

A dramatic photograph of a lighthouse perched on a dark, craggy rock formation. The lighthouse is white with a red base and a black lantern room. It stands against a backdrop of a dark, turbulent sea with white-capped waves and a heavy, grey sky filled with dramatic clouds. In the foreground, large, bold, brown letters spell out the word "REFUGE".

REFUGE

"God is our refuge and strength,
always ready to help in times of trouble."

Psalm 46:1 NLT



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“I will be patient as the Lord punishes me, for I have sinned against him. But after that, he will take up my case and give me justice for all I have suffered from my enemies. The Lord will bring me into the light, and I will see his righteousness.

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Then my enemies will see that the
Lord is on my side.

They will be ashamed that they
taunted me, saying,
“So where is the Lord—
that God of yours?”

With my own eyes I will see their
downfall; they will be trampled
like mud in the streets.

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**Where is another God like you,
who pardons the guilt of the
remnant, overlooking the sins of
his special people?**

**You will not stay angry with your
people forever, because you
delight in showing unfailing love.**

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Once again you will have
compassion on us.

You will trample our sins under
your feet and throw them into the
depths of the ocean!

You will show us your faithfulness
and unfailing love as you promised
to our ancestors Abraham and
Jacob long ago.

Micah 7:9-10, 18-20 NLT

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Once again you will have
compassion on us. You will
trample our sins under your feet
and throw them into the
depths of the ocean!

Micah 7:19 NLT

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What is your greatest
regret or deepest shame?

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**Now the man and his wife
were both naked, but they
felt no shame.”**

Genesis 2:25 NLT

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At creation, all humanity
was without CLOTHING
and SHAME.

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**Confess your sins to each other
and pray for each other so that
you may be healed. The earnest
prayer of a righteous person has
great power and produces
wonderful results.**

James 5:16 NLT

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**People who conceal their sins
will not prosper, but if they
confess and turn from them,
they will receive mercy.**

Proverbs 28:13 NLT

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But when you are praying, first forgive anyone you are holding a grudge against, so that your Father in heaven will forgive your sins, too.

Mark 11:25 NLT

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If we claim we have no sin, we are only fooling ourselves and not living in the truth. But if we confess our sins to him, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all wickedness. If we claim we have not sinned, we are calling God a liar and showing that his word has no place in our hearts.

1 John 1:8-10 NLT

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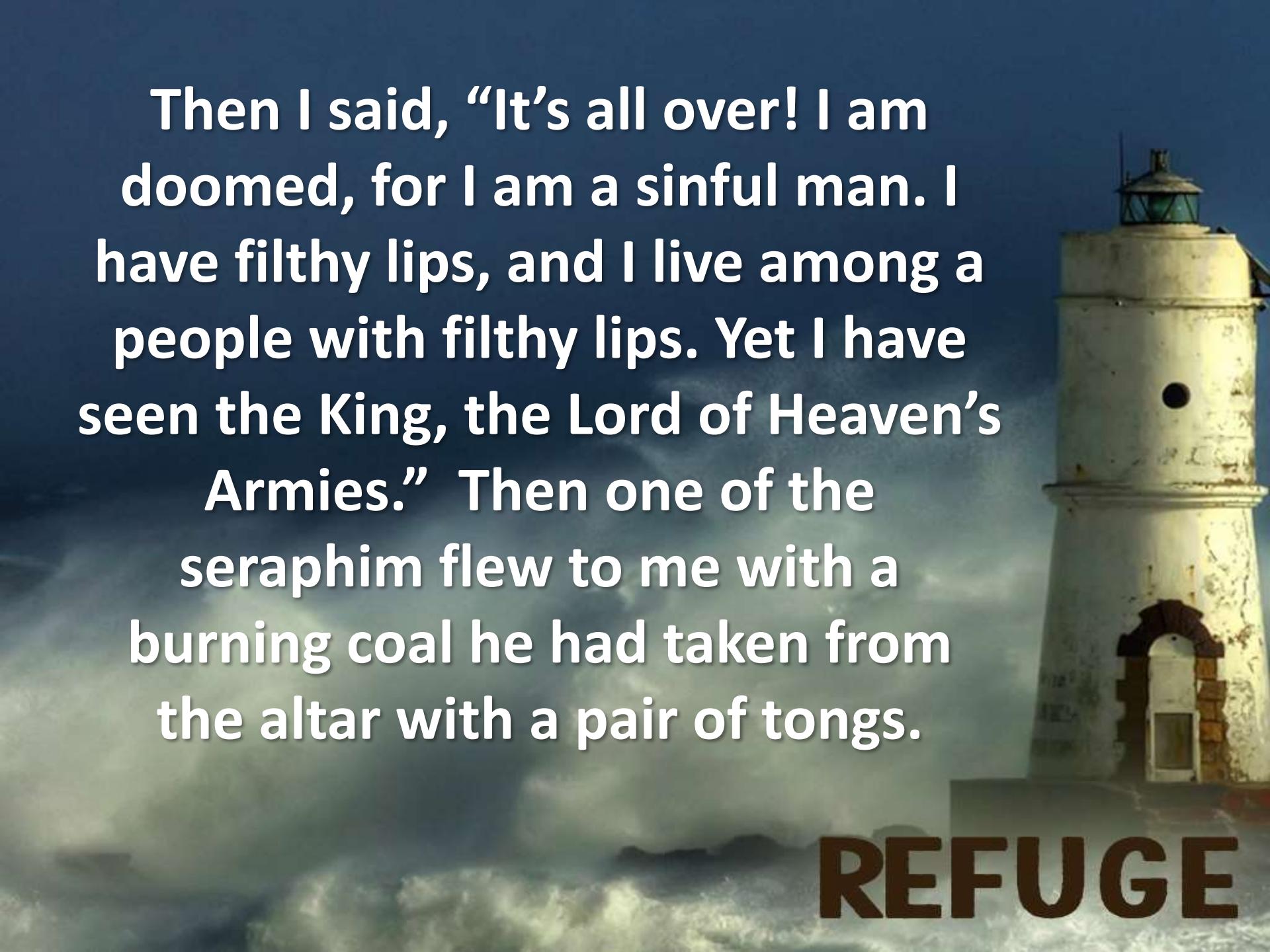


Honest CONFESSIO
breaks the BONDAGE
of SHAME.

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Then I said, “It’s all over! I am doomed, for I am a sinful man. I have filthy lips, and I live among a people with filthy lips. Yet I have seen the King, the Lord of Heaven’s Armies.” Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a burning coal he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs.

A lighthouse stands on a rocky cliff against a dark, cloudy sky. The lighthouse is made of light-colored stone and has a lantern room at the top. The word "REFUGE" is written in large, bold, brown letters at the bottom right.

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He touched my lips with it and said, “See, this coal has touched your lips. Now your guilt is removed, and your sins are forgiven.” Then I heard the Lord asking, “Whom should I send as a messenger to this people?”

Who will go for us?”

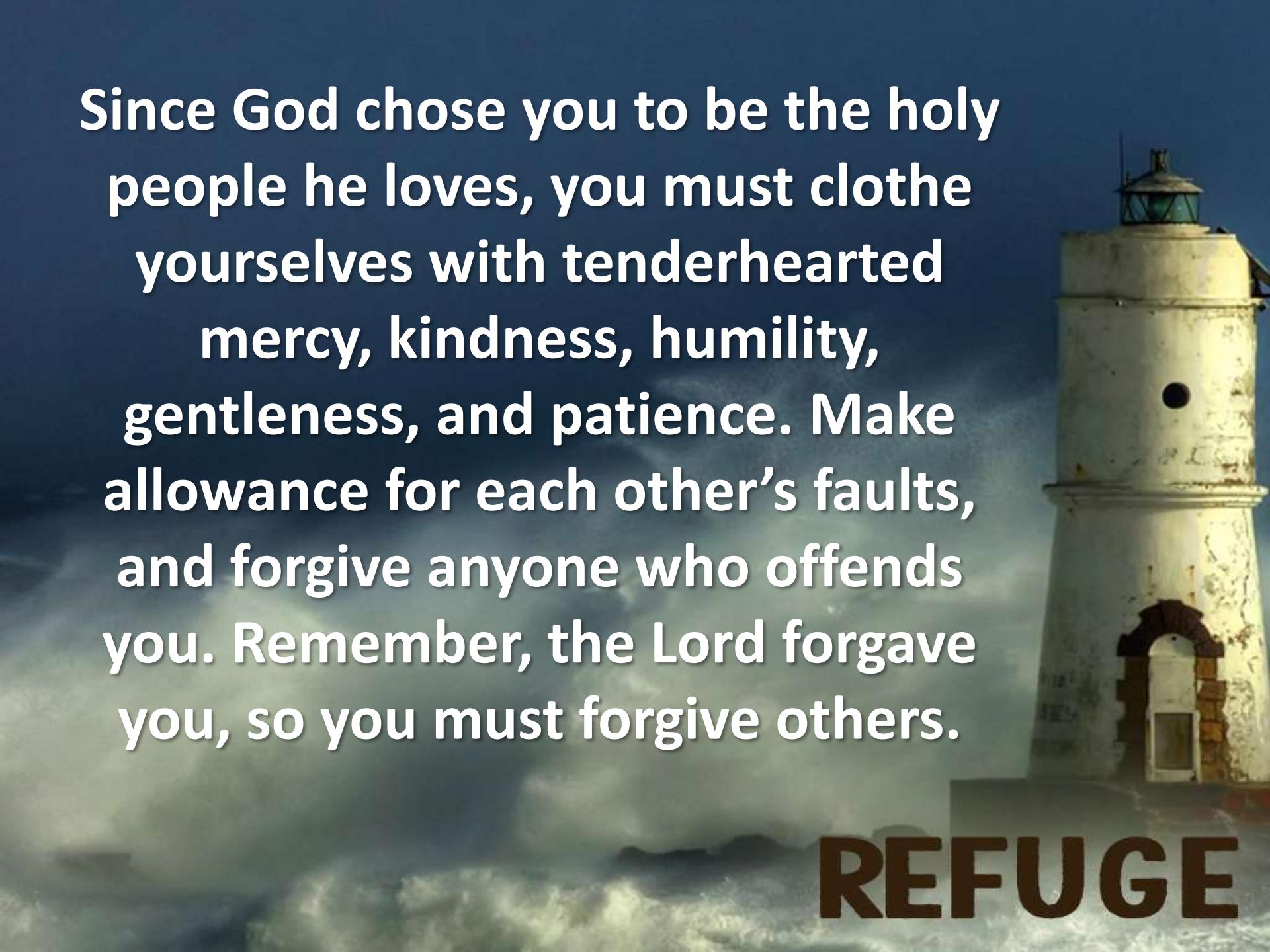
I said, “Here I am. Send me.”

Isaiah 6:5-8 NLT

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Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others.

A lighthouse stands on a rocky cliff overlooking a dark, stormy sea. The lighthouse is made of light-colored stone and has a lantern room at the top. The sky is filled with dark, heavy clouds.

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**Above all, clothe yourselves with
love, which binds us all together in
perfect harmony.**

Colossians 3:12-14 NLT

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A photograph of a lighthouse standing on a rocky shore. The lighthouse is white with a dark lantern room at the top. The sky is filled with dark, heavy clouds, suggesting a storm. In the bottom right corner, the word "REFUGE" is written in large, bold, brown capital letters.

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