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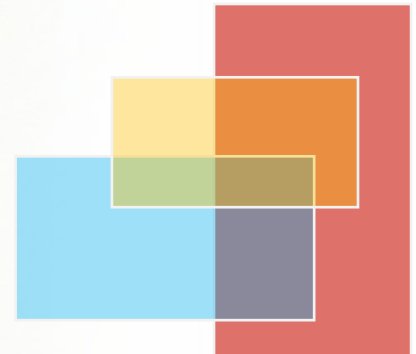
**You ARE, so BE**

By Pastor Mary Bursch



# MATTHEW 5:13-16

<sup>13</sup> “You are the salt of the earth. But what good is salt if it has lost its flavor? Can you make it salty again? It will be thrown out and trampled underfoot as worthless.





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<sup>14</sup> “You are the light of the world—like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden.

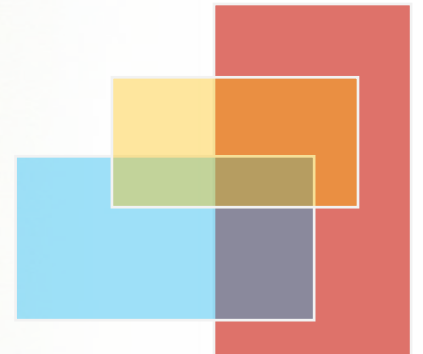
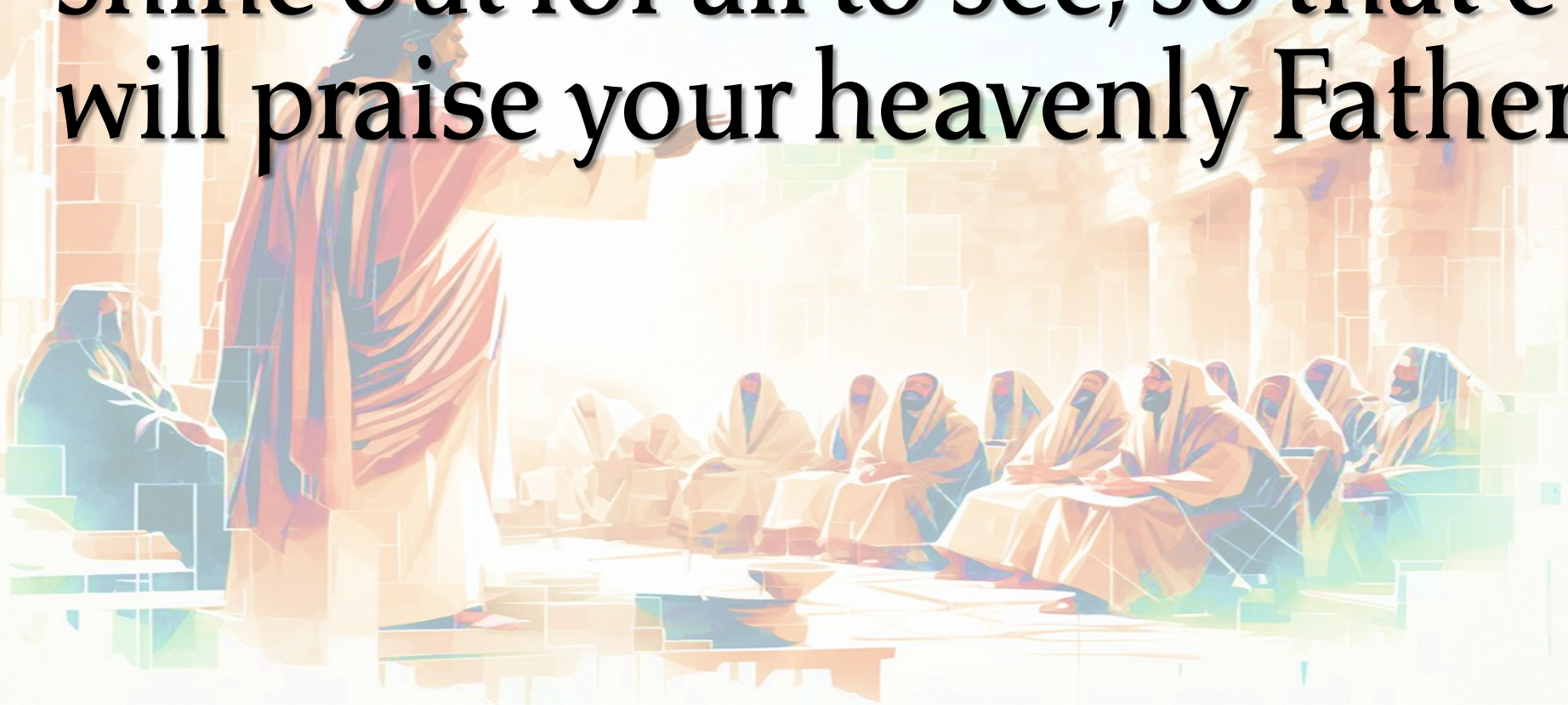
<sup>15</sup> No one lights a lamp and then puts it under a basket. Instead, a lamp is placed on a stand, where it gives light to everyone in the house.



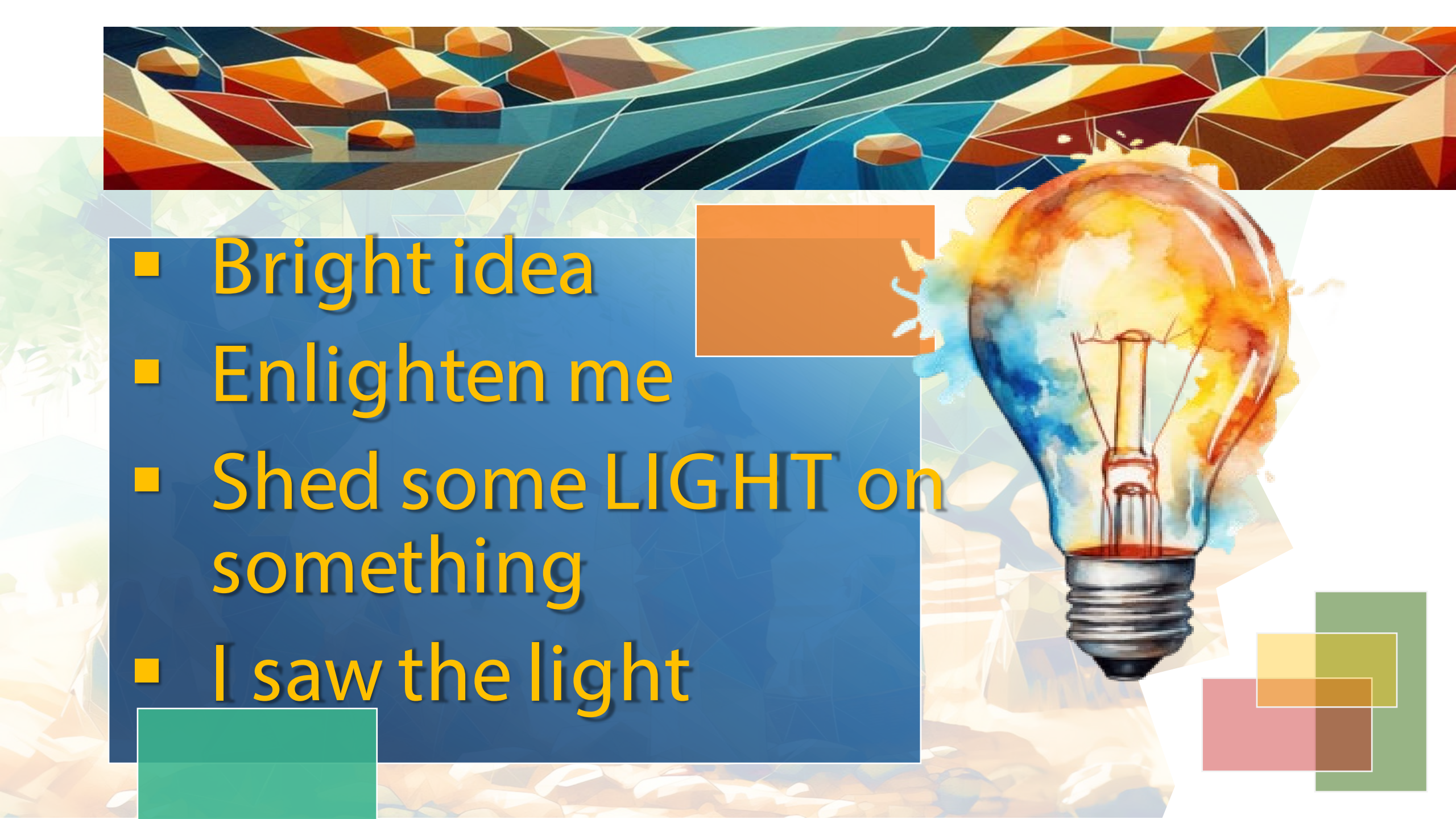


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<sup>16</sup> In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.





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- Bright idea
  - Enlighten me
  - Shed some LIGHT on something
  - I saw the light



# ISAIAH 2:1-3

<sup>1</sup> This is a vision that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem: <sup>2</sup> In the last days, the mountain of the Lord's house will be the highest of all— the most important place on earth. It will be





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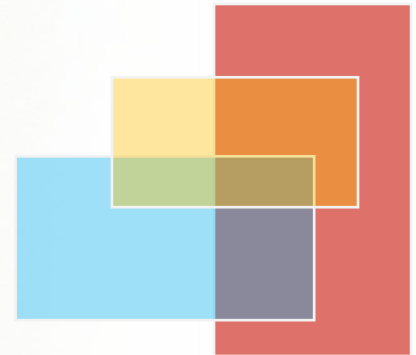
raised above the other hills, and people from all over the world will stream there to worship. <sup>3</sup> People from many nations will come and say, "Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of Jacob's God."





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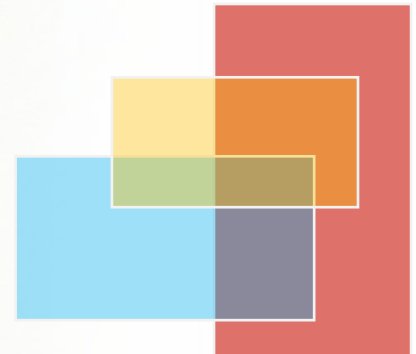
There he will teach us his ways, and we will walk in his paths.” For the Lord’s teaching will go out from Zion; his word will go out from Jerusalem.





# ISAIAH 2:4

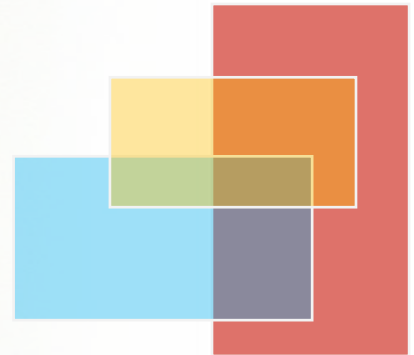
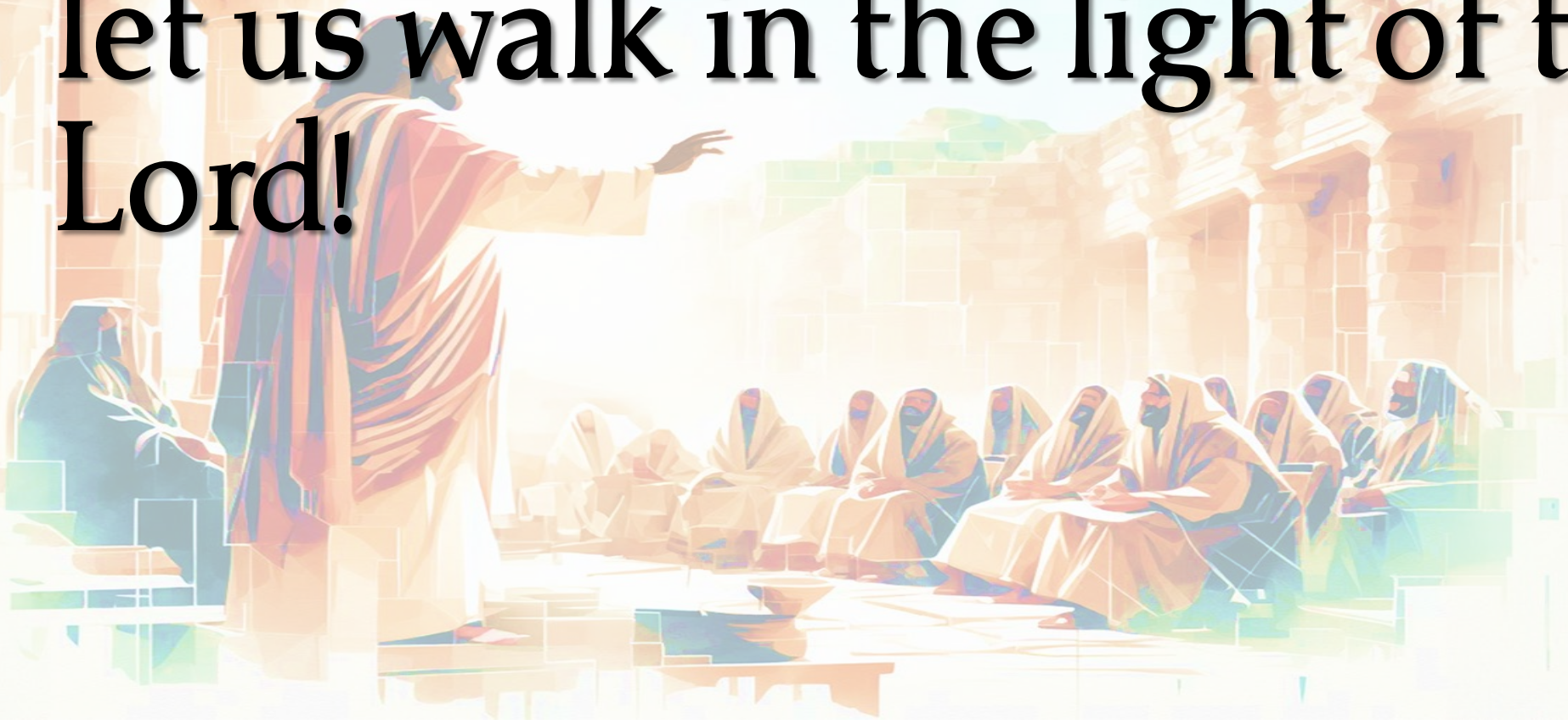
<sup>4</sup> The Lord will mediate between nations and will settle international disputes. They will hammer their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will no longer fight against nation, nor train for war anymore.





# ISAIAH 2:5

<sup>5</sup> Come, descendants of Jacob,  
let us walk in the light of the  
Lord!





# ISAIAH 42:1

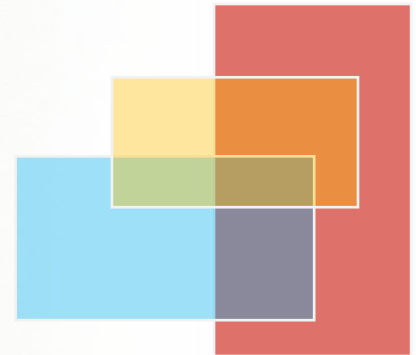
<sup>1</sup> “Look at my servant, whom I strengthen. He is my chosen one, who pleases me. I have put my Spirit upon him. He will bring justice to the nations.





# ISAIAH 42:6-7

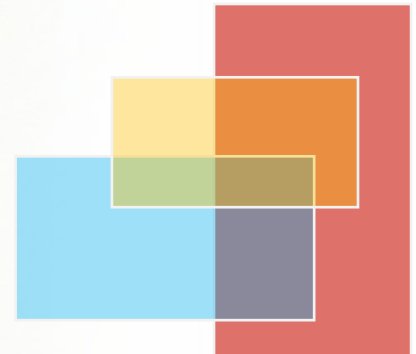
<sup>6</sup> “I, the Lord, have called you to demonstrate my righteousness. I will take you by the hand and guard you, and I will give you to my people, Israel, as a symbol of my covenant with





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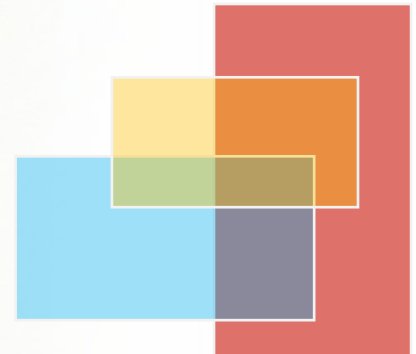
them. And you will be a light to guide the nations. <sup>7</sup> You will open the eyes of the blind. You will free the captives from prison, releasing those who sit in dark dungeons.





# ISAIAH 49:6

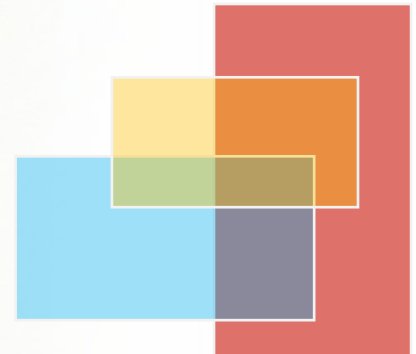
<sup>6</sup> He says, “You will do more than restore the people of Israel to me. I will make you a light to the Gentiles, and you will bring my salvation to the ends of the earth.”





# ISAIAH 60:1-3

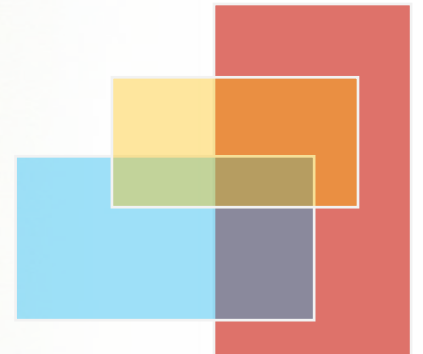
<sup>1</sup>“Arise, Jerusalem! Let your light shine for all to see. For the glory of the Lord rises to shine on you. <sup>2</sup>Darkness as black as night covers all the nations of the earth, but the glory of the Lord





# ISAIAH 60:1-3

rises and appears over you.<sup>3</sup> All nations will come to your light; mighty kings will come to see your radiance.







Get OUT of  
the shaker!





# MATTHEW 5:1-2

<sup>1</sup> One day as he saw the crowds gathering, Jesus went up on the mountainside and sat down. His disciples gathered around him, <sup>2</sup> and he began to teach them.

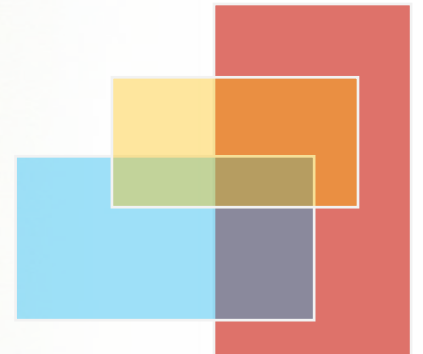




# MATTHEW 5:3-9

## THE BEATITUDES

3 “God blesses those who are poor and realize their need for him,  
for the Kingdom of Heaven is theirs.



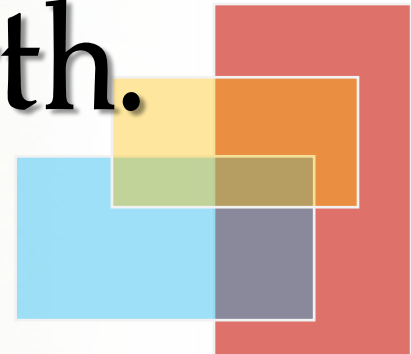


# MATTHEW 5:3-9

## THE BEATITUDES

4 God blesses those who mourn,  
for they will be comforted.

5 God blesses those who are humble,  
for they will inherit the whole earth.





# MATTHEW 5:3-9

## THE BEATITUDES

**6** God blesses those who hunger and thirst for justice,

for they will be satisfied.

**7** God blesses those who are merciful,  
for they will be shown mercy.



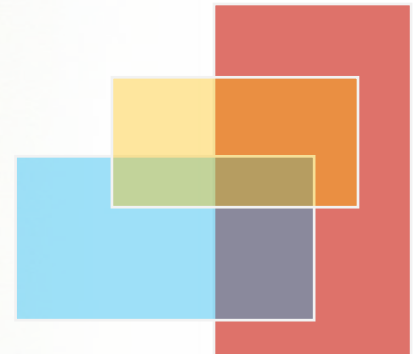


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<sup>8</sup> God blesses those whose hearts are pure, for they will see God.

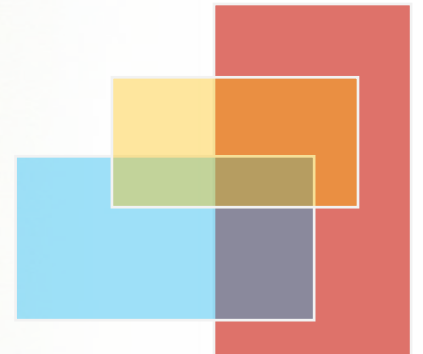
<sup>9</sup> God blesses those who work for peace, for they will be called the children of God.





# MATTHEW 5:10-11

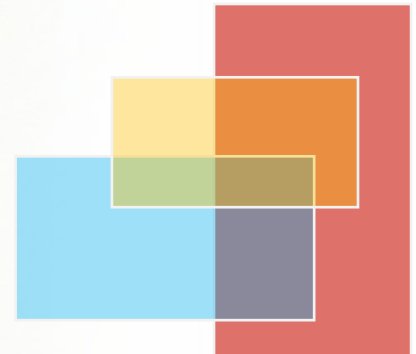
<sup>10</sup> God blesses those who are  
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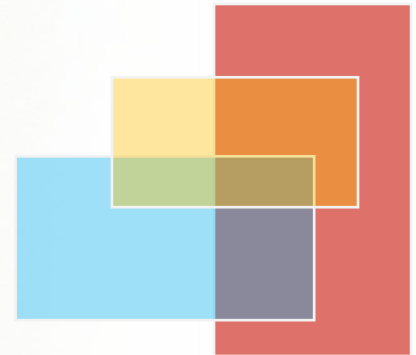
<sup>11</sup> “God blesses you when people mock you and persecute you and lie about you and say all sorts of evil things against you because you are my followers.





# MATTHEW 5:12

<sup>12</sup> Be happy about it! Be very glad! For a great reward awaits you in heaven. And remember, the ancient prophets were persecuted in the same way.







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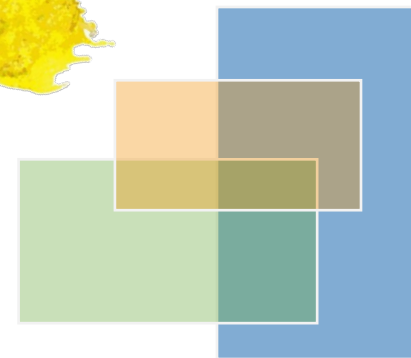


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Bring your  
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SHINE your  
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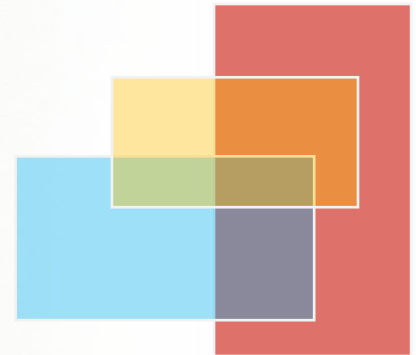
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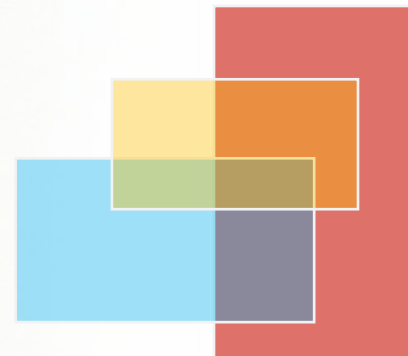






PSALMS 119:105

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