

And Elijah the Tishbite, of the inhabitants of Gilead, said to Ahab, "As the Lord God of Israel lives, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, except at my word."

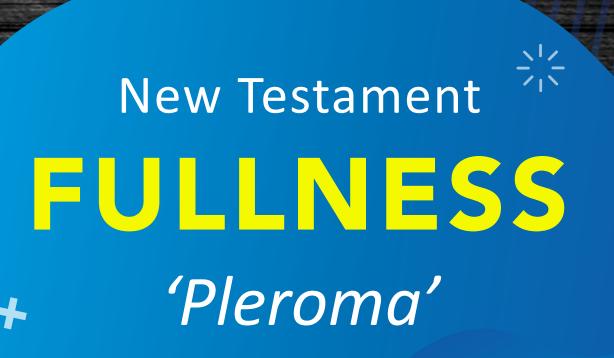
1 Kings 17:1





The concept of 'fullness' is replete right through the Bible and in nature as well.

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It means to be

OVERFLOWING





A BABY IS BIRTHED only when full-term is reached.

When a CLOUD IS FULL OF RAIN, it empties itself on the earth.

When the DAY OF PENTECOST was fully come, there came a sound of heaven like a rushing mighty wind.

In the FULLNESS OF TIME, God sent forth His Son.

When the NET IS FULL, it is hauled in.

When the number of the **GENTILES COME TO A FULLNESS**, then and only then, will all Israel be saved.

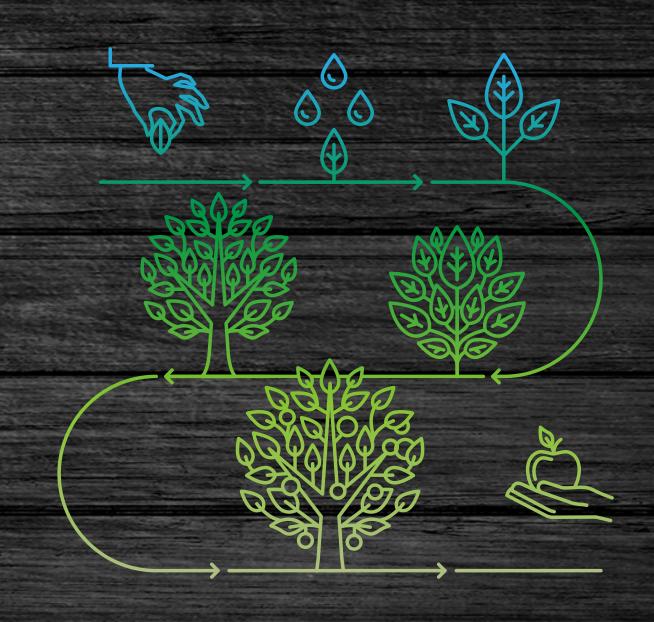
When SIN REACHES ITS FULLNESS, judgment becomes inevitable.





## The CYCLE OF NATURE

is something for us to consider, because *everything*, when it comes to its fullness will eventually *produce fruit*.









For the earth yields crops by itself: first the blade, then the head, after that the full grain in the head. <sup>29</sup> But when the grain ripens, immediately the farmer puts in the sickle, because the harvest has come.

Mark 4:28-29





## Of His fullness we have all received, and grace for grace.

John 1:16





And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and signs among the people.

Acts 6:8





But he, being full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God...

Acts 7:55





For he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were added to the Lord.

Acts 11:24





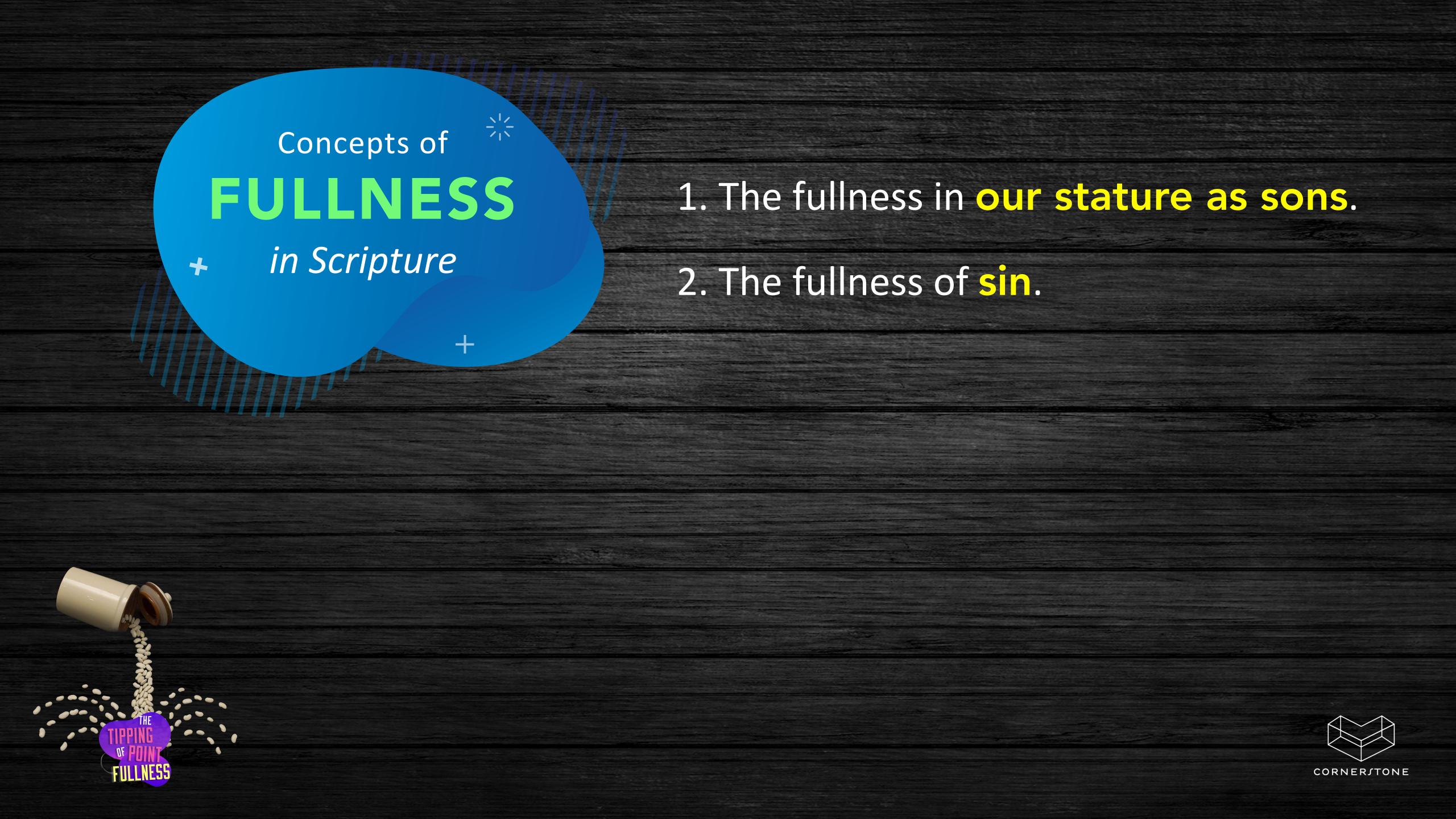


Till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ...

Ephesians 4:13







Let no one say when he is tempted, "I am tempted by God"; for God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He Himself tempt anyone. <sup>14</sup> But each one is tempted when he is drawn away by his own desires and enticed. <sup>15</sup> Then, when desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, brings forth death.





But in the fourth generation they shall return here, for the iniquity of the Amorites is not yet complete.

Genesis 15:16







- 1. The fullness in our stature as sons.
- 2. The fullness of sin.
- 3. The fullness of time.





## But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son...

Galatians 4:4







in Scripture

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- 3. The fullness of time.
- 4. The fullness of numbers.





Now if their fall is riches for the world, and their failure riches for the Gentiles, how much more their fullness!

Romans 11:12

That blindness in part has happened to Israel until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in.

And so all Israel will be saved...

Romans 11:25a-26





Concepts of \*\*

FULLNESS

in Scripture

- 1. The fullness in our stature as sons.
- 2. The fullness of sin.
- 3. The fullness of time.
- 4. The fullness of numbers.
- 5. The fullness of fatherhood.





I write to you, little children, because your sins are forgiven you for His name's sake. <sup>13</sup> I write to you, fathers, because you have known Him who is from the beginning. I write to you, young men, because you have overcome the wicked one. I write to you, little children, because you have known the Father.



1 John 2:12-14

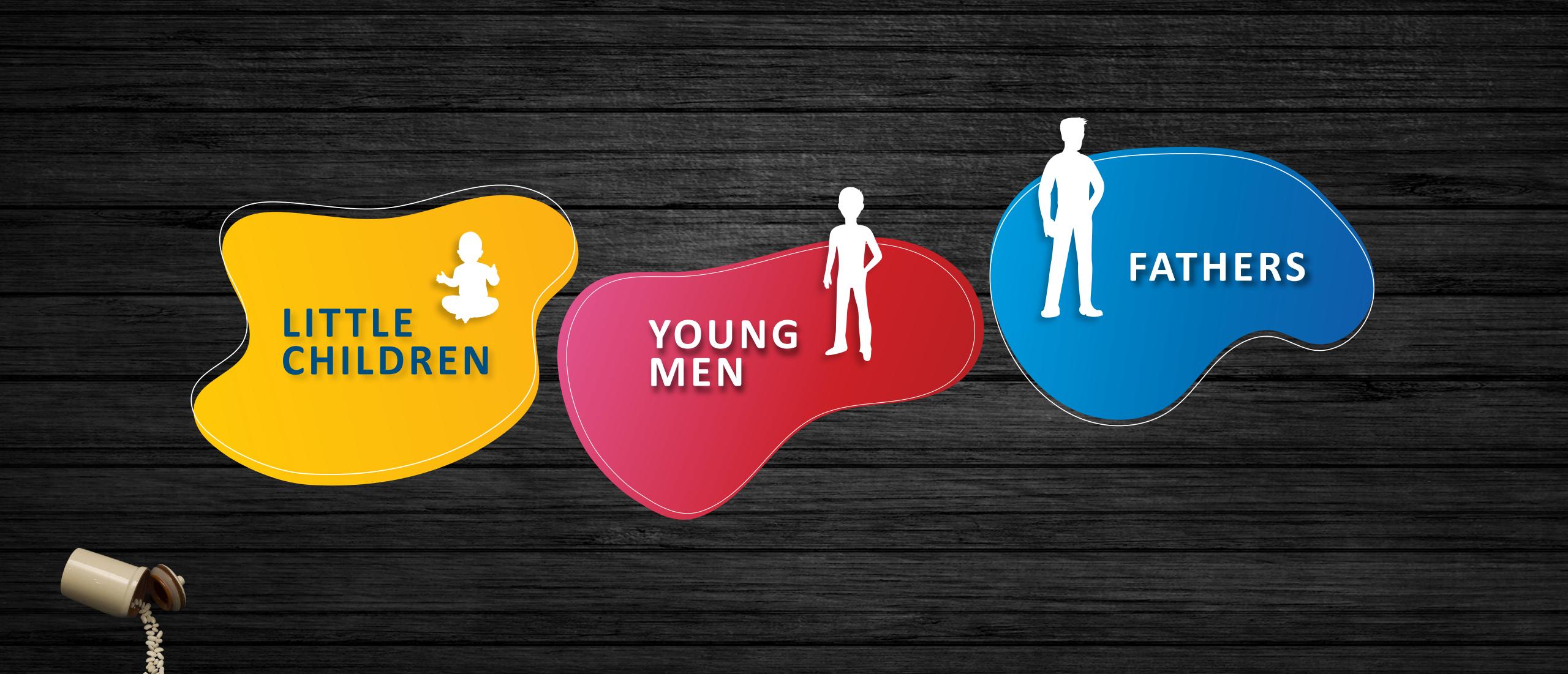


<sup>14</sup> I have written to you, fathers, because you have known Him who is from the beginning. I have written to you, young men, because you are strong, and the Word of God abides in you, And you have overcome the wicked one.

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- 6. The fullness of love.





## Love does no harm to a neighbour; therefore love is the fulfilment of the law.

Romans 13:10



