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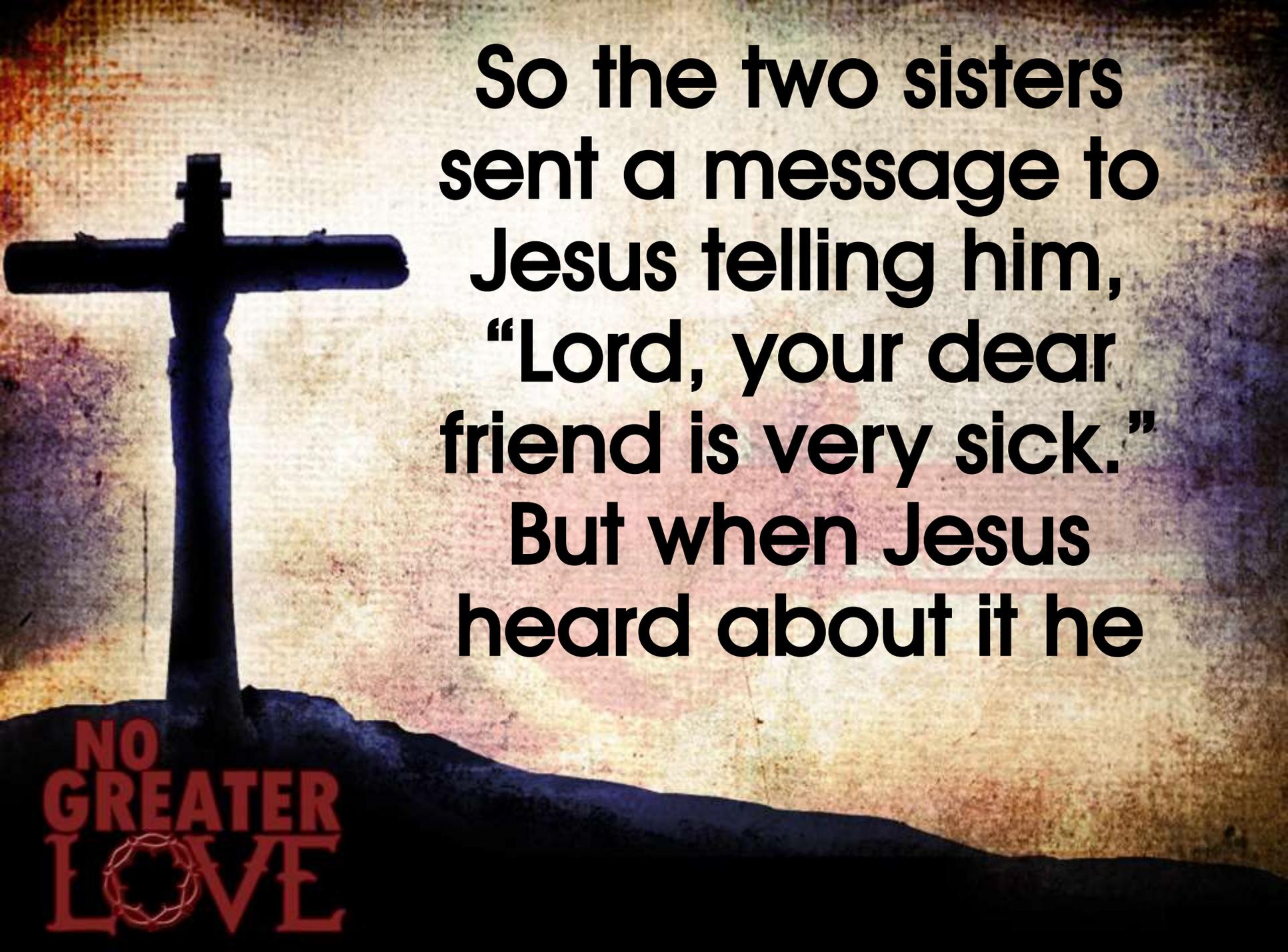
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**“Greater love has  
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**John 15:13 NLT**

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**So the two sisters  
sent a message to  
Jesus telling him,  
“Lord, your dear  
friend is very sick.”**

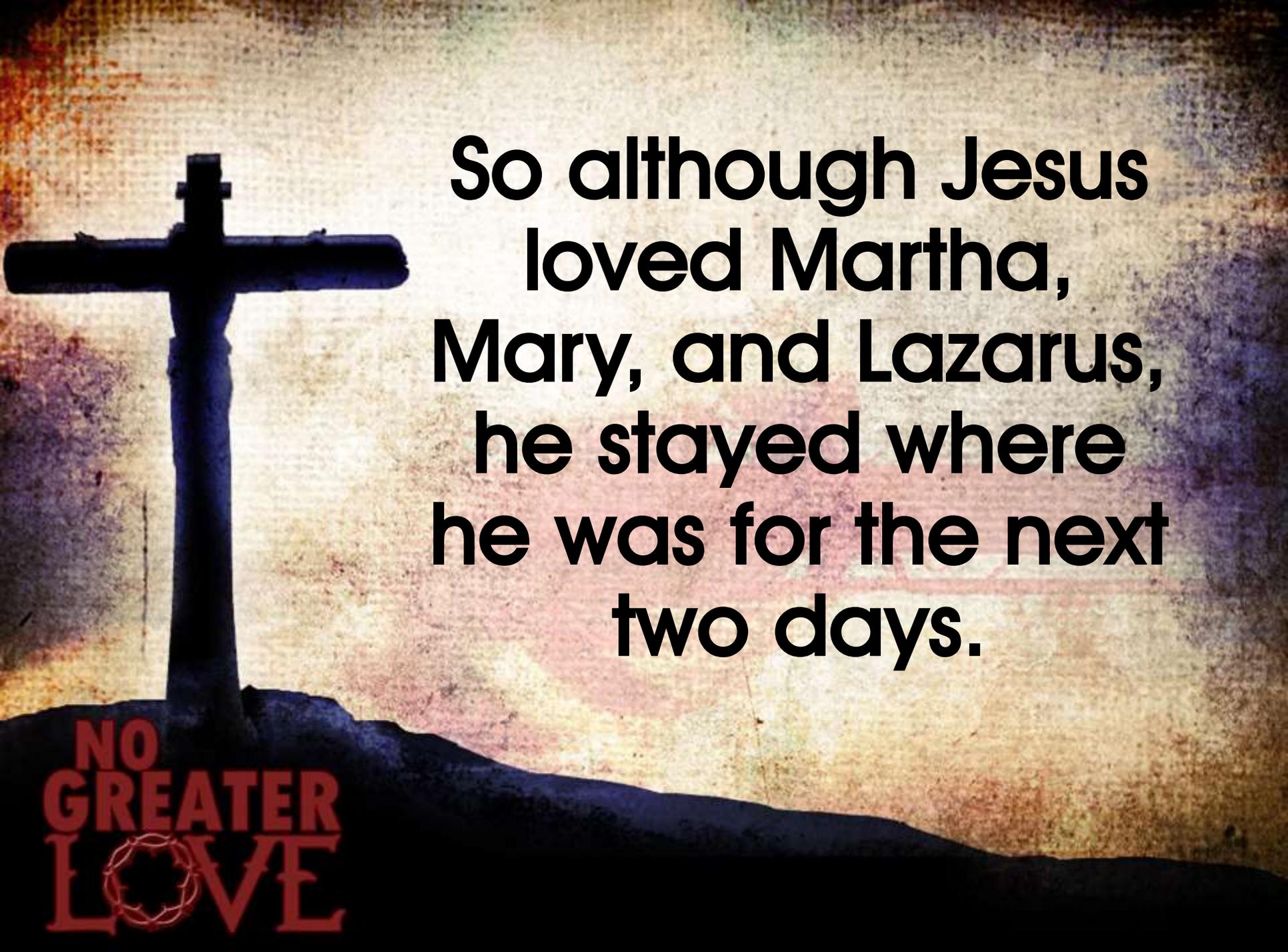
**But when Jesus  
heard about it he**

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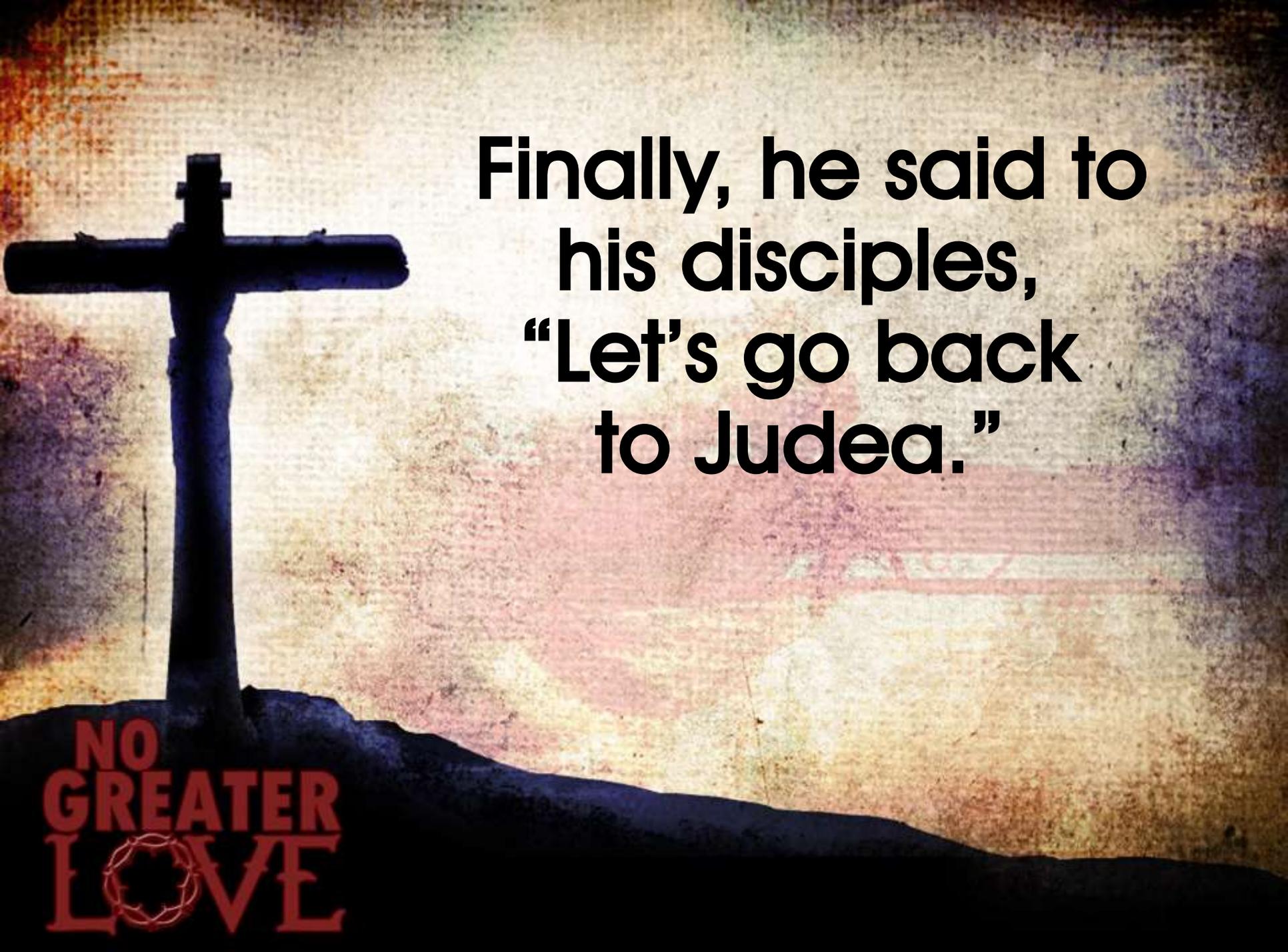
**said, “Lazarus’s  
sickness will not  
end in death. No, it  
happened for the  
glory of God so  
that the Son of God  
will receive glory  
from this.”**

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**So although Jesus  
loved Martha,  
Mary, and Lazarus,  
he stayed where  
he was for the next  
two days.**

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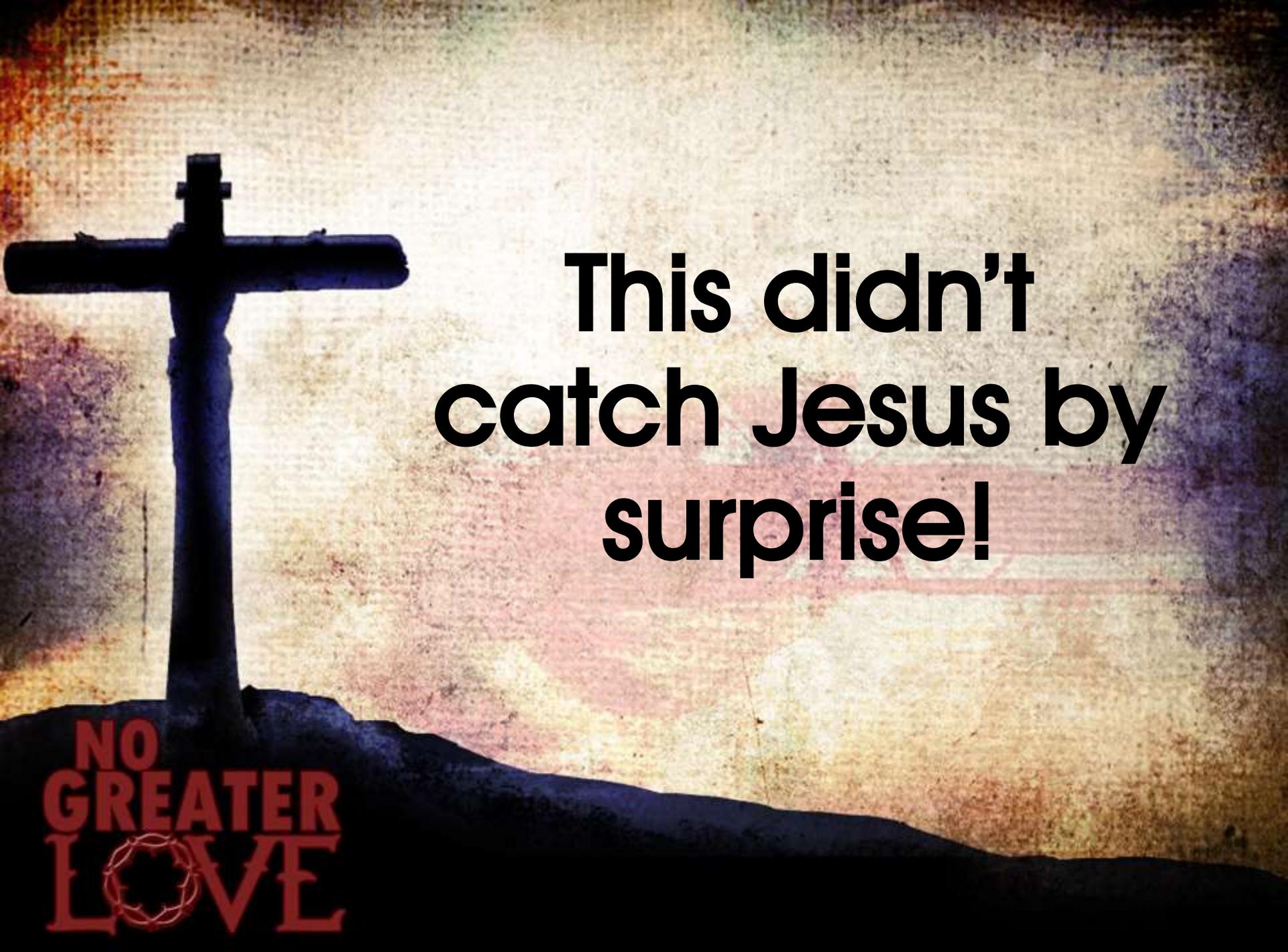
**Finally, he said to  
his disciples,  
“Let’s go back  
to Judea.”**

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**They knew  
who to call on!**

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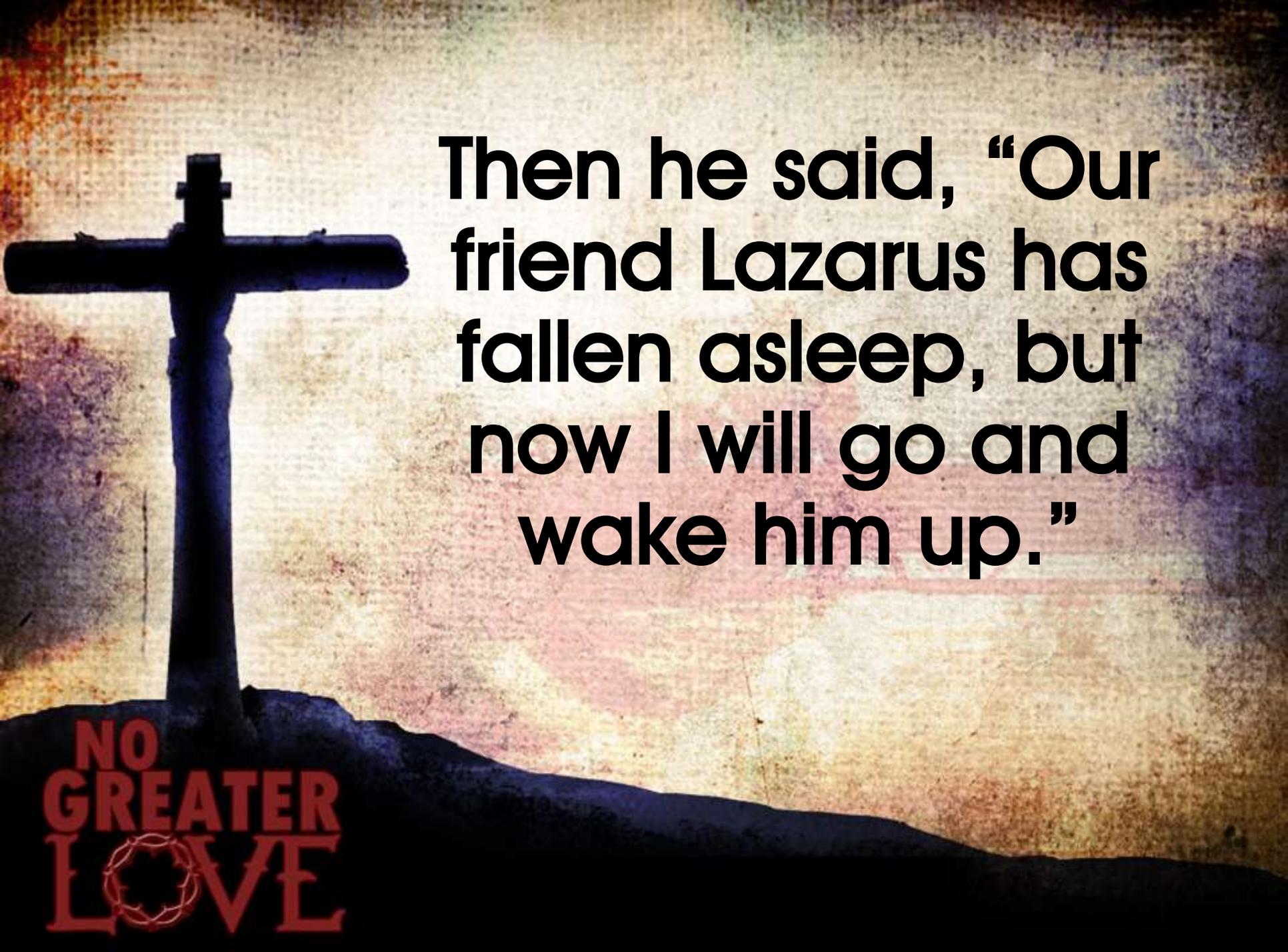
**This didn't  
catch Jesus by  
surprise!**

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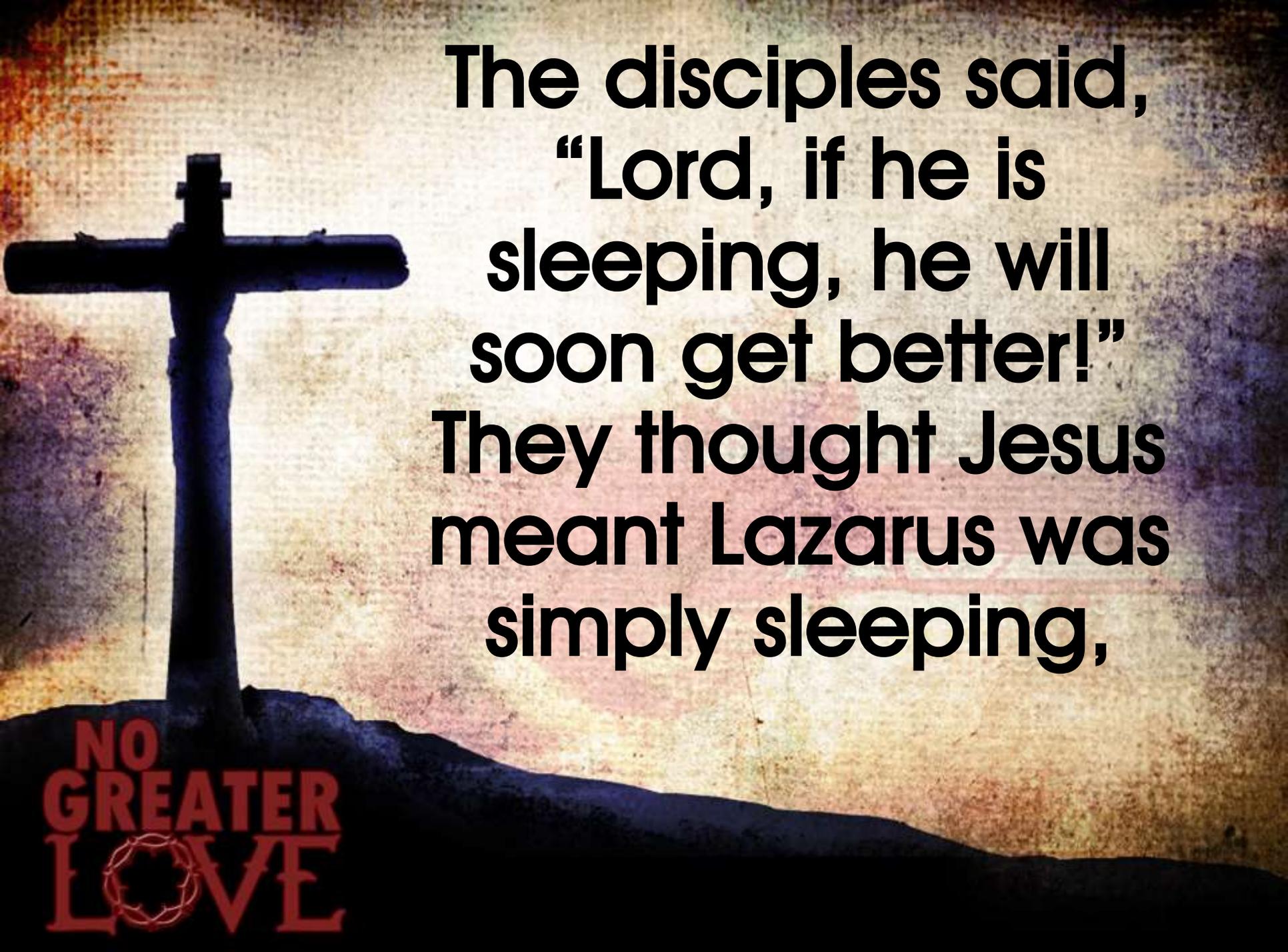
**But his disciples objected. “Rabbi,” they said, “only a few days ago the people in Judea were trying to stone you. Are you going there again?”**

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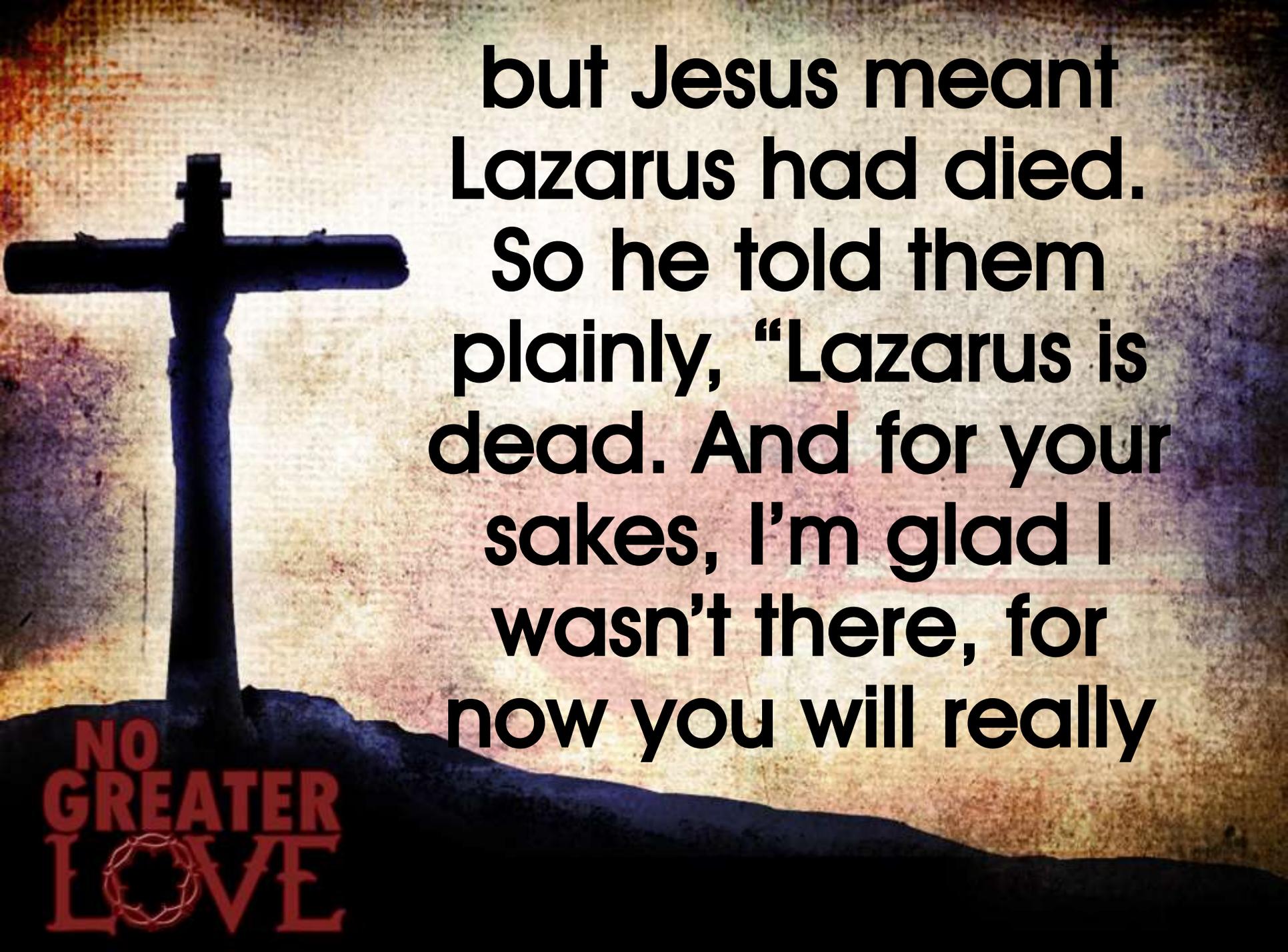
**Then he said, “Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep, but now I will go and wake him up.”**

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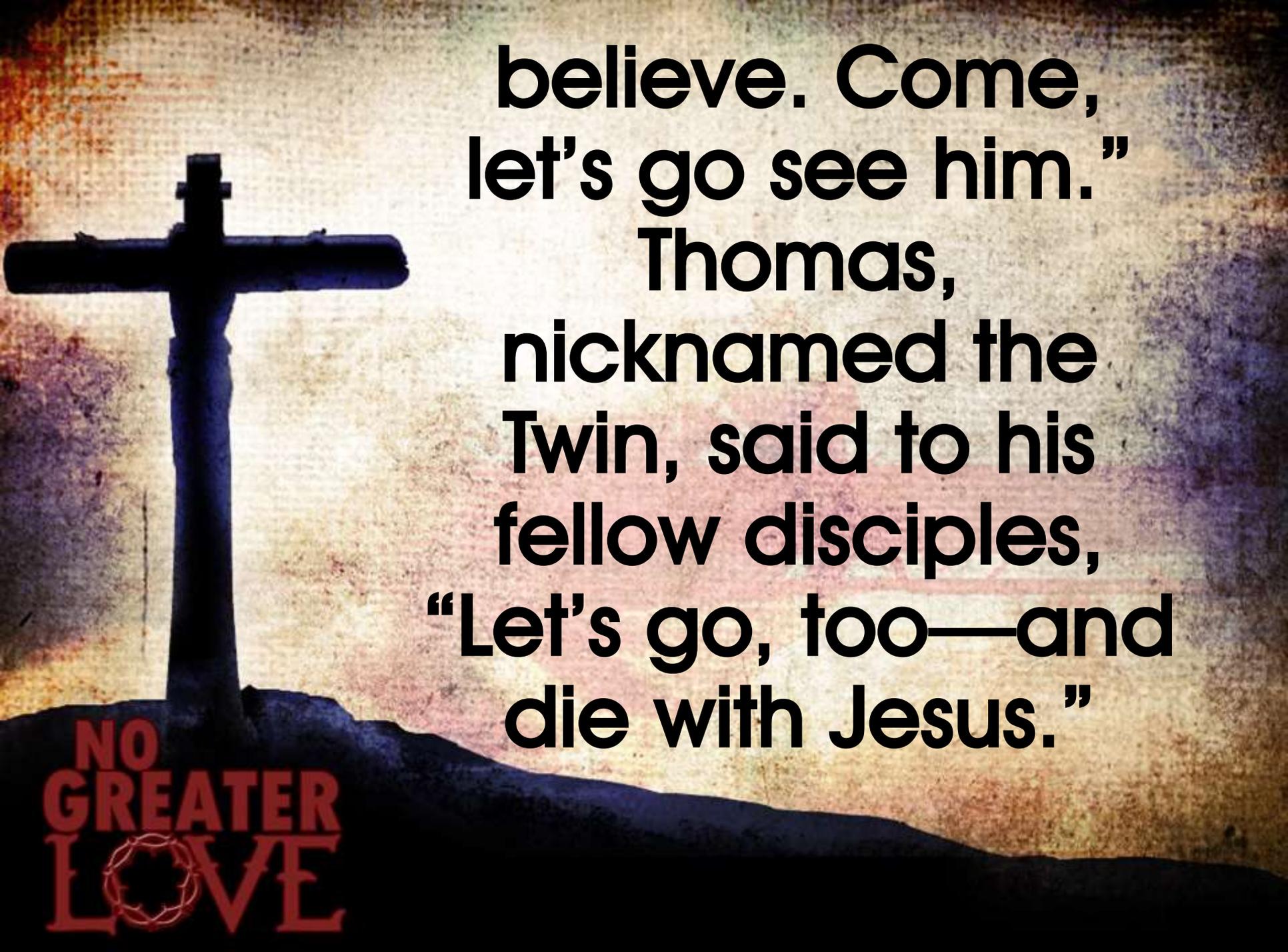
**The disciples said,  
“Lord, if he is  
sleeping, he will  
soon get better!”  
They thought Jesus  
meant Lazarus was  
simply sleeping,**

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**but Jesus meant  
Lazarus had died.  
So he told them  
plainly, “Lazarus is  
dead. And for your  
sakes, I’m glad I  
wasn’t there, for  
now you will really**

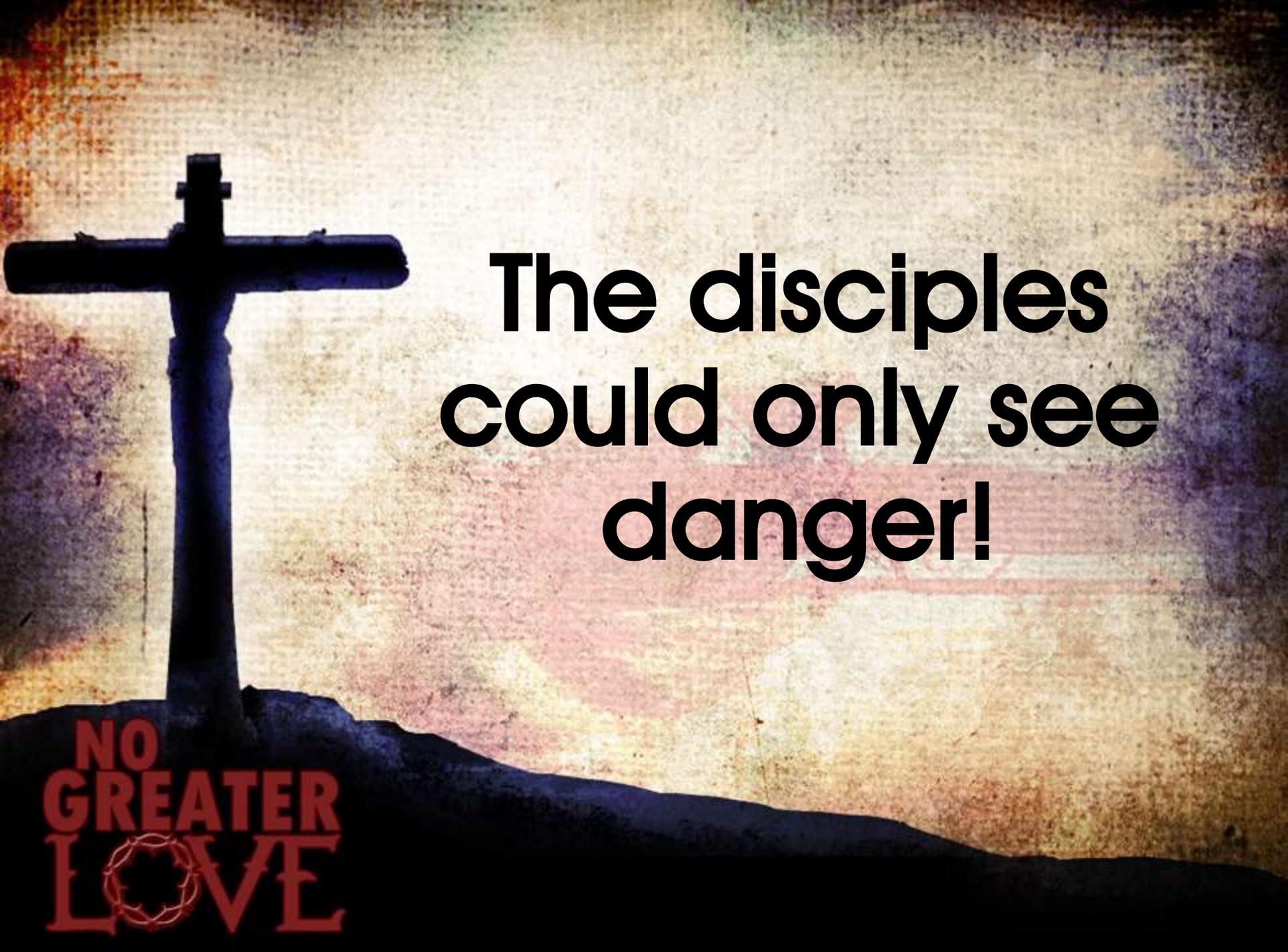
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**believe. Come,  
let's go see him."**

**Thomas,  
nicknamed the  
Twin, said to his  
fellow disciples,  
"Let's go, too—and  
die with Jesus."**

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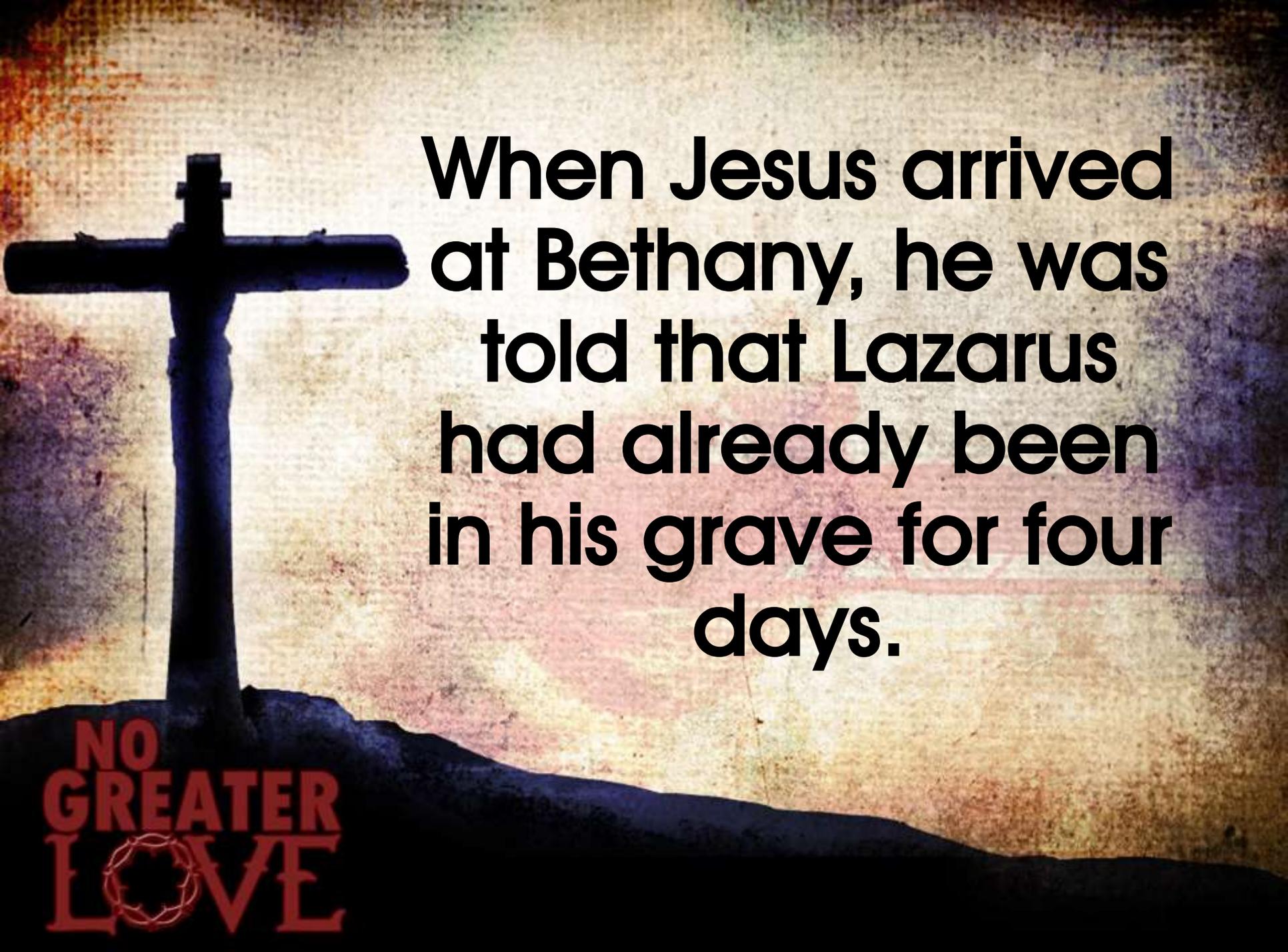
**The disciples  
could only see  
danger!**

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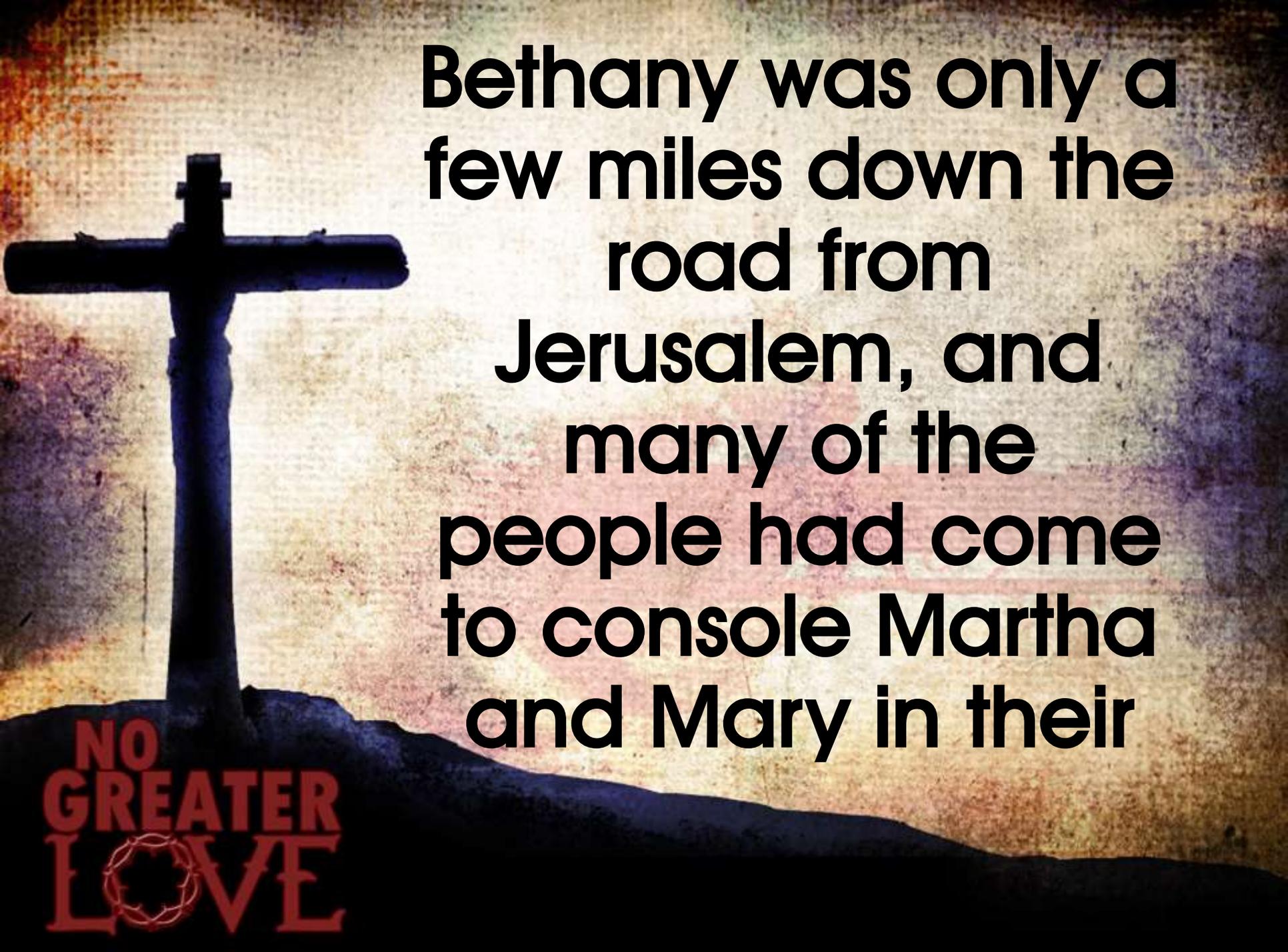
**Walk in the  
Light!**

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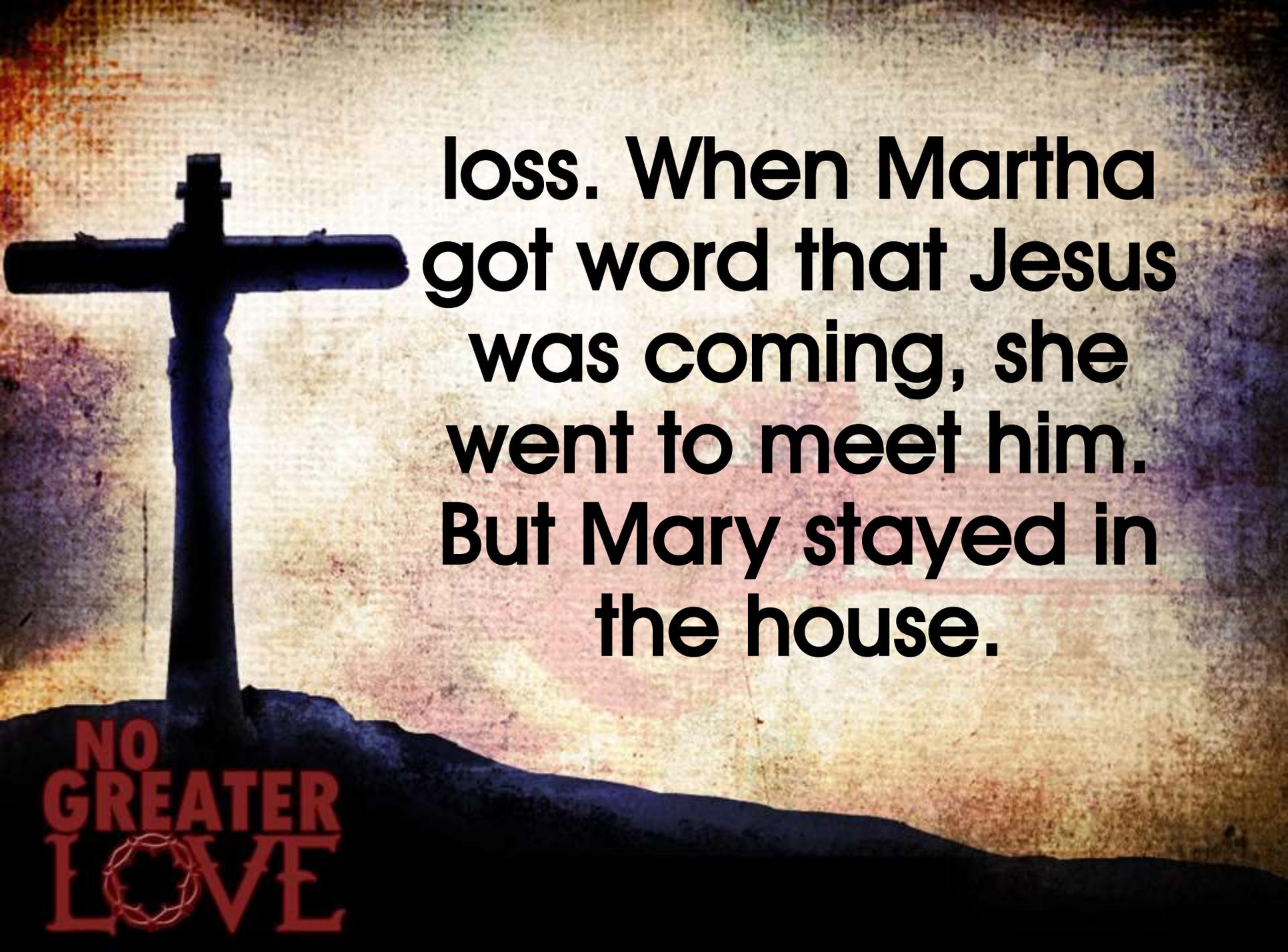
**When Jesus arrived  
at Bethany, he was  
told that Lazarus  
had already been  
in his grave for four  
days.**

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**Bethany was only a few miles down the road from Jerusalem, and many of the people had come to console Martha and Mary in their**

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**loss. When Martha  
got word that Jesus  
was coming, she  
went to meet him.  
But Mary stayed in  
the house.**

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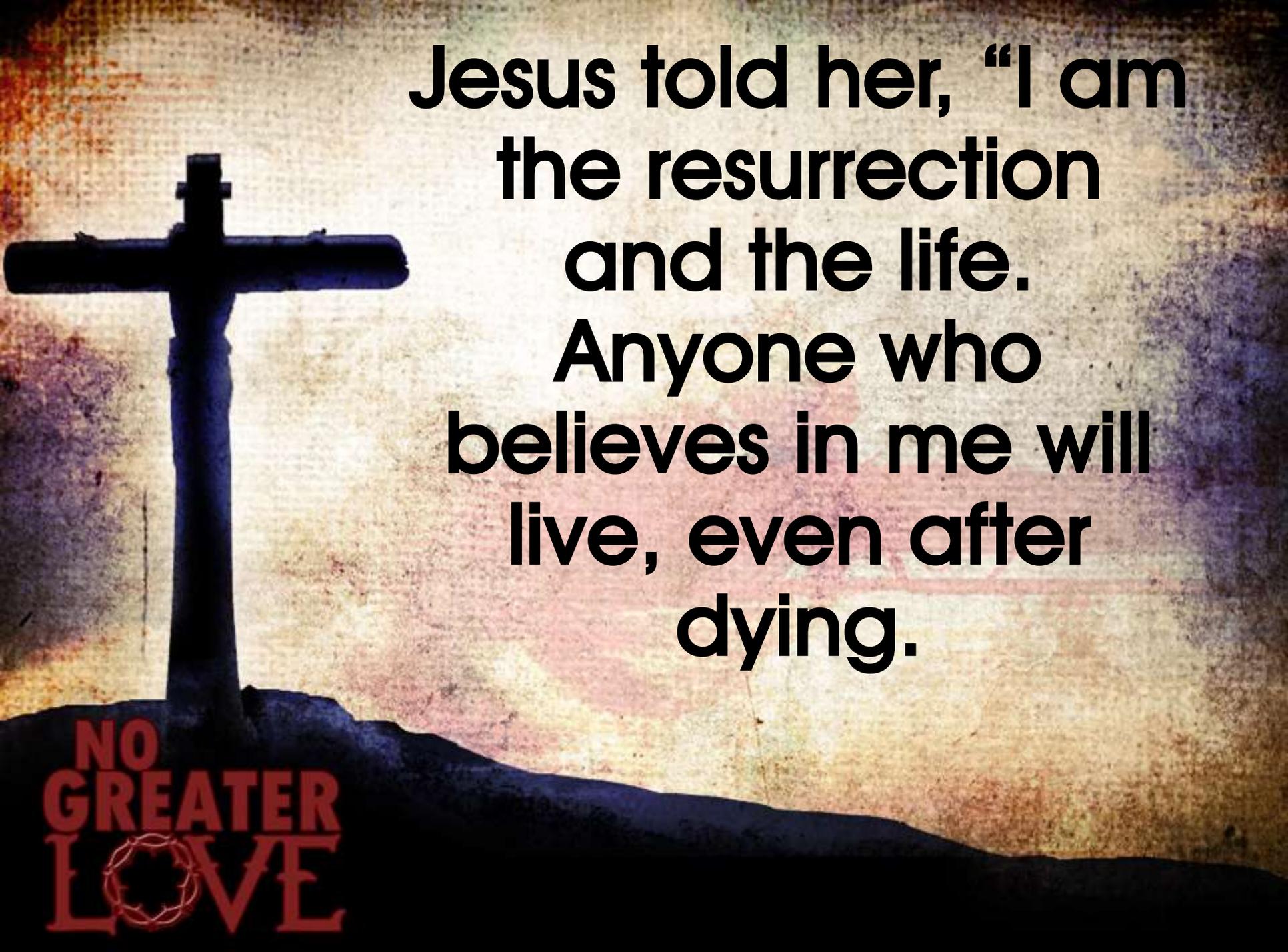
**Martha said to  
Jesus, “Lord, if only  
you had been  
here, my brother  
would not have  
died. But even now  
I know that God will  
give you**

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**whatever you ask.”  
Jesus told her, “Your  
brother will rise  
again.” “Yes,”  
Martha said, “he  
will rise when  
everyone else rises,  
at the last day.”**

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**Jesus told her, “I am  
the resurrection  
and the life.**

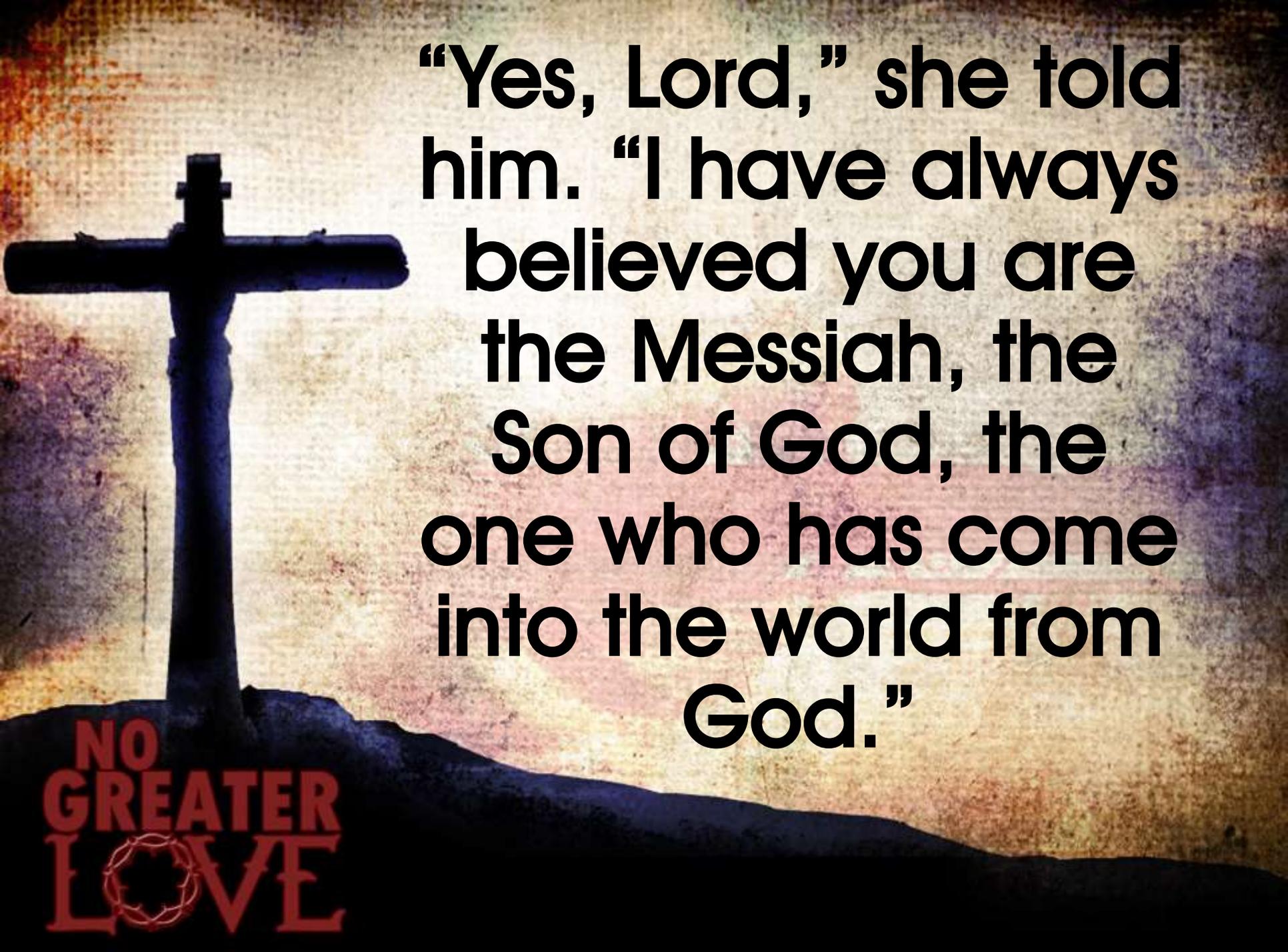
**Anyone who  
believes in me will  
live, even after  
dying.**

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**Everyone who lives  
in me and believes  
in me will never  
ever die. Do you  
believe this,  
Martha?"**

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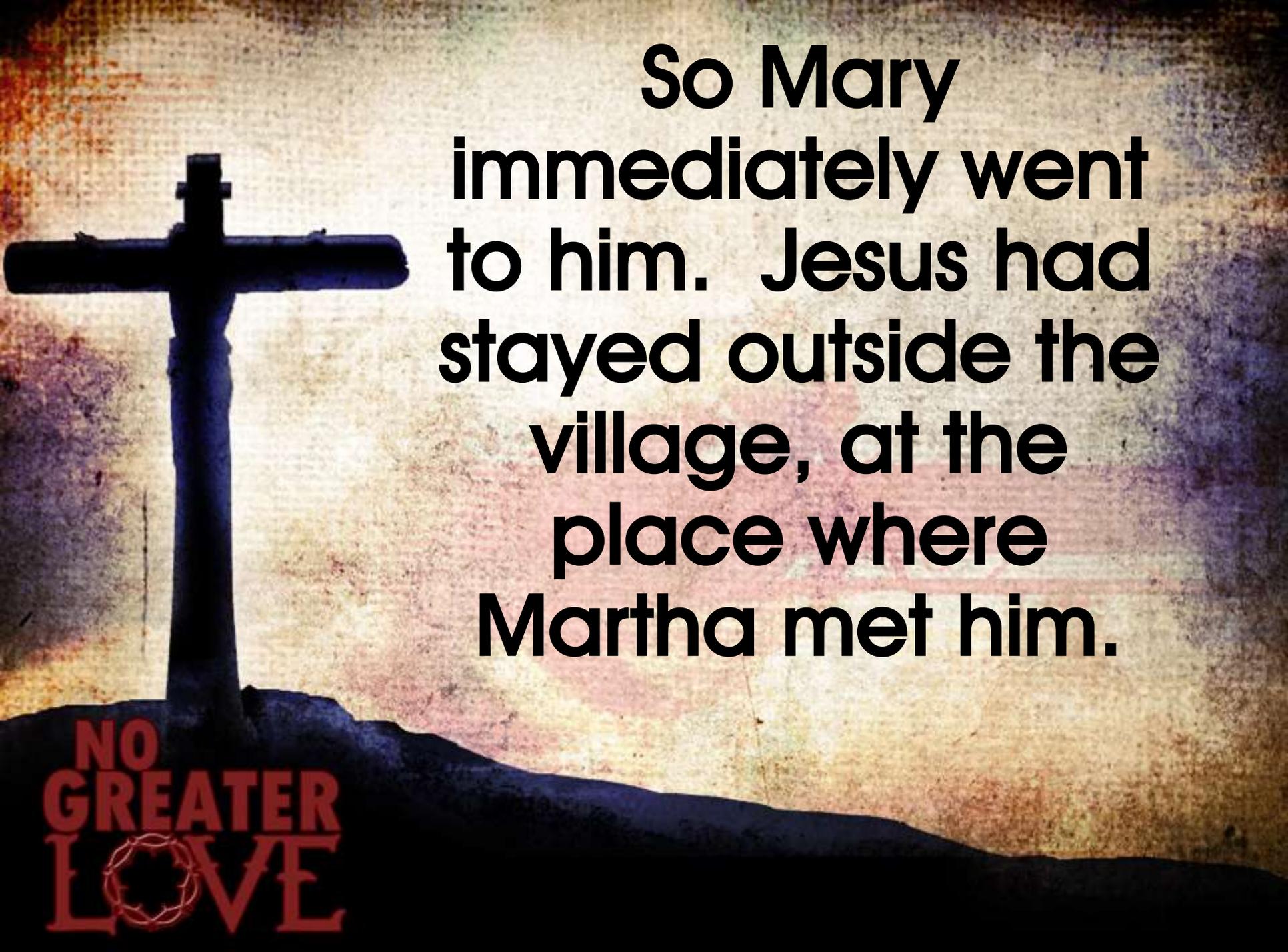
**“Yes, Lord,” she told him. “I have always believed you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one who has come into the world from God.”**

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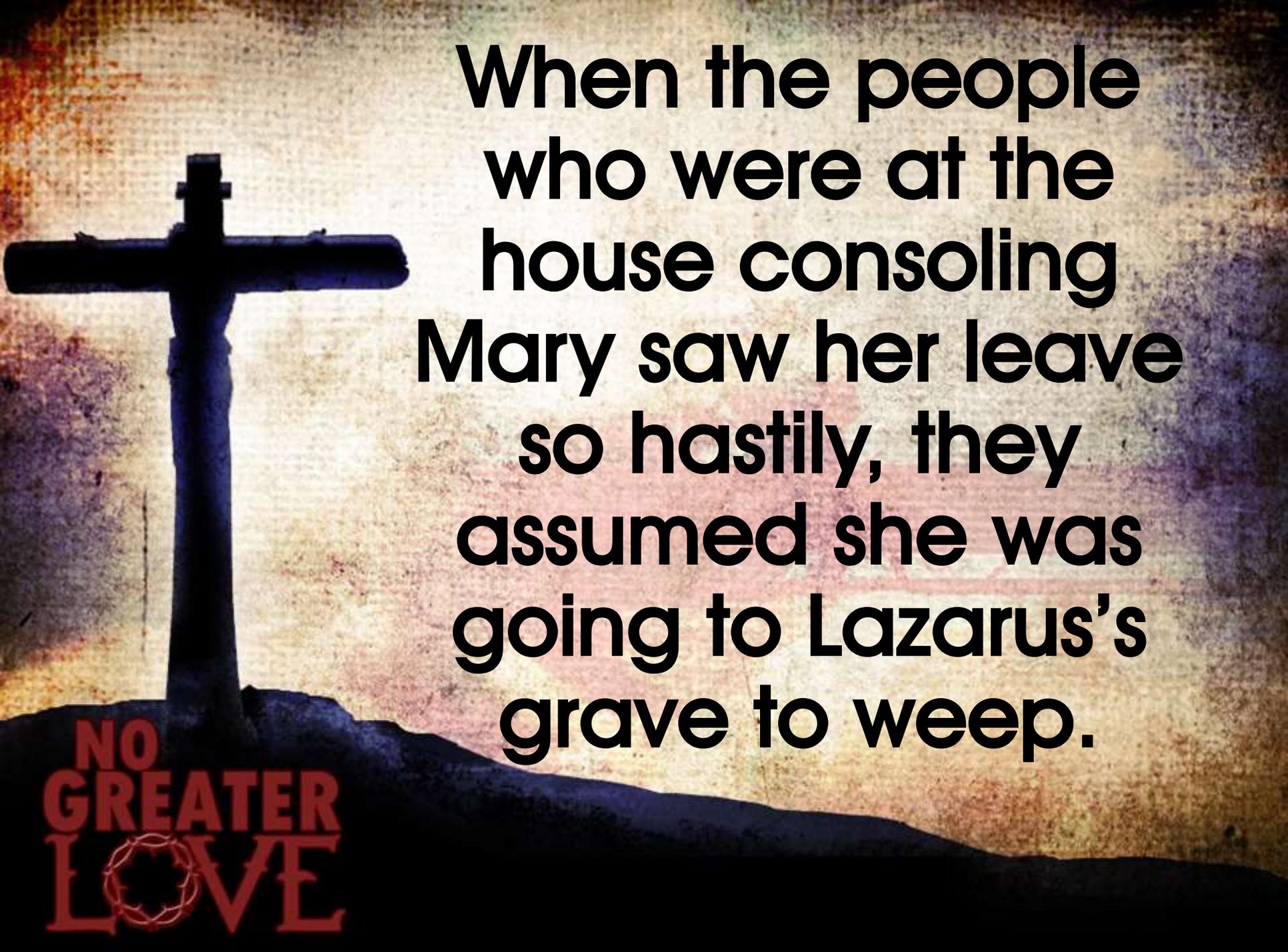
**Then she returned  
to Mary. She called  
Mary aside from  
the mourners and  
told her, “The  
Teacher is here and  
wants to see you.”**

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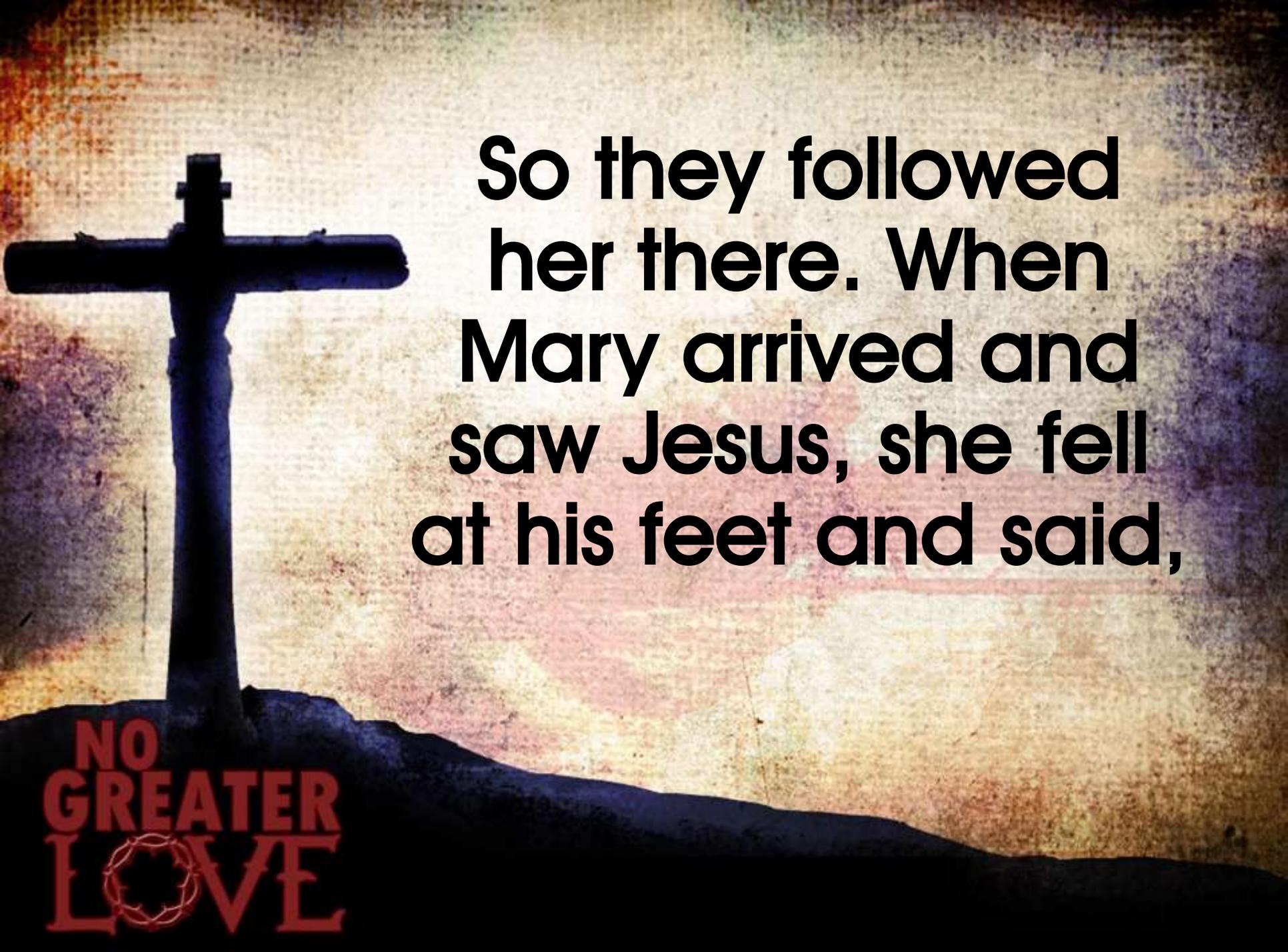
**So Mary  
immediately went  
to him. Jesus had  
stayed outside the  
village, at the  
place where  
Martha met him.**

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**When the people  
who were at the  
house consoling  
Mary saw her leave  
so hastily, they  
assumed she was  
going to Lazarus's  
grave to weep.**

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**So they followed  
her there. When  
Mary arrived and  
saw Jesus, she fell  
at his feet and said,**

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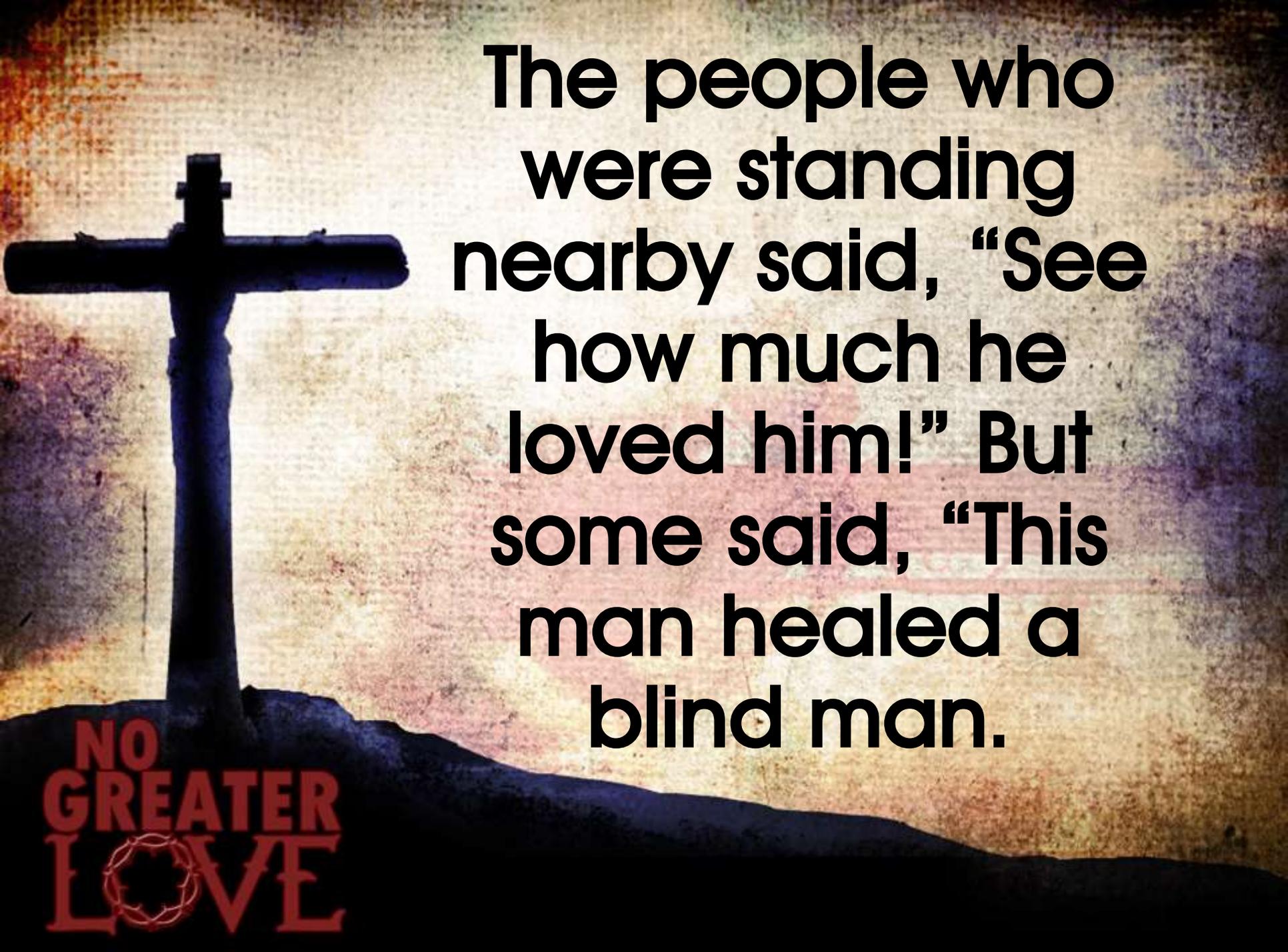
**When Jesus saw her weeping and saw the other people wailing with her, a deep anger welled up within him, and he was deeply troubled.**

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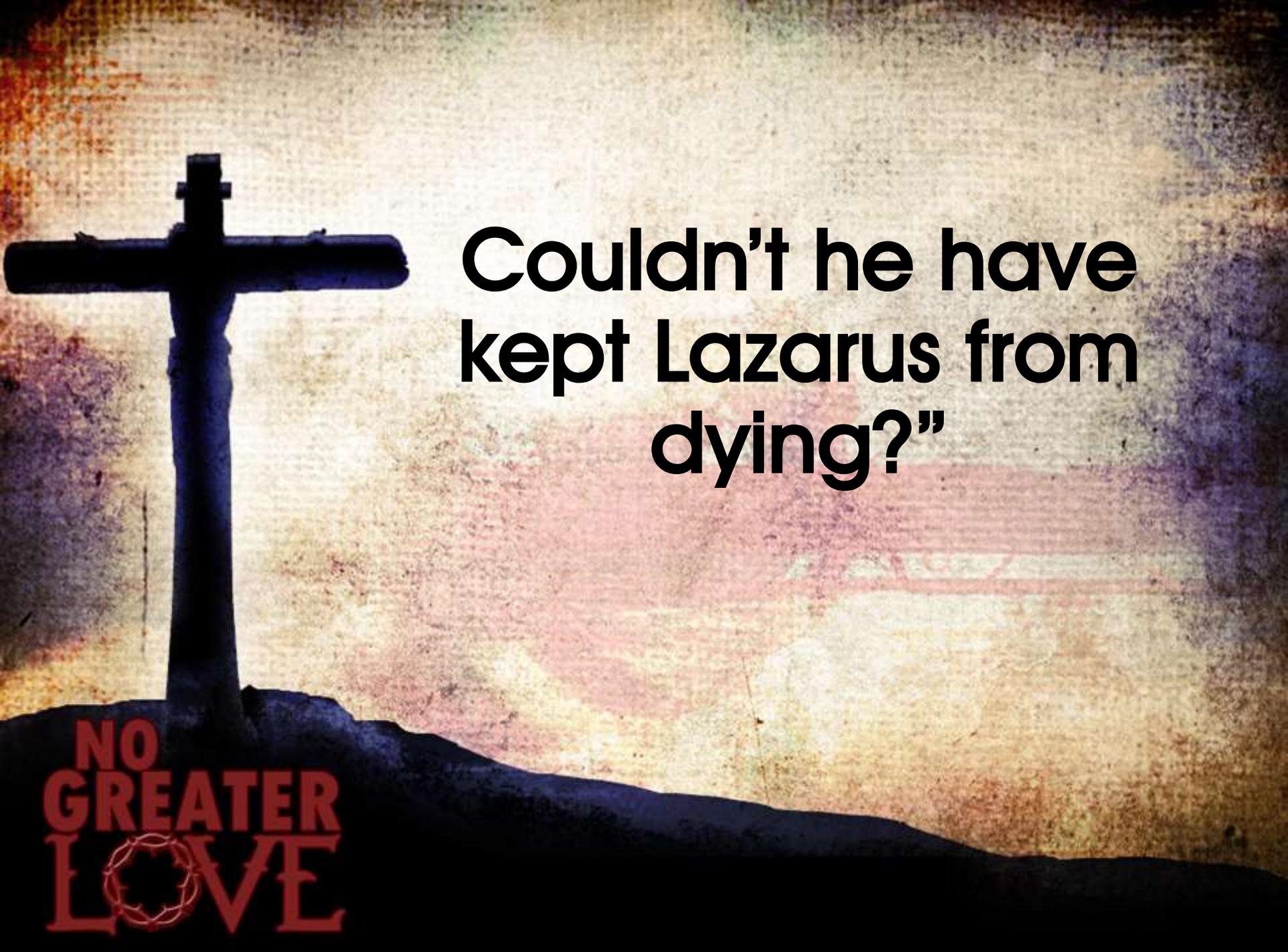
**“Where have you put him?” he asked them. They told him, “Lord, come and see.” Then Jesus wept.**

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**The people who  
were standing  
nearby said, “See  
how much he  
loved him!” But  
some said, “This  
man healed a  
blind man.**

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**Couldn't he have  
kept Lazarus from  
dying?"**

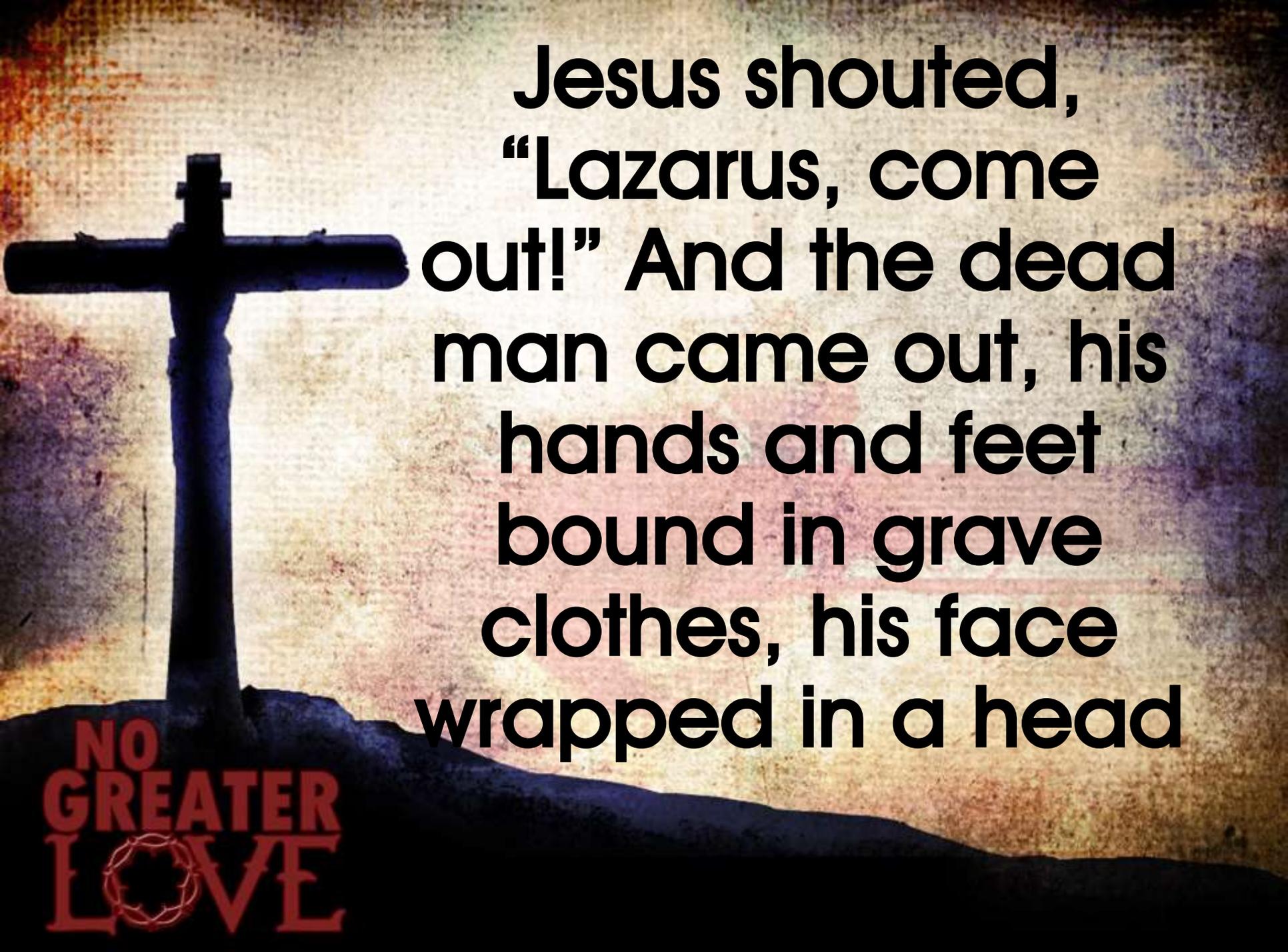
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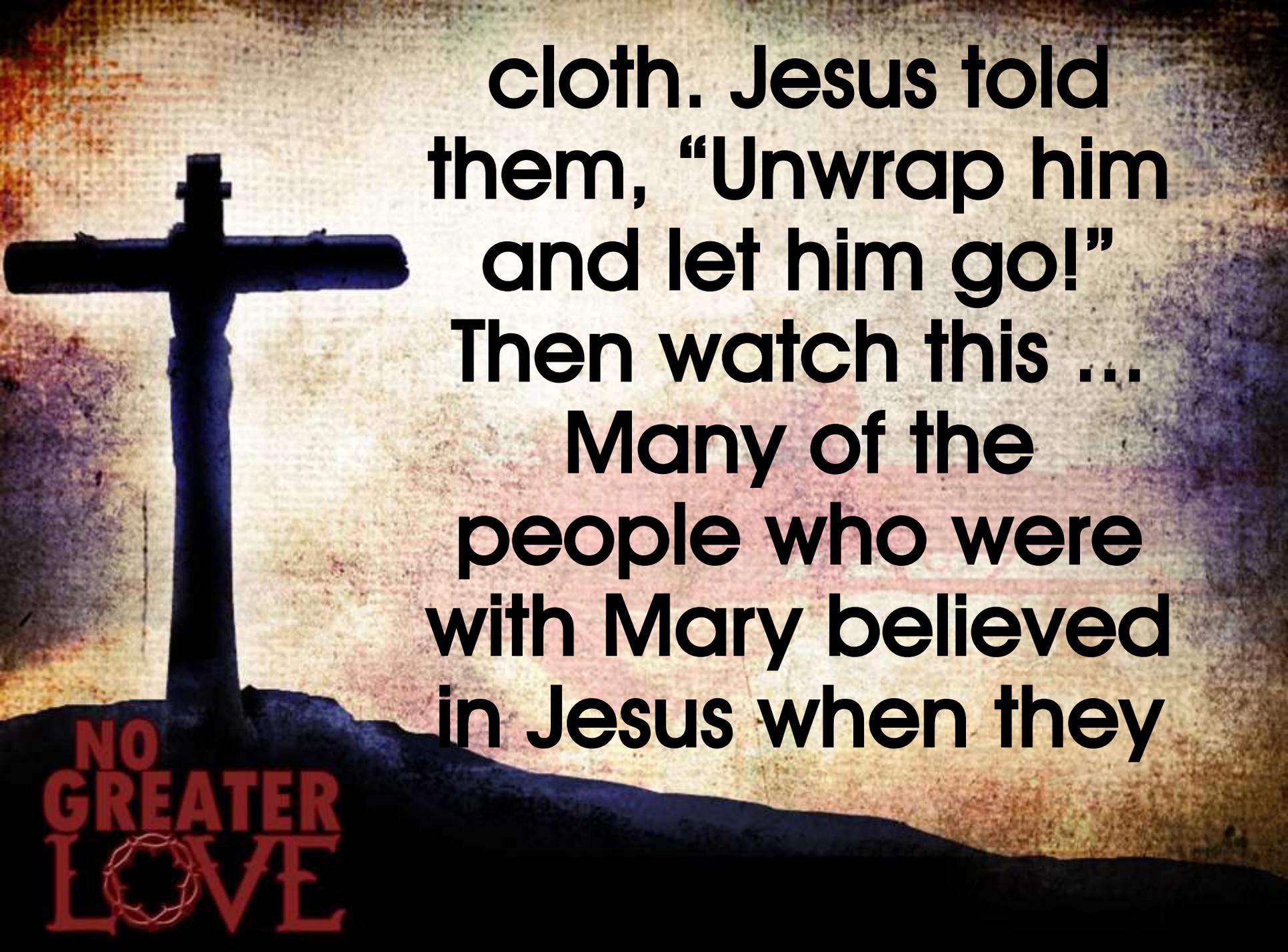
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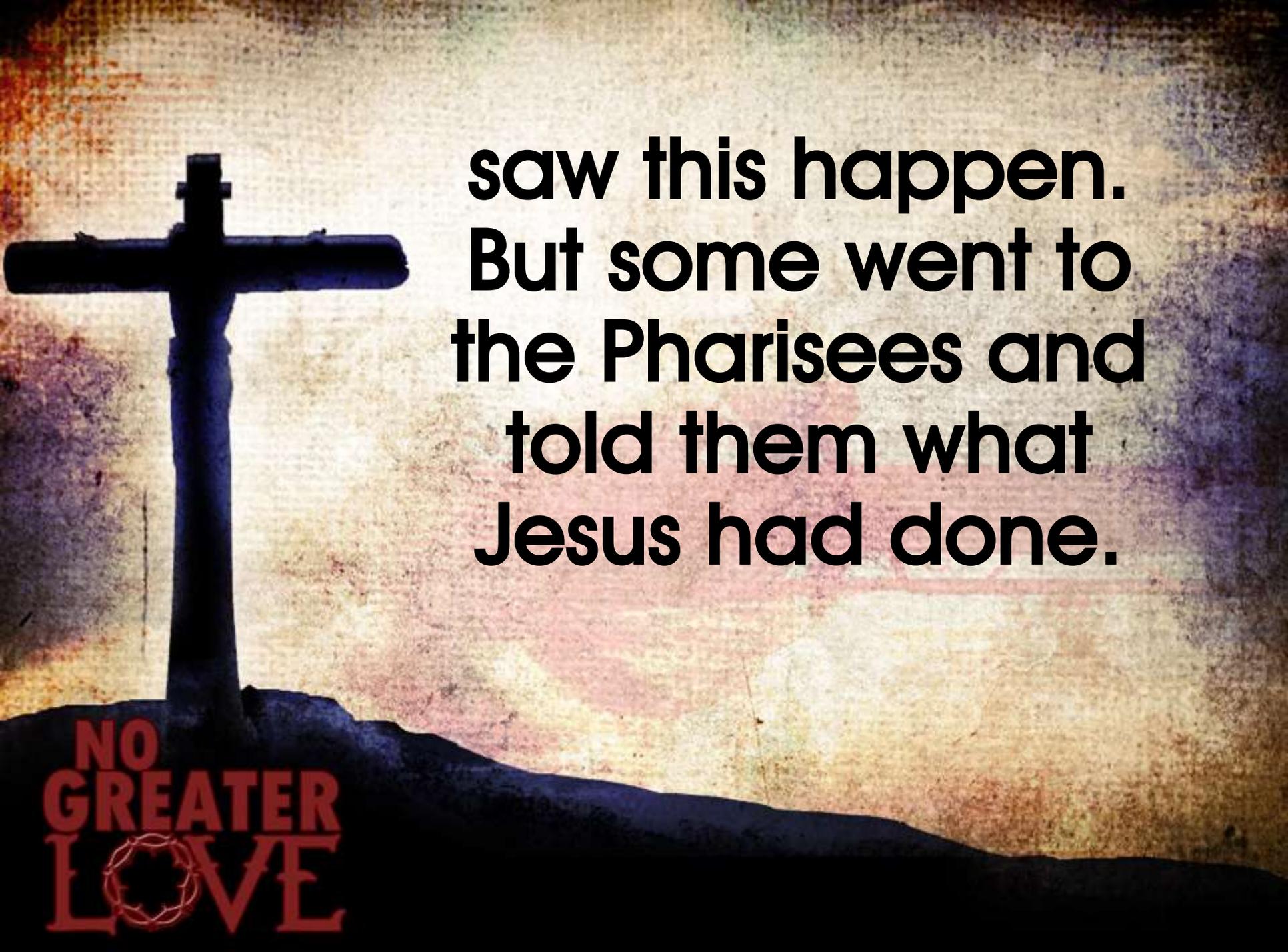
**Jesus shouted,  
“Lazarus, come  
out!” And the dead  
man came out, his  
hands and feet  
bound in grave  
clothes, his face  
wrapped in a head**

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**cloth. Jesus told  
them, “Unwrap him  
and let him go!”  
Then watch this ...  
Many of the  
people who were  
with Mary believed  
in Jesus when they**

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**saw this happen.  
But some went to  
the Pharisees and  
told them what  
Jesus had done.**

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