

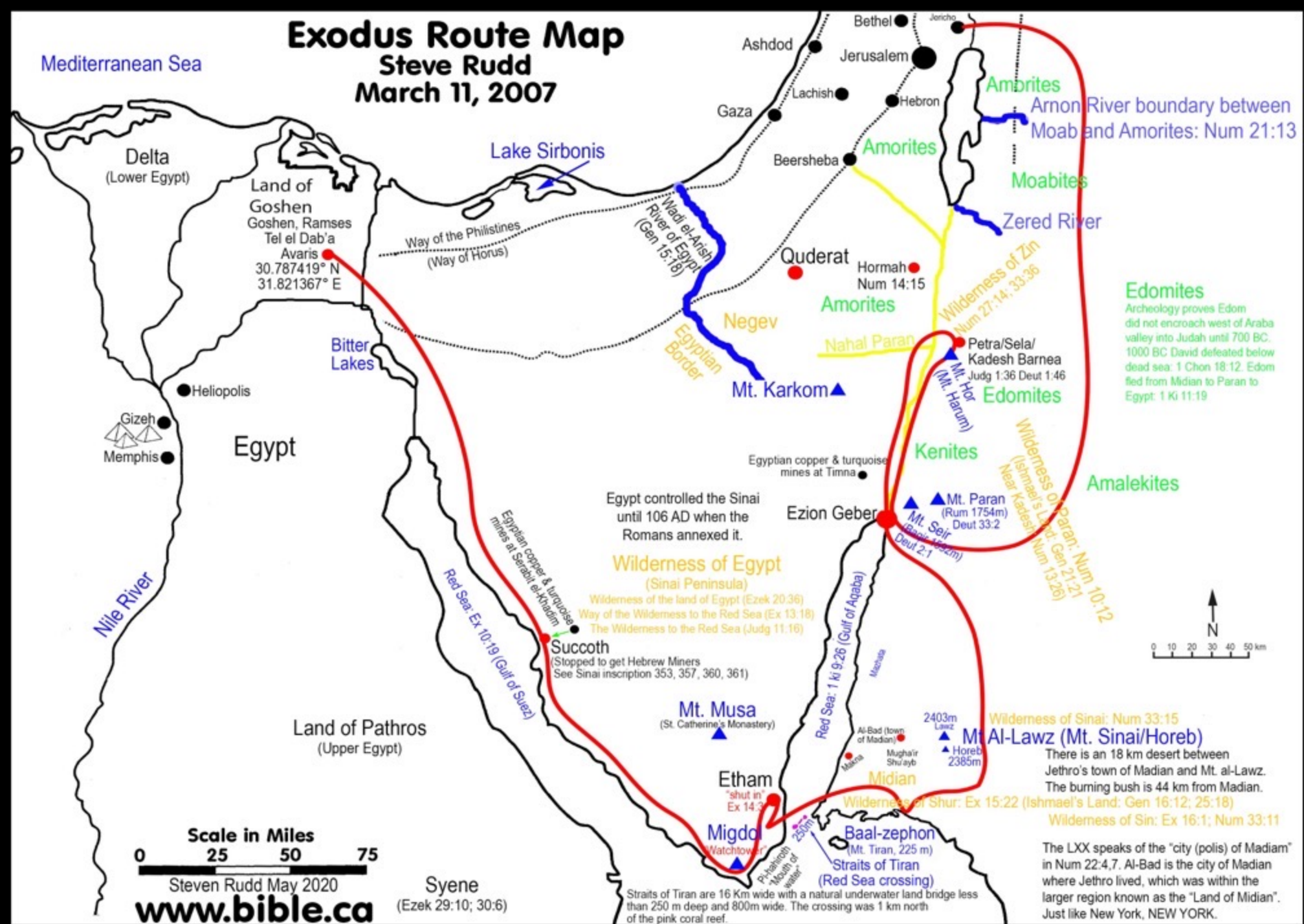
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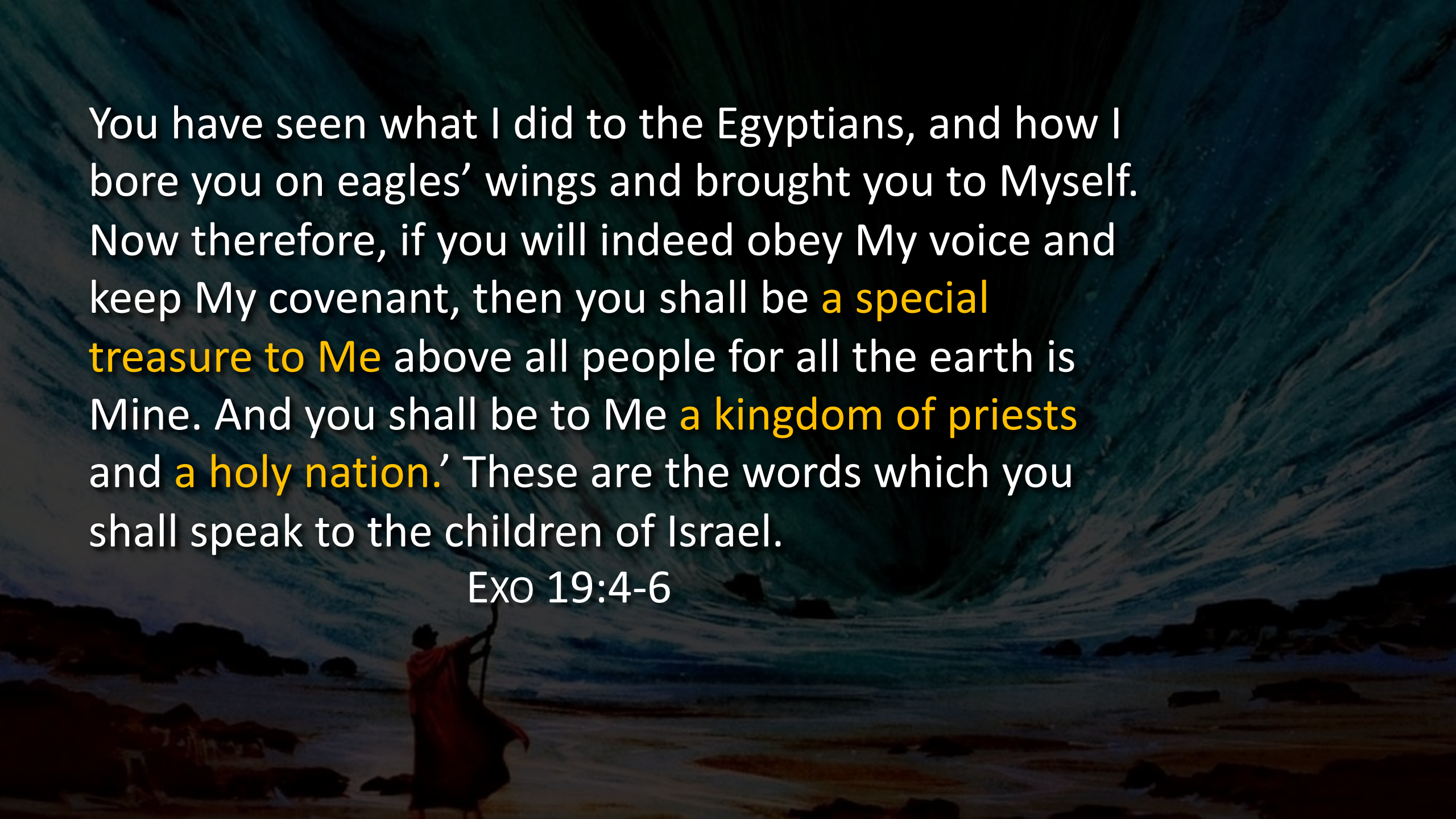
COVENANT IN SINAI



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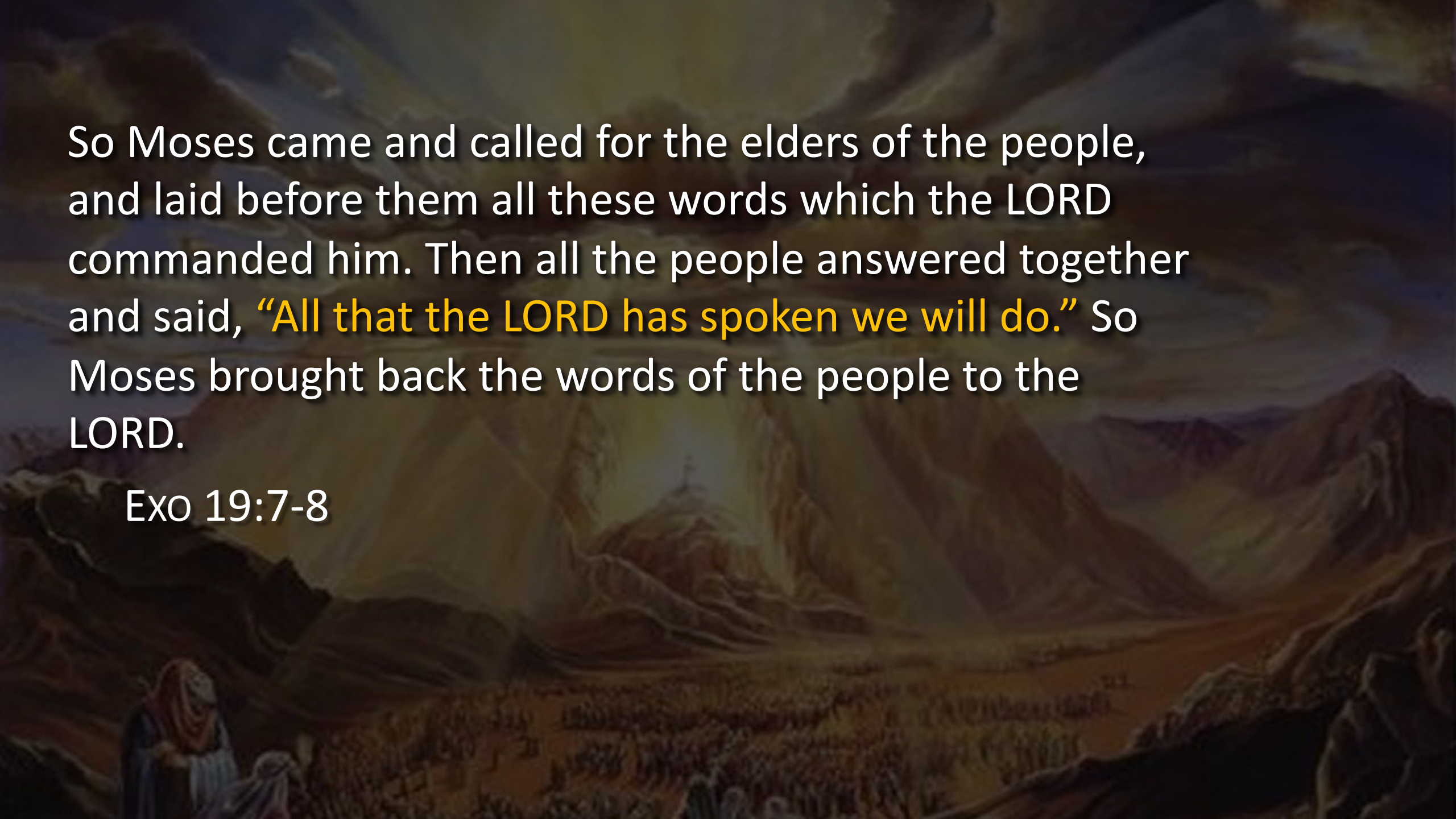
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A dramatic scene depicting Moses standing on a dark, rocky shore, looking up at a massive, swirling vortex of blue and white light in the sky. The vortex has a dark, tunnel-like center, creating a sense of divine power and awe. The overall tone is dark and mystical, with the light from the vortex illuminating the scene.

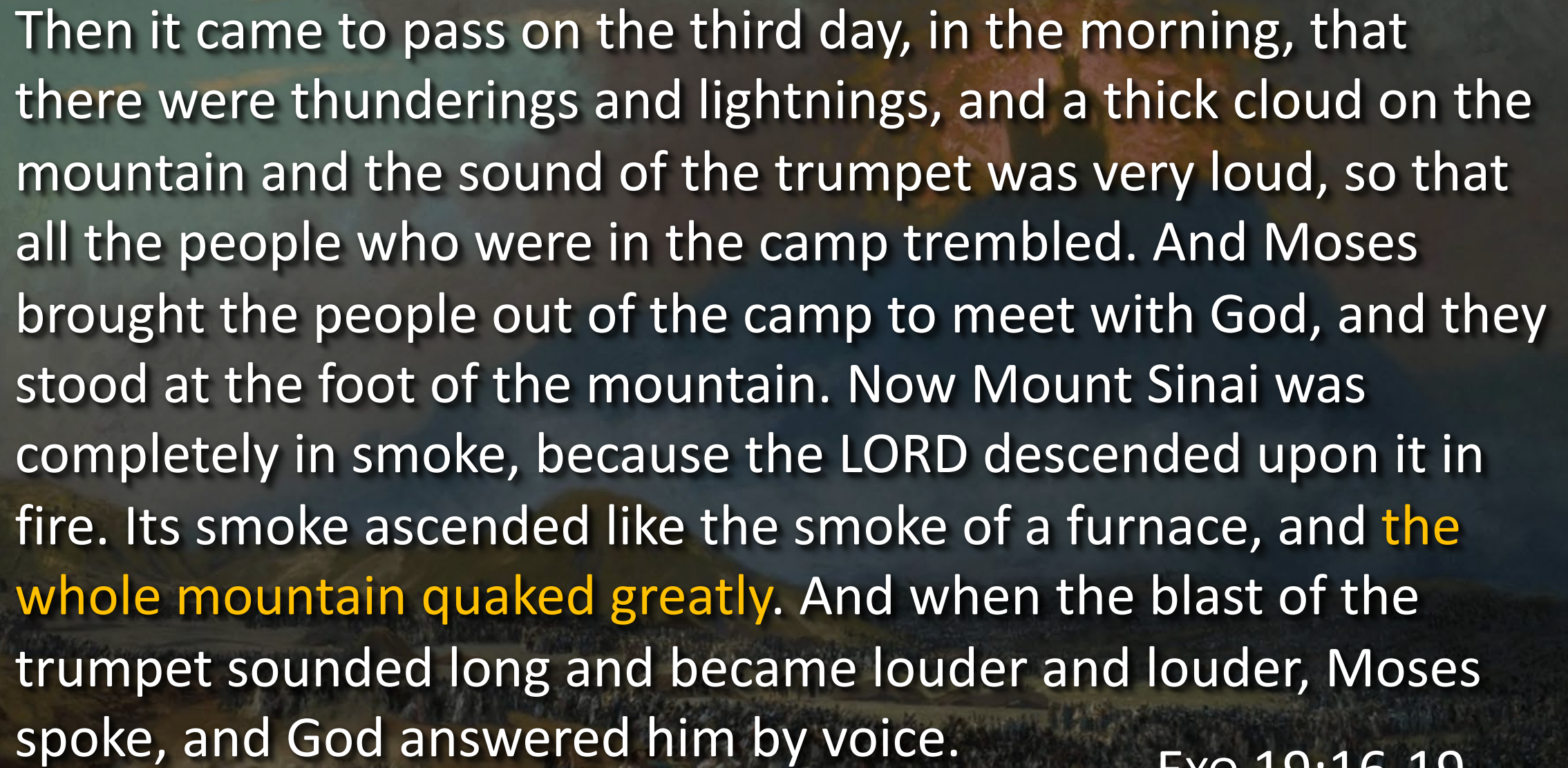
You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to Myself. Now therefore, if you will indeed obey My voice and keep My covenant, then you shall be **a special treasure to Me** above all people for all the earth is Mine. And you shall be to Me **a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.**' These are the words which you shall speak to the children of Israel.

Exo 19:4-6



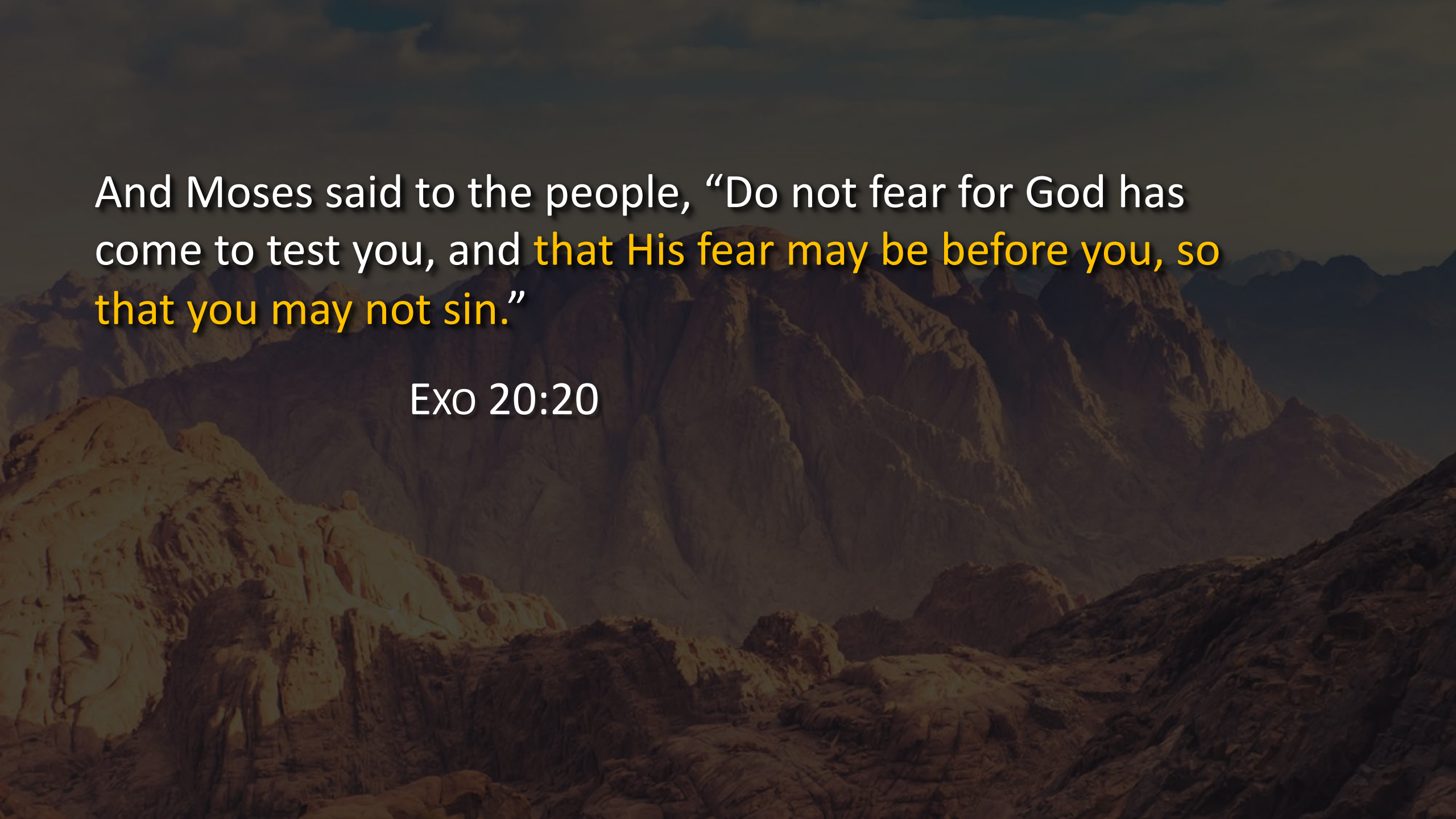
So Moses came and called for the elders of the people, and laid before them all these words which the LORD commanded him. Then all the people answered together and said, “All that the LORD has spoken we will do.” So Moses brought back the words of the people to the LORD.

Exo 19:7-8

The background is a dramatic painting of Mount Sinai. The mountain is shrouded in a thick, dark cloud, with bright lightning bolts striking down from the top. At the base of the mountain, a large crowd of people is gathered, some standing and some sitting, looking up in awe. The scene is set in a desert landscape with rocky terrain and some sparse vegetation. The overall tone is dramatic and awe-inspiring.

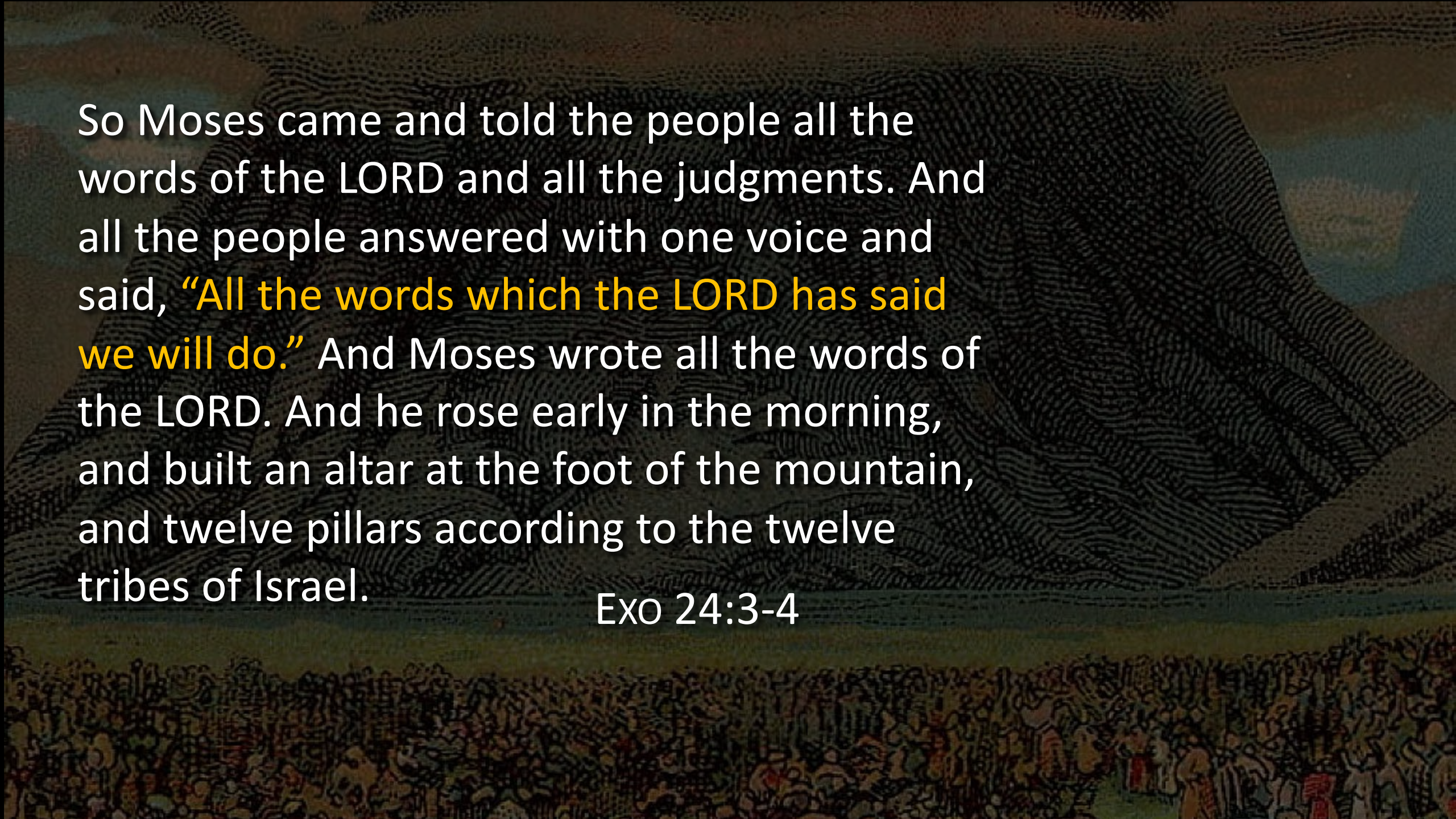
Then it came to pass on the third day, in the morning, that there were thunderings and lightnings, and a thick cloud on the mountain and the sound of the trumpet was very loud, so that all the people who were in the camp trembled. And Moses brought the people out of the camp to meet with God, and they stood at the foot of the mountain. Now Mount Sinai was completely in smoke, because the LORD descended upon it in fire. Its smoke ascended like the smoke of a furnace, and **the whole mountain quaked greatly**. And when the blast of the trumpet sounded long and became louder and louder, Moses spoke, and God answered him by voice.

EXO 19:16-19



And Moses said to the people, “Do not fear for God has come to test you, and **that His fear may be before you, so that you may not sin.**”

Exo 20:20



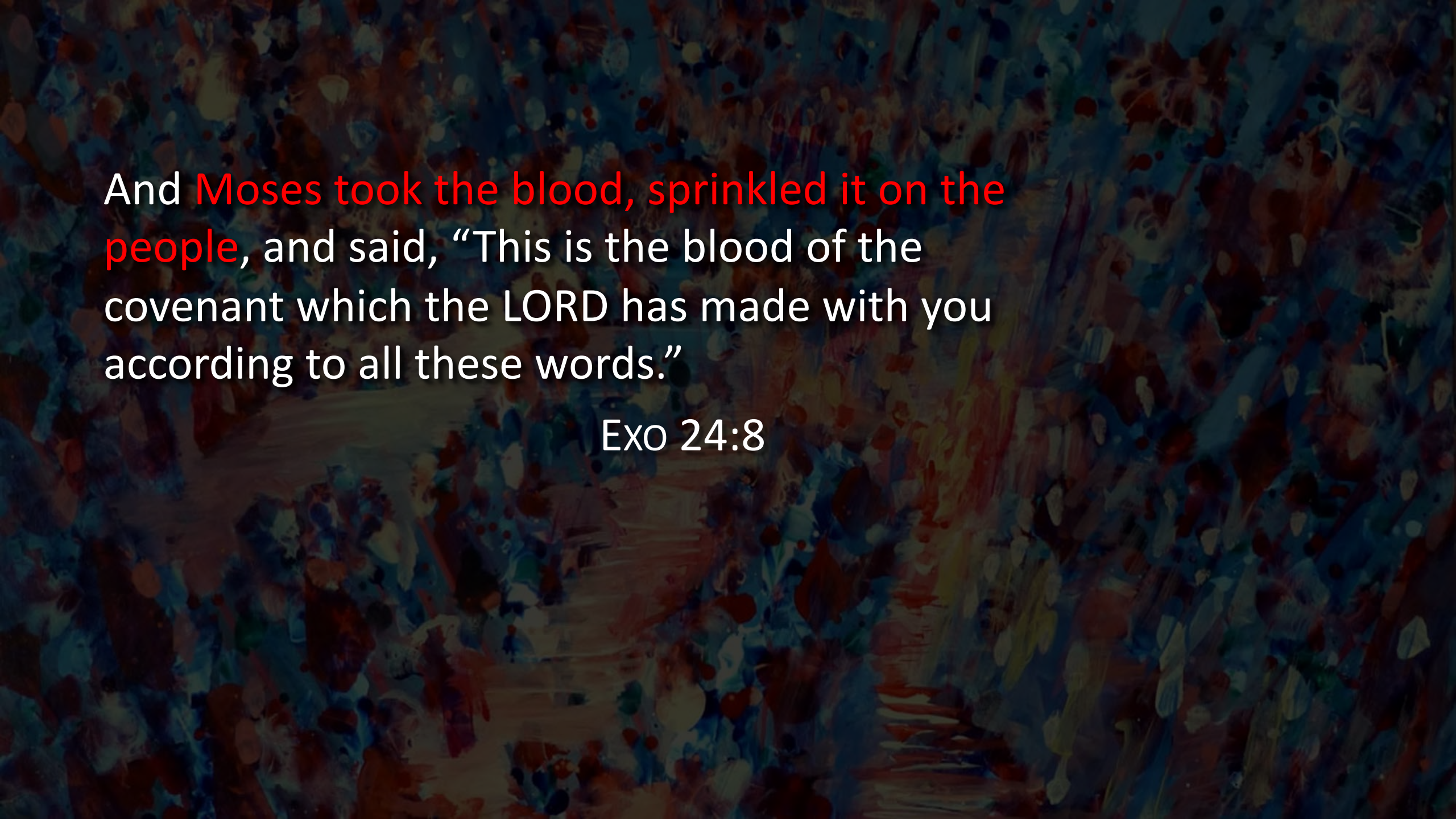
So Moses came and told the people all the words of the LORD and all the judgments. And all the people answered with one voice and said, “All the words which the LORD has said we will do.” And Moses wrote all the words of the LORD. And he rose early in the morning, and built an altar at the foot of the mountain, and twelve pillars according to the twelve tribes of Israel.

Exo 24:3-4



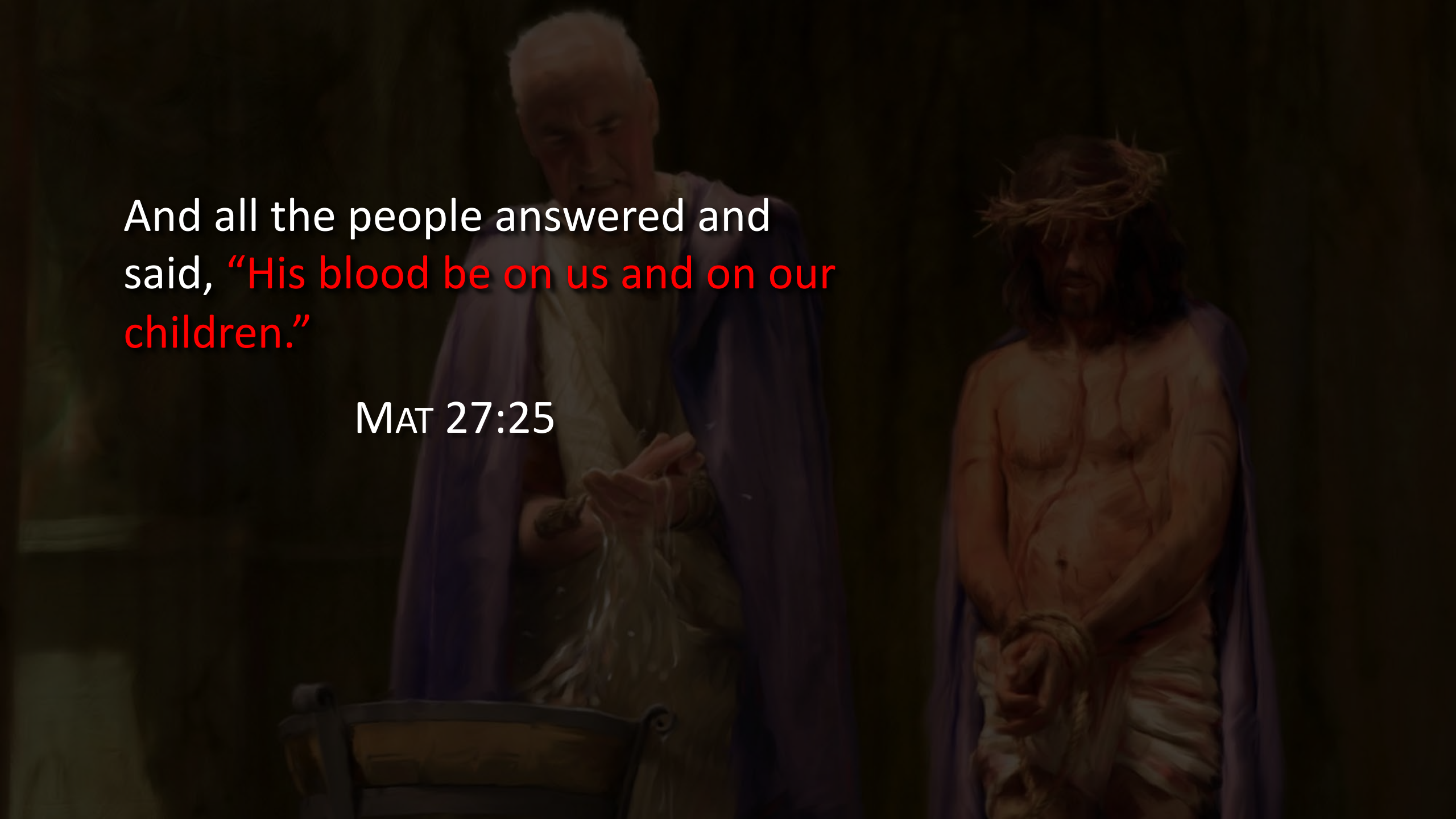
And Moses took half the blood and put it in basins, and
half the blood he sprinkled on the altar.

Exo 24:6



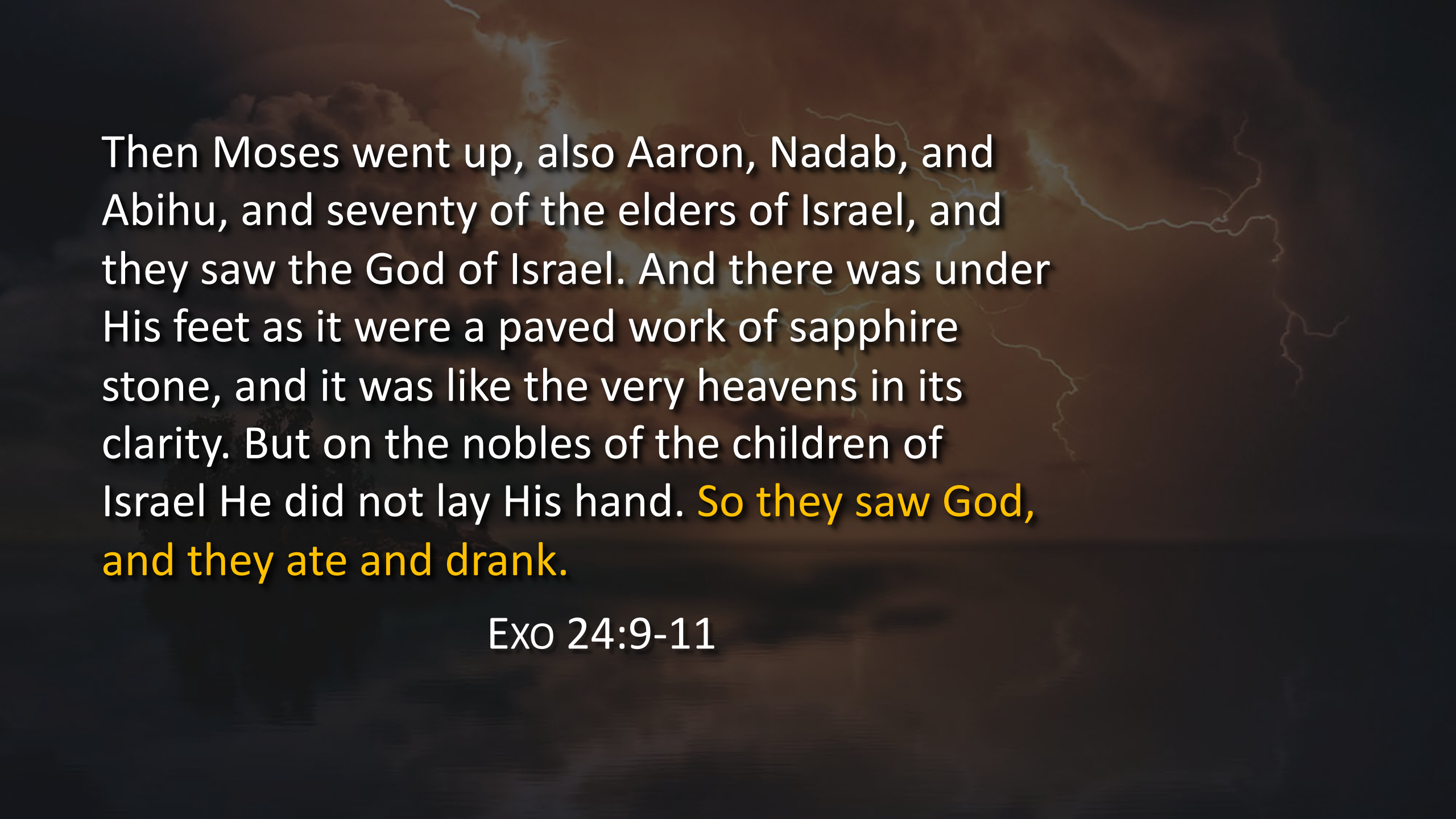
And Moses took the blood, sprinkled it on the people, and said, “This is the blood of the covenant which the LORD has made with you according to all these words.”

Exo 24:8



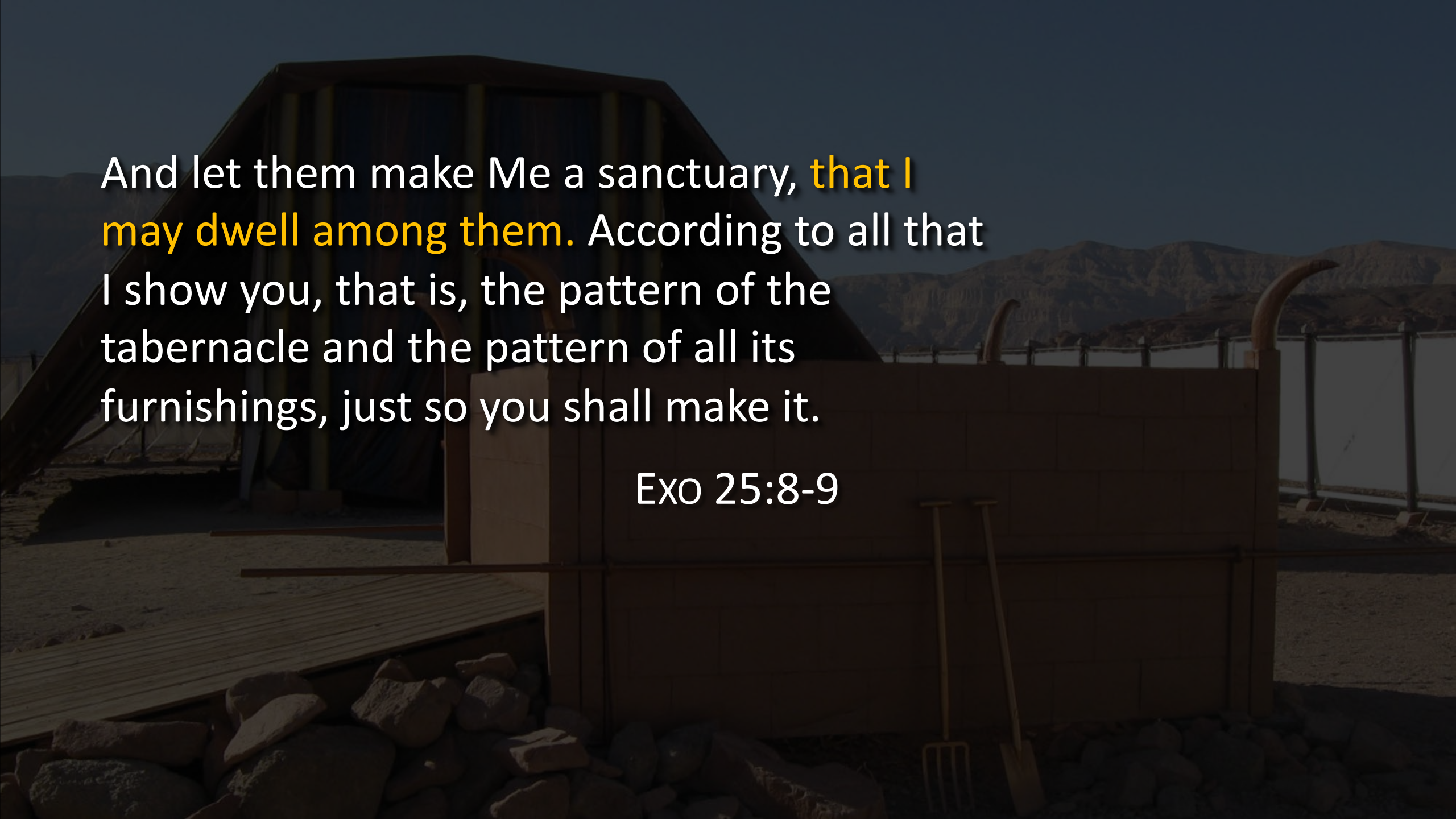
And all the people answered and
said, “His blood be on us and on our
children.”

MAT 27:25

The background of the slide is a dramatic, dark sky with swirling clouds and several bright, jagged lightning bolts. The lightning bolts are primarily on the right side, with one extending from the top right towards the center. The overall color palette is dark, with shades of brown, grey, and black, punctuated by the bright yellow and white of the lightning.

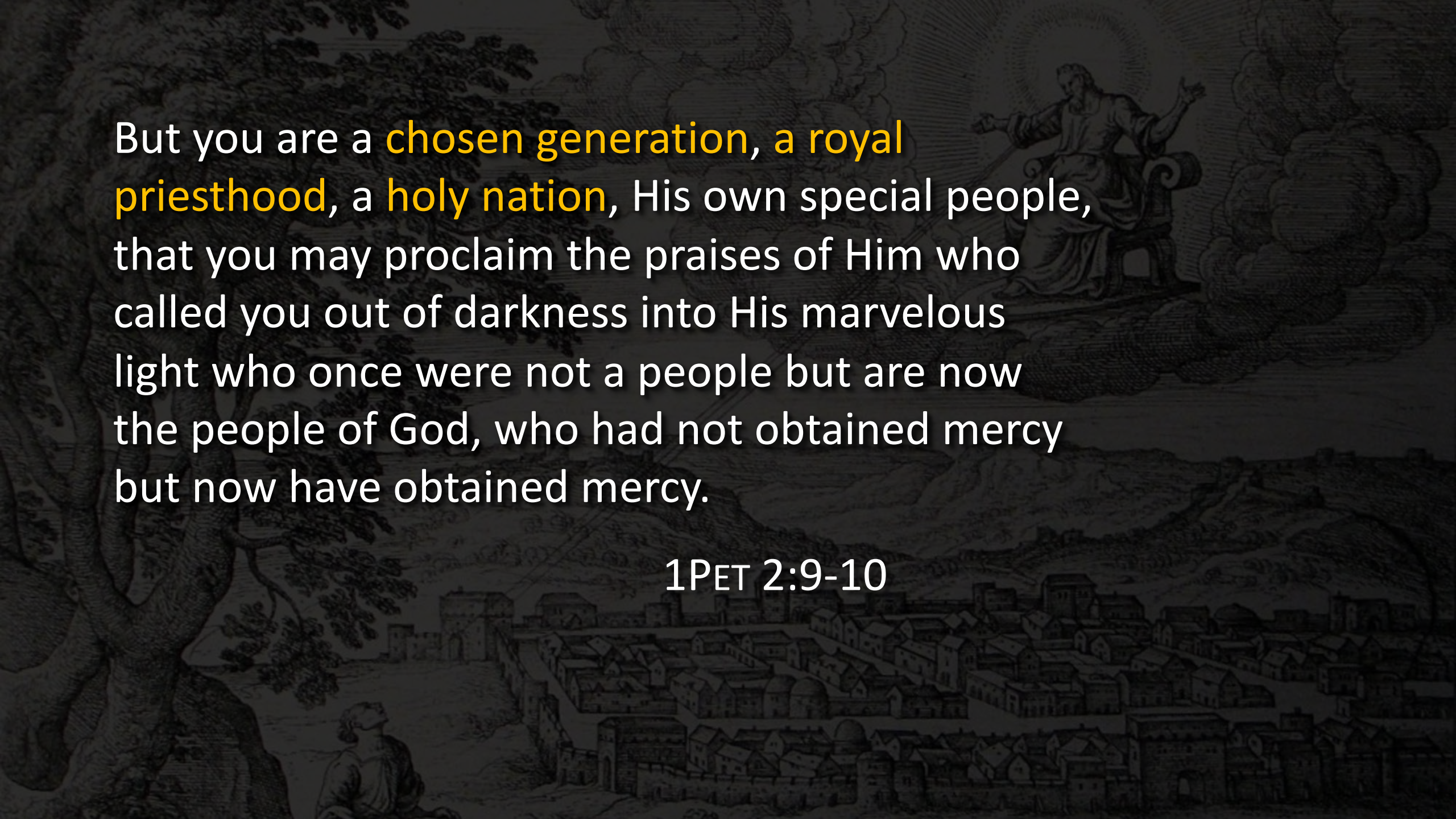
Then Moses went up, also Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel, and they saw the God of Israel. And there was under His feet as it were a paved work of sapphire stone, and it was like the very heavens in its clarity. But on the nobles of the children of Israel He did not lay His hand. **So they saw God, and they ate and drank.**

Exo 24:9-11



And let them make Me a sanctuary, **that I may dwell among them.** According to all that I show you, that is, the pattern of the tabernacle and the pattern of all its furnishings, just so you shall make it.

Exo 25:8-9



But you are a **chosen generation**, a **royal priesthood**, a **holy nation**, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light who once were not a people but are now the people of God, who had not obtained mercy but now have obtained mercy.

1PET 2:9-10