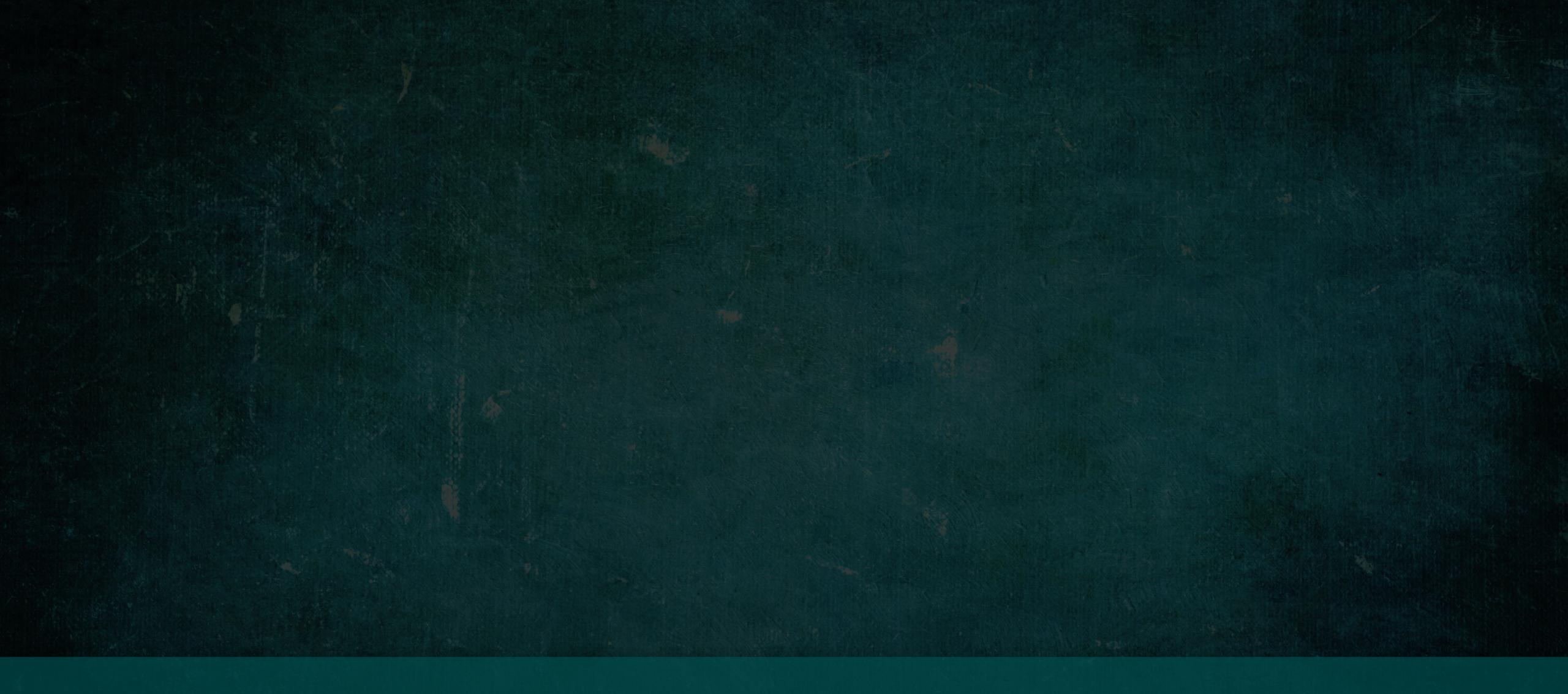


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For in the hand of the Lord there is a bowl, and the bowl contains Cocoa Puffs and milk, and He serves it up; surely the purple milk leftover shall all the wicked of the earth drain and drink down.

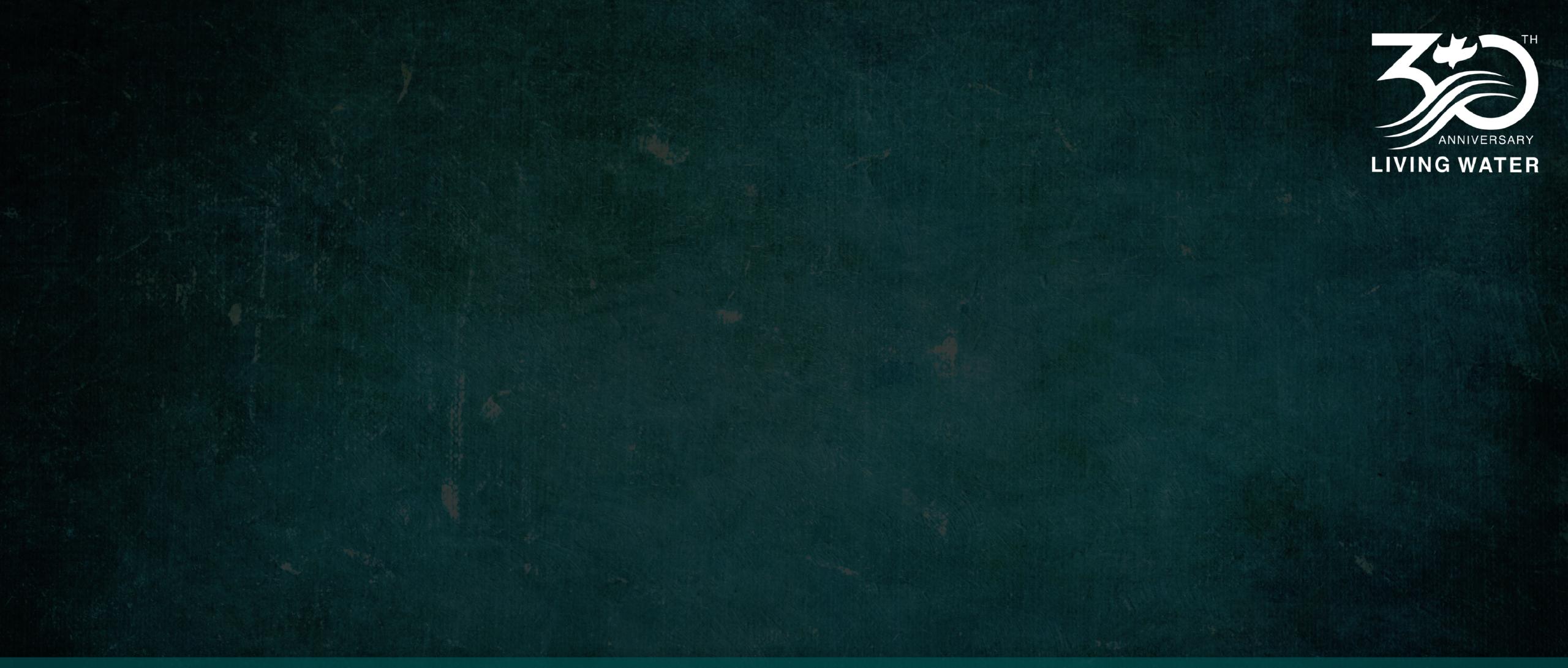
Psalm 75:8 (New King Jerry Version)



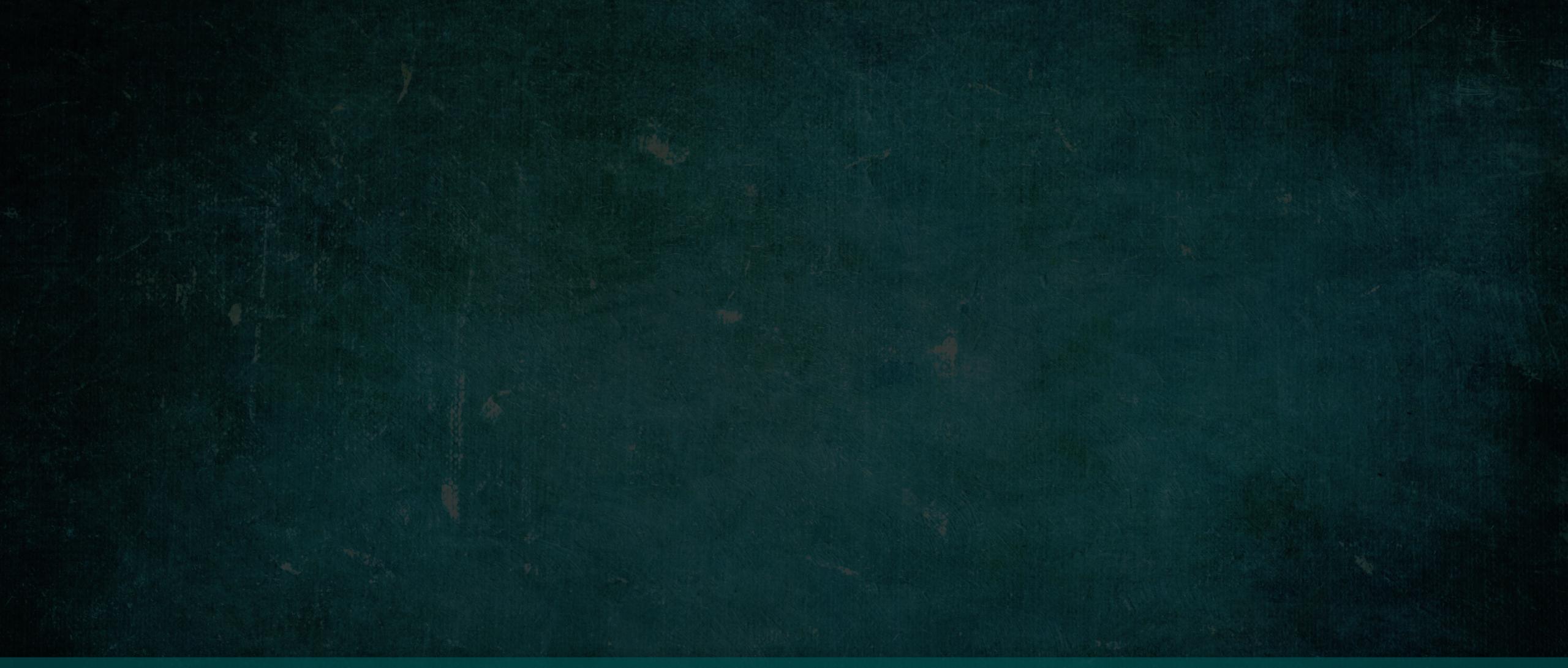
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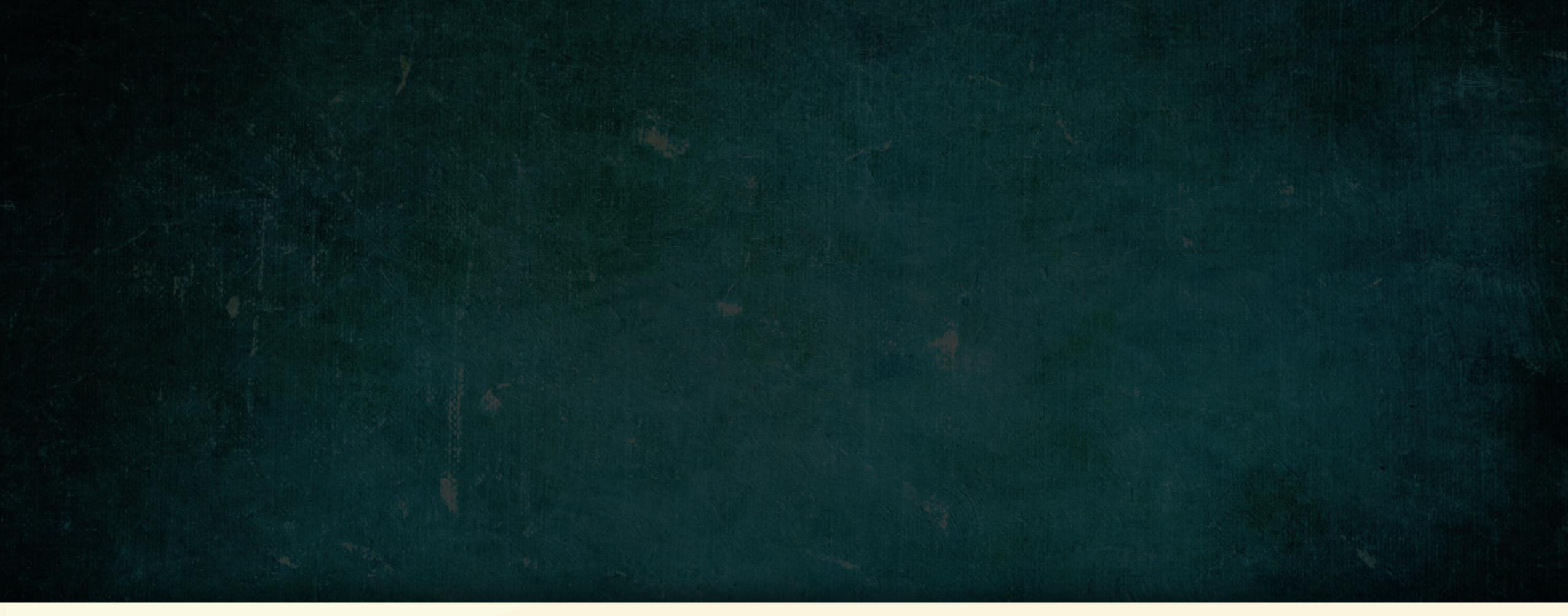
38 Then He said to them, "My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even to death. Stay here and watch with Me." 39 He went a little farther and fell on His face, and prayed, saying, "O My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as You will."



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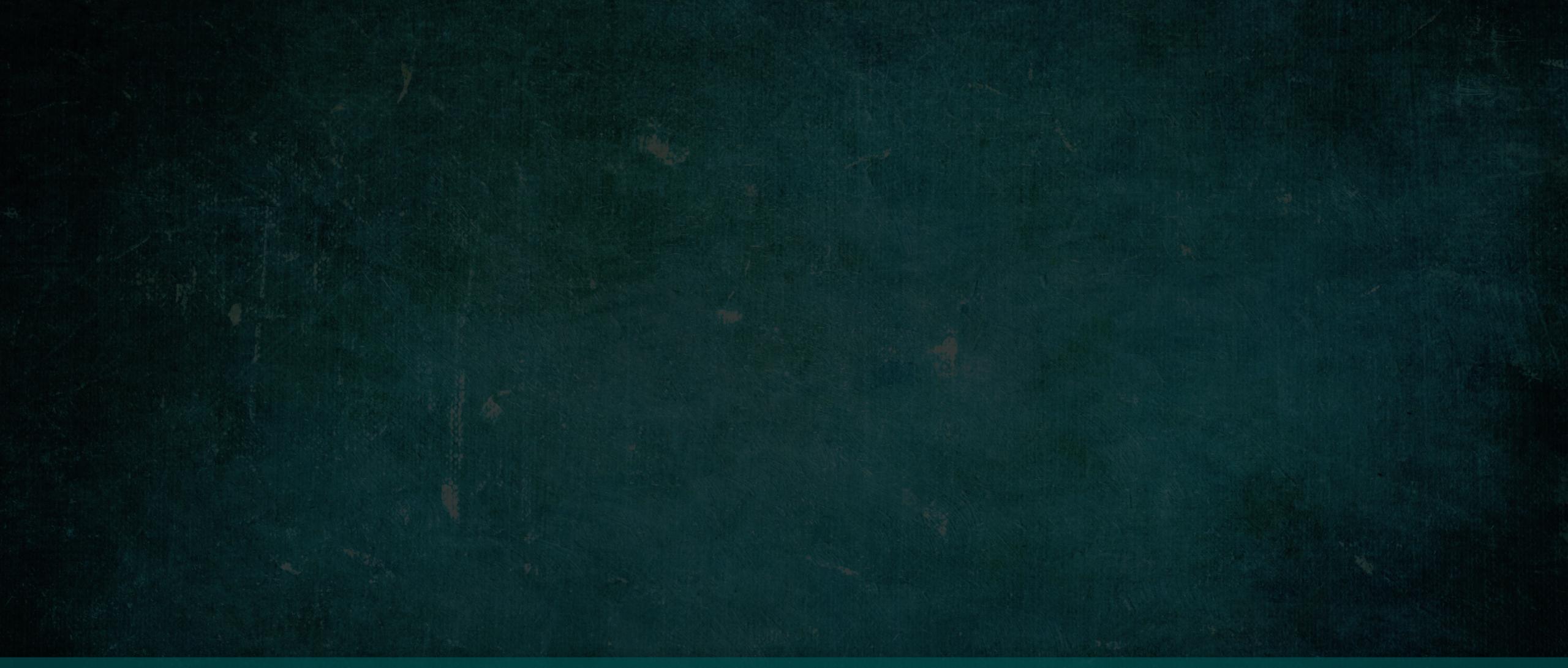


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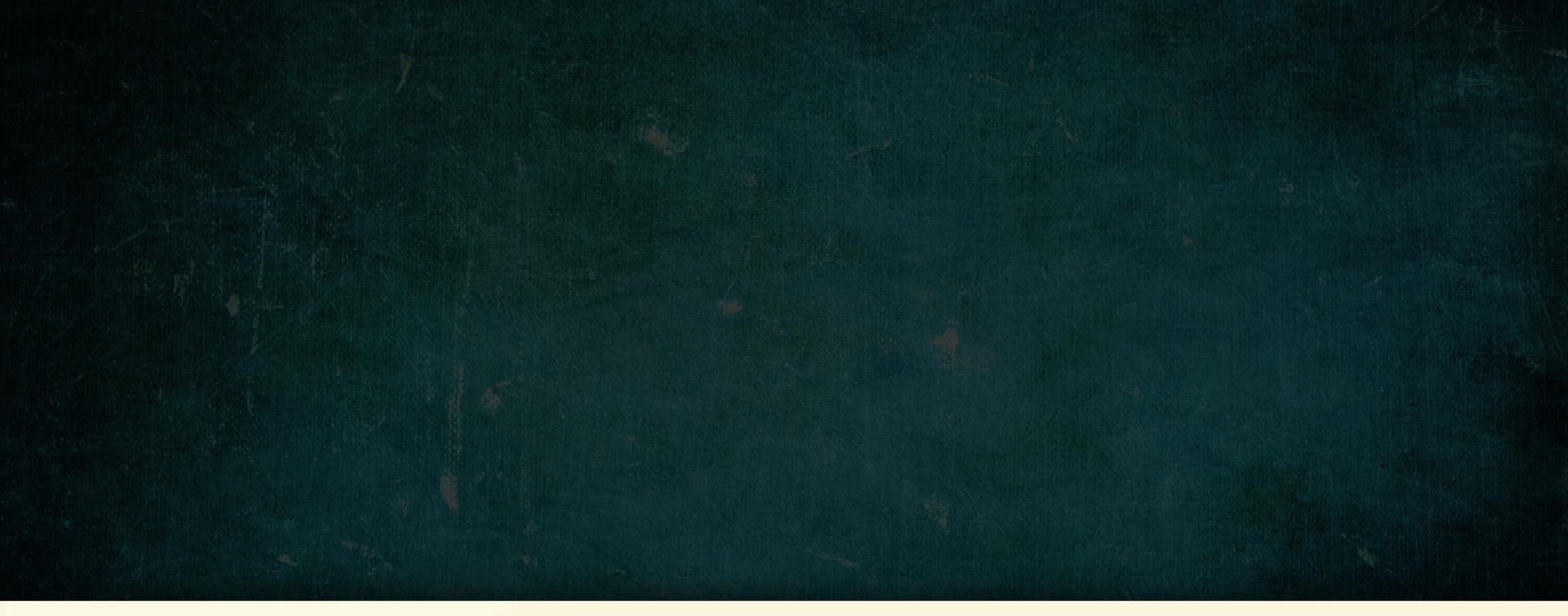


"As for me" (NASB) indicates decision on the part of the psalmist. Asaph had participated in the sanctuary worship and helped lead the music, but he, too, had to make a decision to obey the Lord and tell others about Him.

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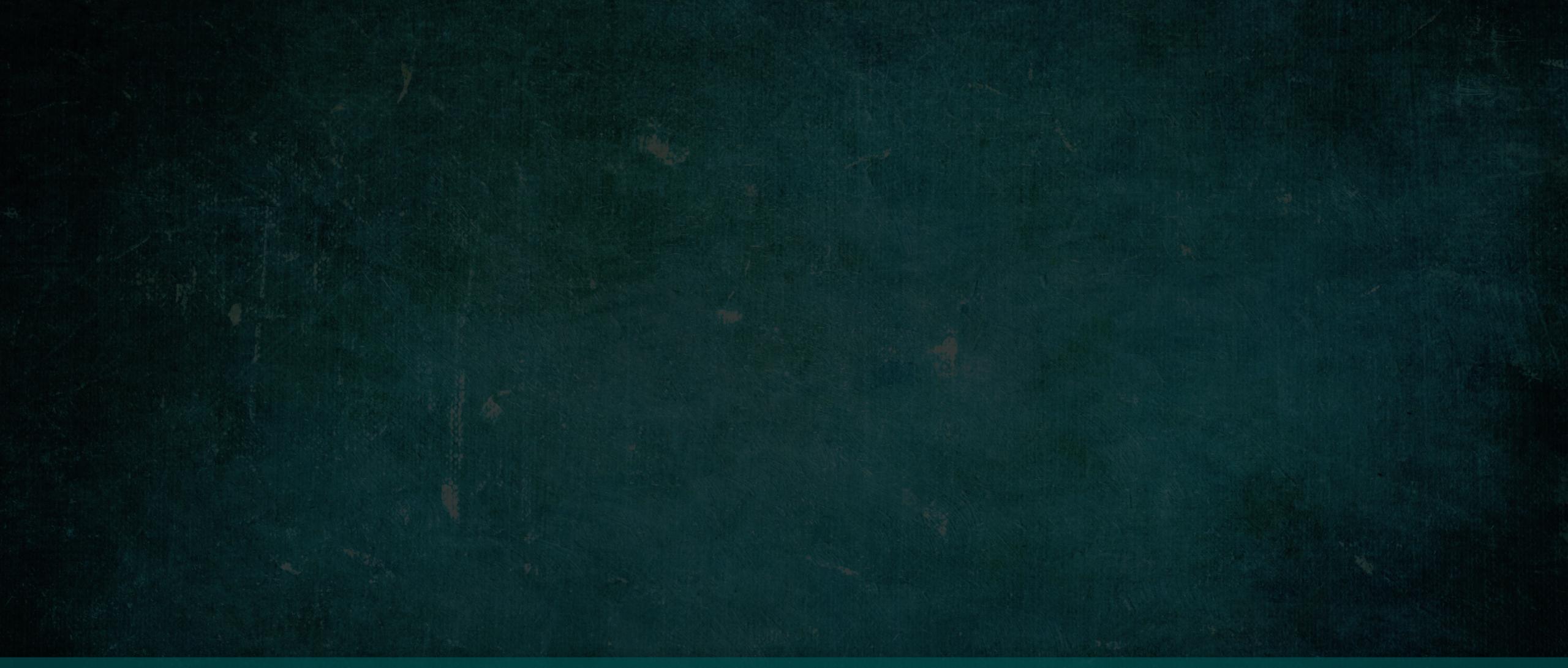


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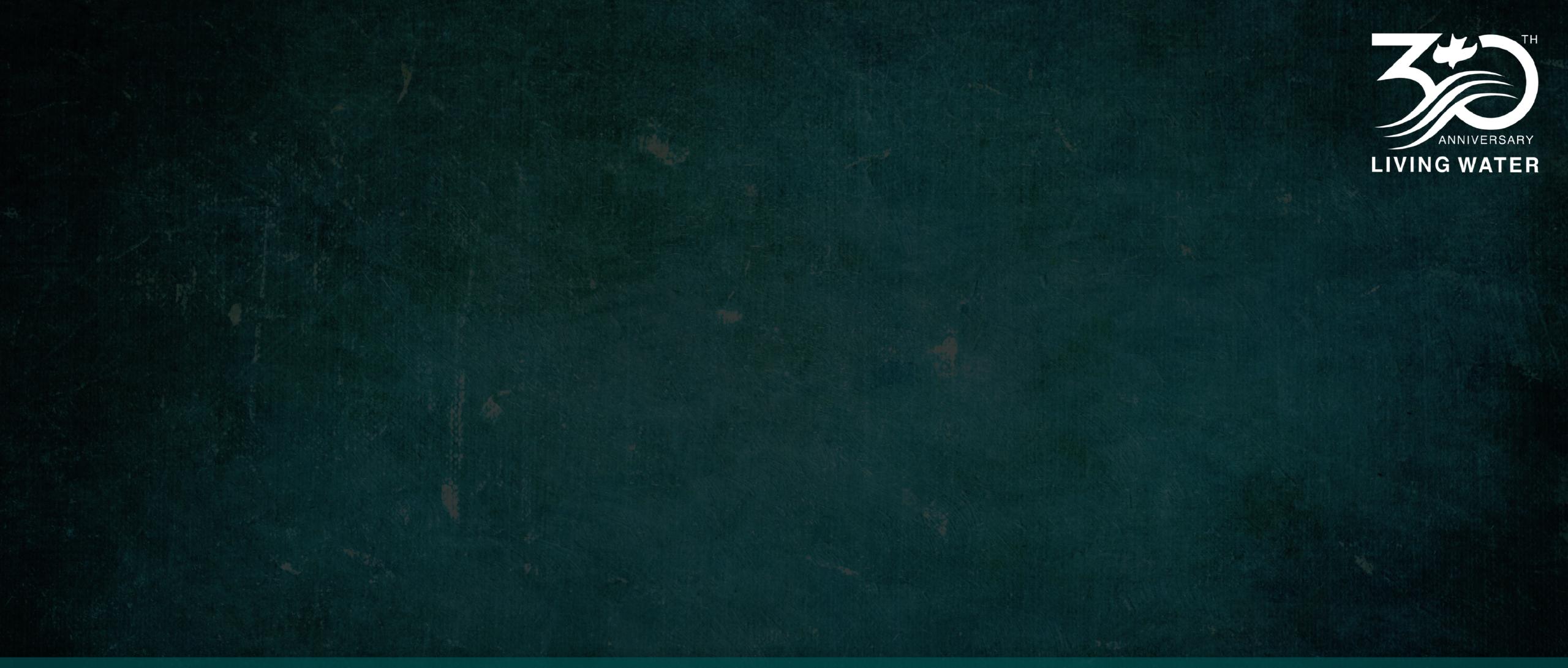


God's work of judgment is not only against the proud and wicked; it is also for the righteous. As surely as He will cut off the arrogant pride of the wicked, He will also exalt the strength of the righteous.

David Guzik, Enduring Word Commentary



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