

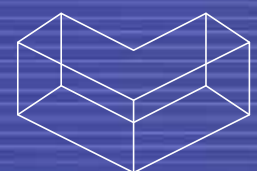
A *Jesus* PARADIGM

(PART 1)

1 CORINTHIANS 6:9-11



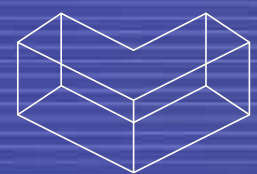
Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived. Neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, nor sodomites, ¹⁰ nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners will inherit the kingdom of God. ¹¹ And such were some of you. But you were washed, but you were sanctified, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus and by the Spirit of our God.



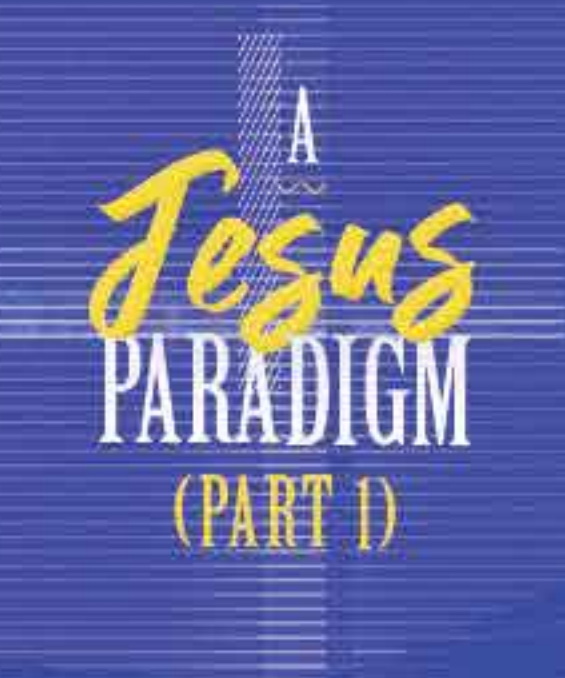
1 TIMOTHY 1:13



Although I was formerly a blasphemer,
a persecutor, and an insolent man;
but I obtained mercy because I did it
ignorantly in unbelief.



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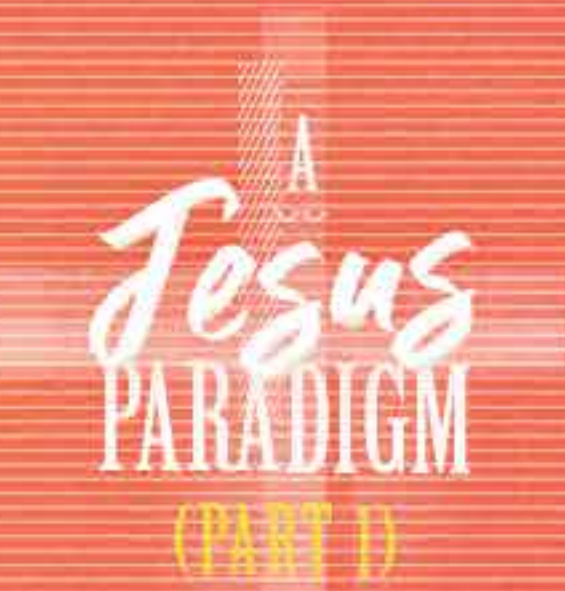
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HEAVEN'S CONCEPT OF *Justice*



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MATTHEW 5:38-42

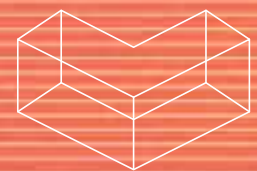


“You have heard that it was said, ‘An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.’ ³⁹ But I tell you not to resist an evil person. But whoever slaps you on your right cheek, turn the other to him also. ⁴⁰ If anyone wants to sue you and take away your tunic, let him have your cloak also. ⁴¹ And whoever compels you to go one mile, go with him two. ⁴² Give to him who asks you, and from him who wants to borrow from you do not turn away.



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PSALM 82:3-4

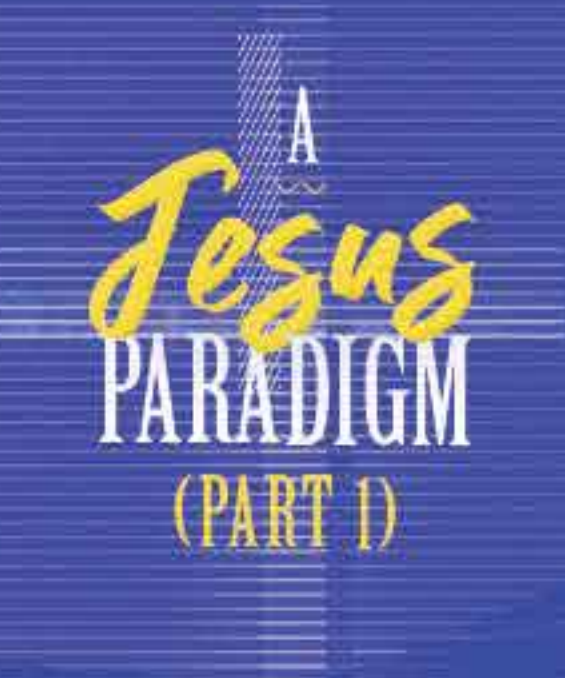
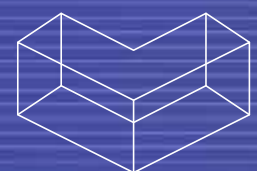


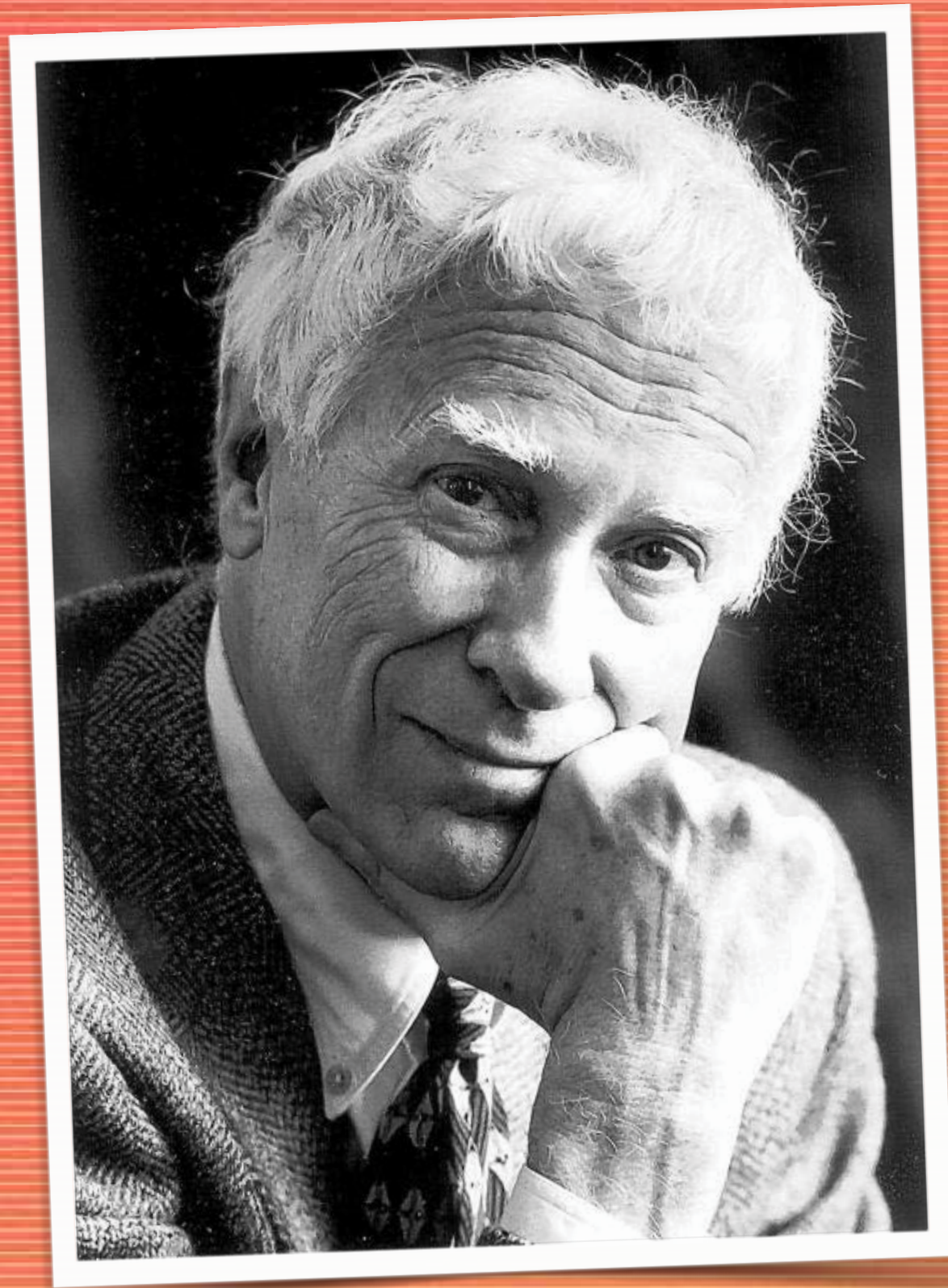
Defend the poor and fatherless; do justice to the afflicted and needy. ⁴ Deliver the poor and needy; free them from the hand of the wicked.

ISAIAH 1:17



Learn to do good; seek justice, rebuke the oppressor; defend the fatherless, plead for the widow.

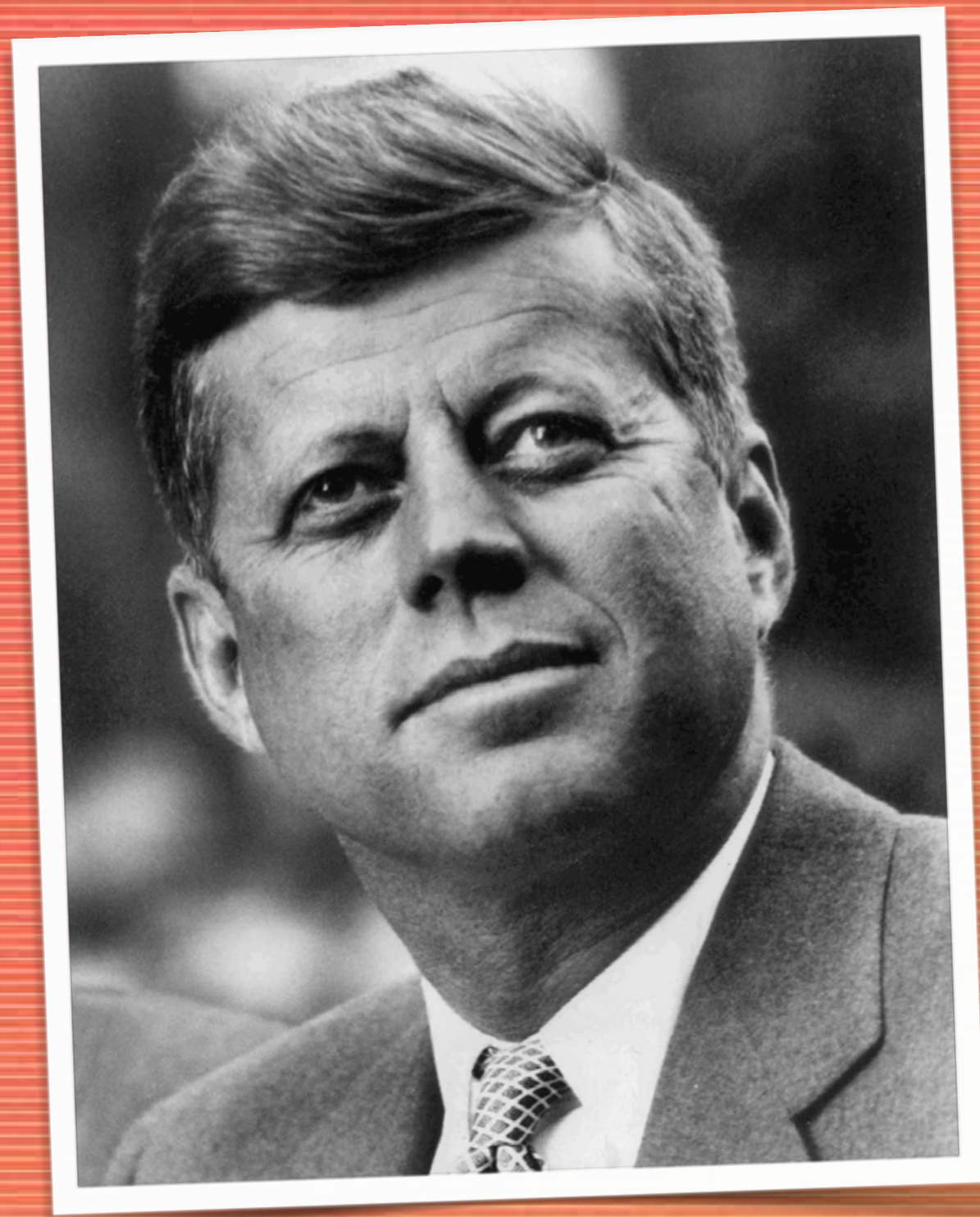




“All of us have great and equal worth: the worth of being made in the image of God and of being loved redemptively by God.”



NICHOLAS WOLTERSTORFF
Yale Philosopher



JOHN F. KENNEDY SPOKE OF

“The revolutionary beliefs for which our forebears fought,” that “the rights of man comes not from the generosity of the state, but from the hand of God.”



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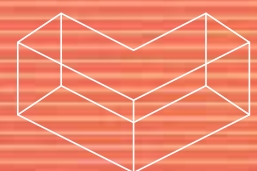
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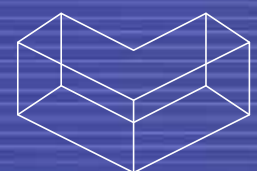
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1 CORINTHIANS 6:7-8



Now therefore, it is already an utter failure for you that you go to law against one another. Why do you not rather accept wrong? Why do you not rather let yourselves be cheated? ⁸ No, you yourselves do wrong and cheat, and you do these things to your brethren!



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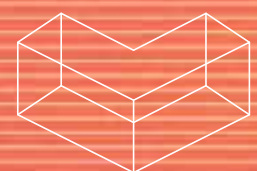
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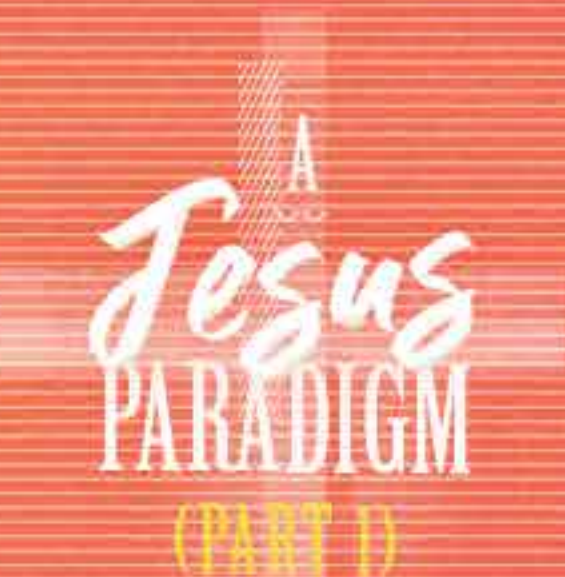
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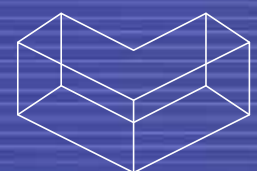
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MATTHEW 11:28-29



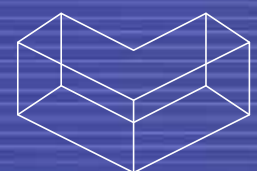
Come to Me, all you who labour and are
heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
²⁹ Take My yoke upon you and learn from
Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart,
and you will find rest for your souls.



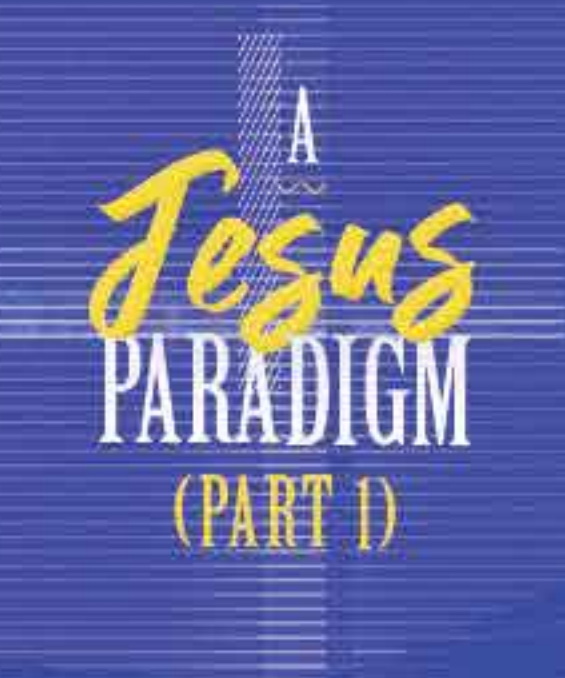
MATTHEW 5:5

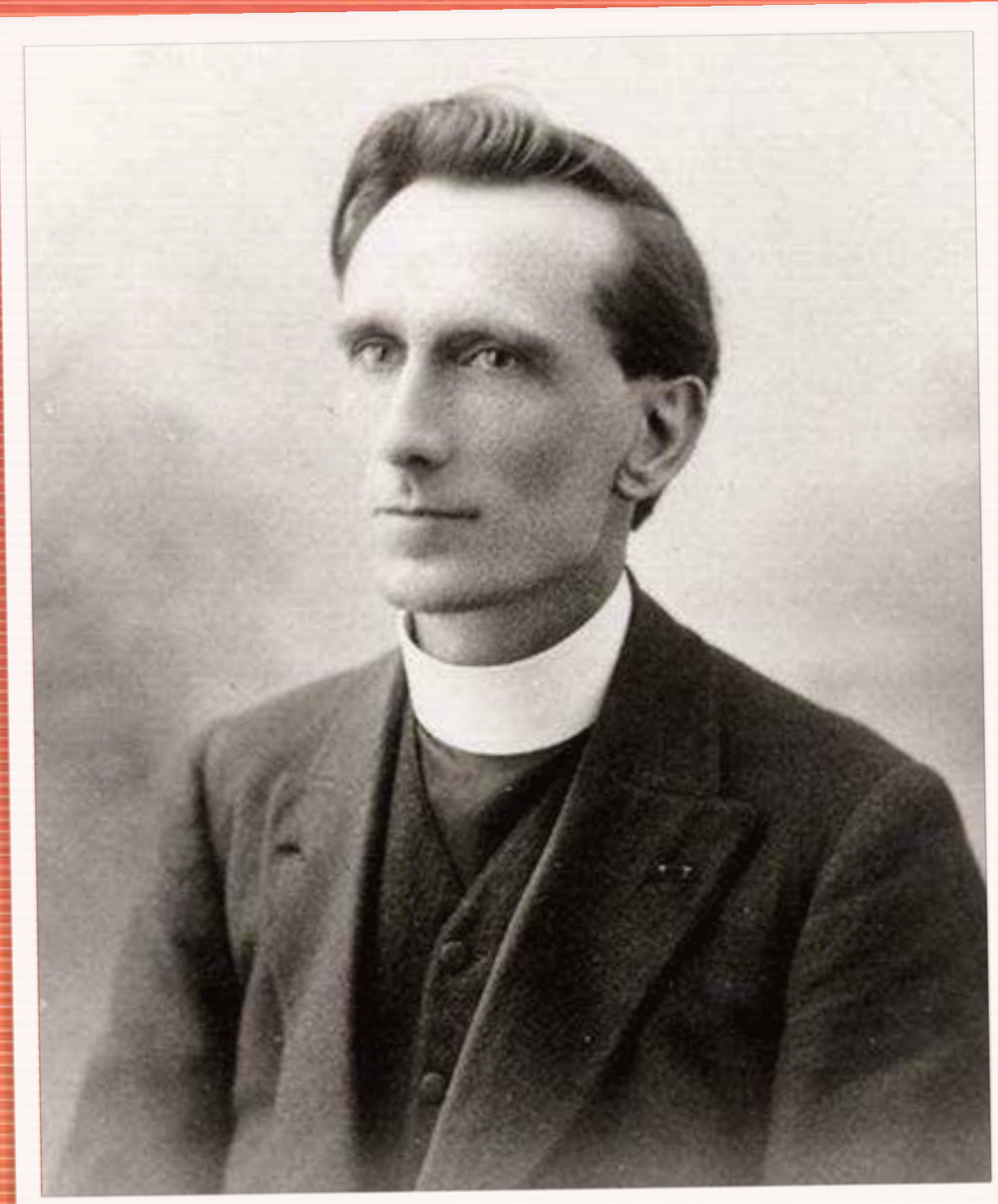


Blessed are the meek,
For they shall inherit the earth.



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“The only right a Christian has, is the right to give up his rights.”



OSWALD CHAMBERS

MICAH 6:8



He has shown you, O man, what is good;
And what does the LORD require of you
but to do justly, To love mercy, and to walk
humbly with your God?

