



# The Long and Winding Road



**Isaiah 6**

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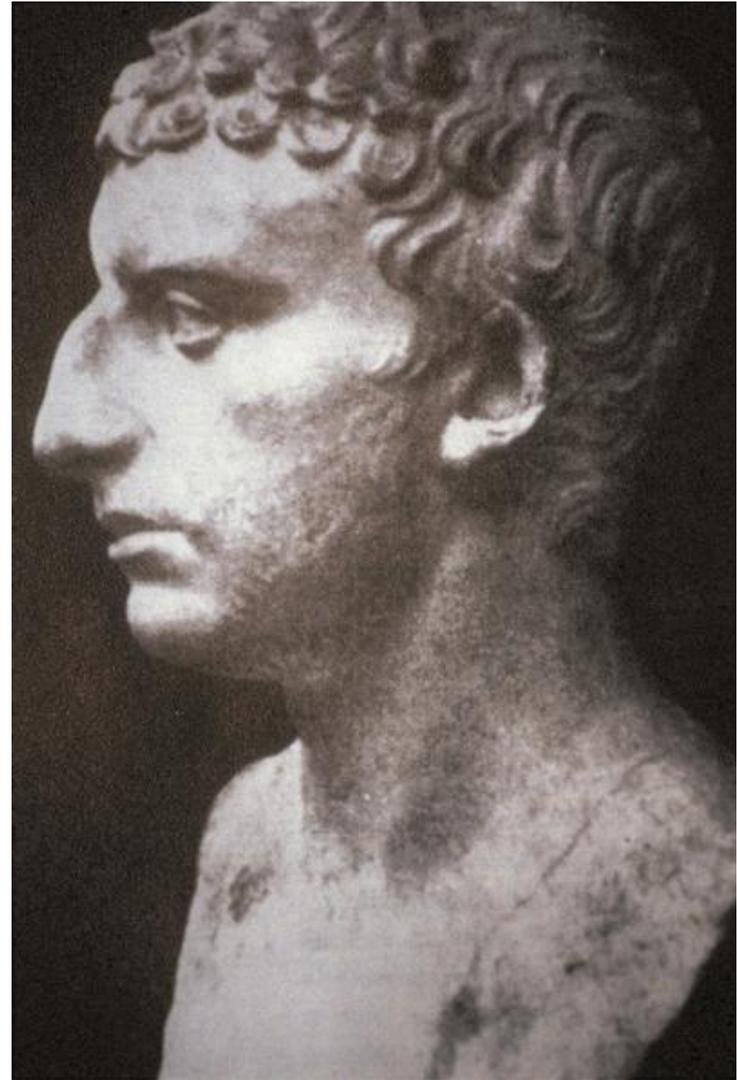
**Uzziah/Azzariah  
served the Lord  
(2 Kgs. 15:1-5)**



**But growing  
strong over the  
decades, had an  
affect...  
(2 Chron. 26)**

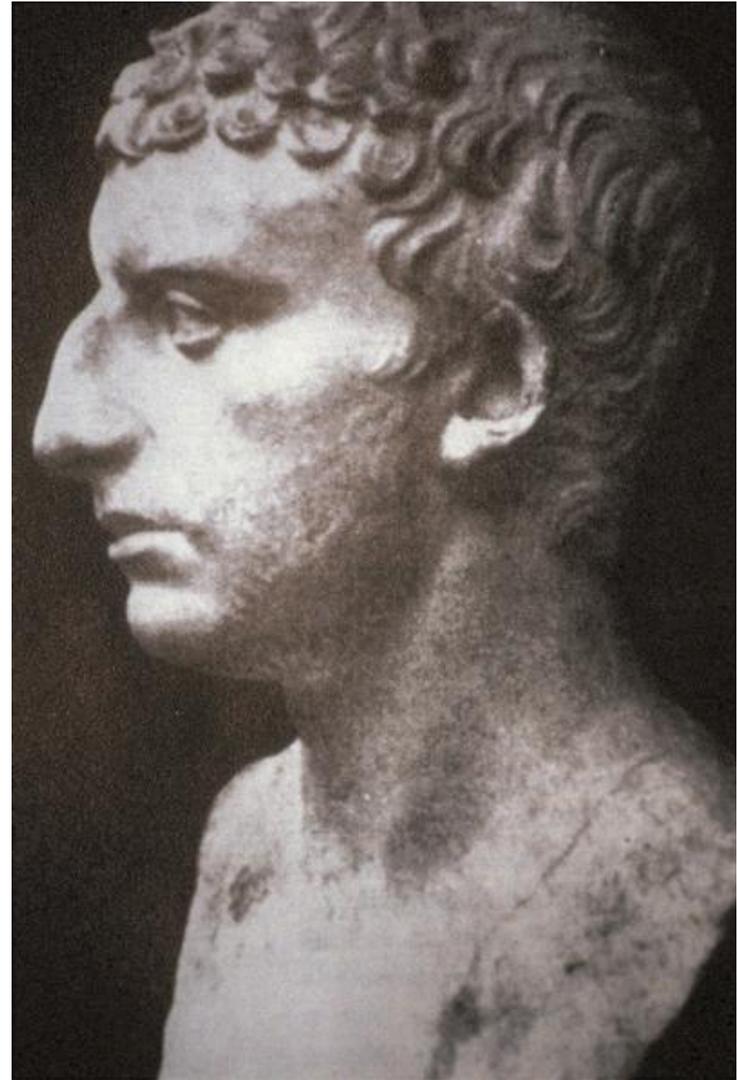


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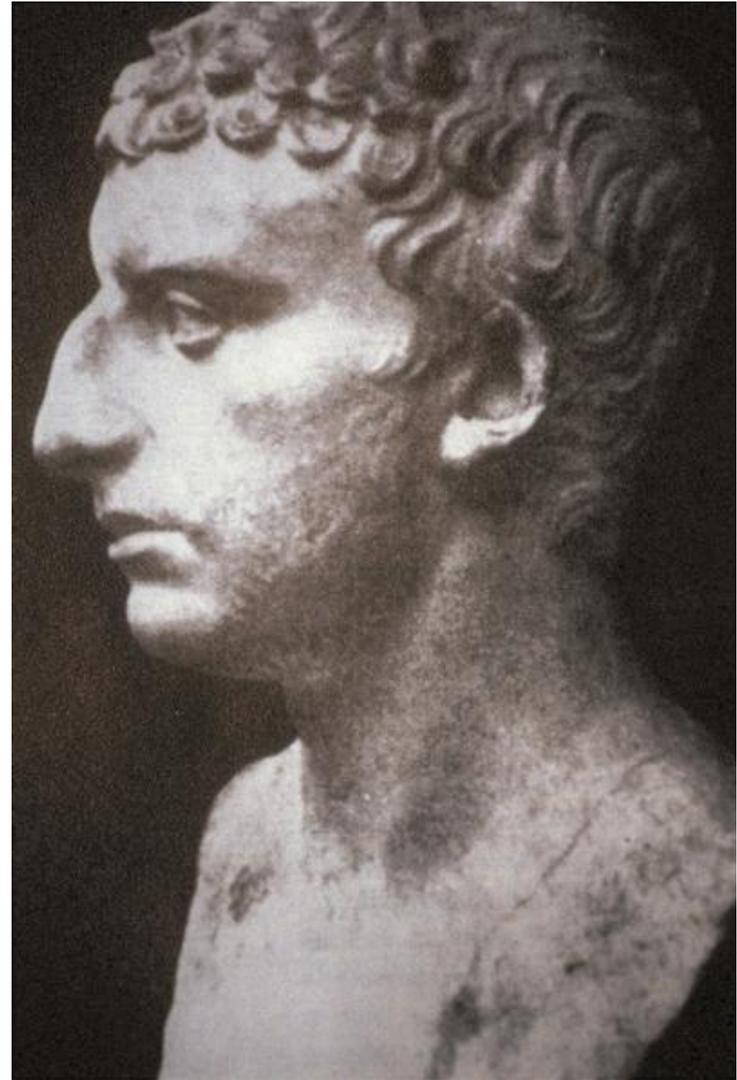
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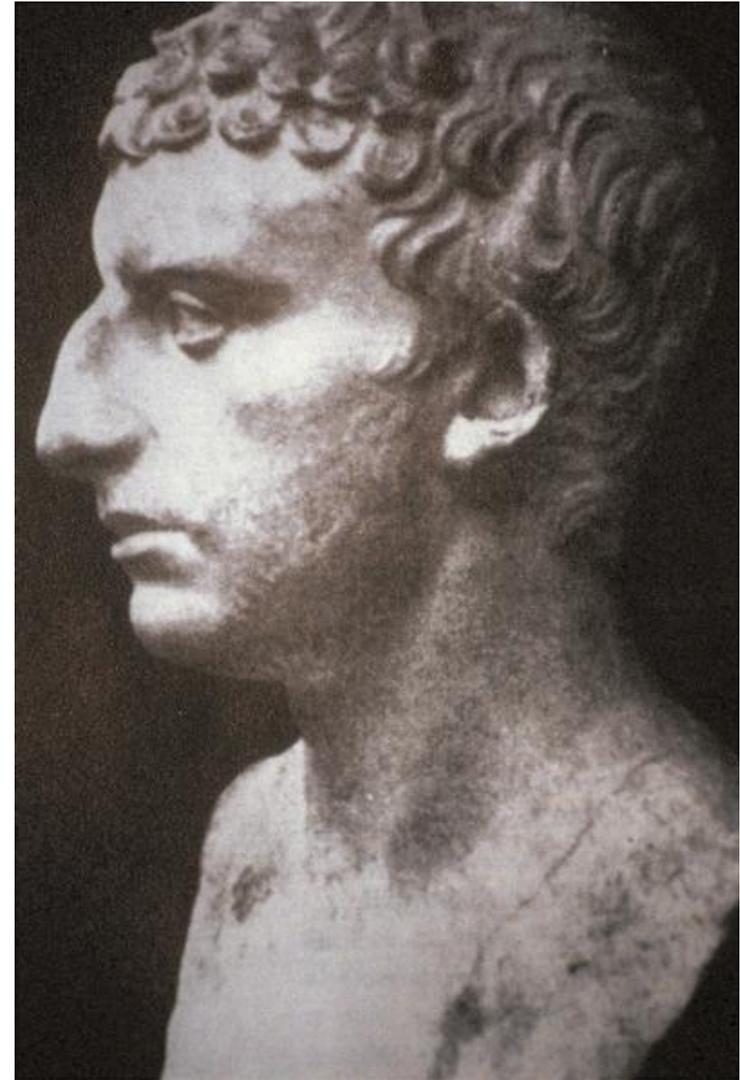
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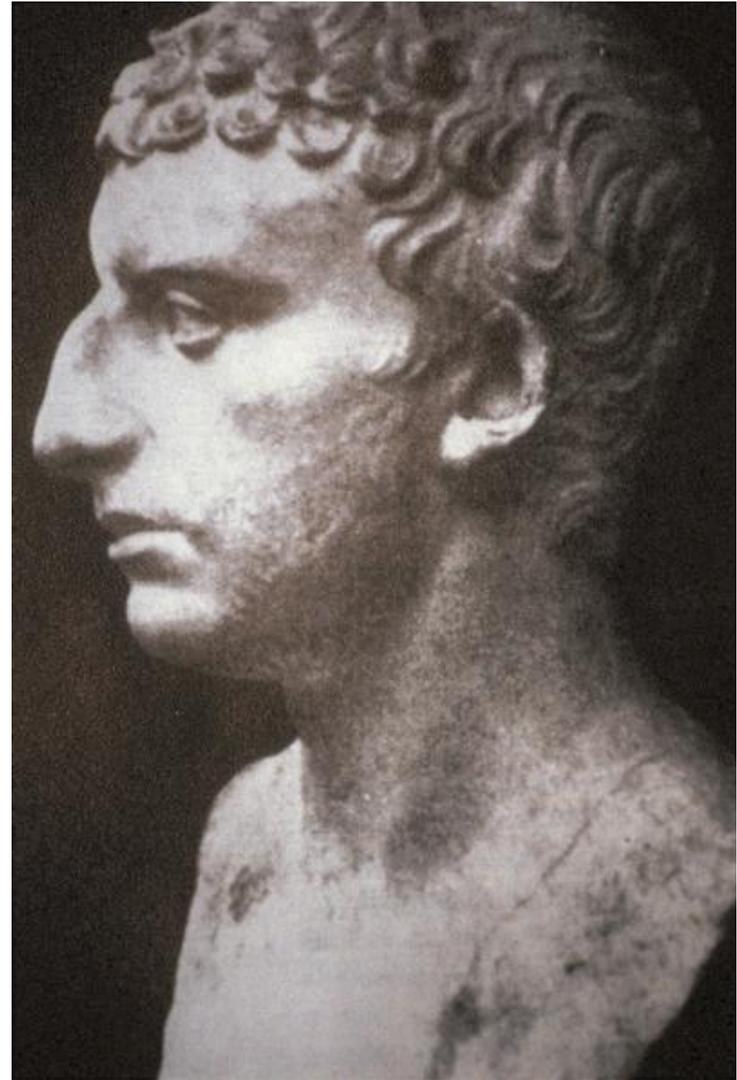
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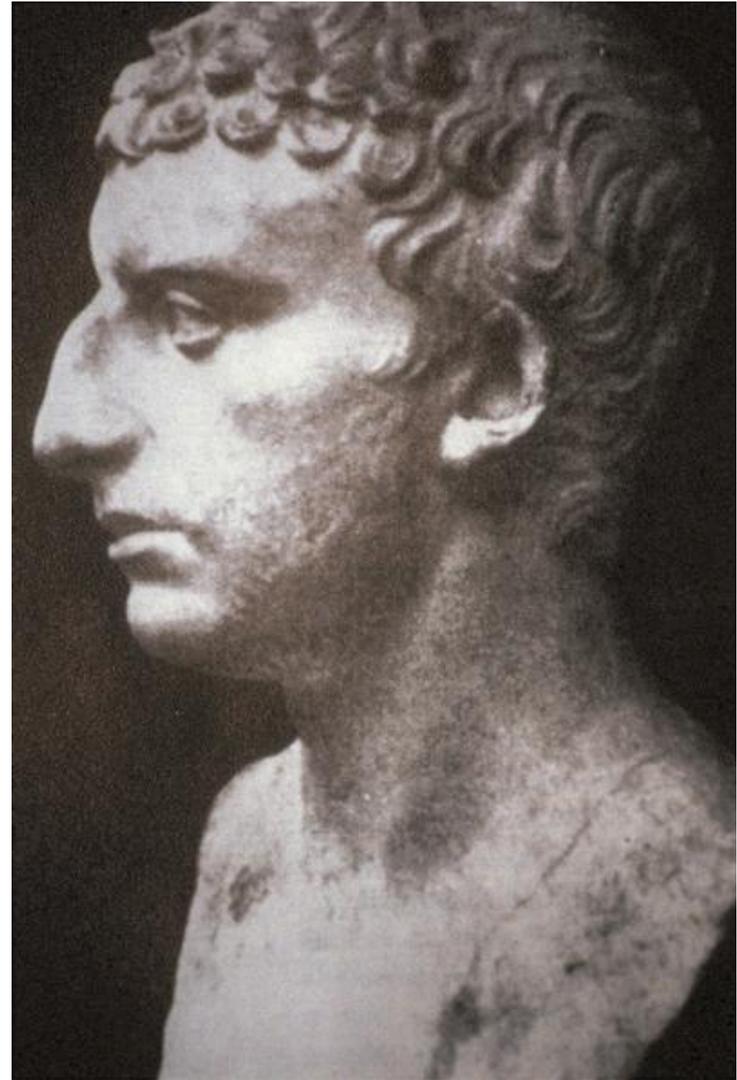
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**ZECH. 14:5 - And you shall flee as you fled from the earthquake in the days of Uzziah king of Judah**

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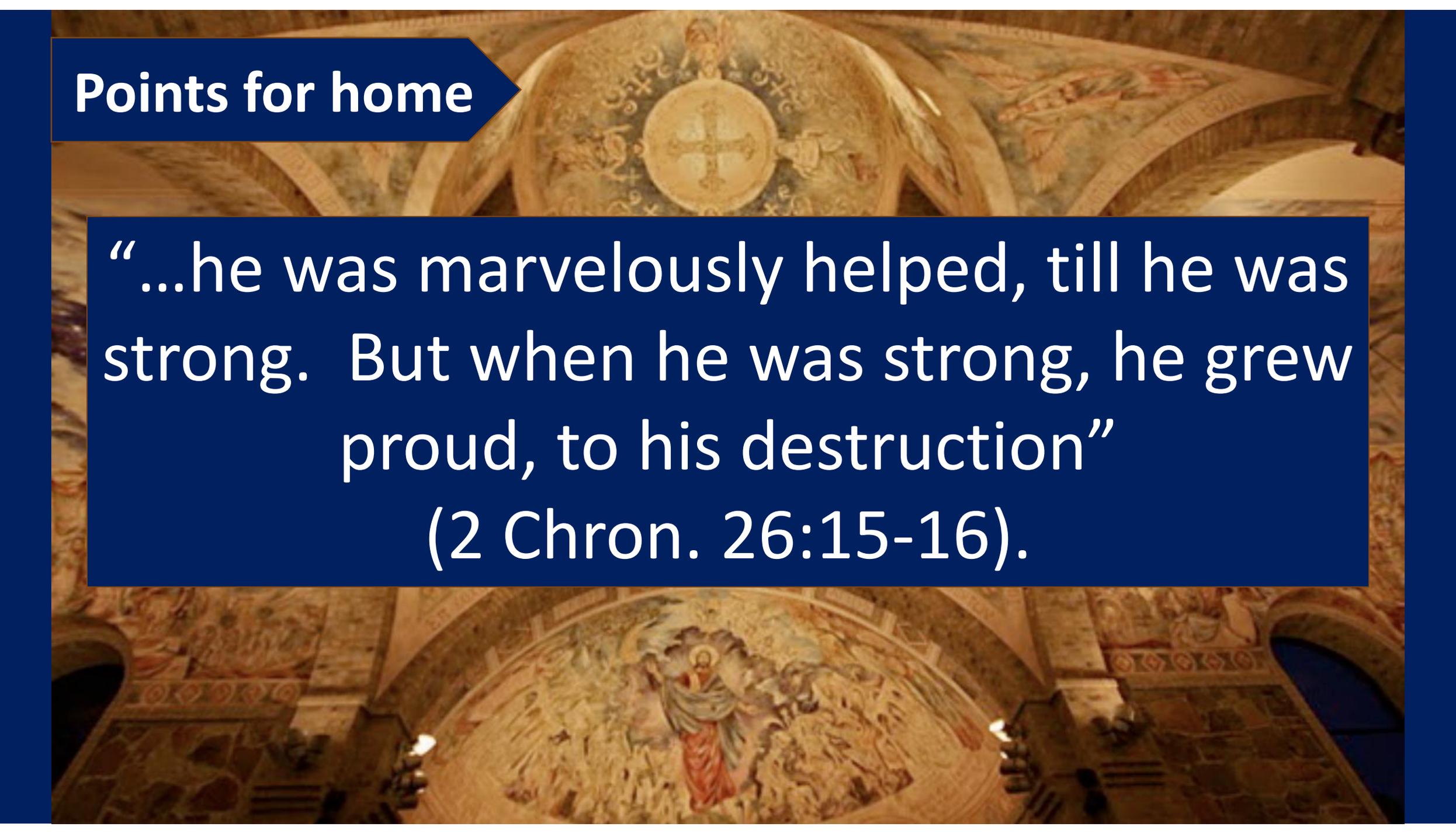
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**The sacrifice isn't  
in doubt after  
John's revelation  
(Rev. 5:1-14)**



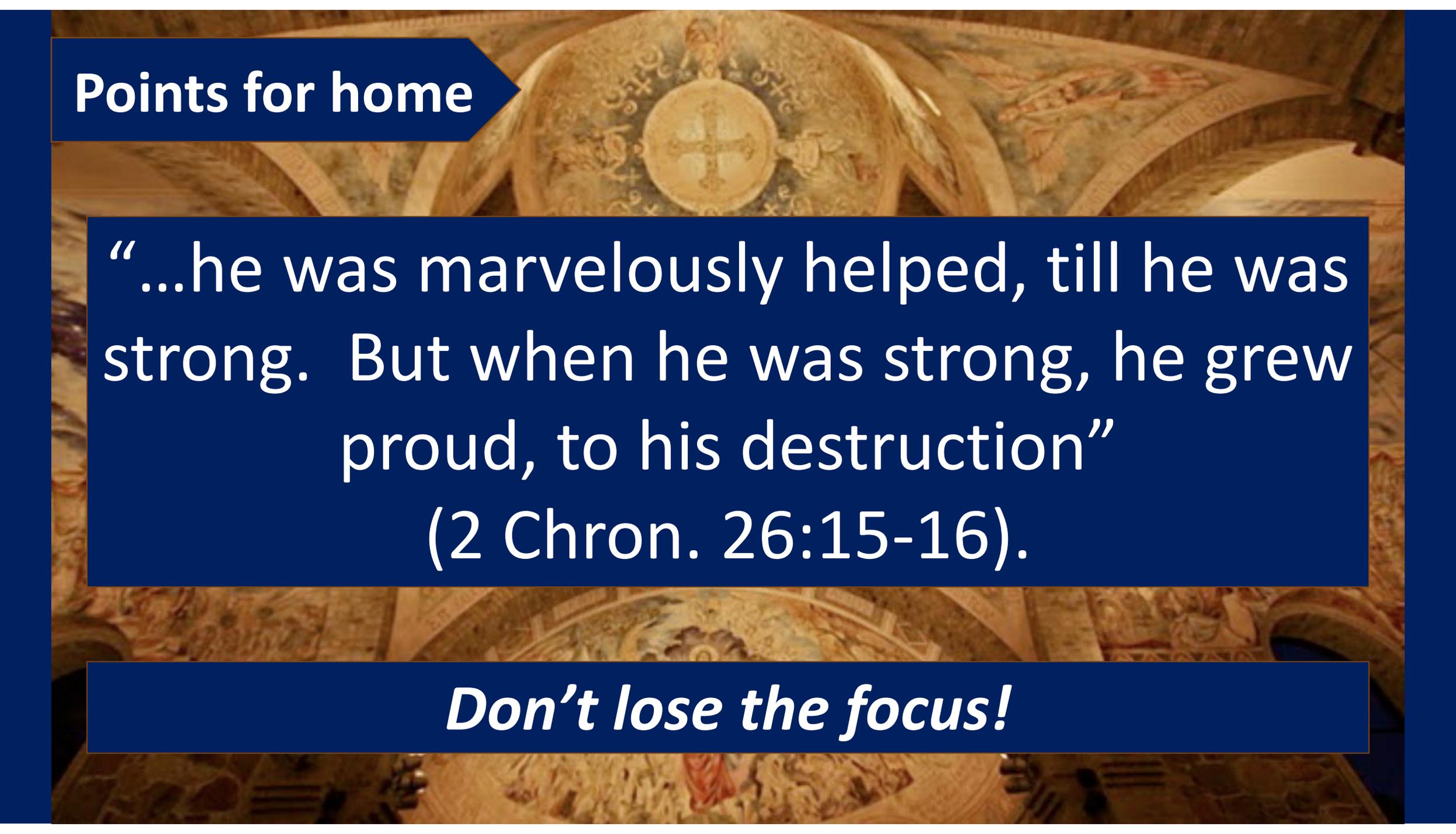
# Points for home



The background of the slide is a photograph of the interior of a large, ancient church. The most prominent feature is a massive dome with a central fresco depicting a figure, possibly Christ Pantocrator, surrounded by a cross and other religious symbols. The walls and arches are covered in detailed frescoes and mosaics, showing various scenes and figures. The lighting is warm and focused on the central dome, creating a sense of depth and grandeur.

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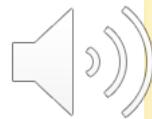
***Don't lose the focus!***

***Oh Lord You're Beautiful***



**Keith Green**

***Your face is all I see,***



**Keith Green**

***For when your eyes are on  
this child,***



**Keith Green**

***Your grace abounds to me*** 



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***I want to take your word  
and shine it all around***



**Keith Green**

***But first help me to just,  
live it Lord***



**Keith Green**

*And when I'm doing well,  
help me to never seek a  
crown*



**Keith Green**

***For my reward is giving  
glory to you***



**Keith Green**

***Oh Lord, please  
light the fire***



**Keith Green**

***That once burned  
bright and clean***



**Keith Green**

***Replace the lamp of  
my first love***



**Keith Green**

***That burns with holy fear*** 



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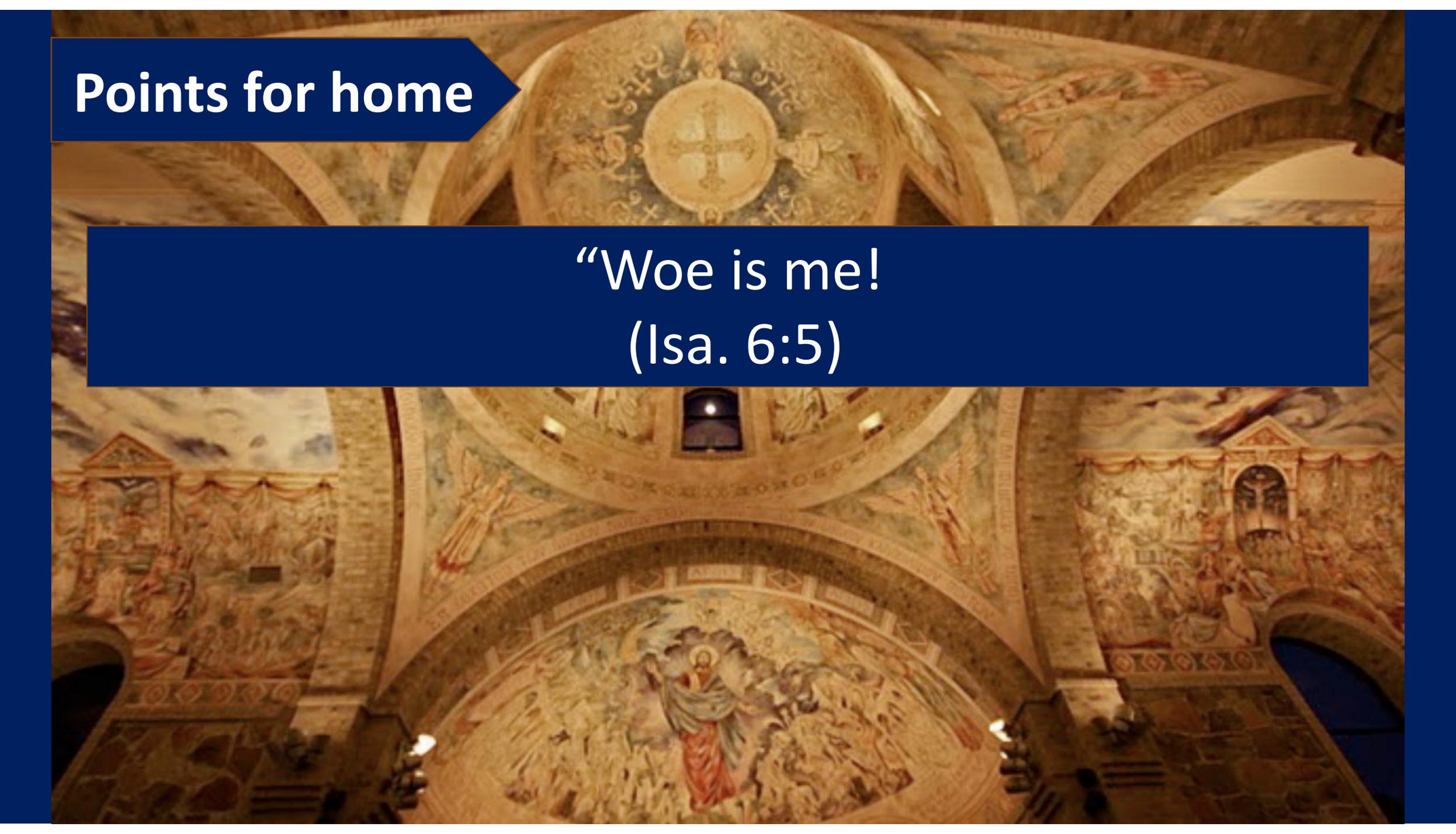


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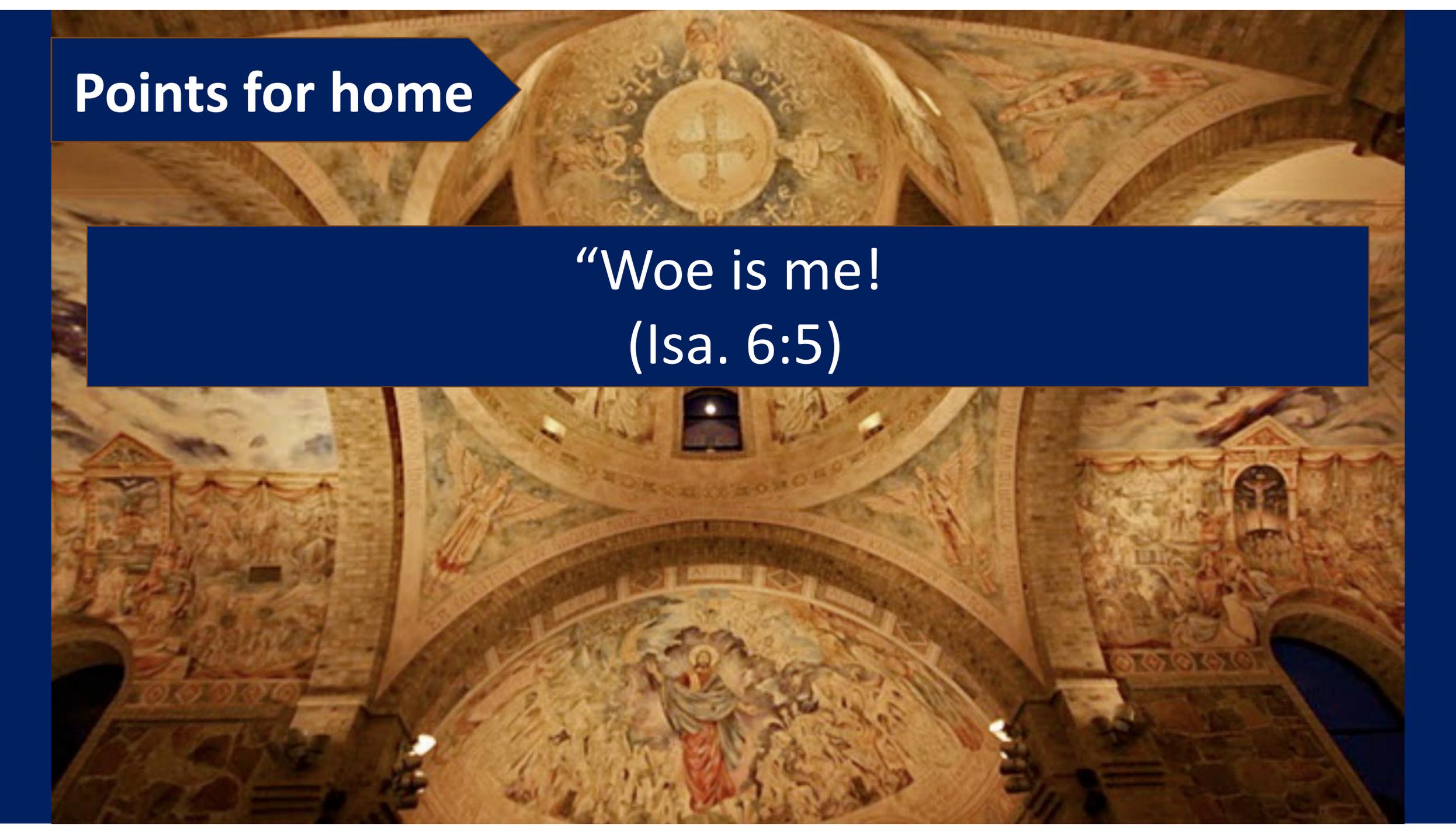
*May God be my help and strength*

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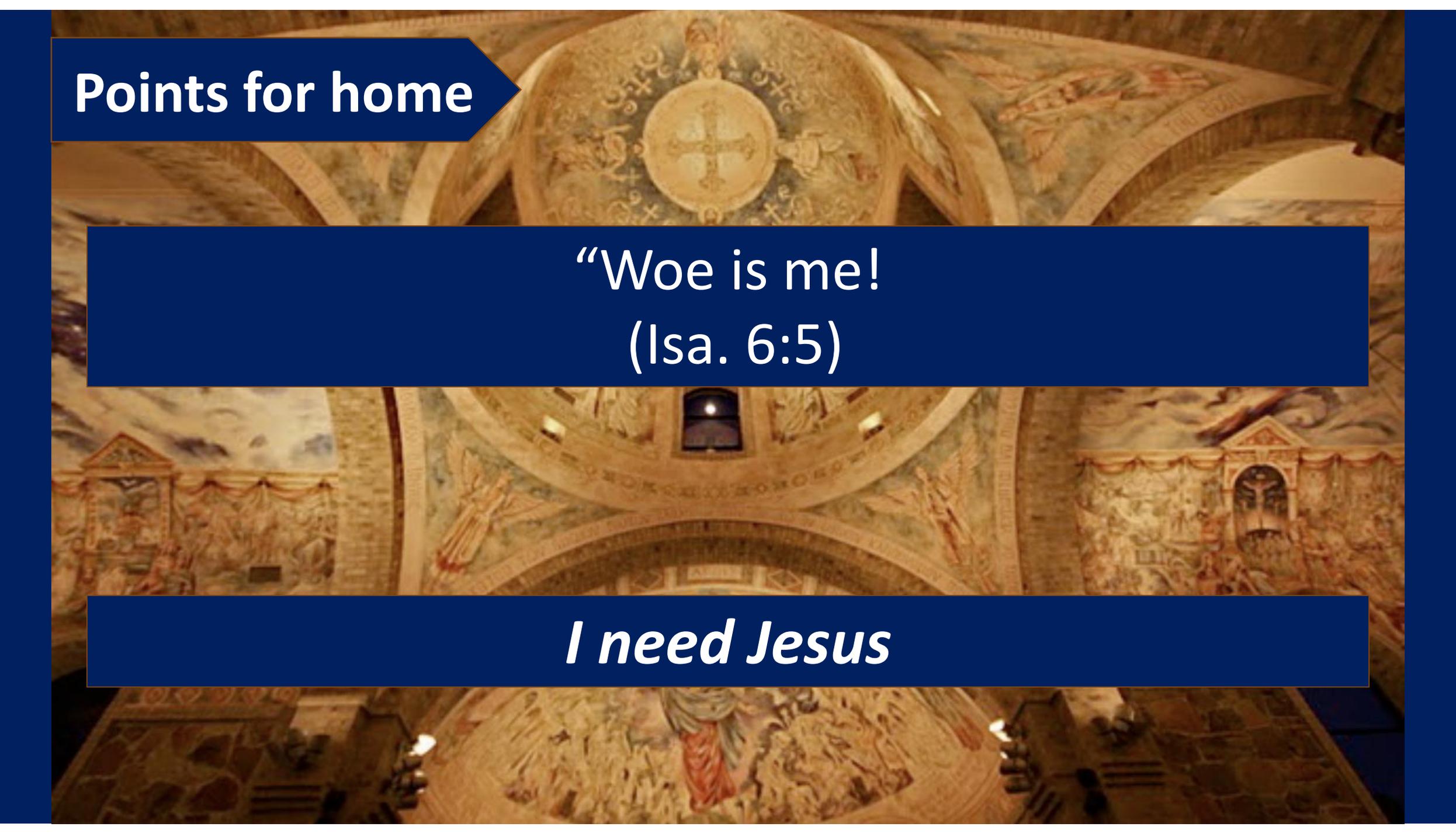
The background image shows the interior of a large, domed church, likely the Hagia Sophia in Istanbul. The architecture is characterized by its massive pendentives and arches. The walls and ceiling are covered in extensive mosaics and frescoes. A prominent feature is a large central dome with a mosaic of a cross and figures. Below it, a smaller dome contains a mosaic of a seated figure, possibly a saint or the Virgin Mary. The floor is made of dark stone tiles with geometric patterns. The lighting is warm and focused on the central dome.

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(Isa. 6:5)

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The background of the slide is a photograph of the interior of a large, domed church, likely the Hagia Sophia in Istanbul. The image shows the upper portion of the nave, with a series of arches and a large dome. The walls and ceiling are covered in intricate mosaics and frescoes. A prominent feature is a large circular mosaic in the center of the dome, depicting a cross. The lighting is warm and golden, highlighting the details of the artwork.

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The background of the slide is a photograph of the interior of a church, likely the Basilica of San Marco in Venice. It features a large, ornate dome with a central cross and surrounding frescoes. The architecture is characterized by its golden mosaics and detailed carvings. The lighting is warm, highlighting the textures of the stone and the colors of the artwork.

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*I need Jesus*