





# GALATIANS

A Letter of Grace





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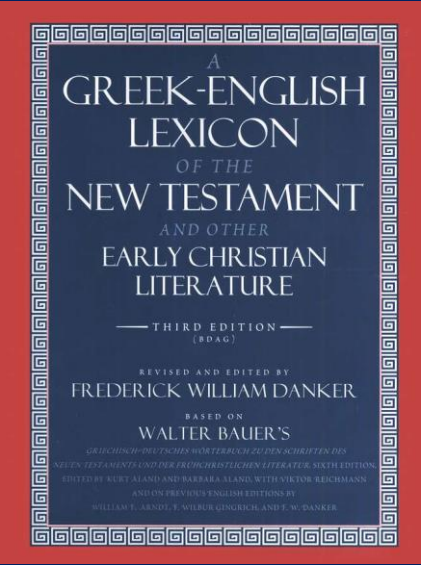
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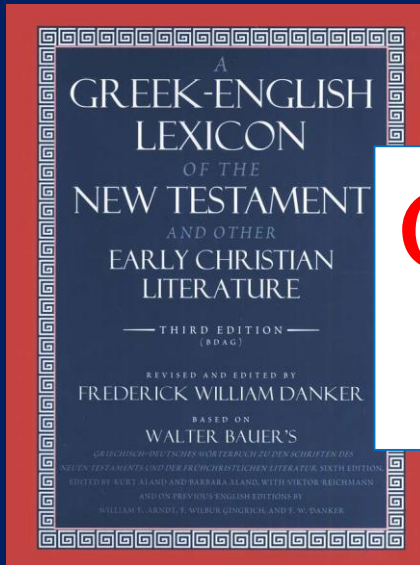
## The Power and Sanctity of the Gospel





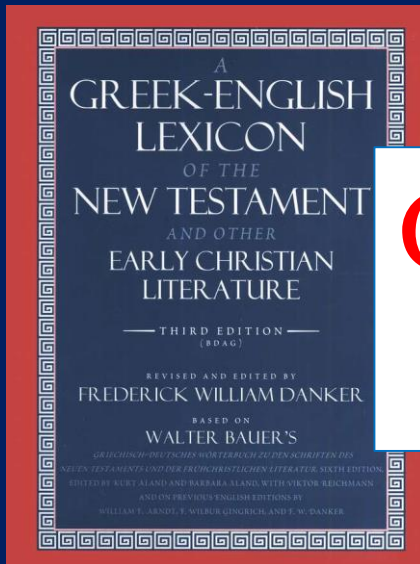




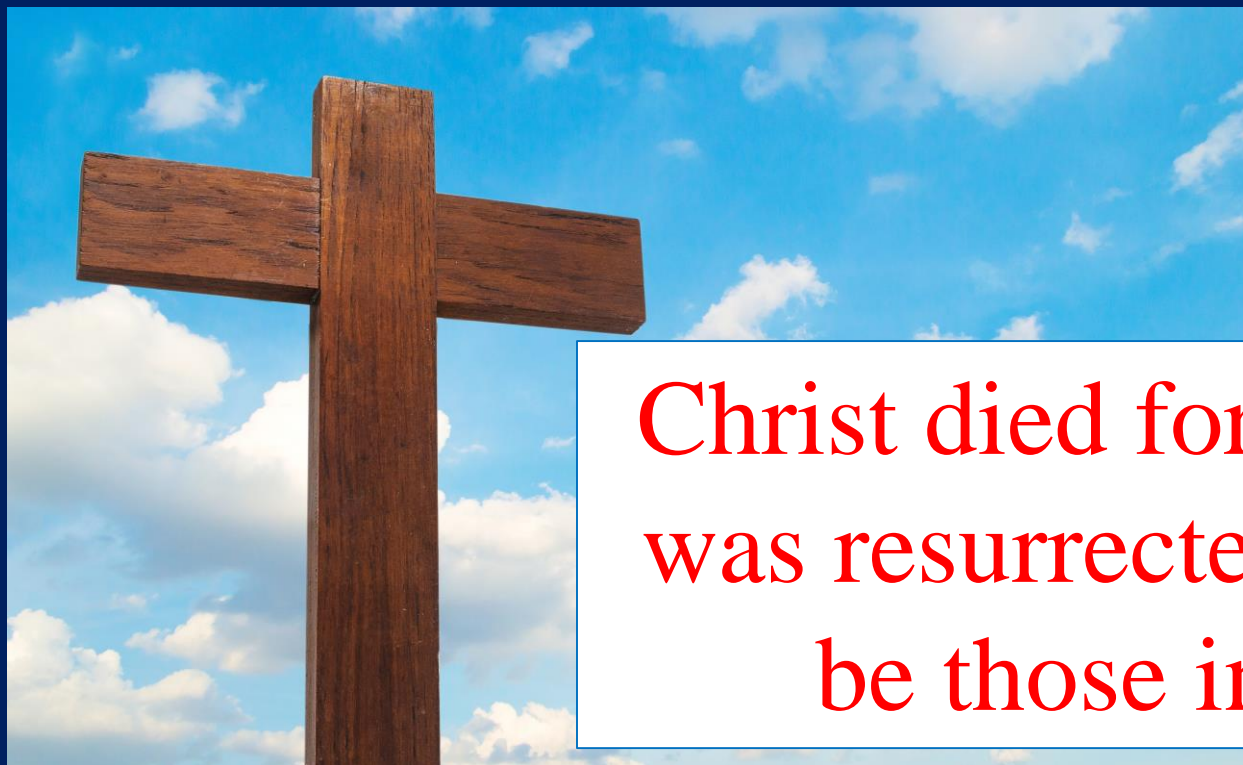


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The Authentic Gospel  
(1:11-24)



# Autobiography

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self



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A diagram illustrating the components of the word 'Autobiography'. Two arrows point from the word down to the words 'self' and 'life'. The arrow from 'Auto' points to 'self', and the arrow from 'biography' points to 'life'.

self

life

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graph TD; A[Autobiography] --> B[self]; A --> C[life]; A --> D[printed or written];
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20% of Galatians is Autobiography

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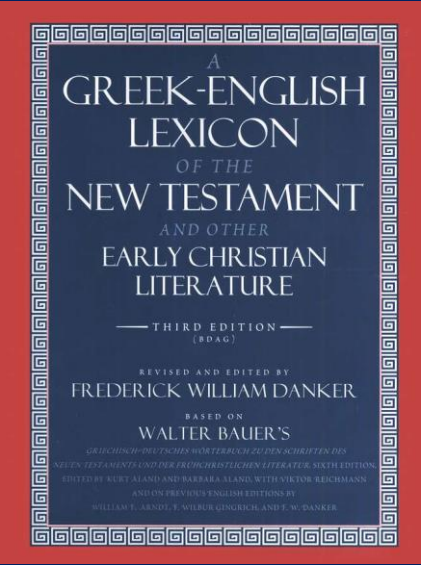
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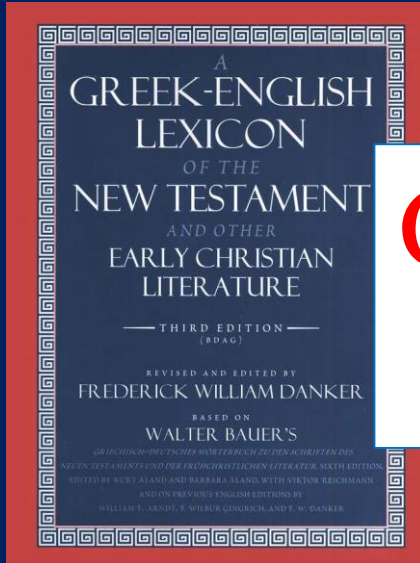
**Title Of Your Autobiography?**

**Paul's: Changed by God and the True Gospel**



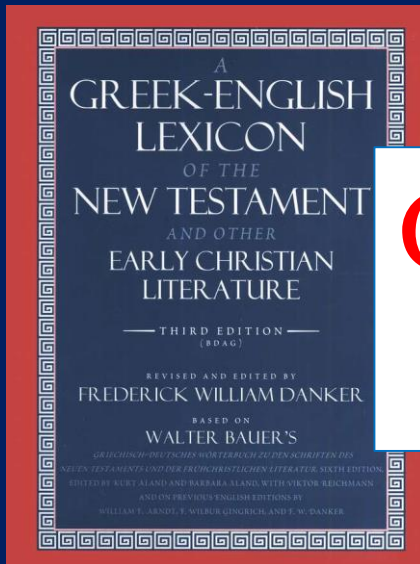




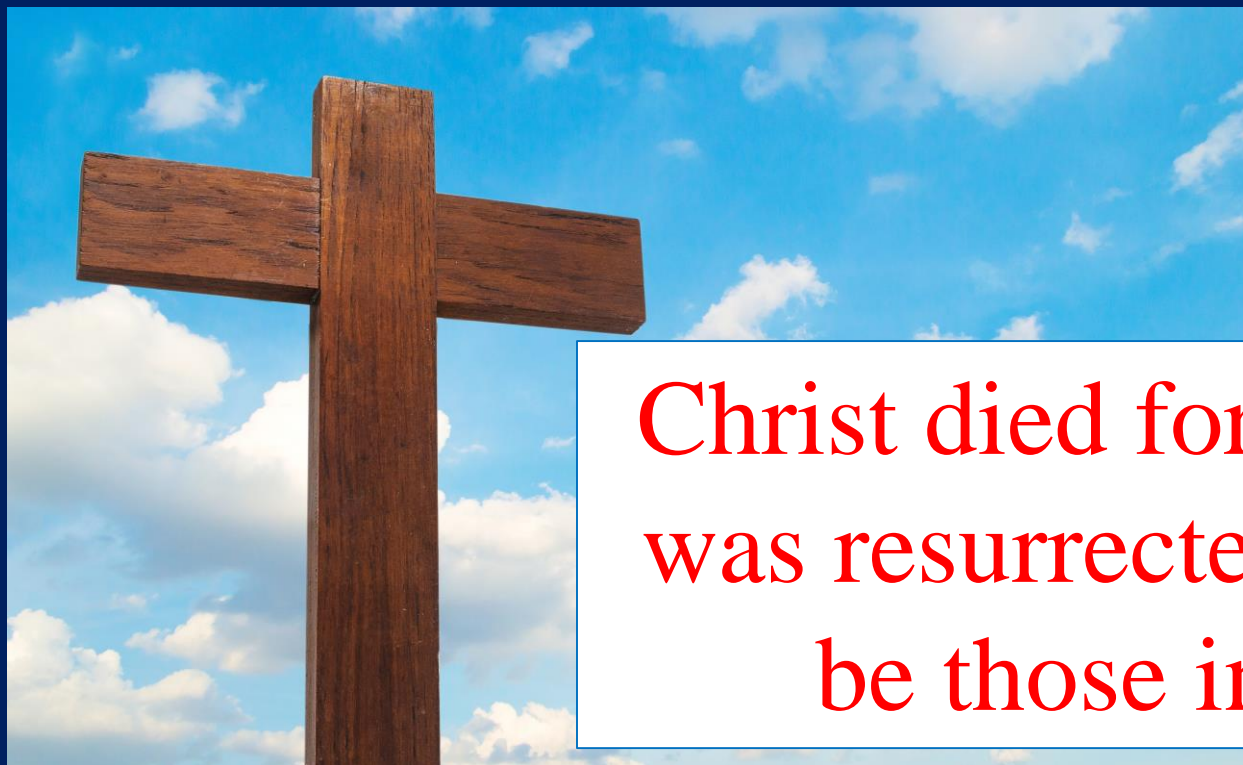


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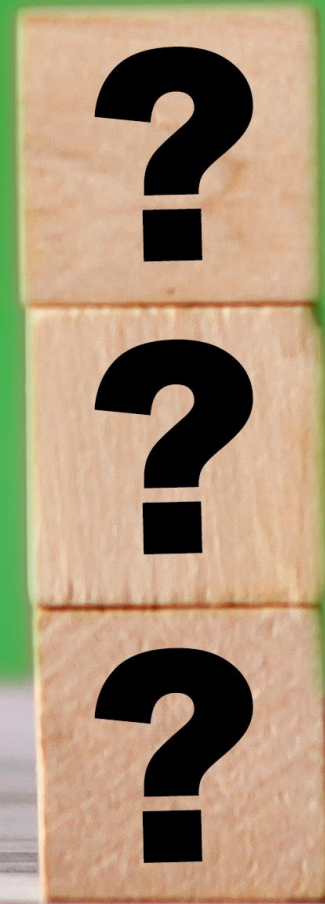




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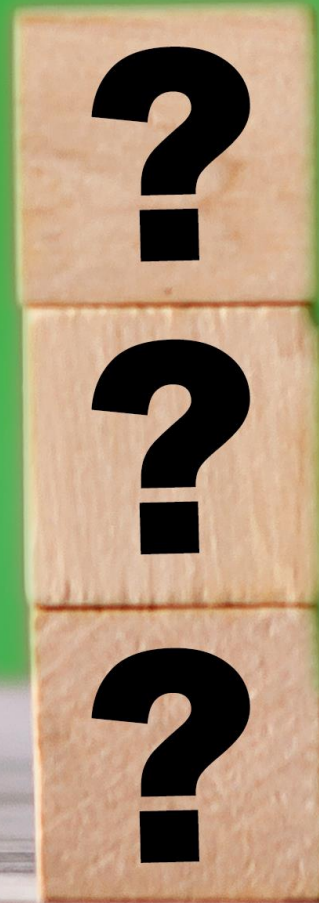


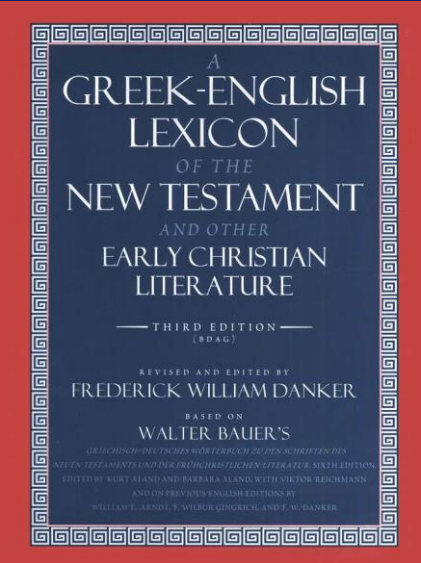
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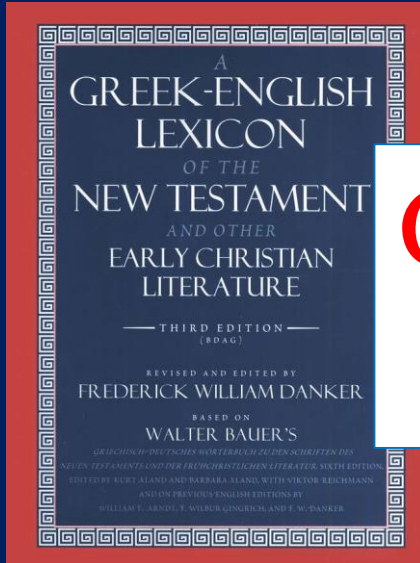


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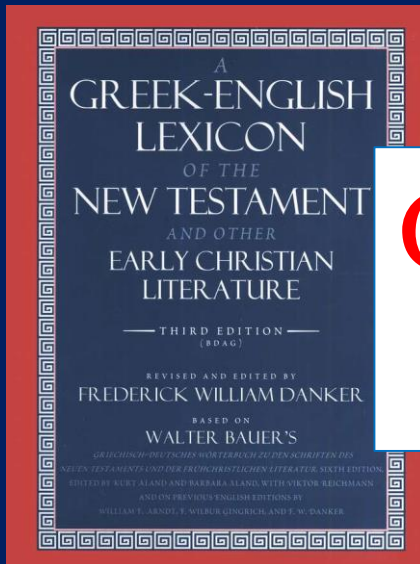




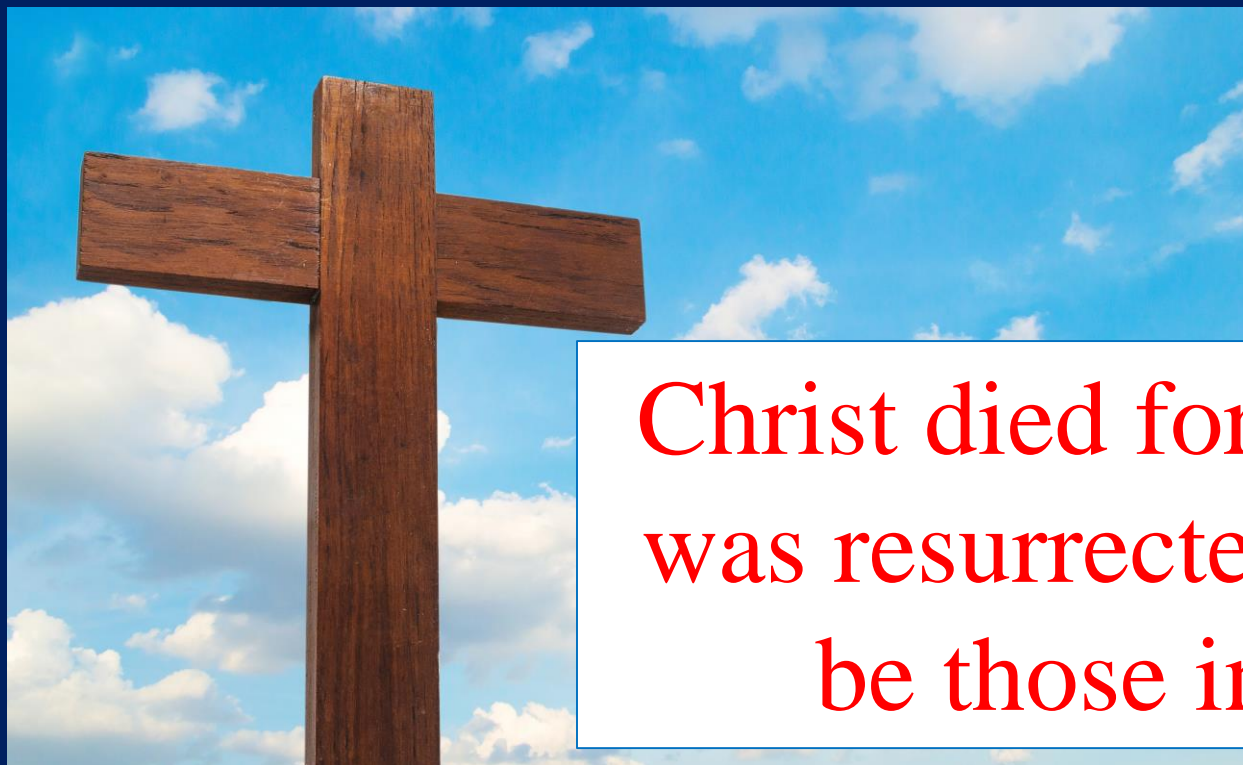




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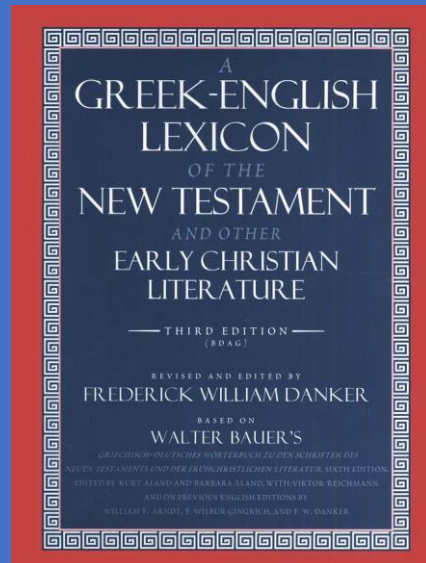


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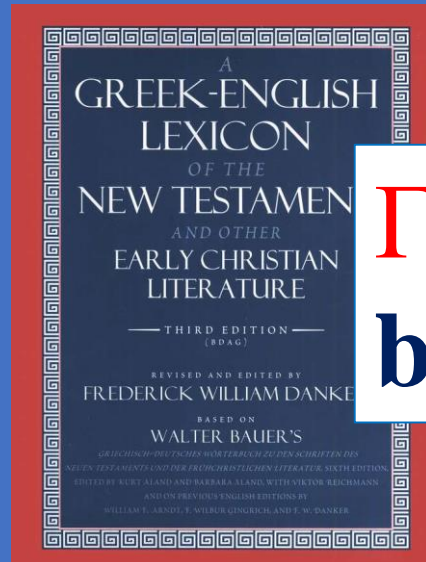
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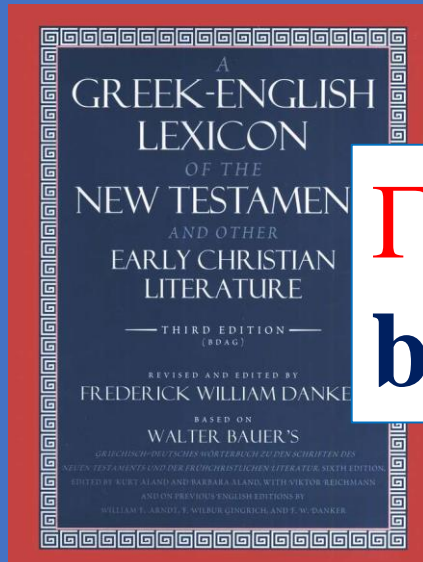


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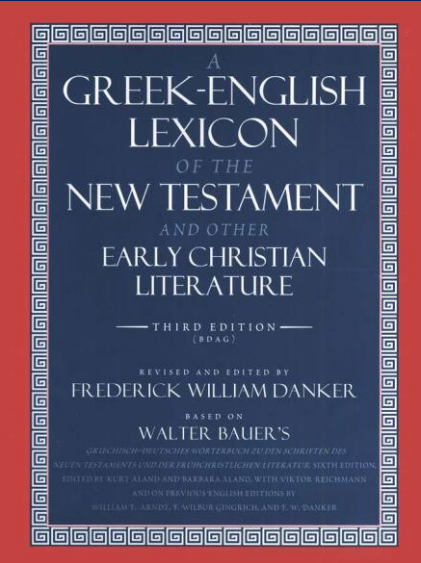


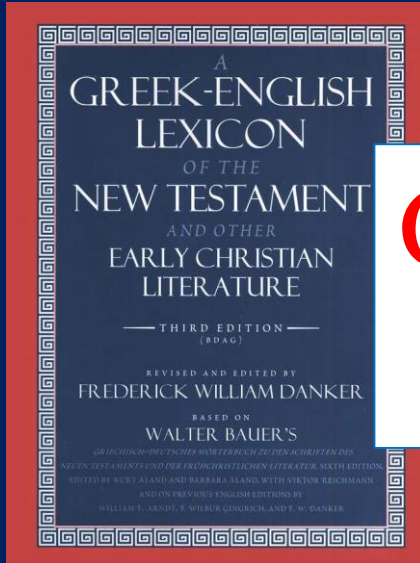


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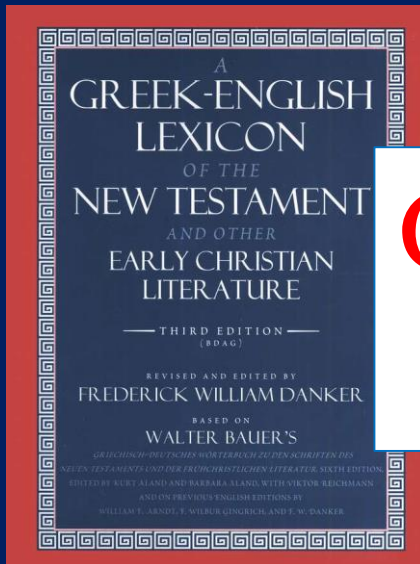
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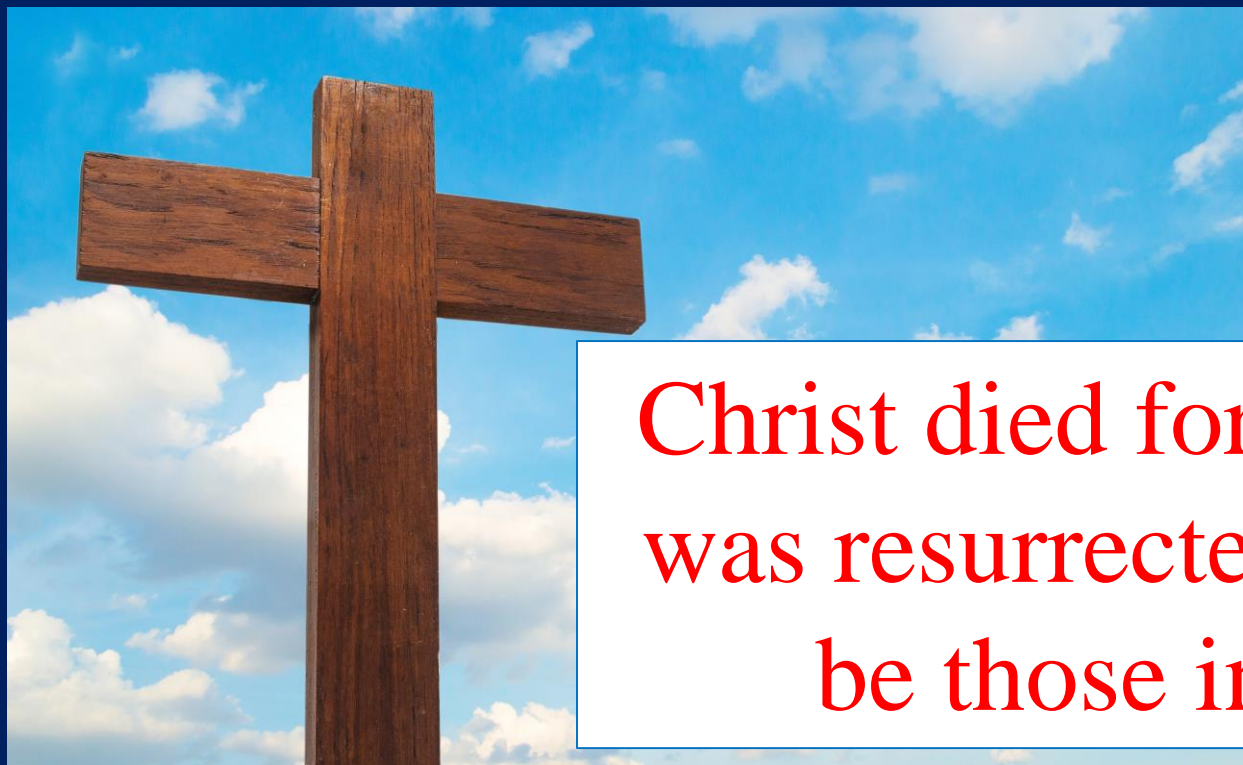




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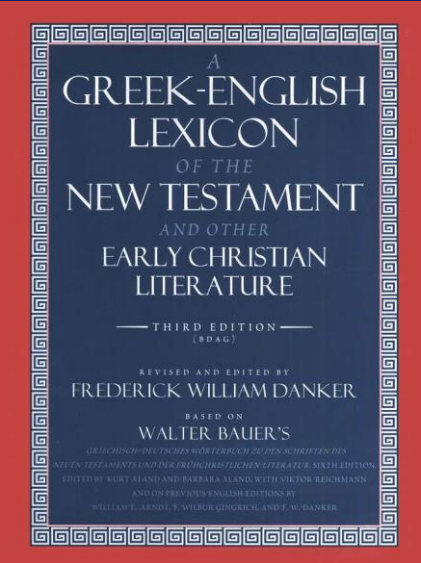


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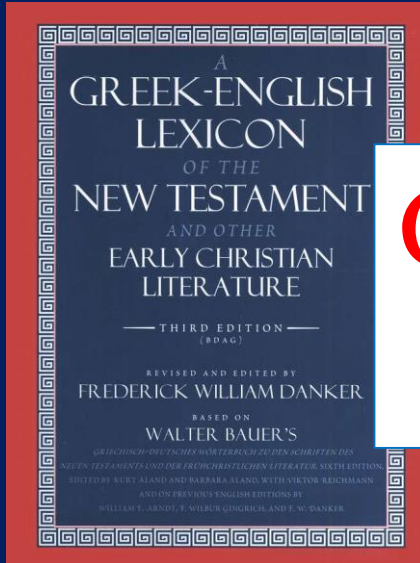
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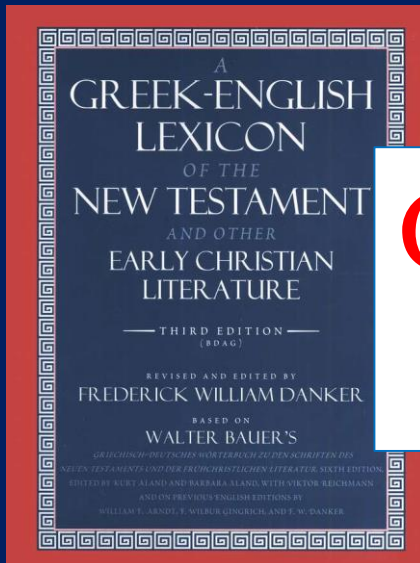
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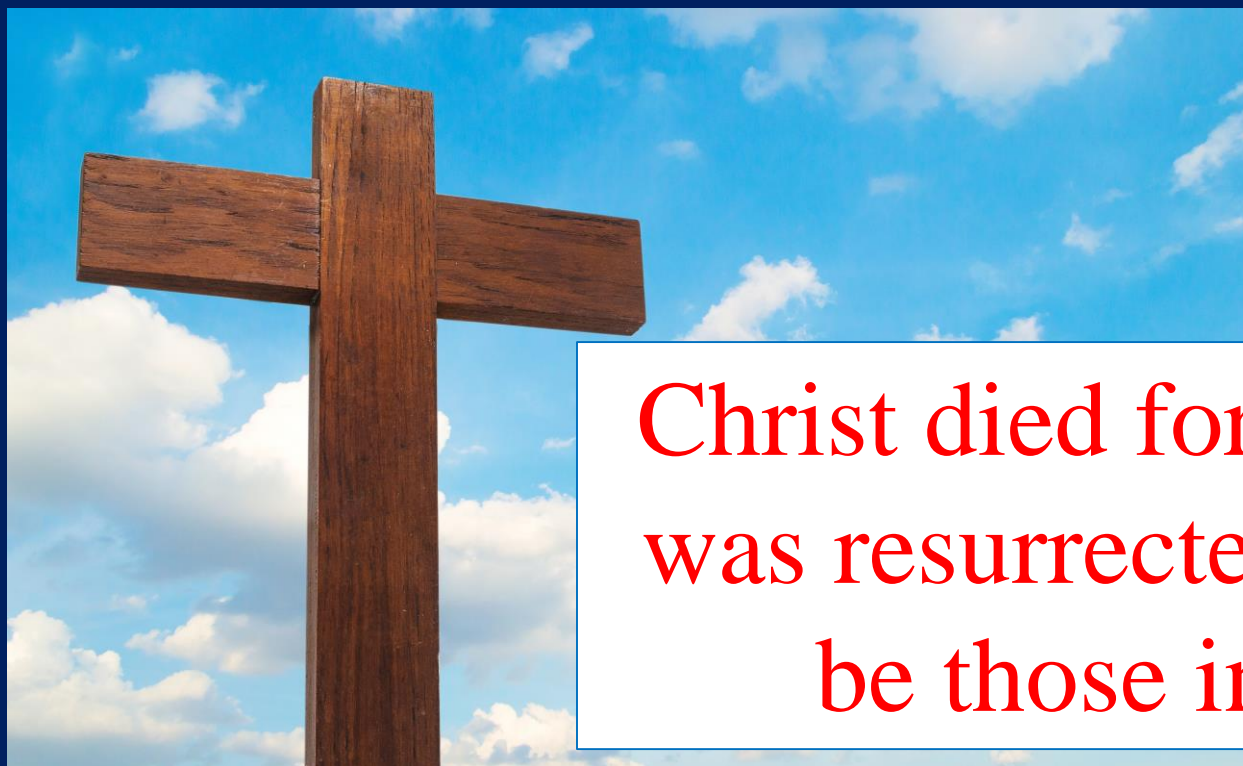


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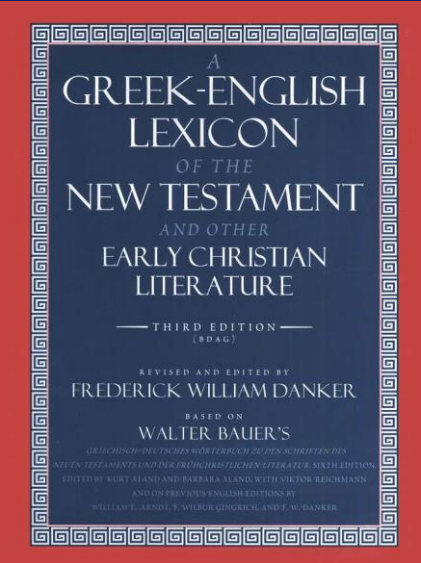


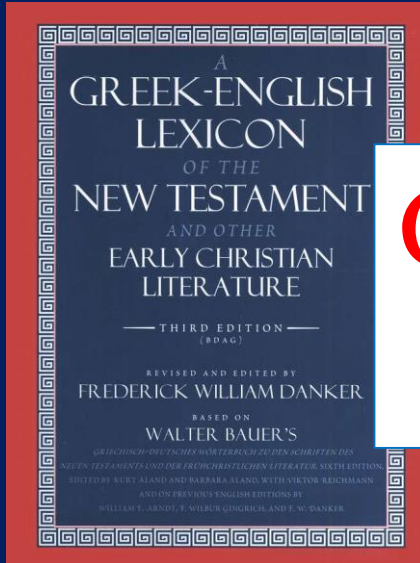
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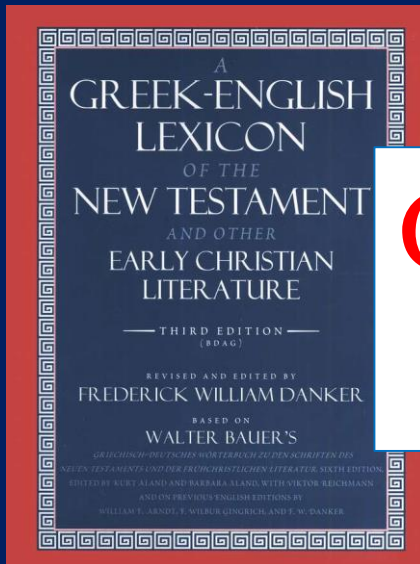
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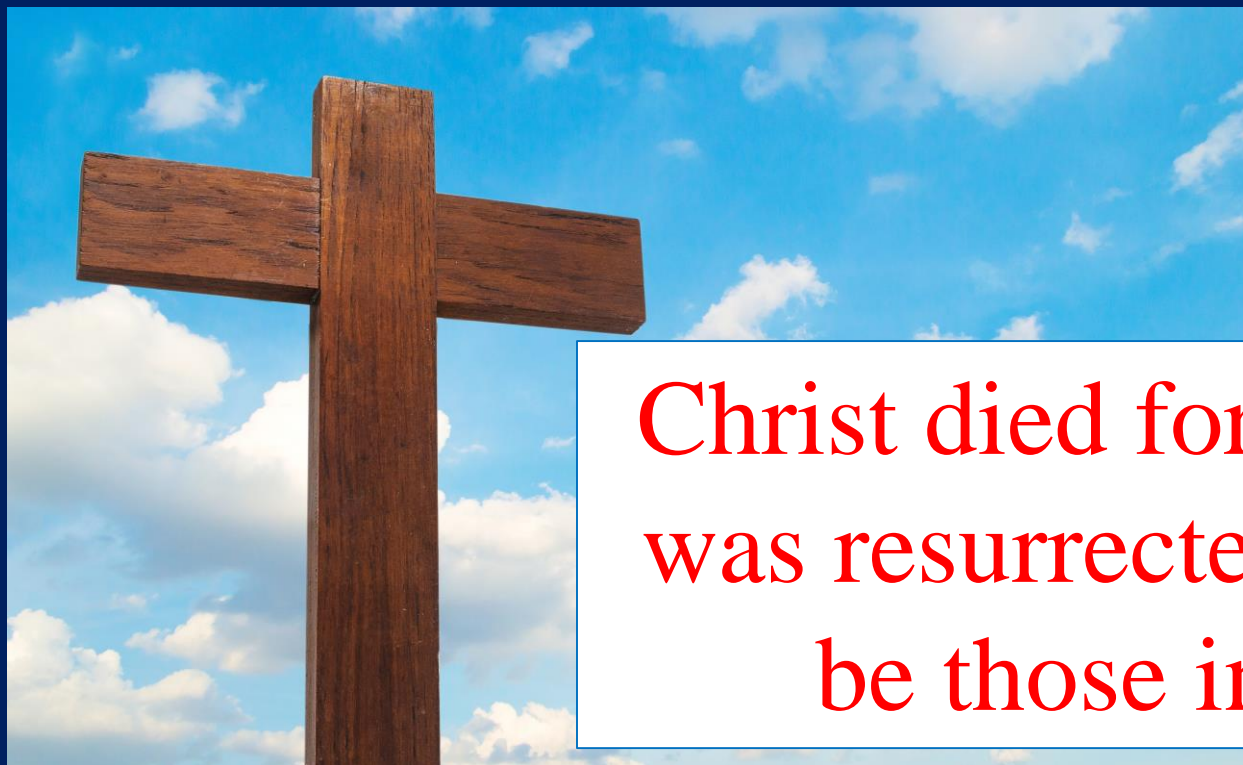


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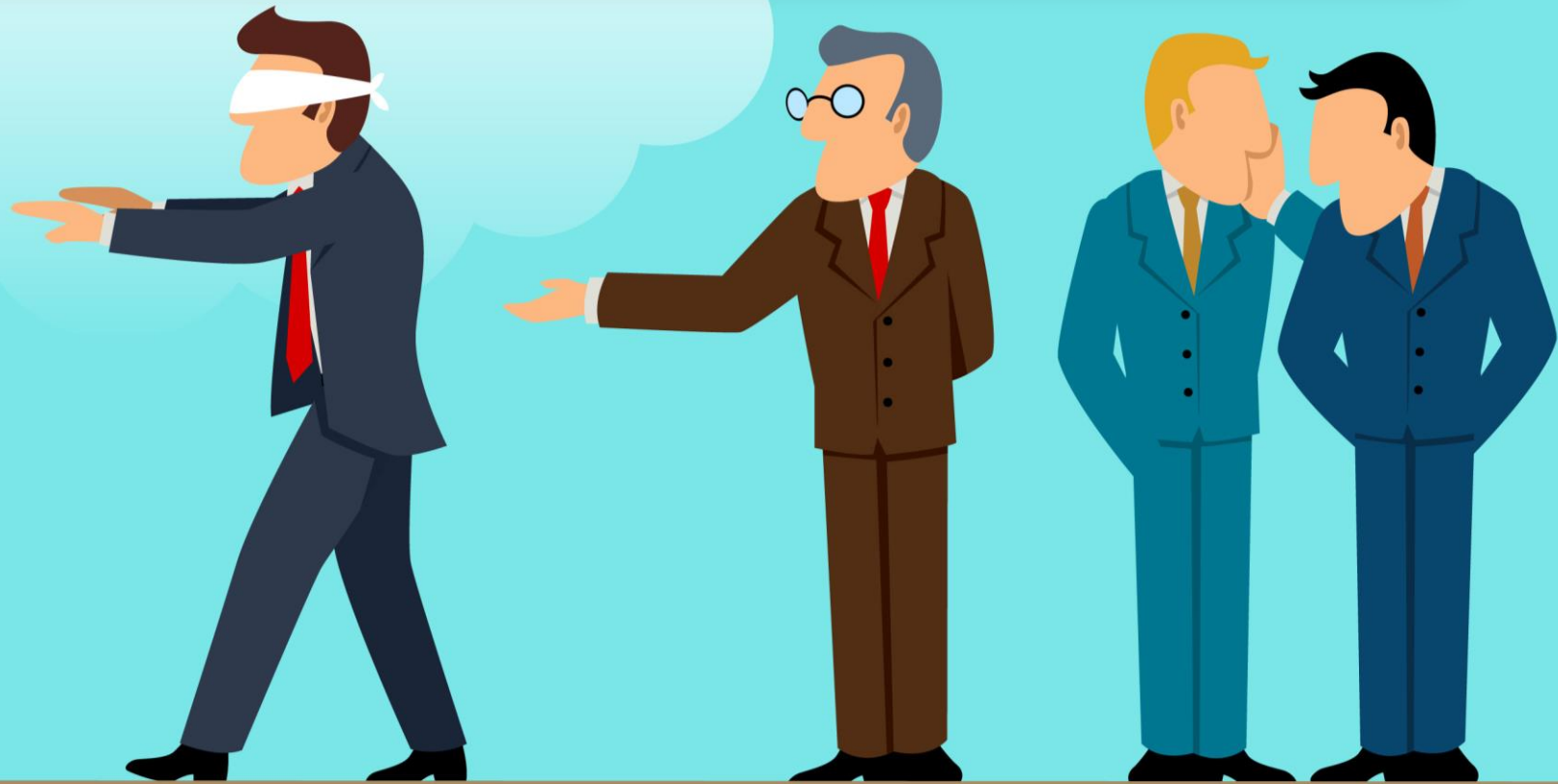
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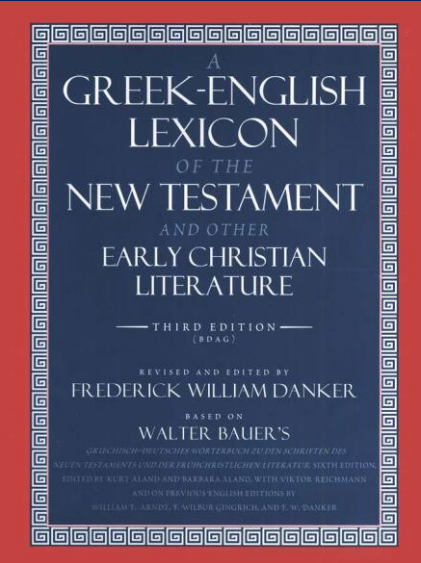
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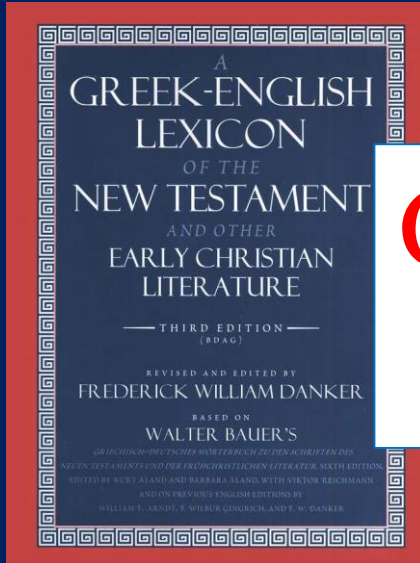
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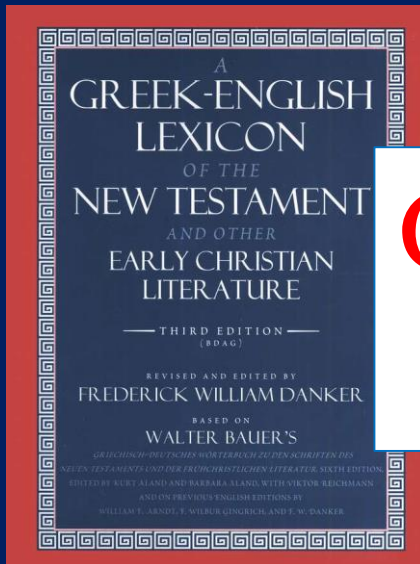




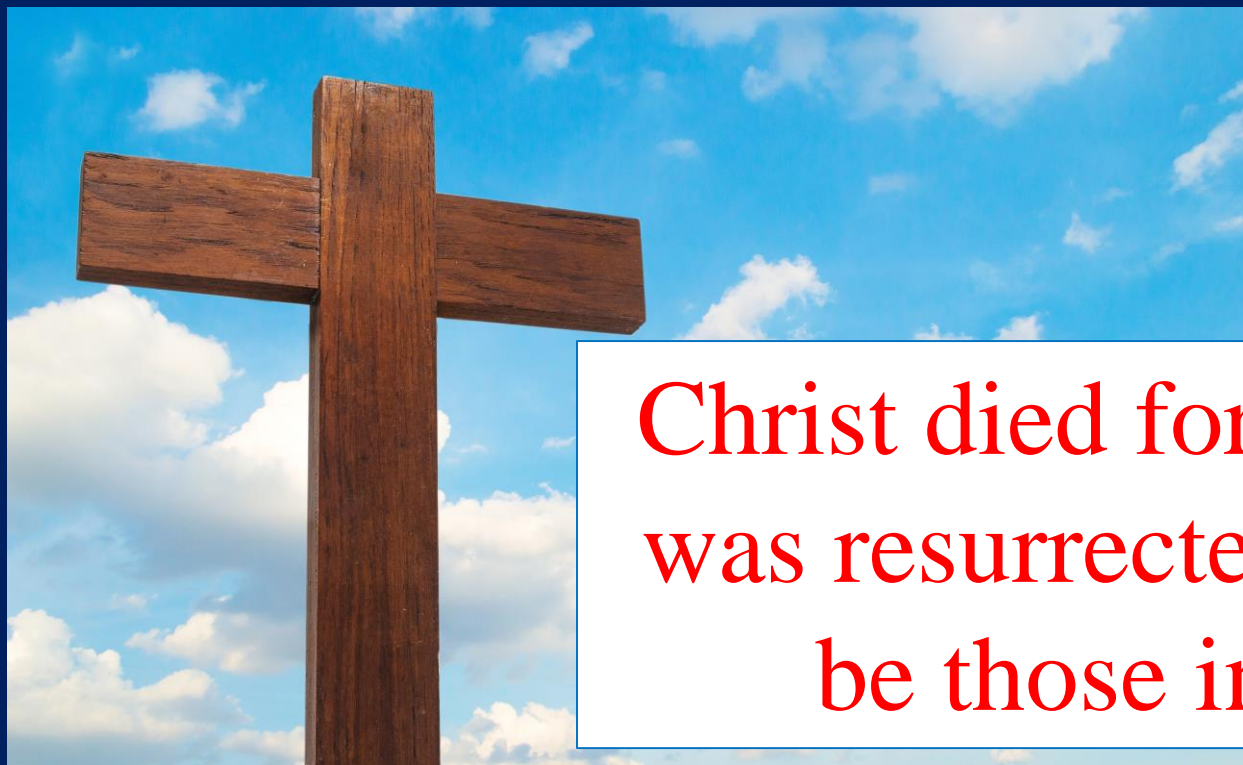




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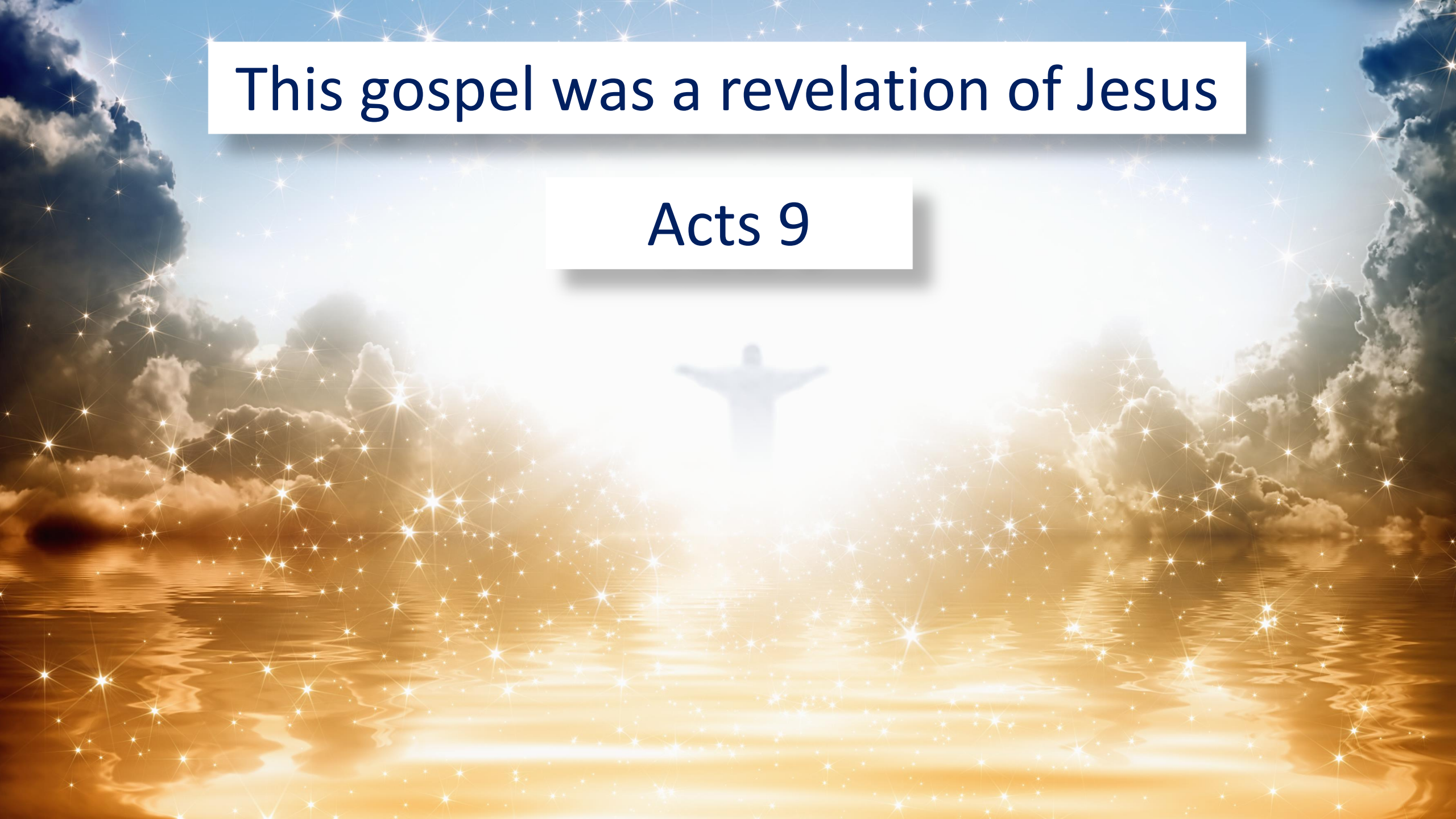
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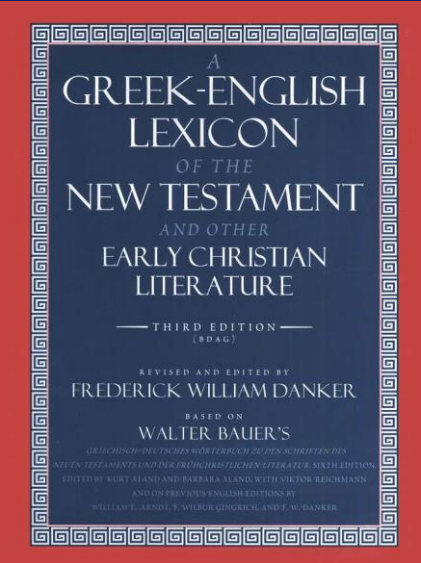


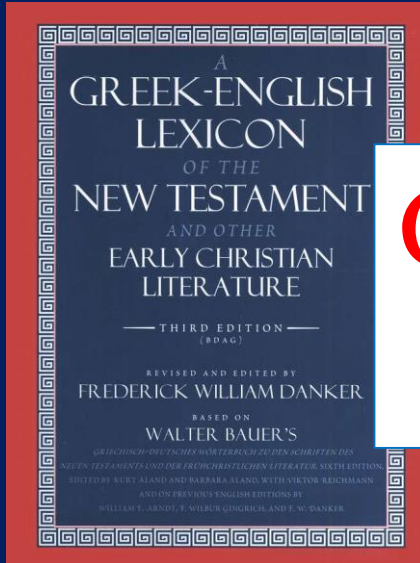


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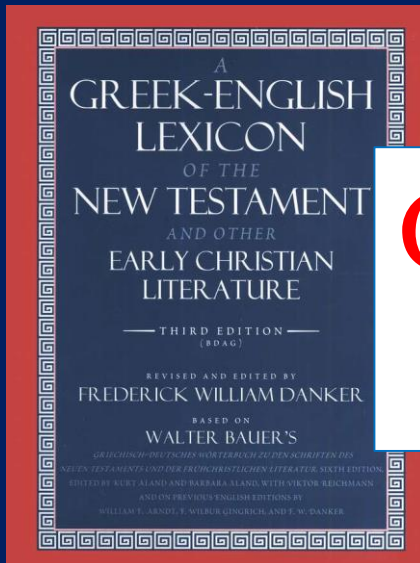




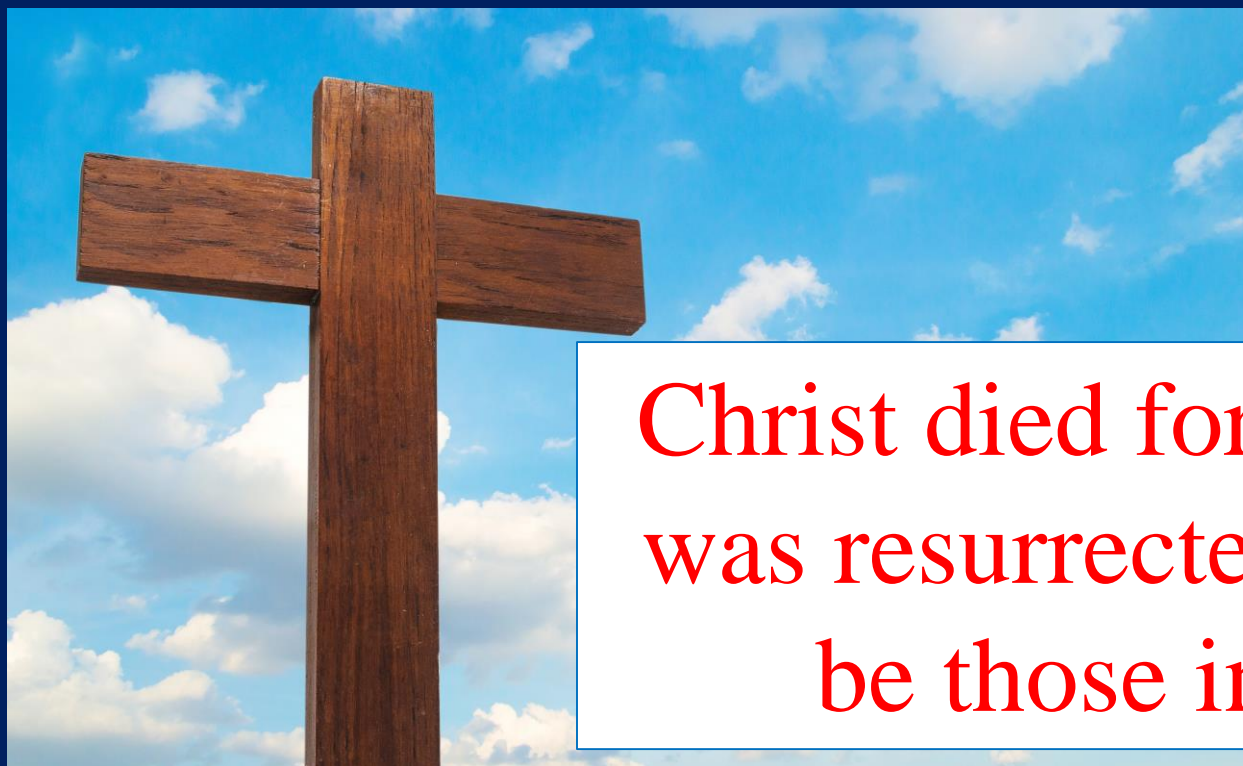


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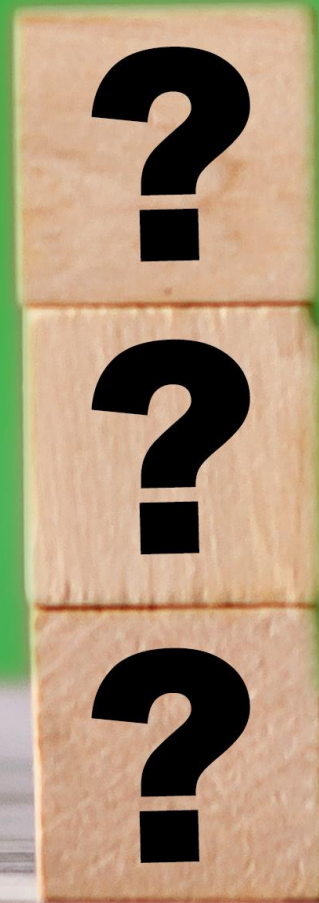


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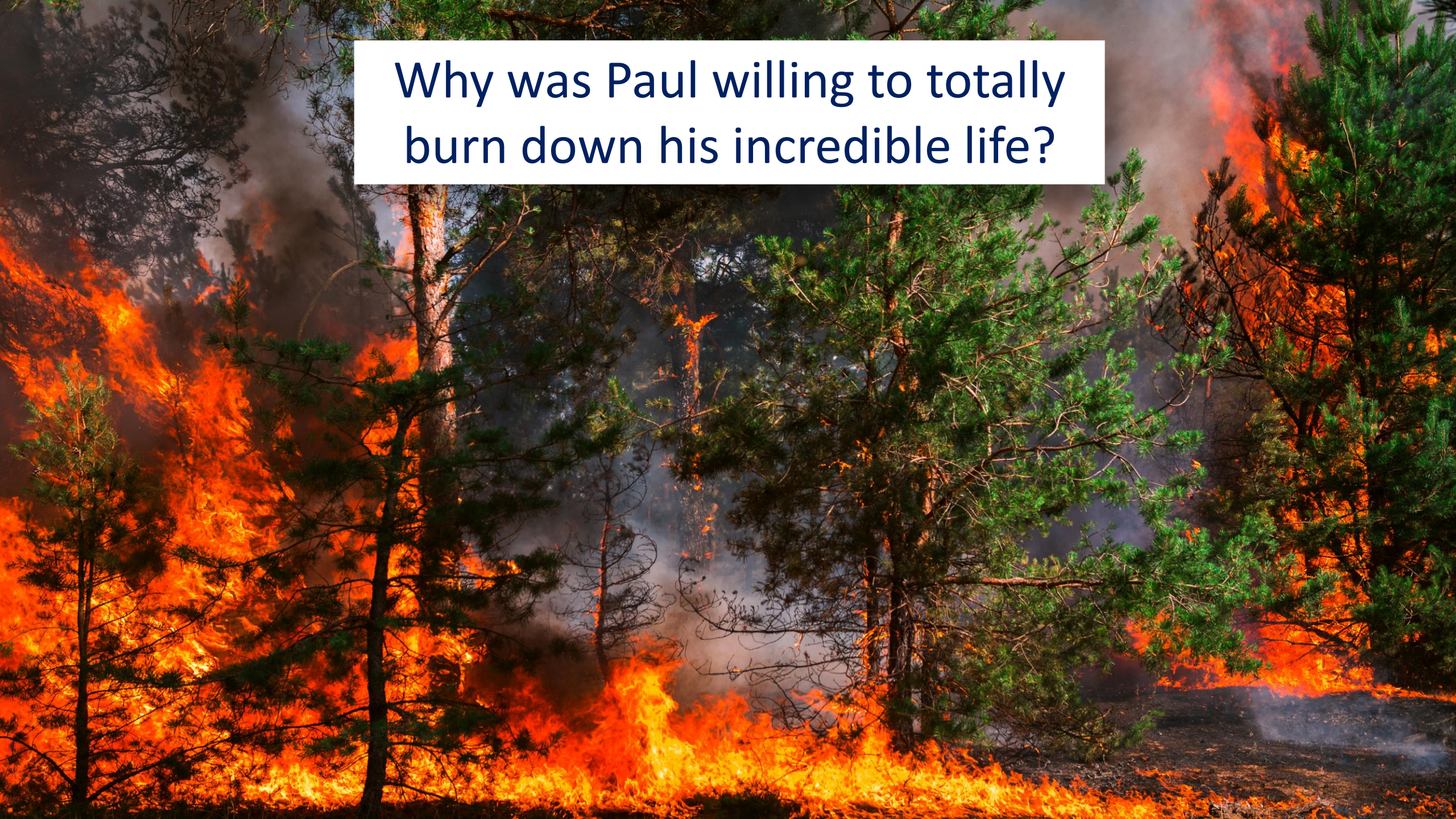


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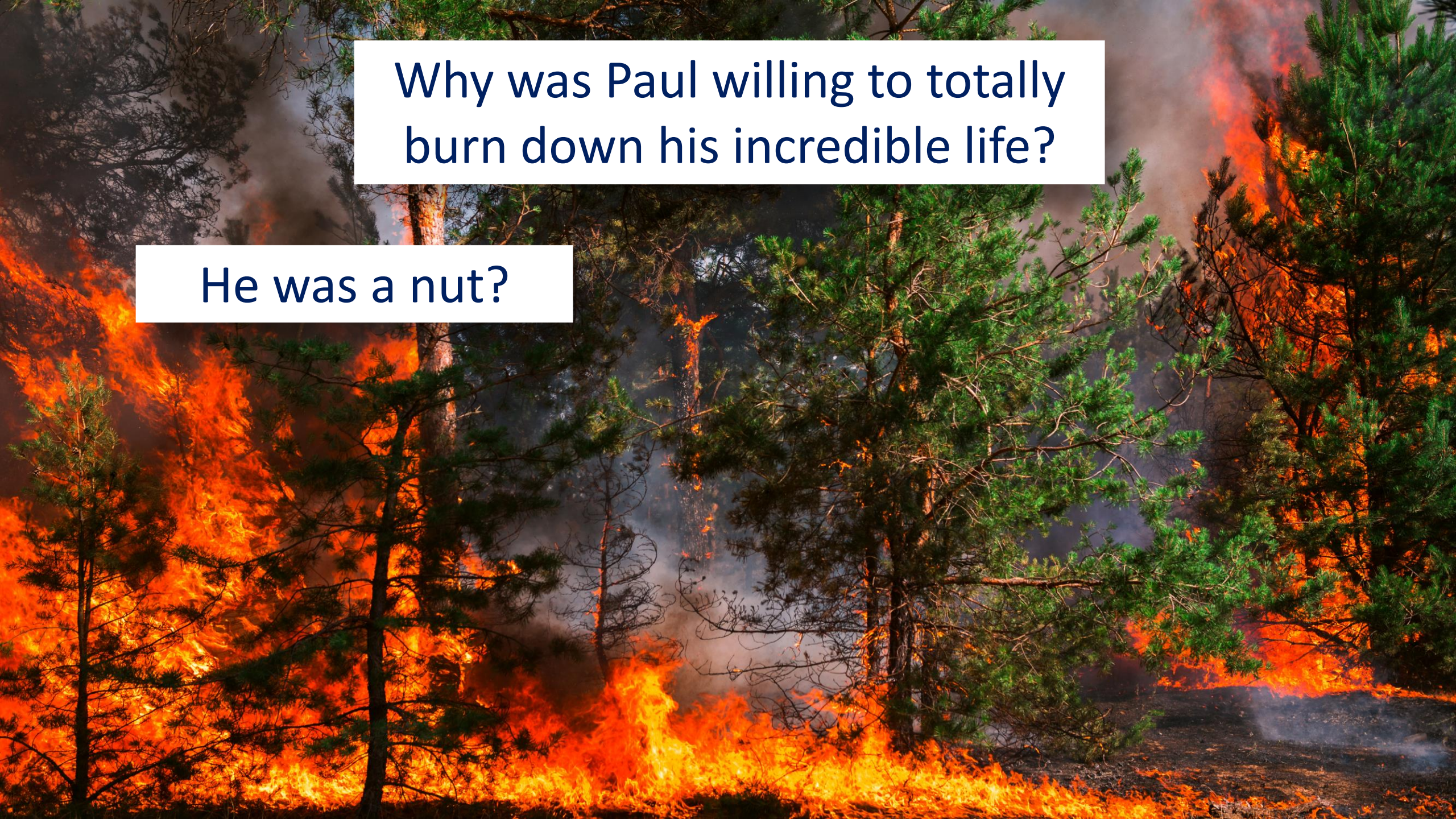
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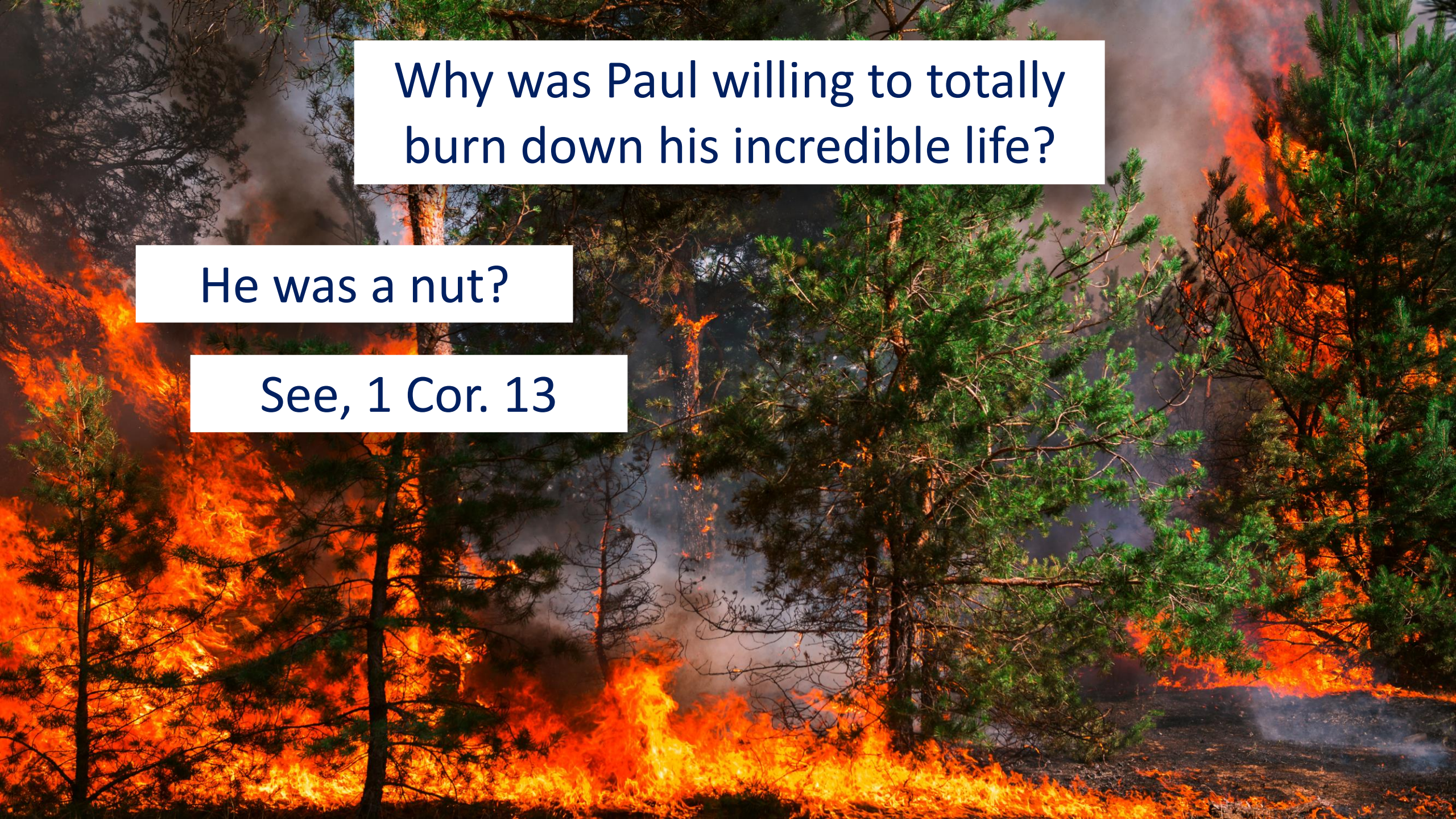


A photograph of a forest fire. Bright orange and yellow flames are visible at the base of several tall, dark green pine trees. Thick black smoke rises from the fire, partially obscuring the sky. The scene is dramatic and intense, with the fire consuming the forest floor and lower branches of the trees.

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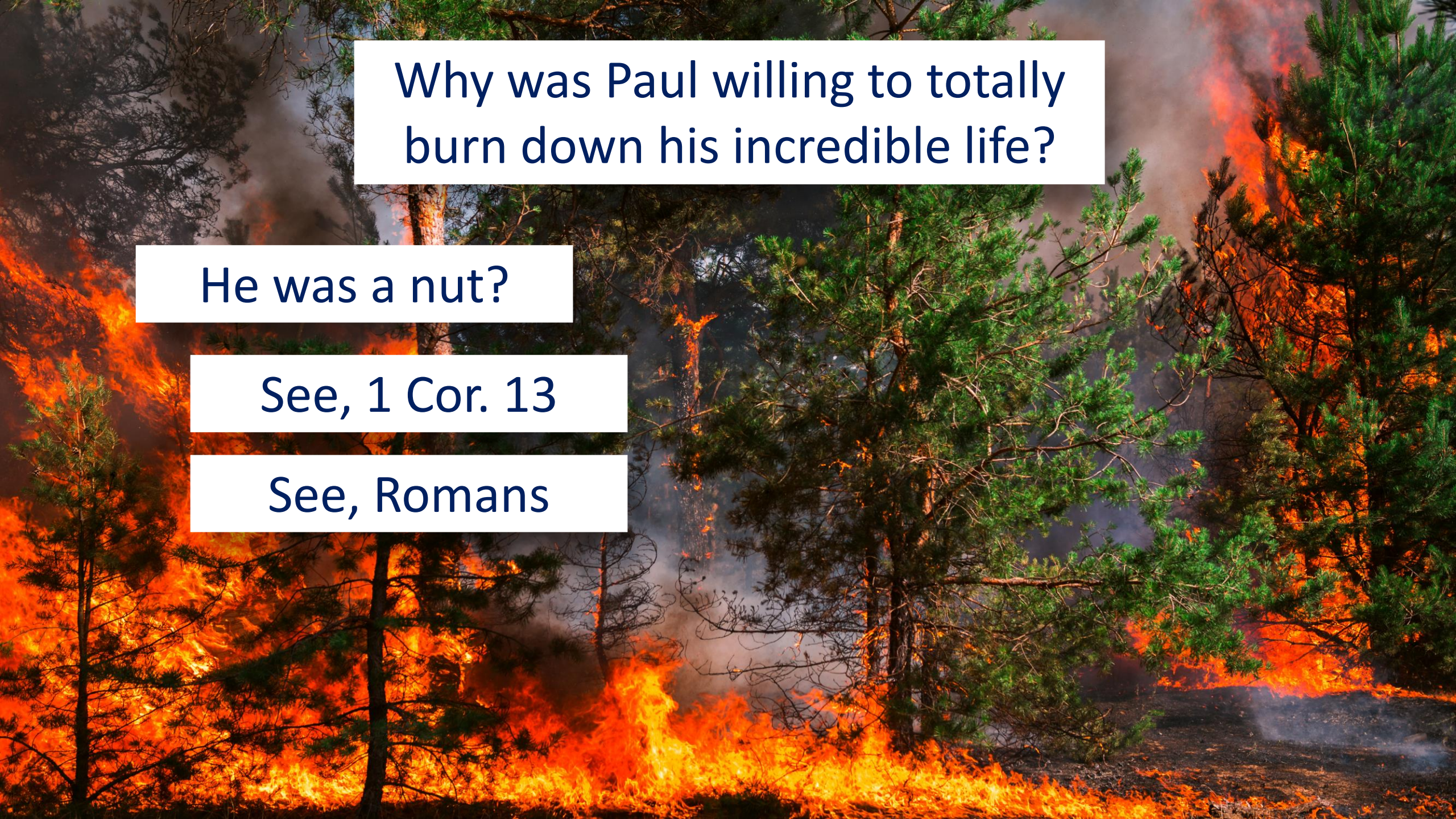


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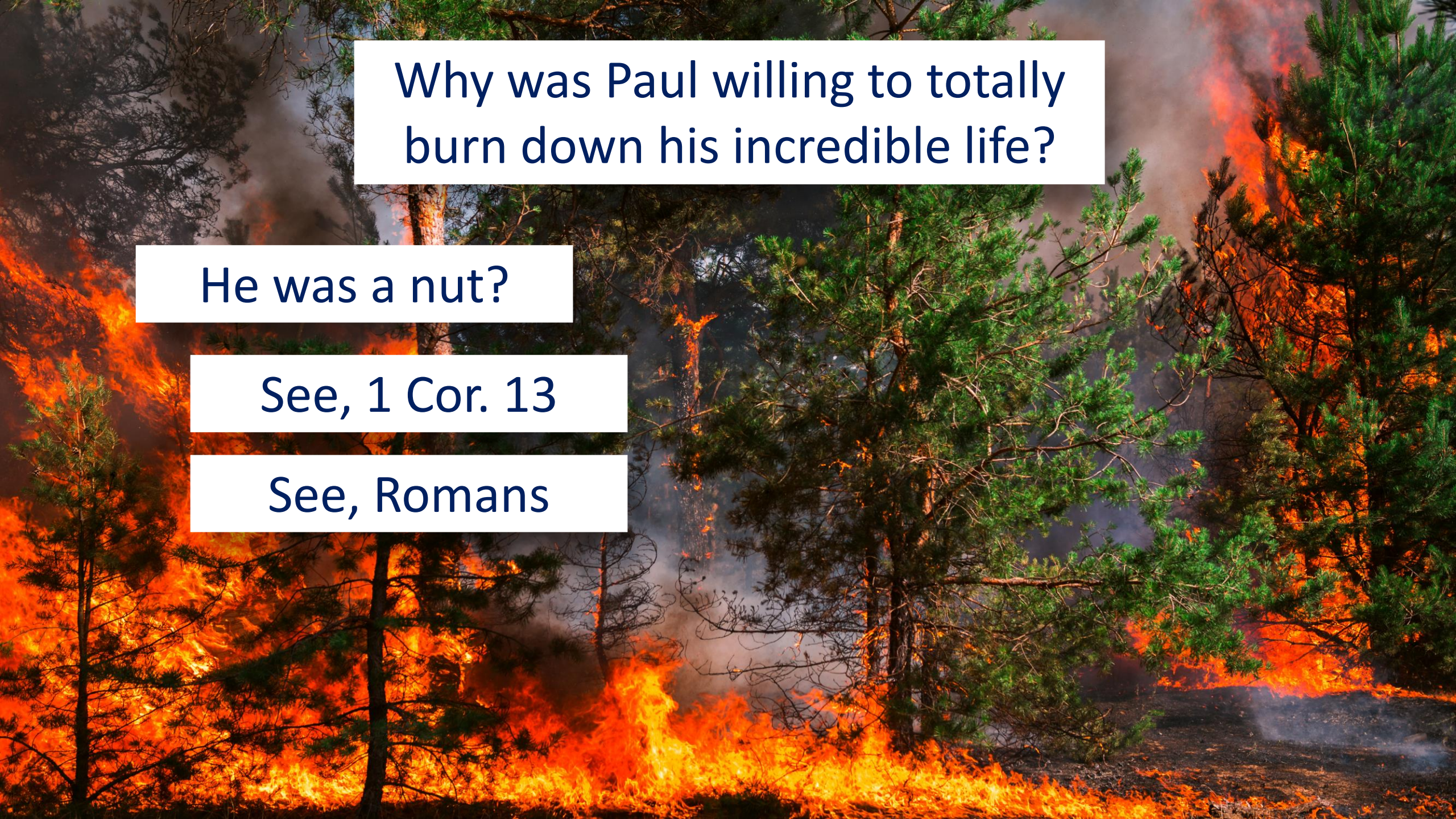
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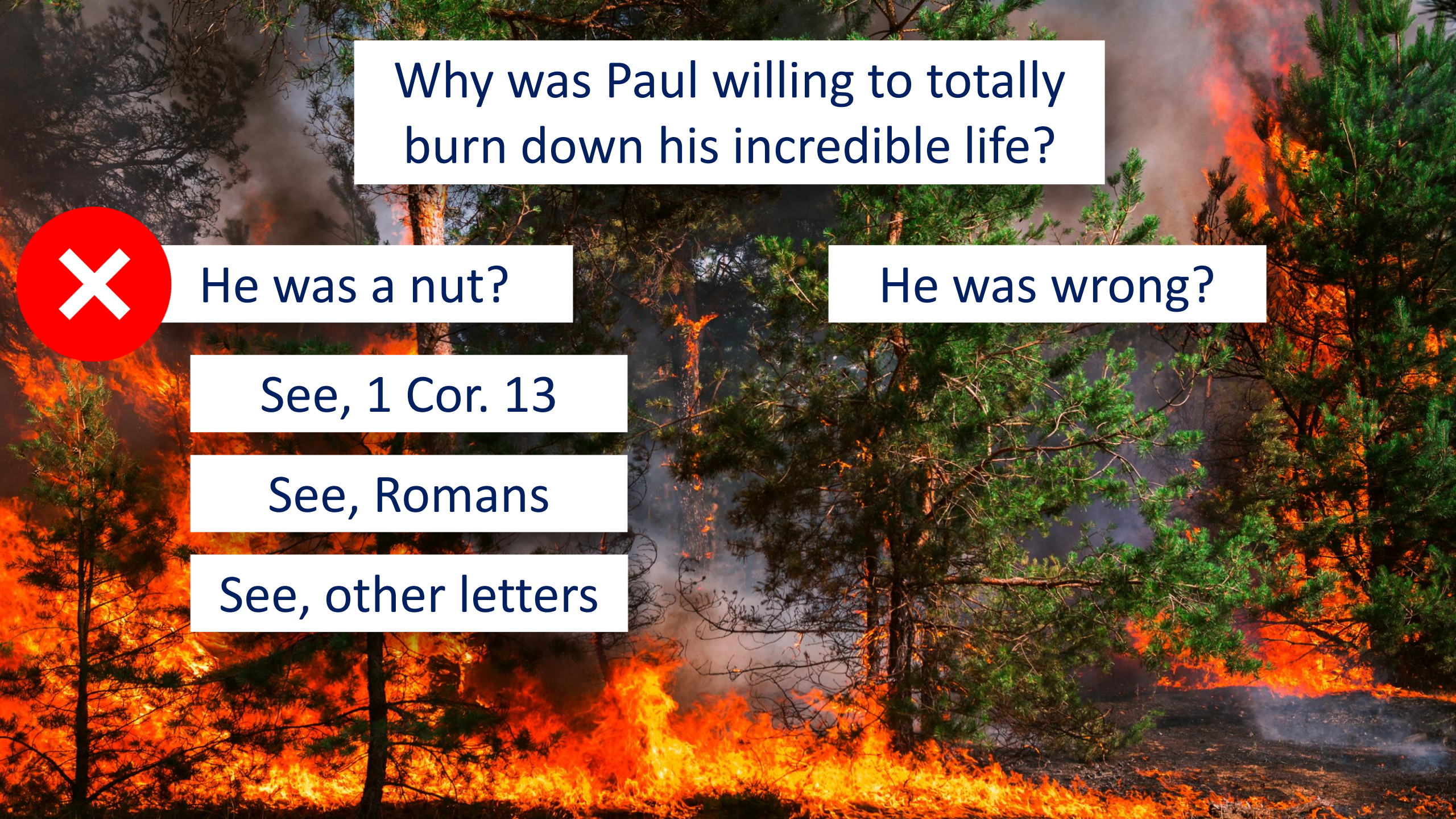
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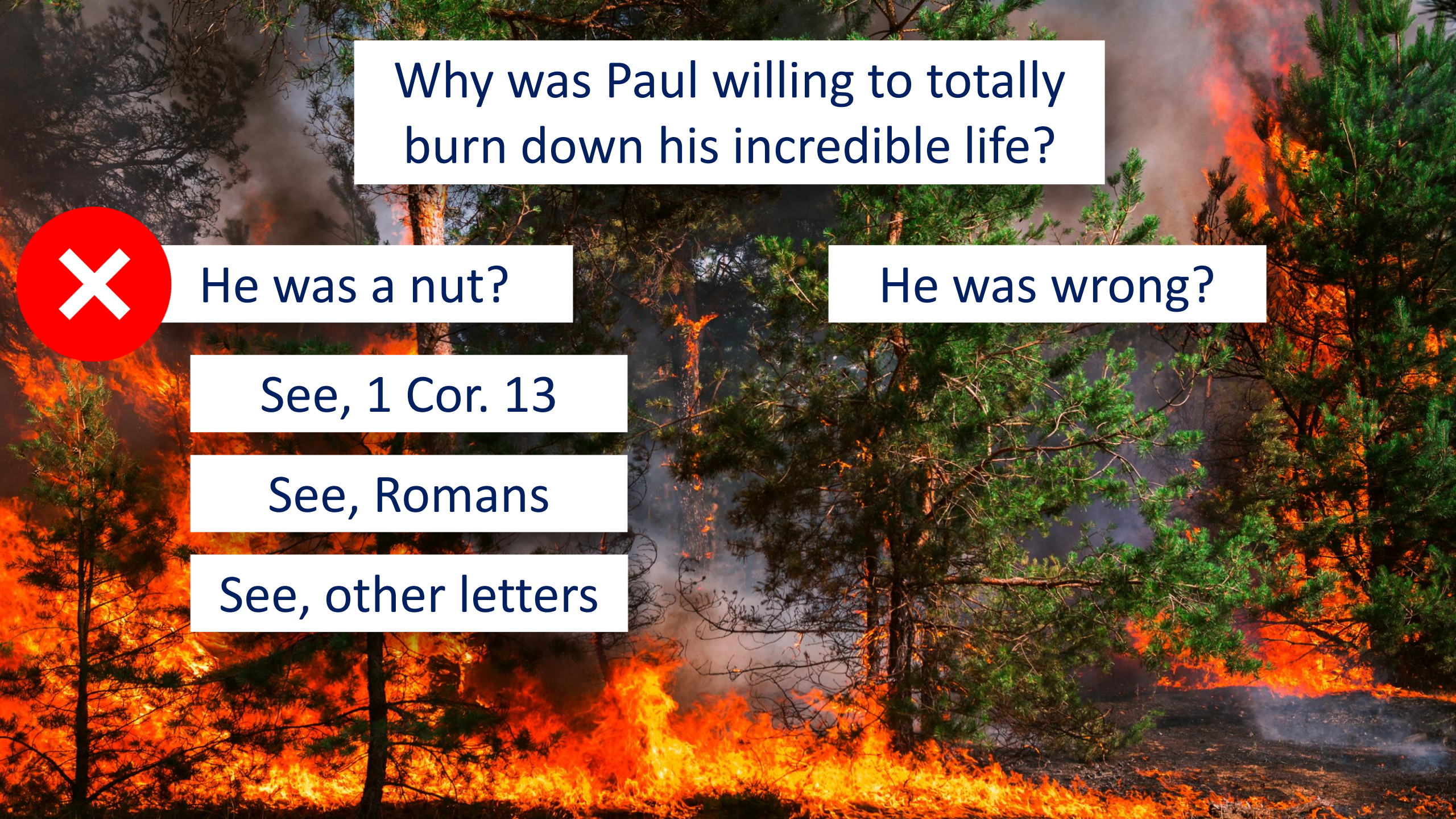
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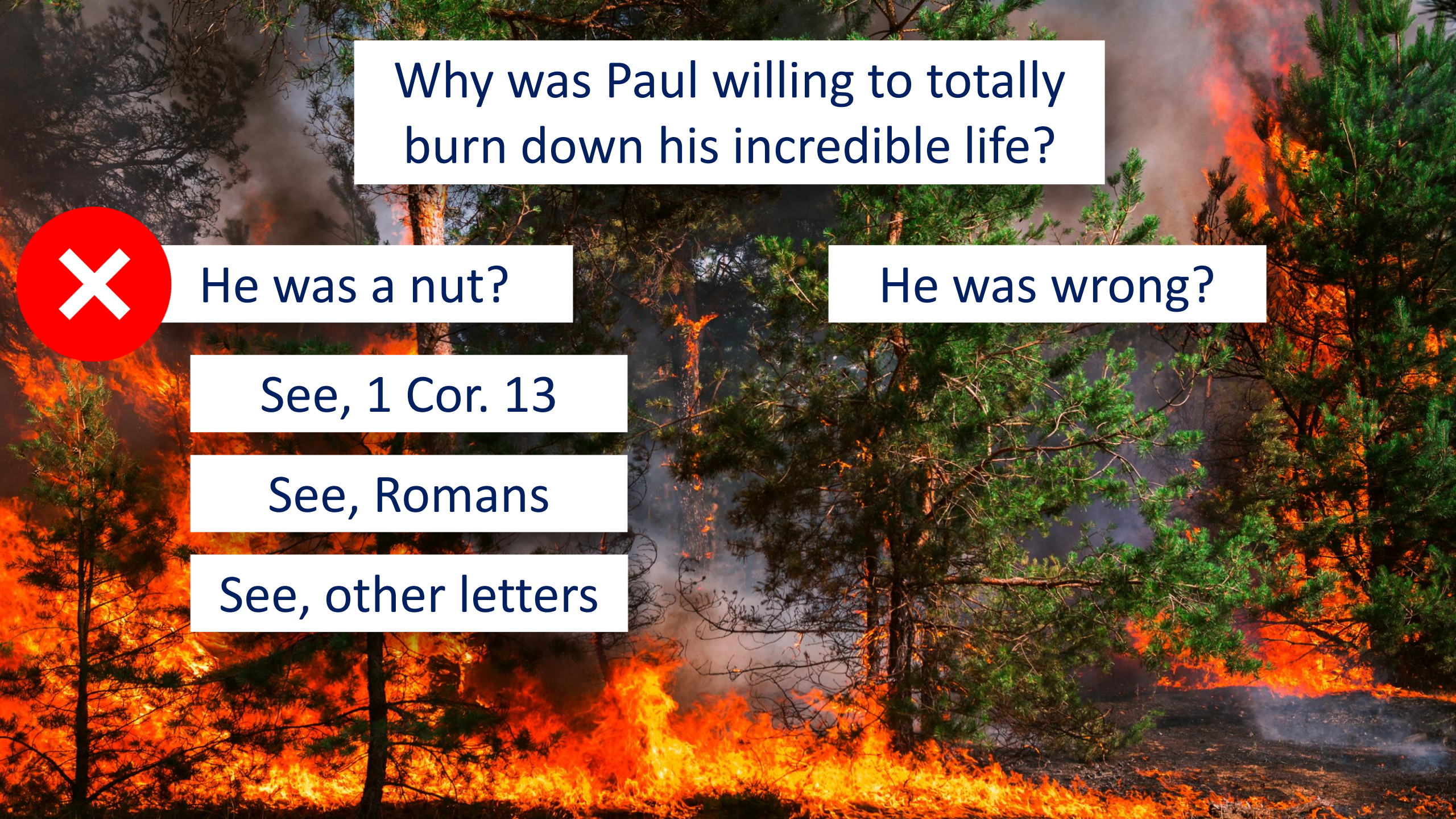
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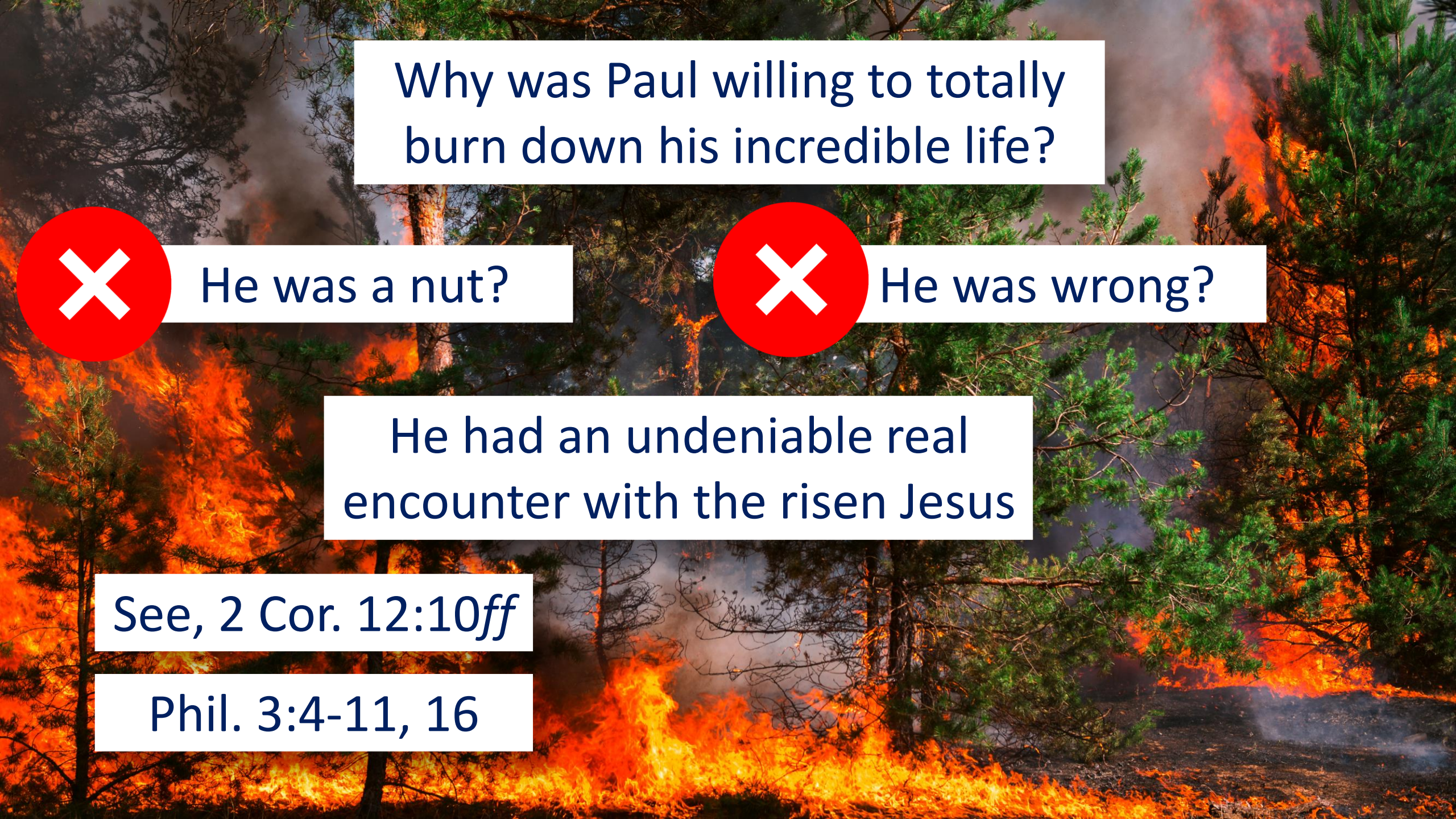
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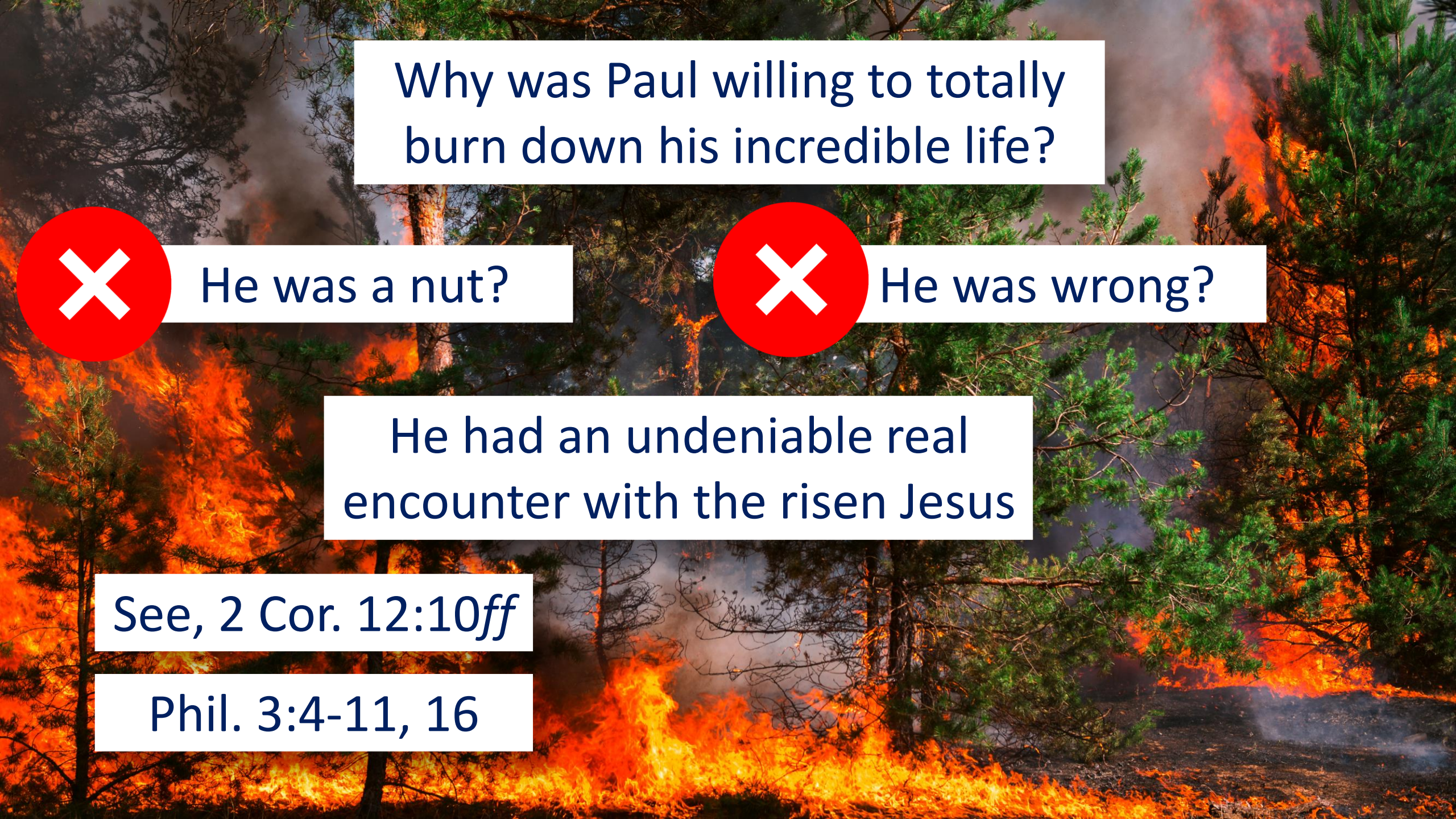
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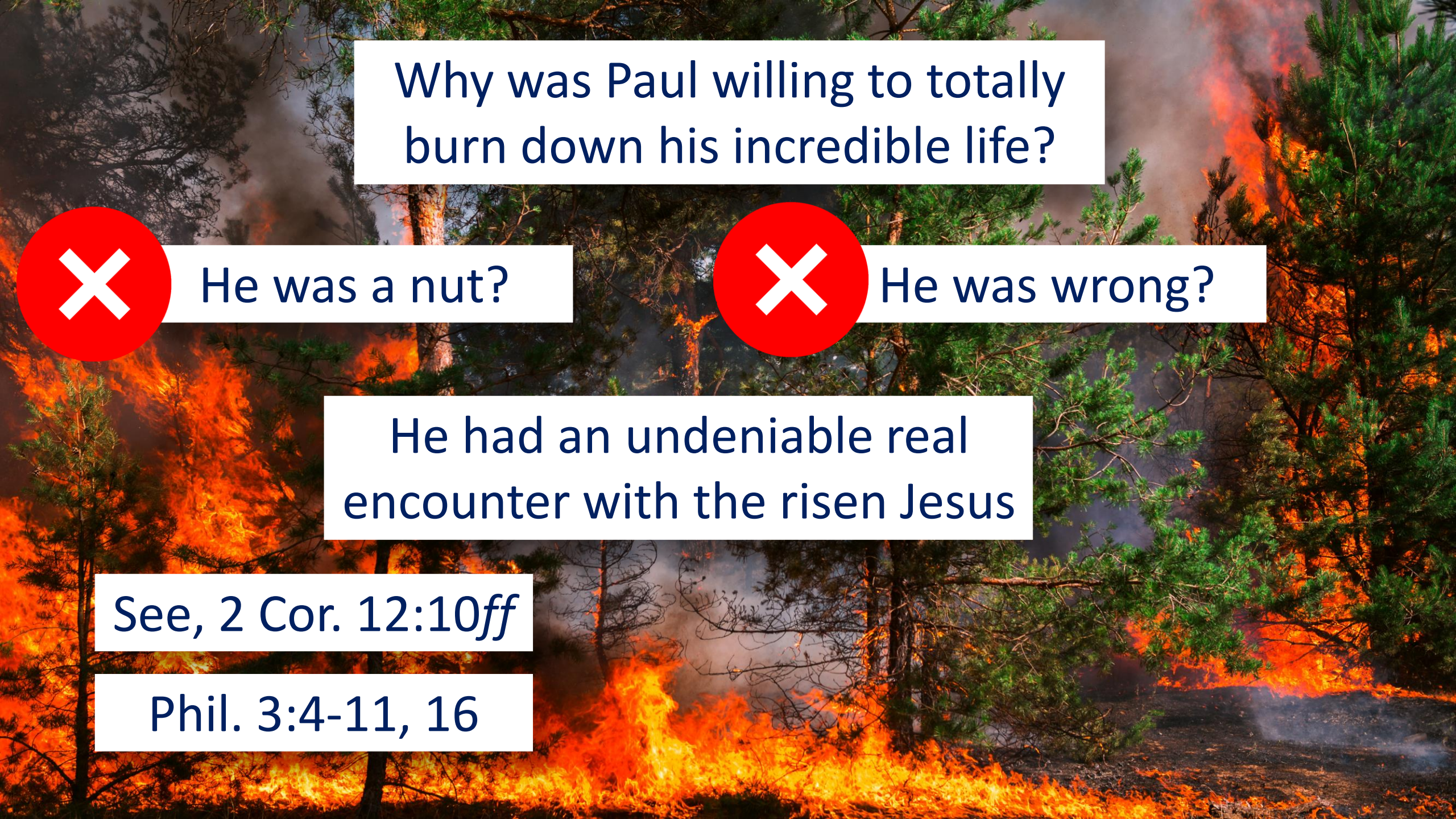
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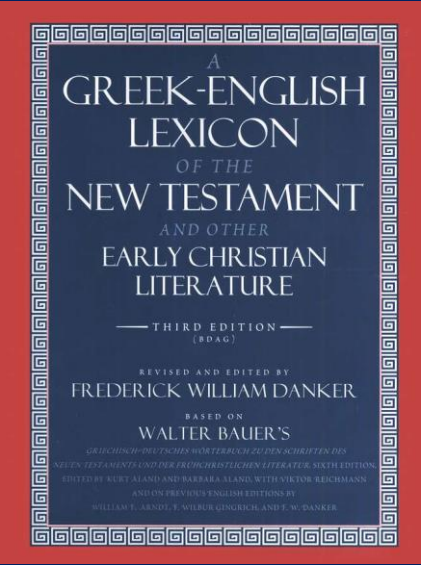
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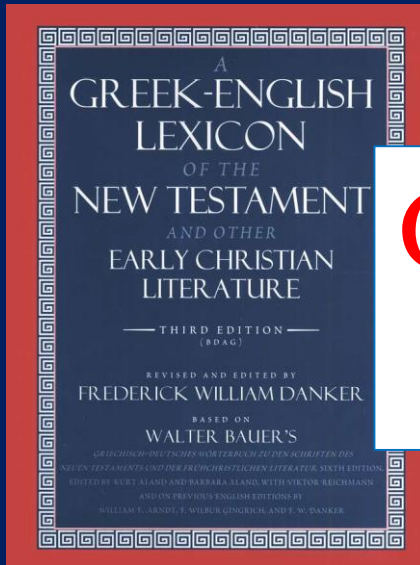
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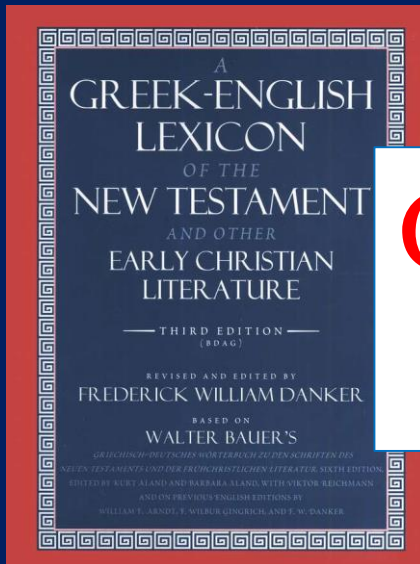




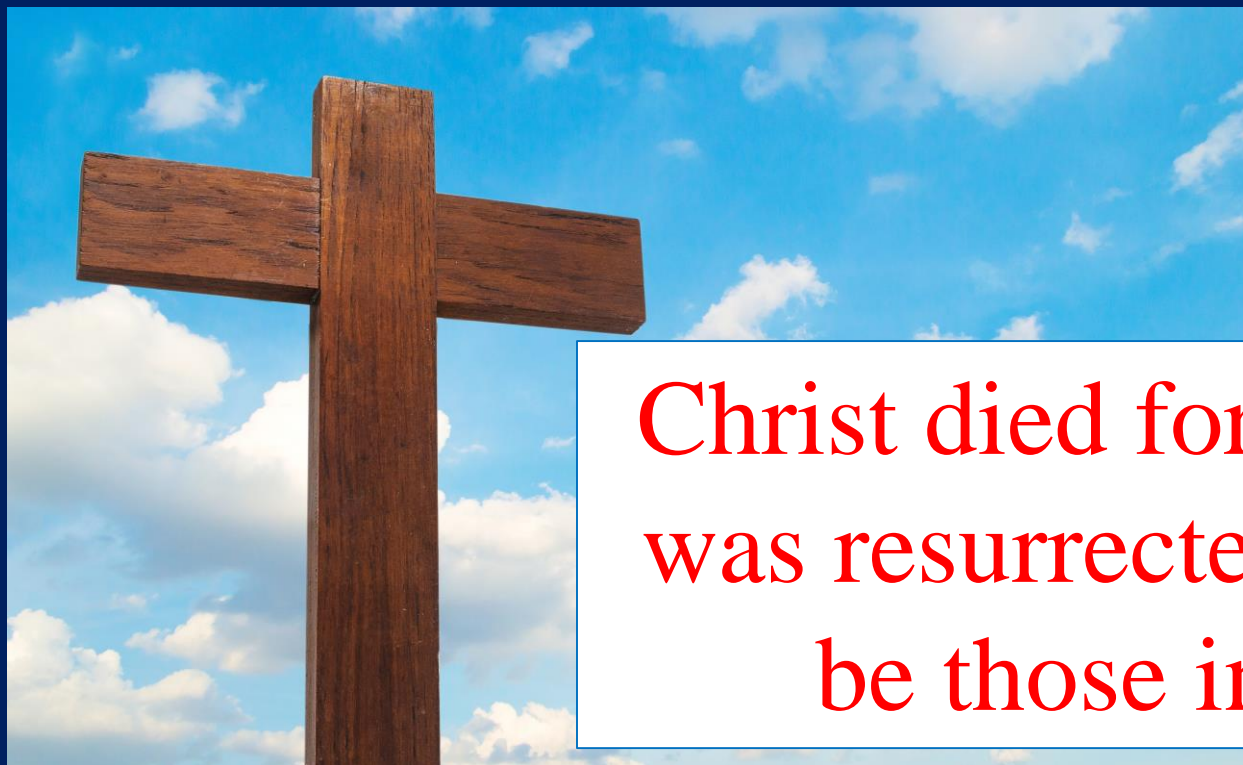


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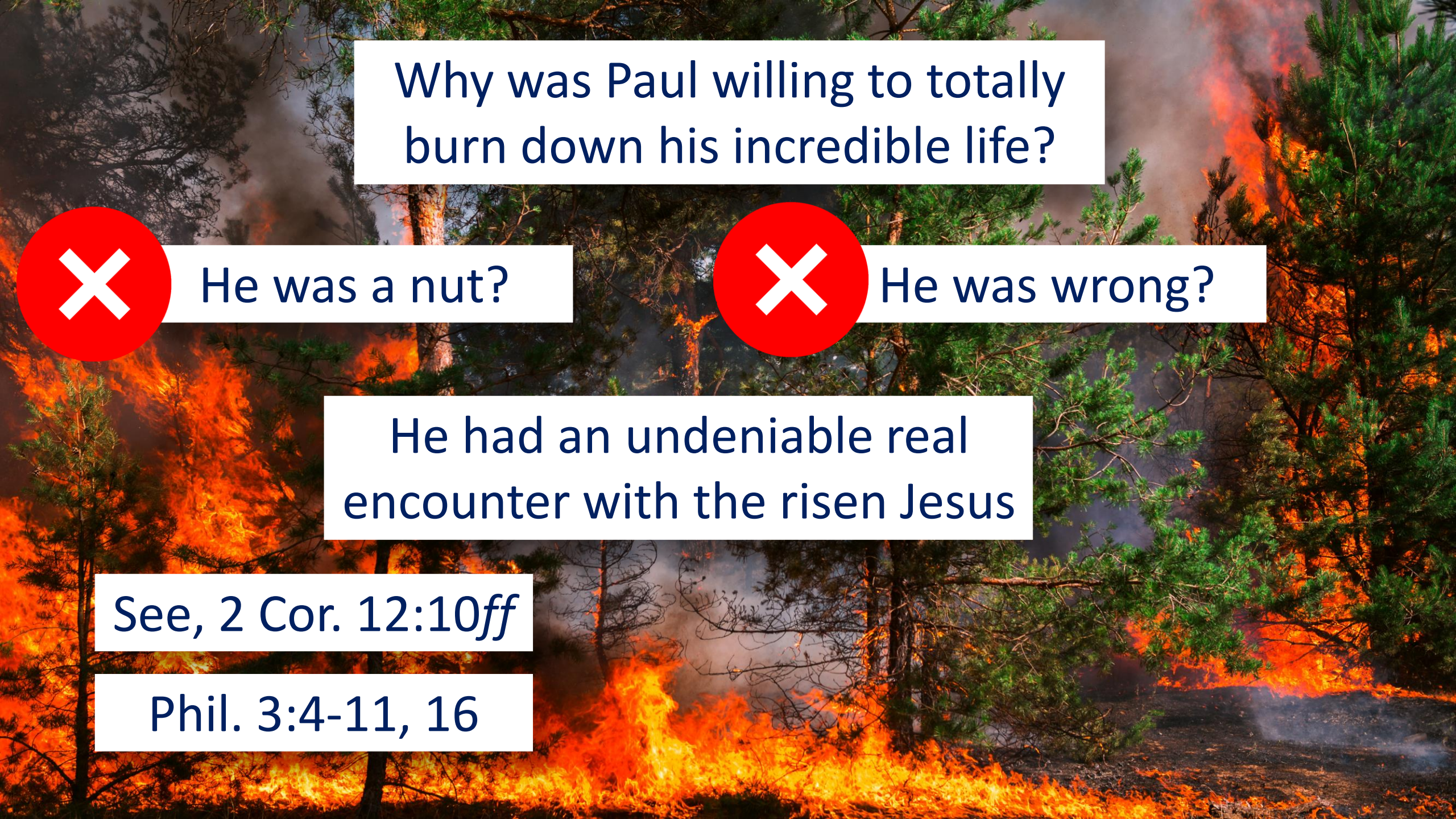


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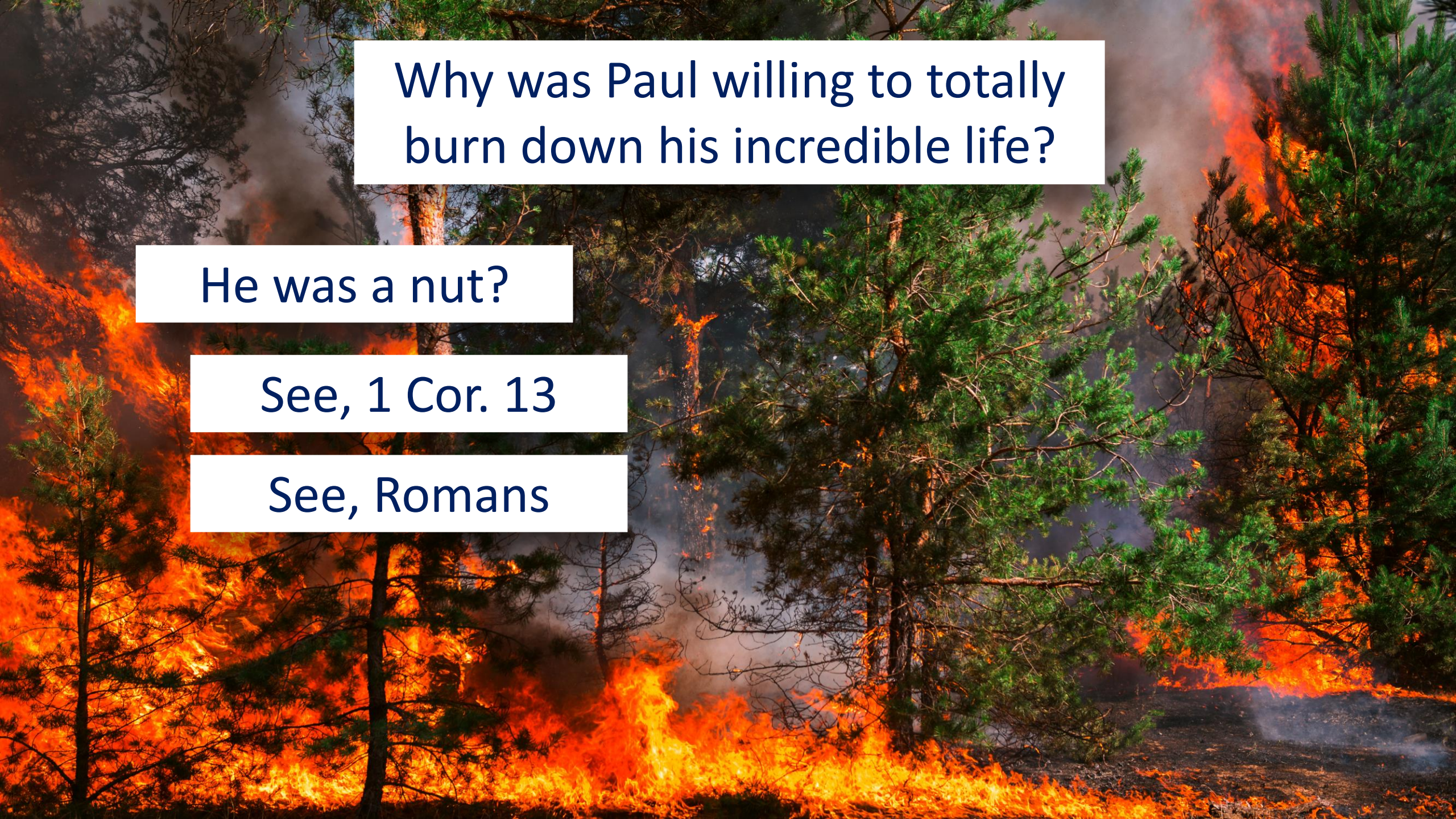
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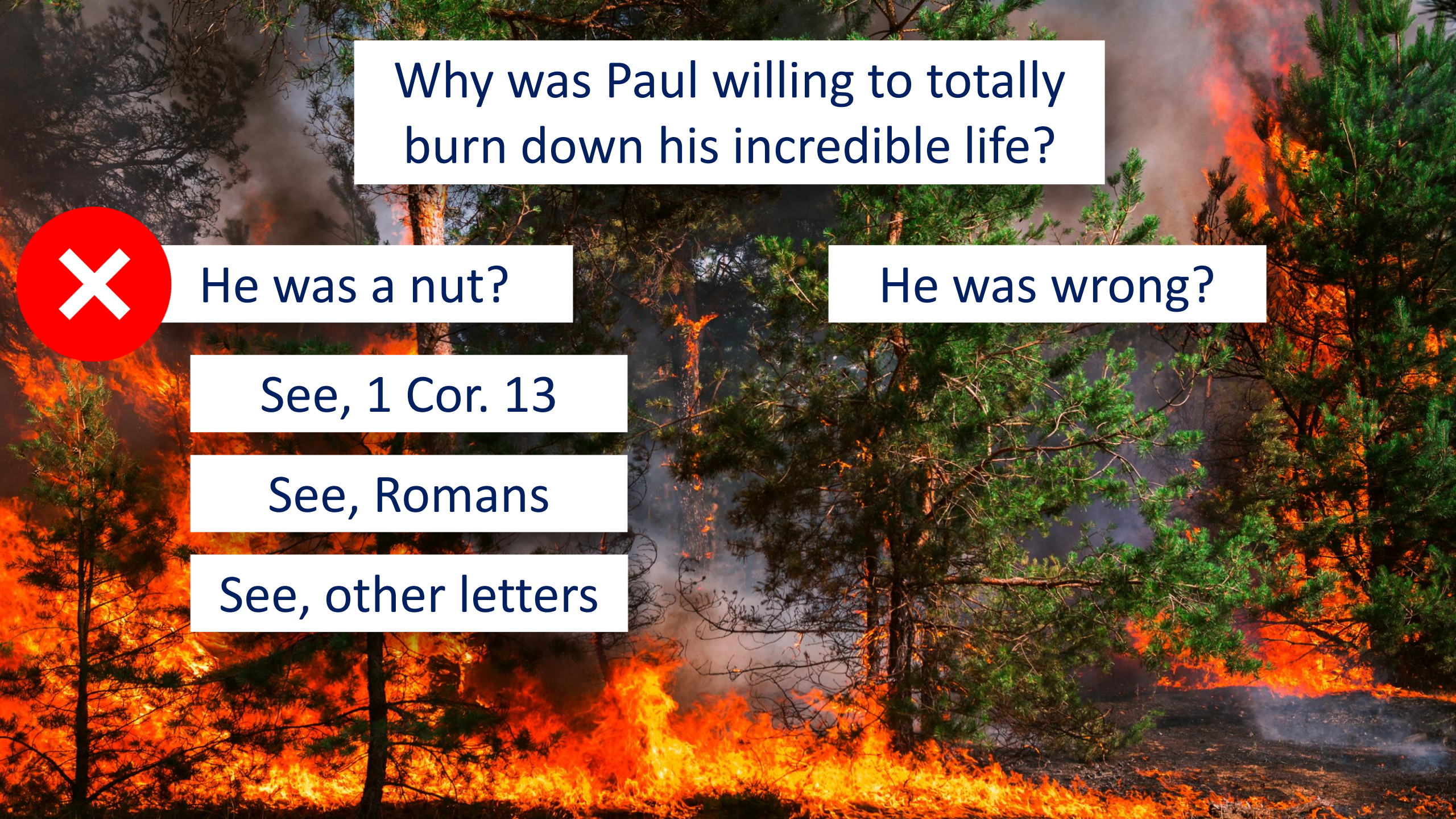


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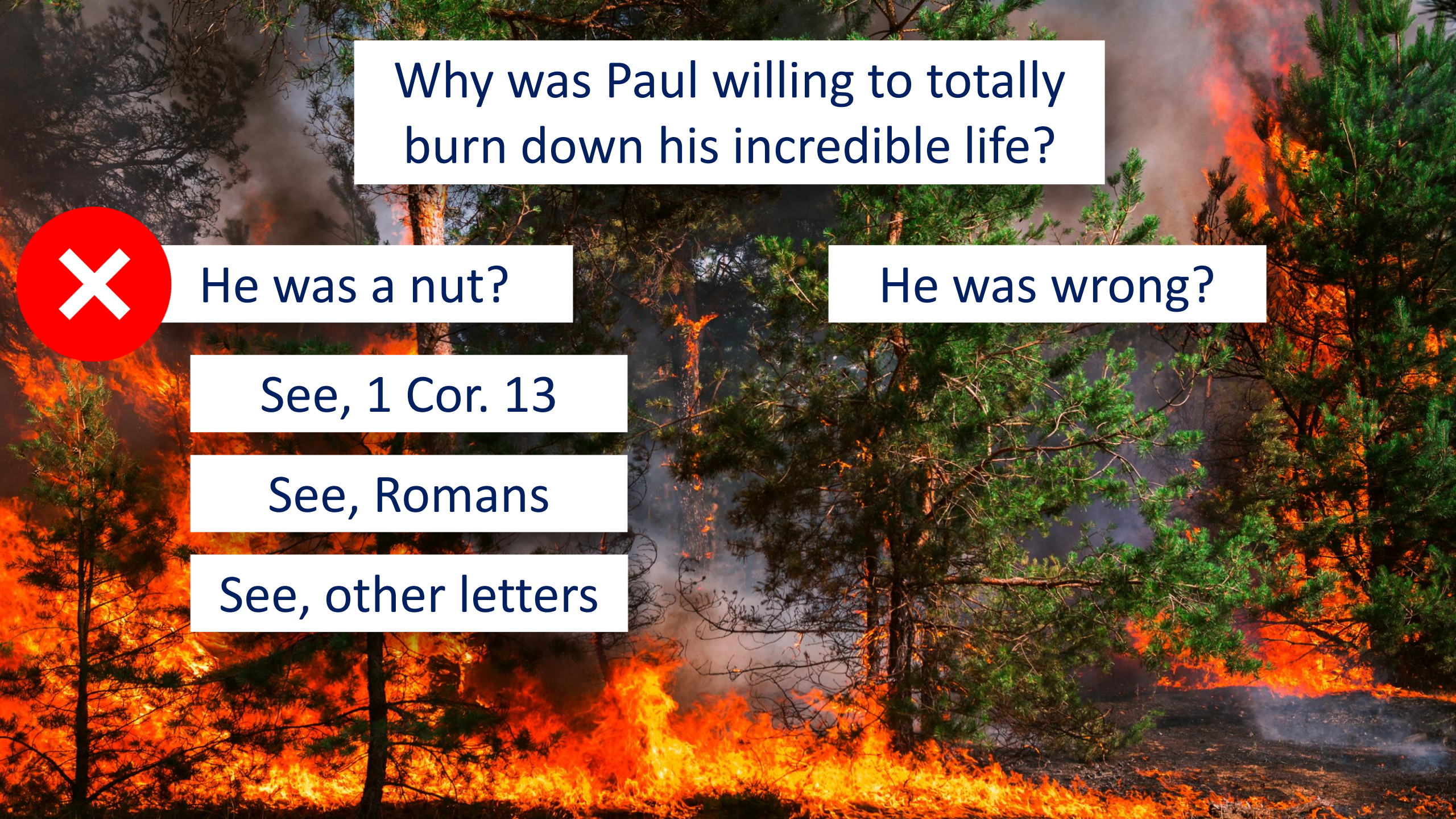
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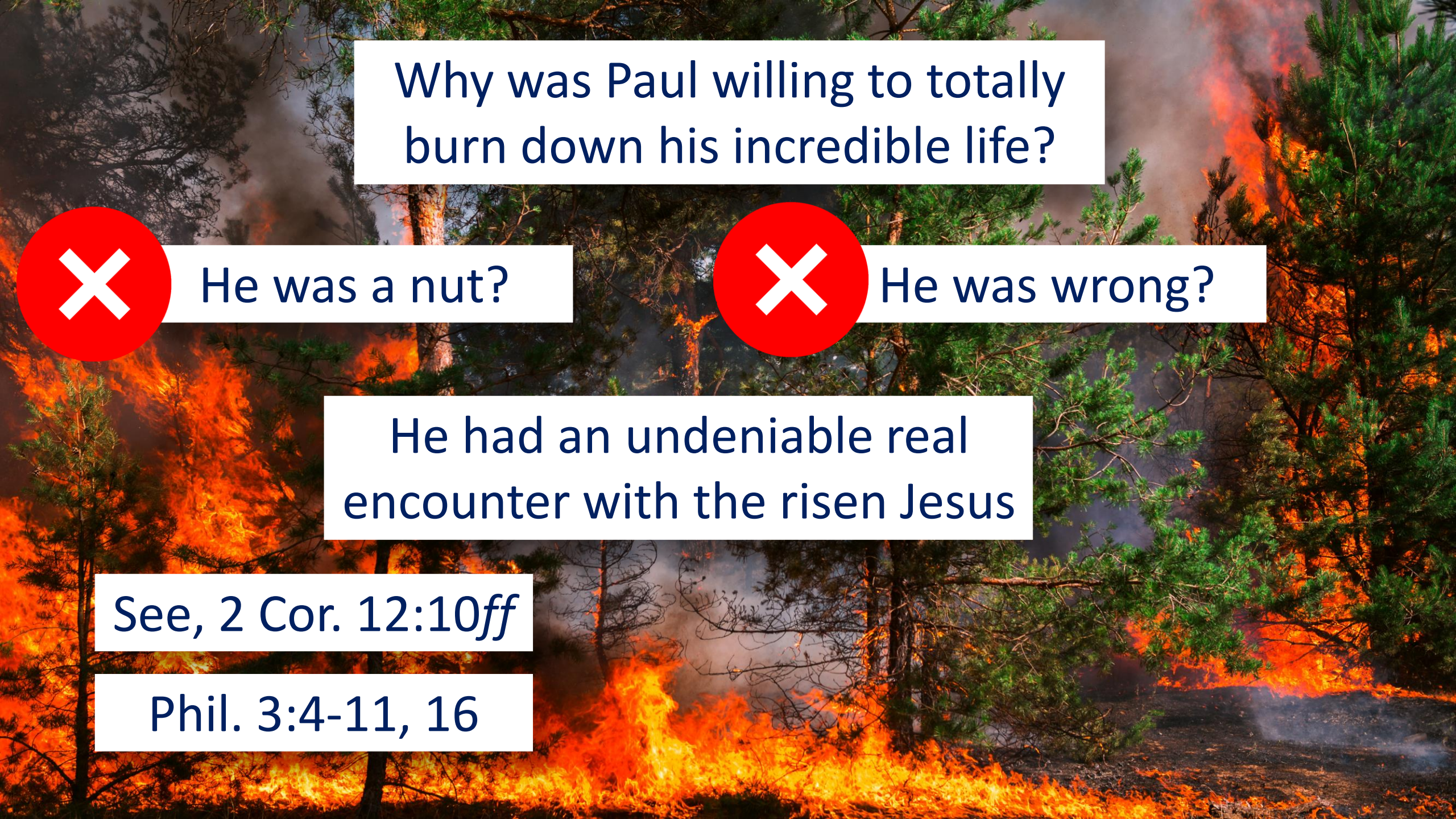
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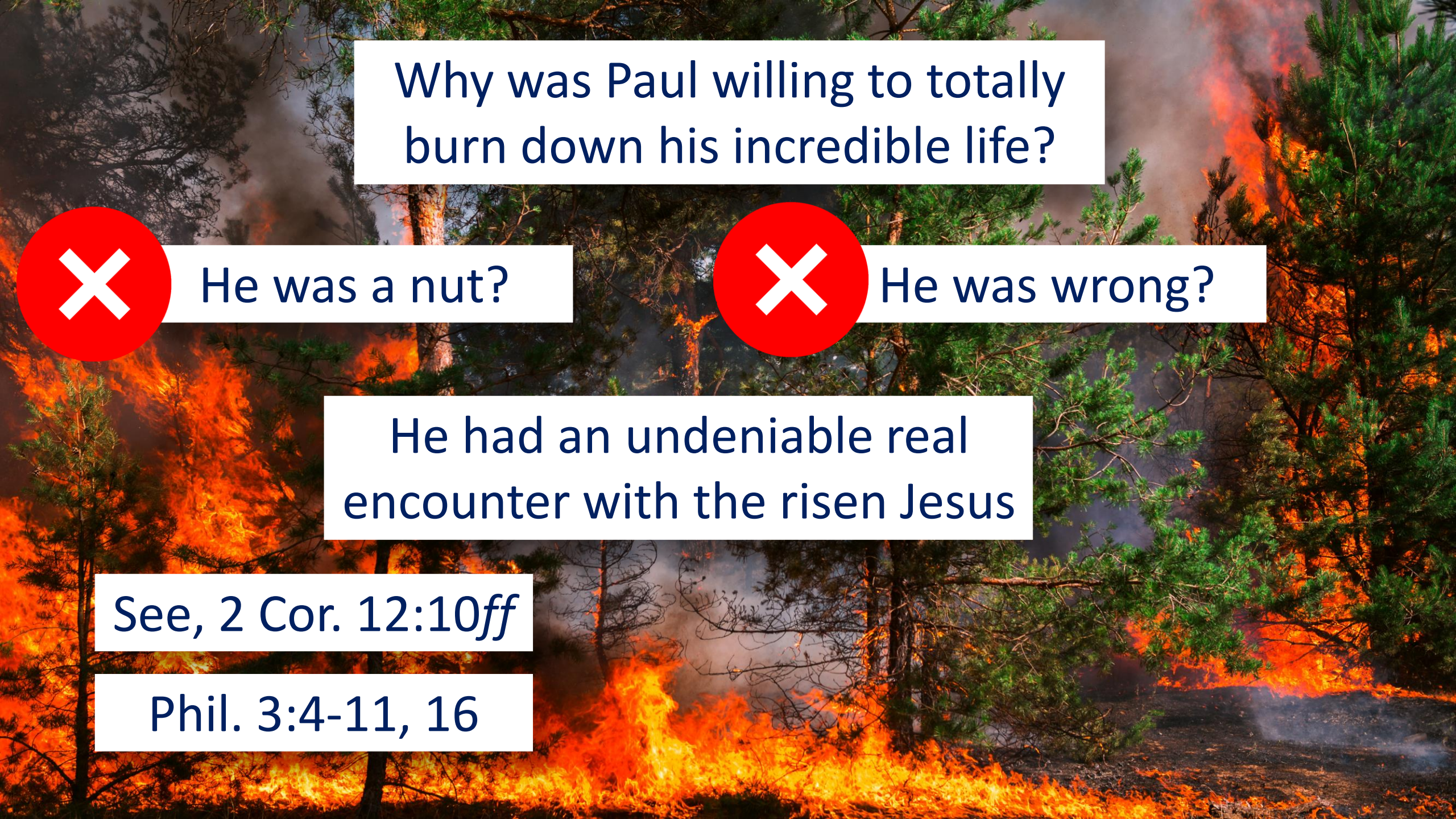


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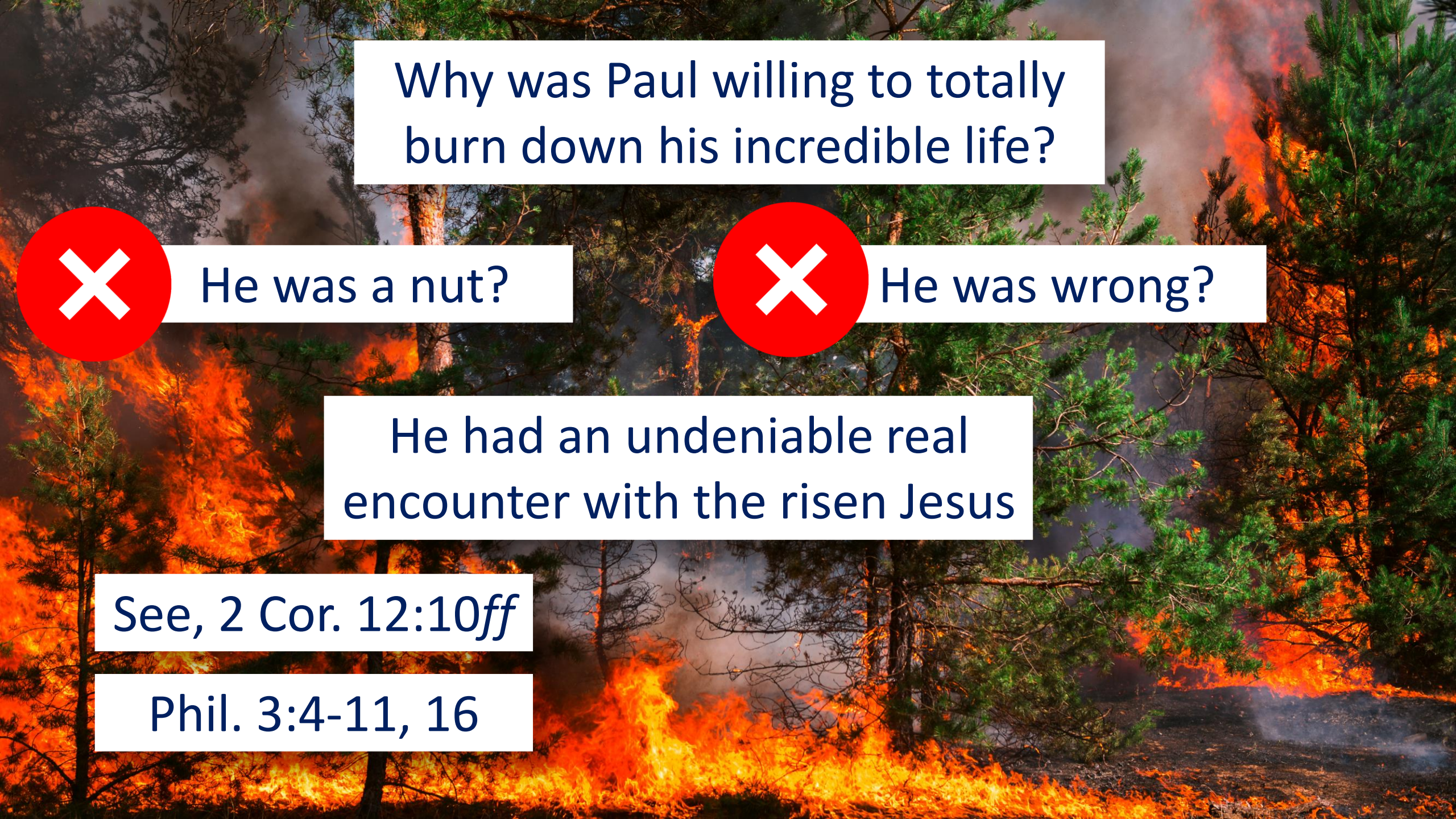
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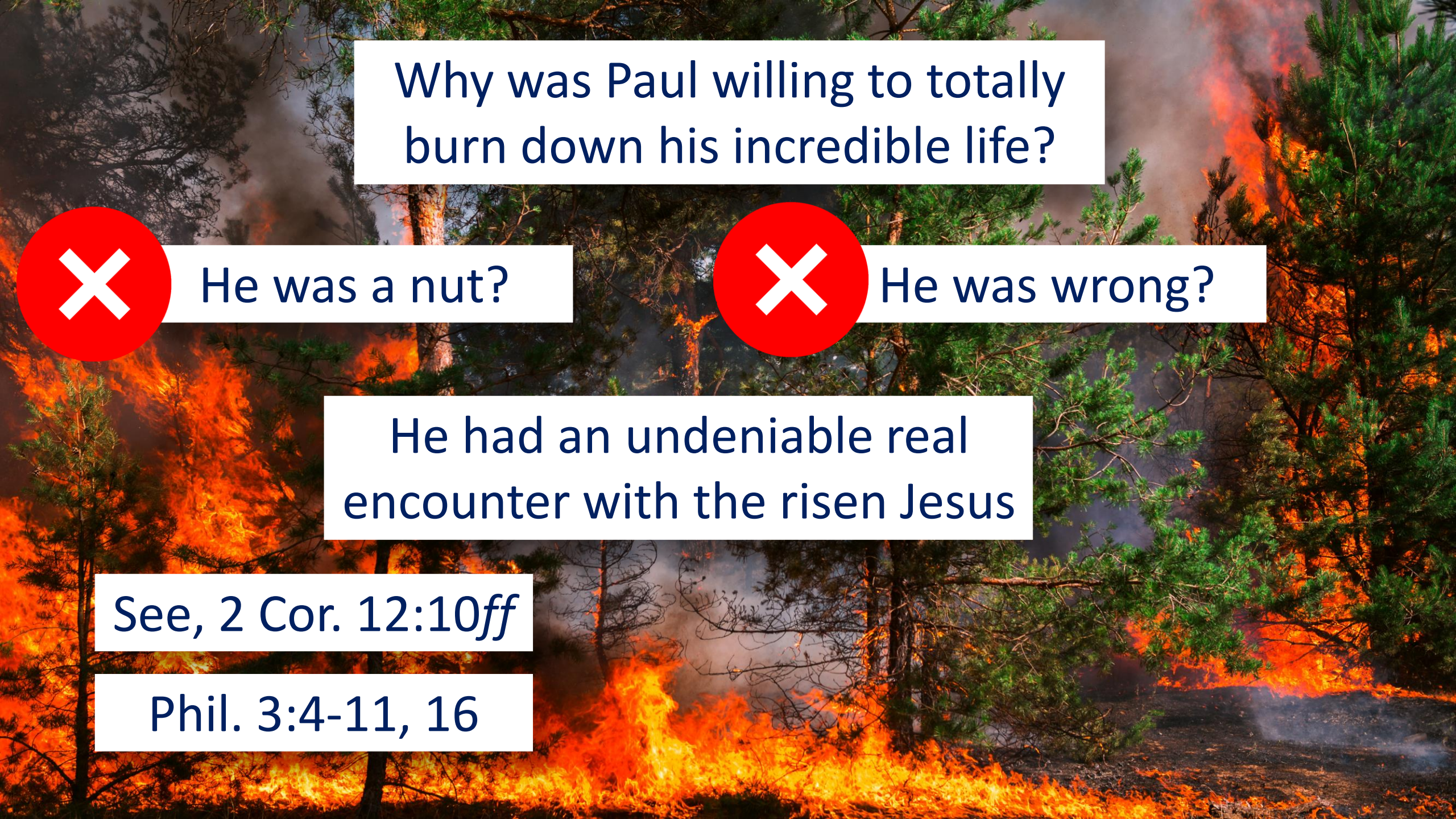
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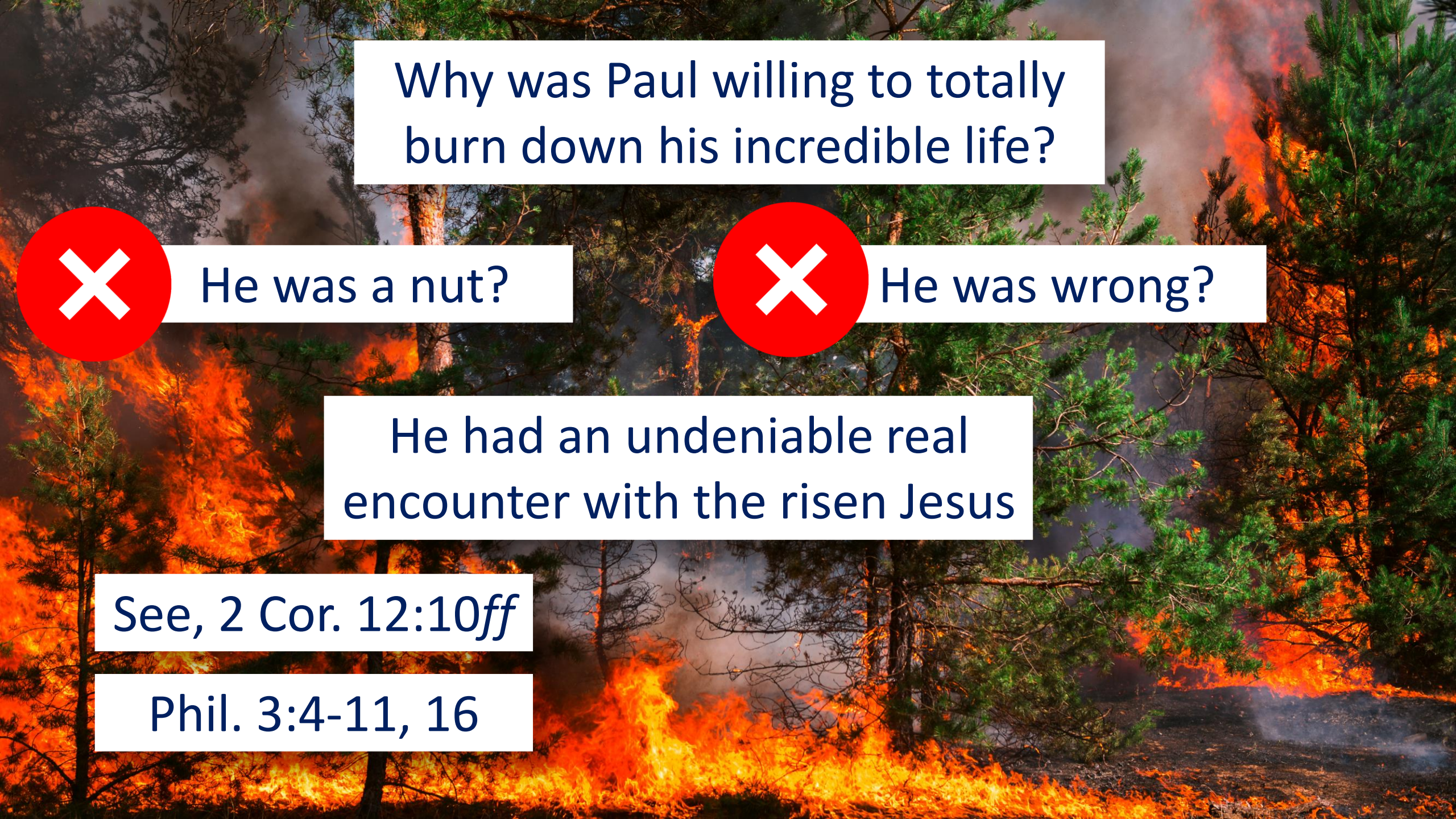
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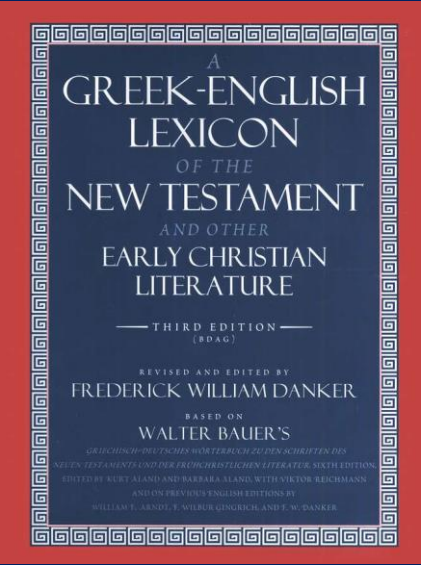
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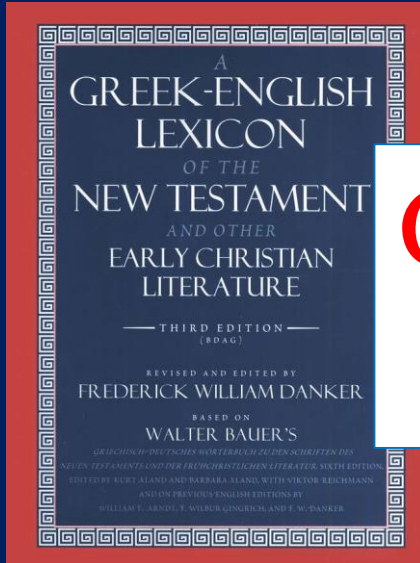
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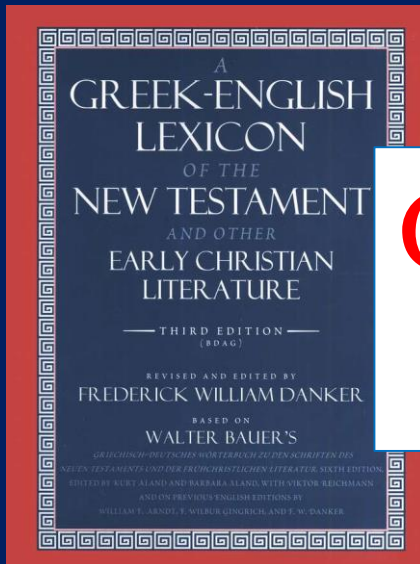




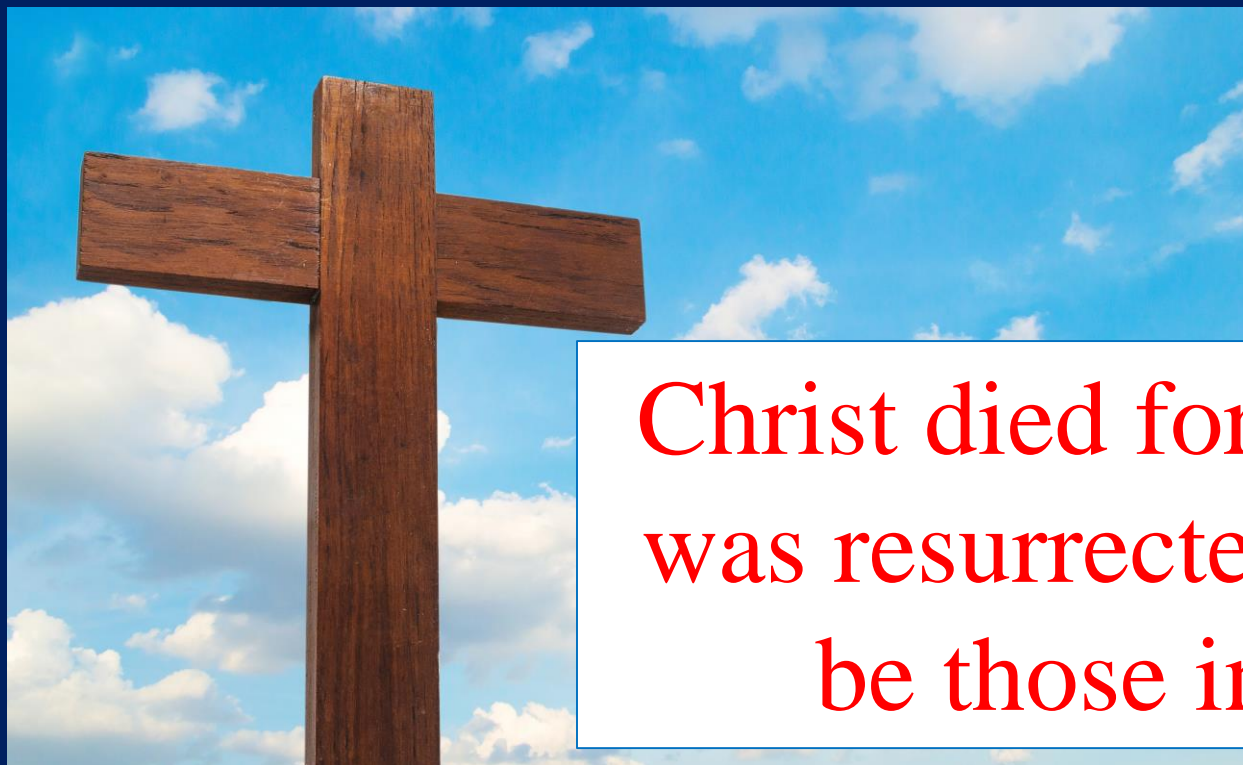




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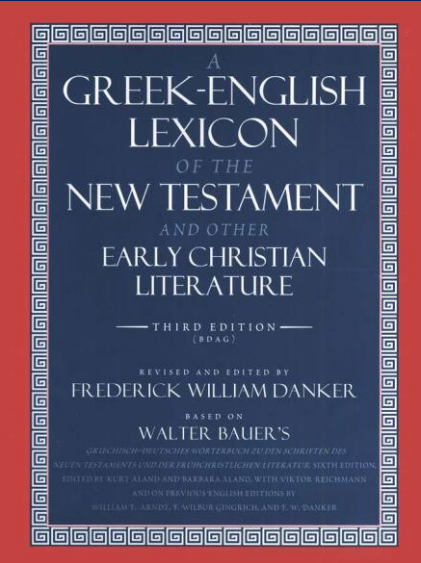
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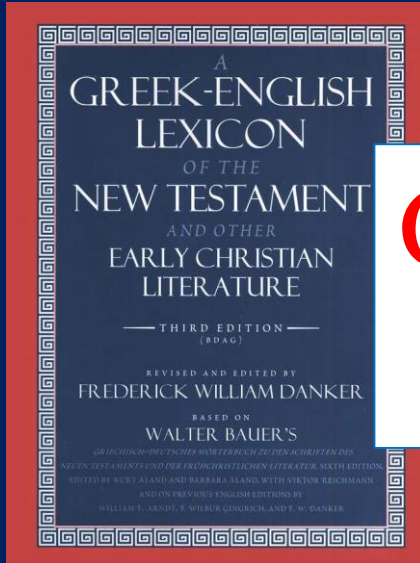




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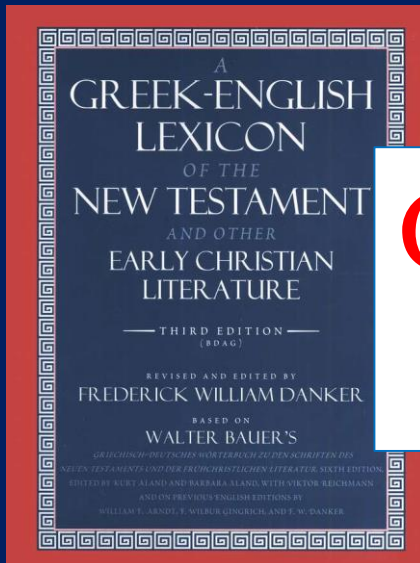




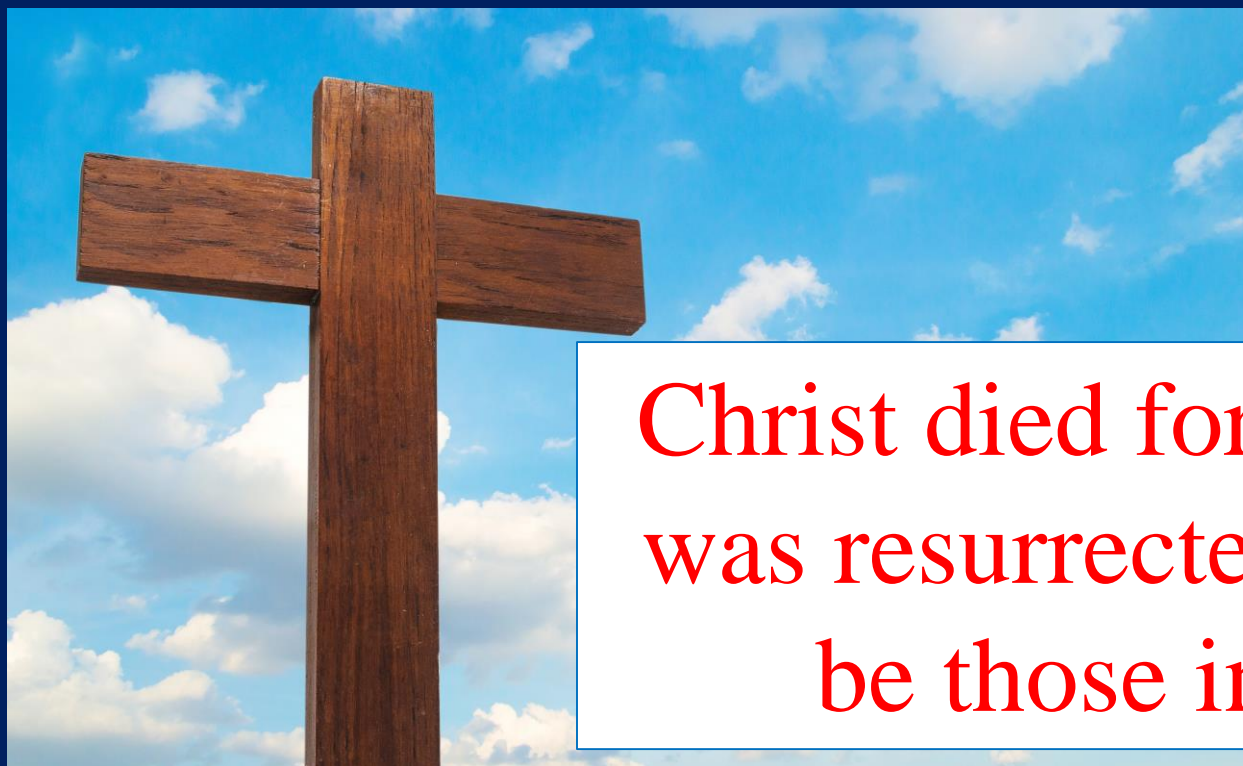


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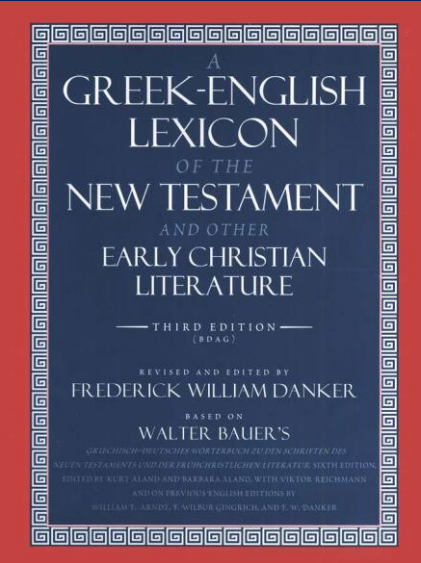
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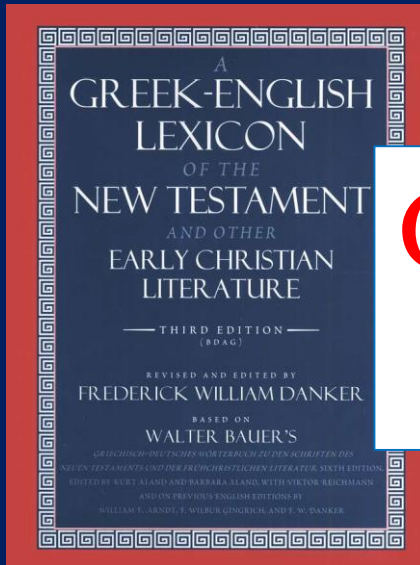
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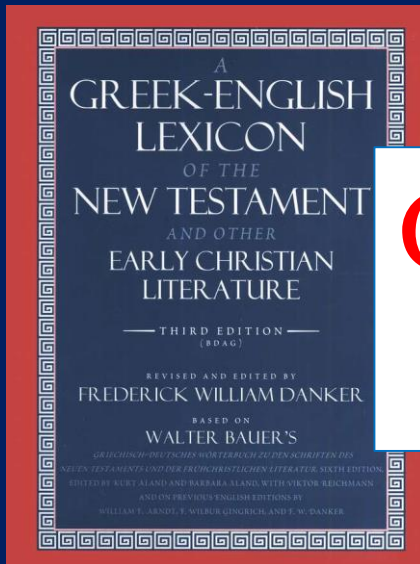




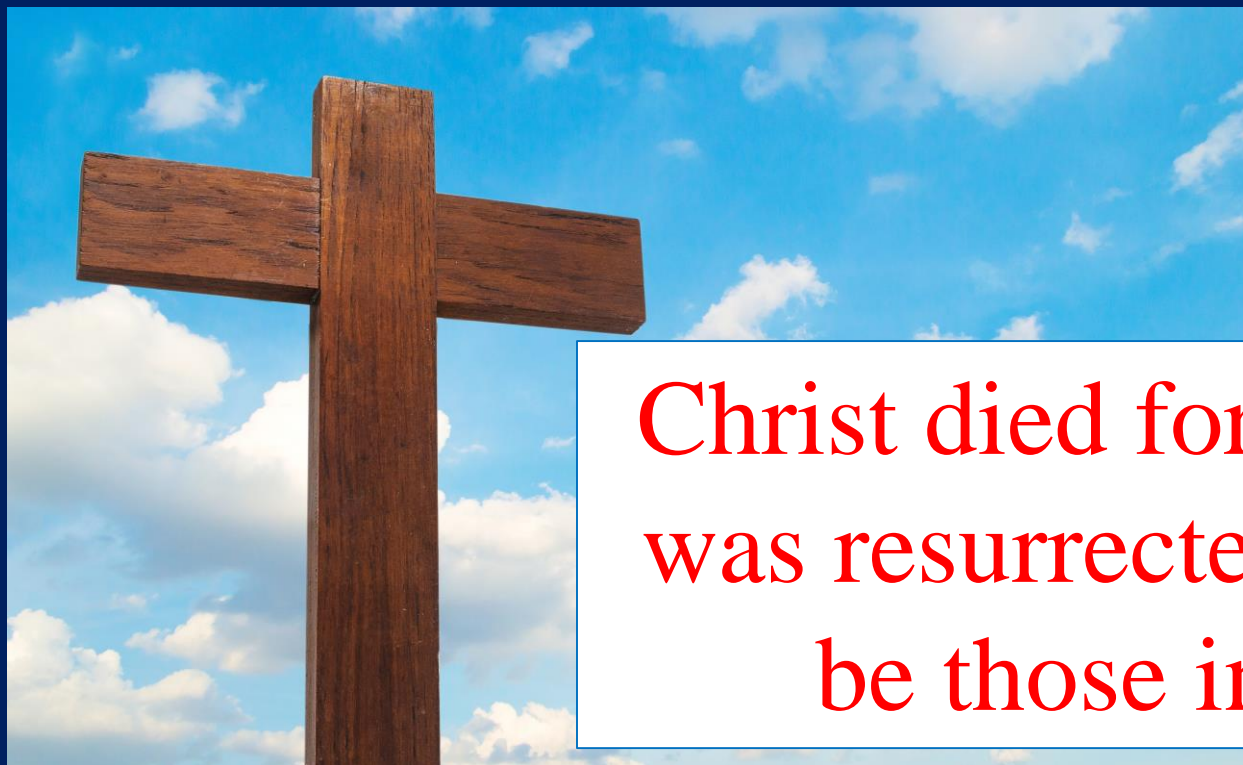


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