

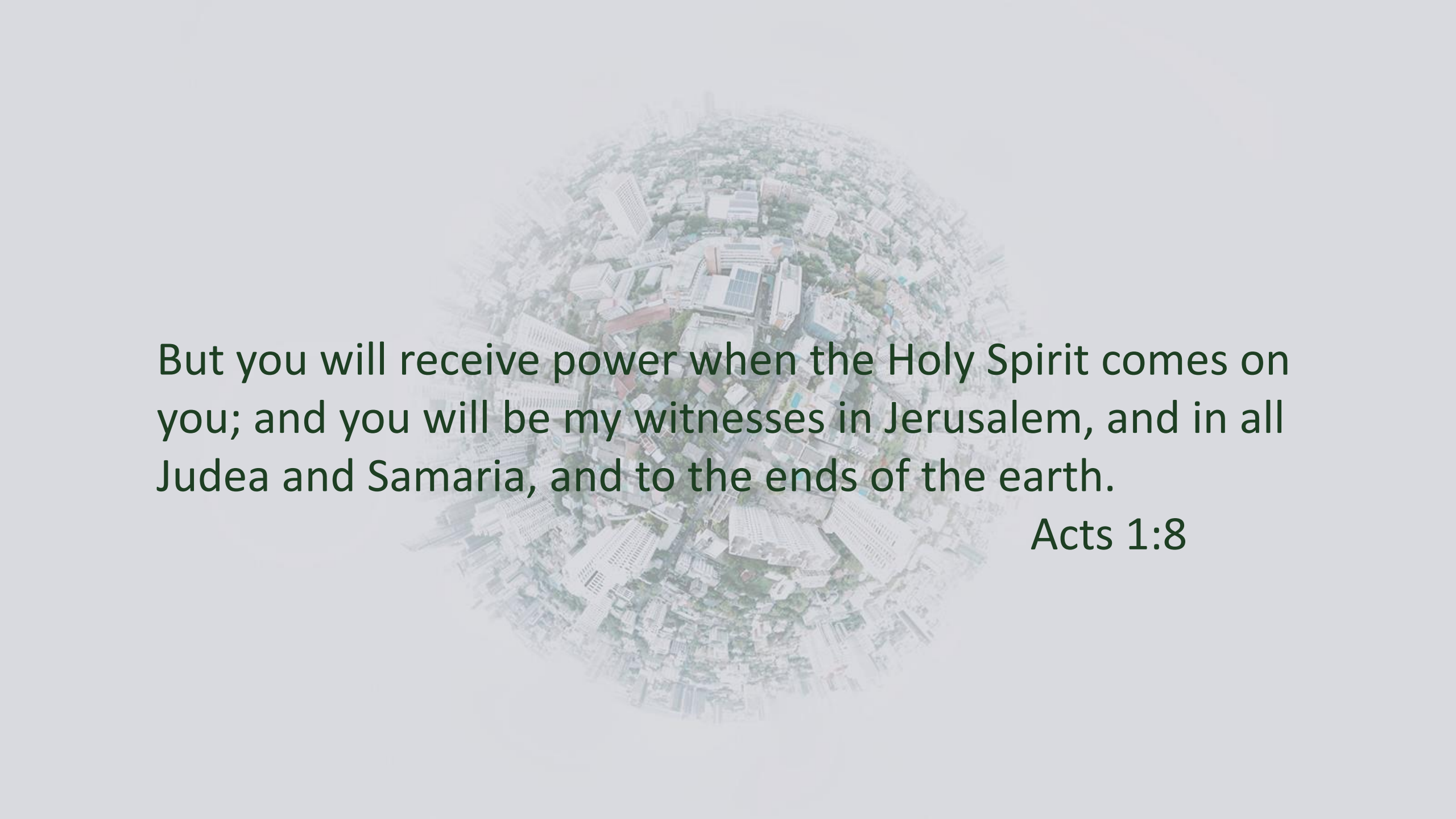
GLOBALLY
FOCUSED



Jesus is King

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Acts 1:8



God on a mission: The story of the Bible



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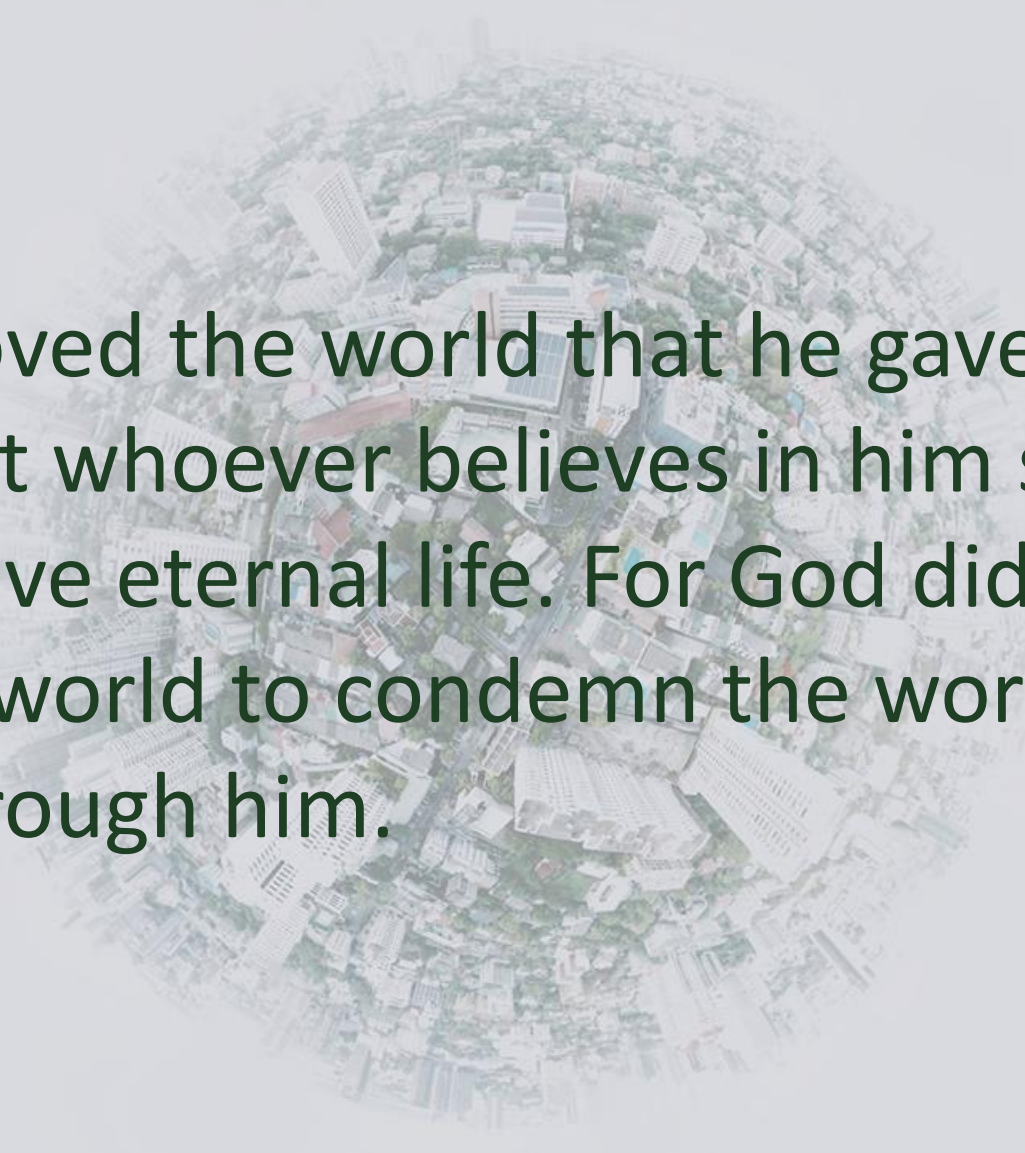


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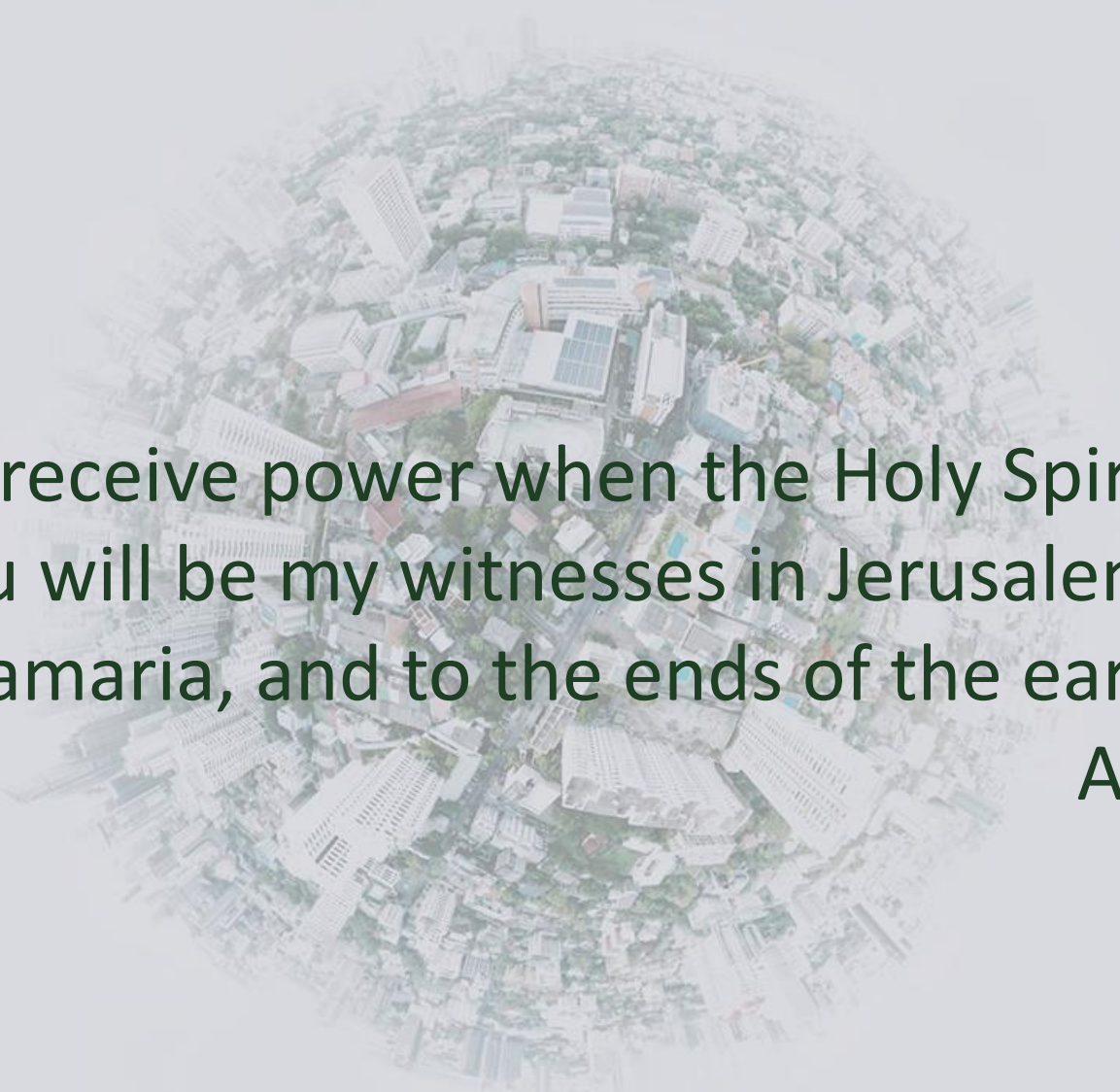




For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

John 3:16



An aerial photograph of a densely populated city, likely Jerusalem, is centered on the page. The image is cropped into a circular shape, with the edges fading into a light gray background. The city features a mix of modern high-rise buildings and older, more traditional structures, with green spaces interspersed throughout. The overall tone is soft and ethereal due to the light background and circular framing.

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Acts 1:8

“You Will Be My Witnesses” - Acts 1:8 (Theme of the Book of Acts)



“To the Uttermost
Part of the Earth”
(Acts 13-28)

“In Judea and
Samaria”
(Acts 8-12)

“In Jerusalem”
(Acts 1-7)

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2. You then become a witness.



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An aerial photograph of a city, likely Singapore, showing a dense urban landscape with numerous high-rise buildings and green spaces. The image is cropped into a circular shape, centered on the city's core. The background is a light, hazy grey.

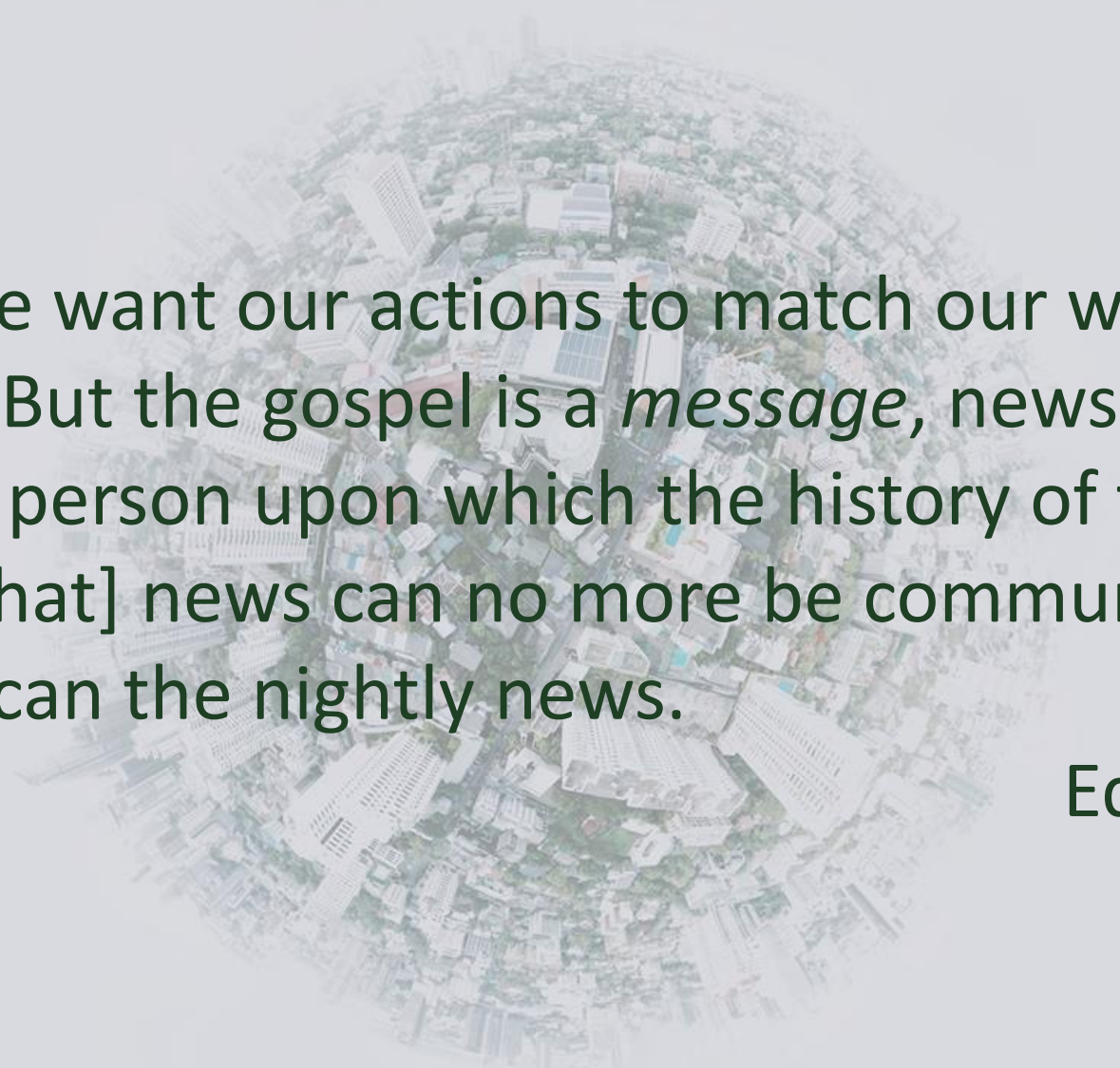
And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

1 John 5:11

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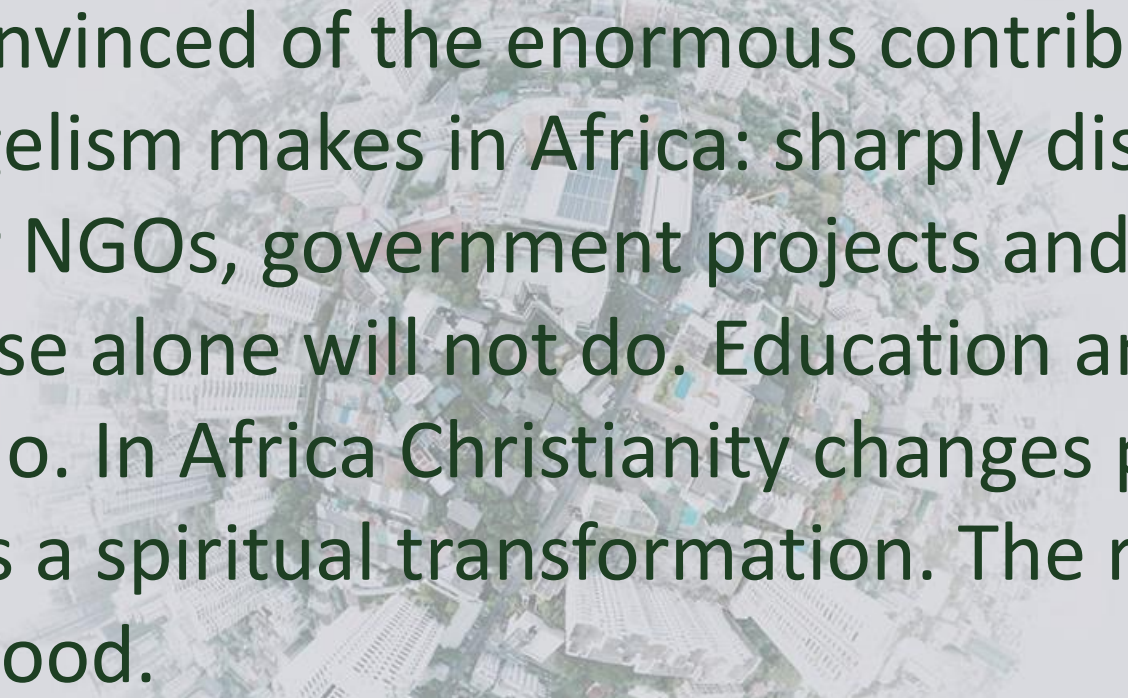
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Of course we want our actions to match our words as much as possible. But the gospel is a *message*, news about an event and a person upon which the history of the planet turns [and that] news can no more be communicated by deeds than can the nightly news.

Ed Stetzer



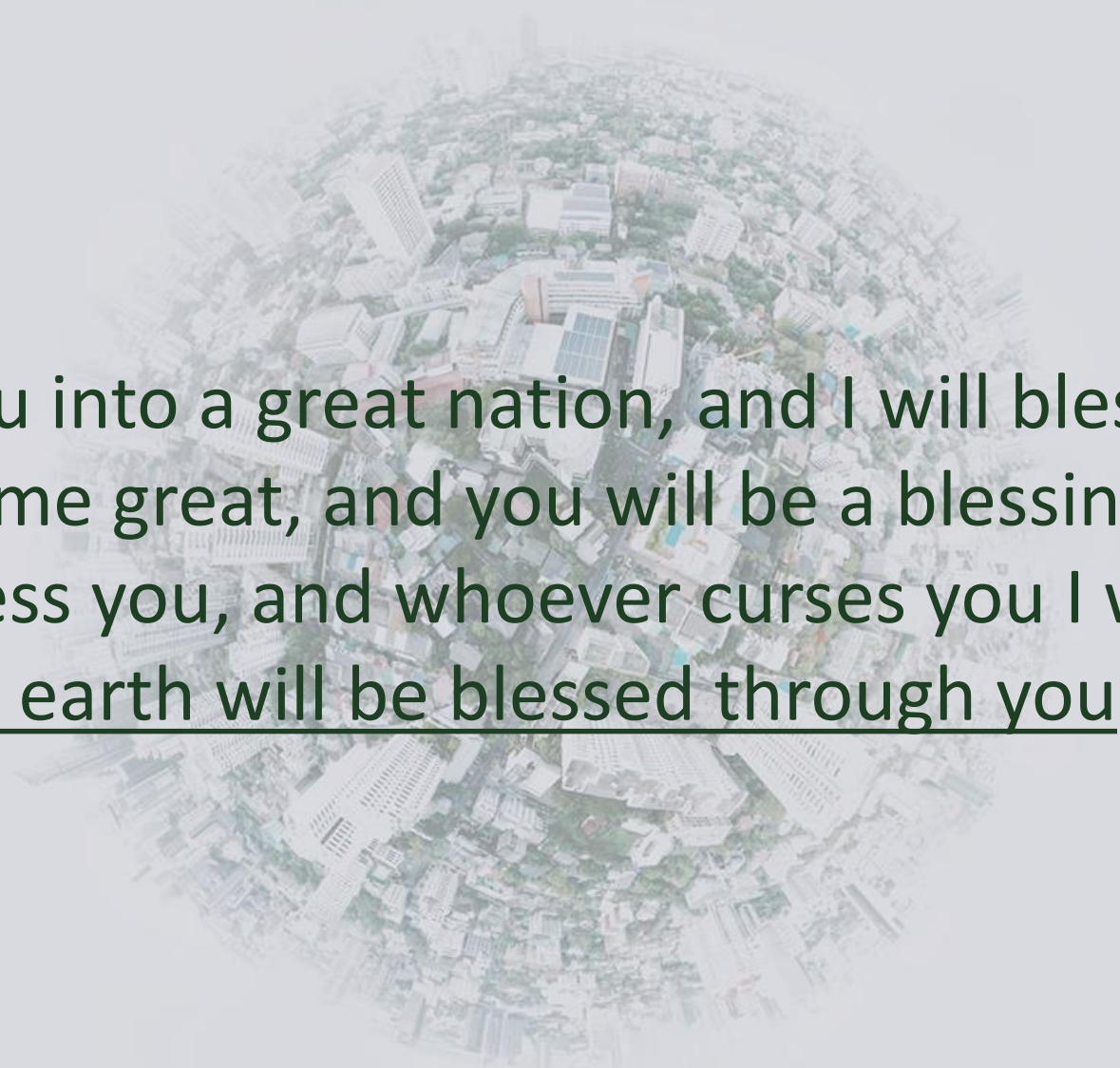
I've become convinced of the enormous contribution that Christian evangelism makes in Africa: sharply distinct from the work of secular NGOs, government projects and international aid efforts. These alone will not do. Education and training alone will not do. In Africa Christianity changes people's hearts. It brings a spiritual transformation. The rebirth is real. The change is good.

Matthew Parris

What makes for good witness?

1. It's focussed on Jesus.
2. It uses words.
3. It's international.



An aerial, top-down view of a city, likely New York City, arranged in a circular, globe-like shape. The buildings are densely packed, with a mix of heights and colors, including many white and grey structures. The city is set against a light, hazy background.

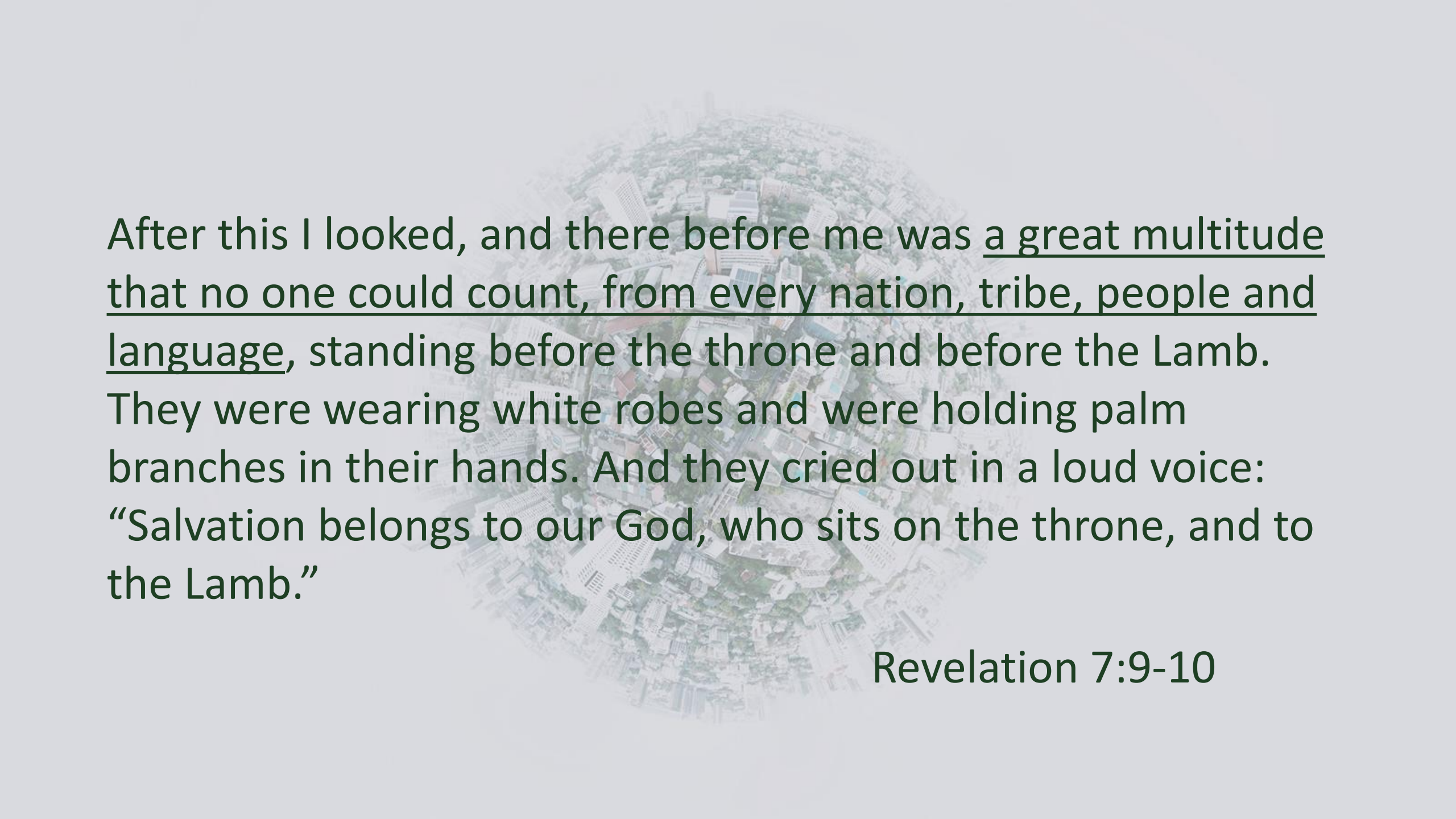
I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.

Genesis 12

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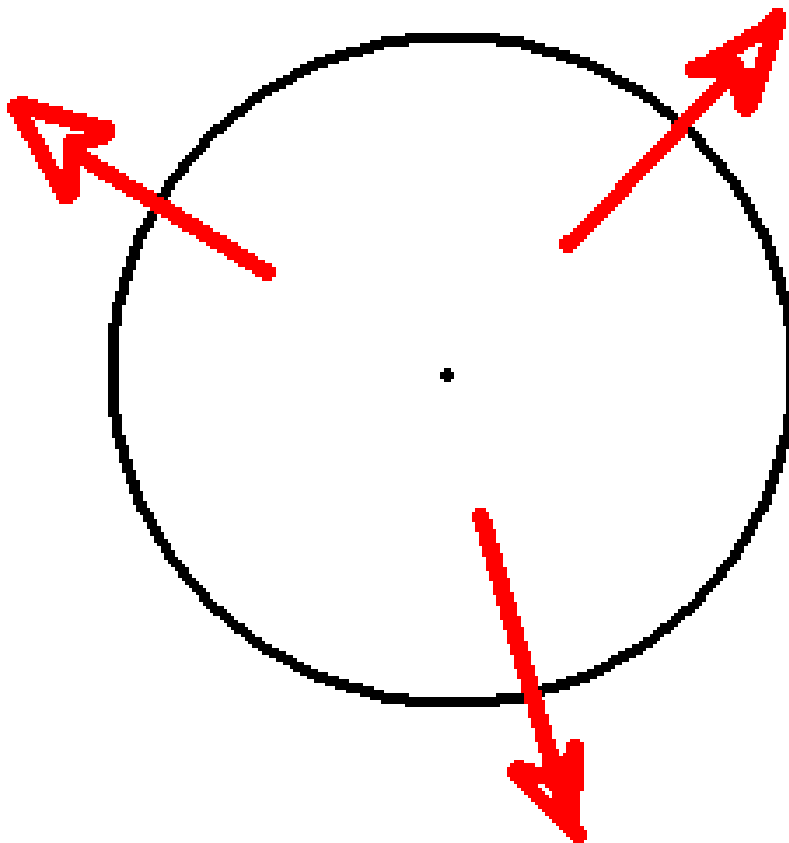
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and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8

An aerial view of a city globe, showing a dense urban landscape with various buildings and green spaces, centered on the Earth. The globe is slightly tilted and has a soft, hazy appearance.

After this I looked, and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and before the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands. And they cried out in a loud voice: “Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb.”

Revelation 7:9-10



Centrifugal Force
(away from the center)



How might you be caught-up
in God's mission?