

DAWN IS COMING:

Lying Means Roar.

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Do you ever feel like you are being sabotaged? As Jesus followers, we have a real enemy. In order to defeat him we must first recognize his tactics ...

“Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.”

– 1 Peter 5:8, NIV

My Next Step(s):

- I will stop trying to prove my worth (sin of pride) before God.
- I will cast all my worries and anxiety on God—and leave them with Him!
- I will refuse to believe the lie that God is not there or that He doesn't care.
- I will seek to view my trials as God preparing me for a future work.
- I will not accept this world's blessings in place of God's eternal glory to be revealed.

Memory Verse: “Humble yourselves, therefore, under God’s mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time.” - 1 Peter 5:6, NIV

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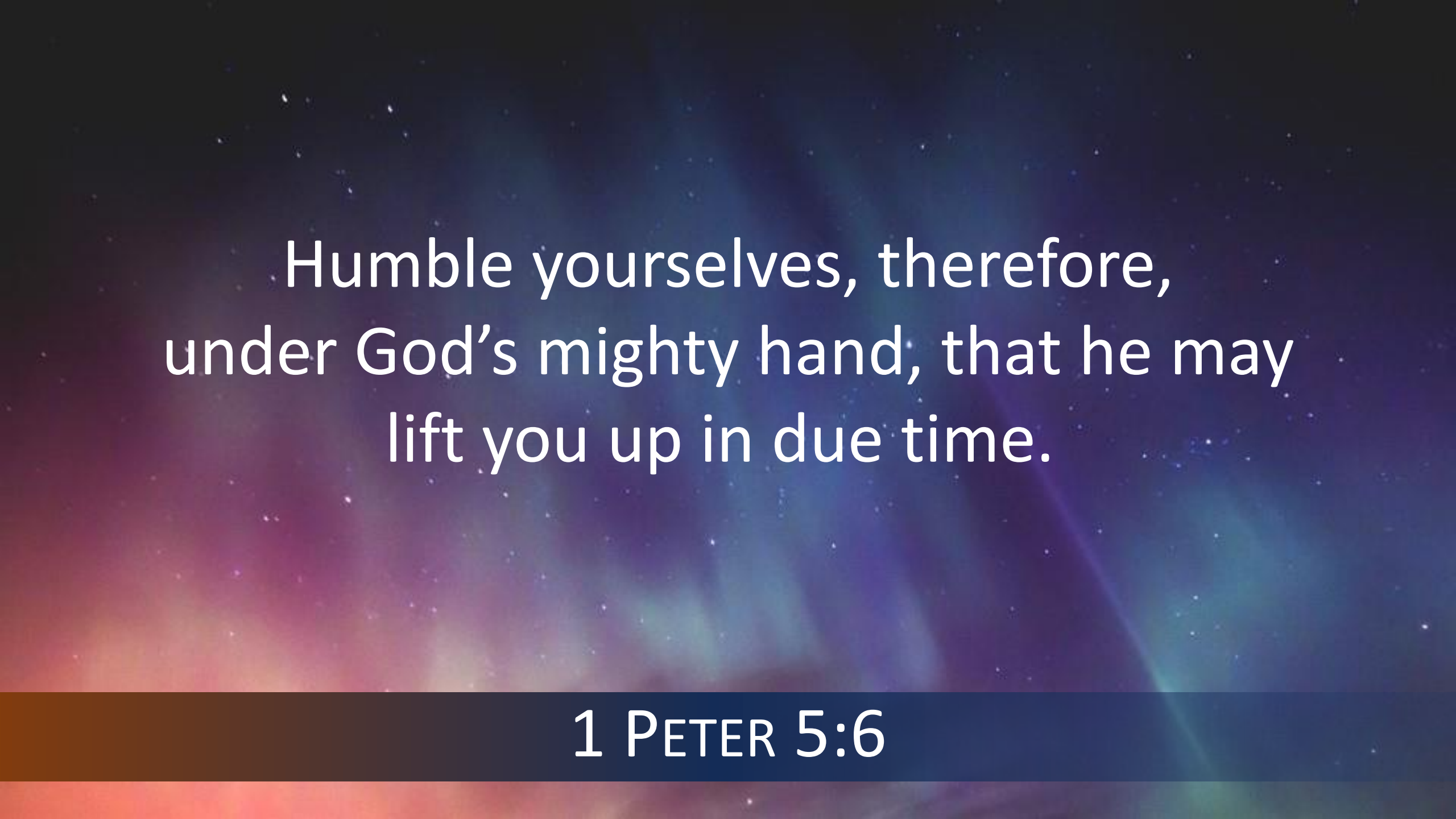
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I S C O M I N G

A JOURNEY THROUGH THE BOOK OF 1 PETER



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under God's mighty hand, that he may
lift you up in due time.

1 PETER 5:6



Cast all your anxiety on him
because he cares for you.

1 PETER 5:7

Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy
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lion looking for someone to devour.

1 PETER 5:8

Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that the family of believers throughout the world is undergoing the same kind of sufferings.

1 PETER 5:9

And the God of all grace, who called you
to his eternal glory in Christ, after you
have suffered a little while, will himself
restore you and make you strong,
firm and steadfast.

1 PETER 5:10



To him be the power for ever and ever.
Amen.

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JOHN 8:44

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My 2020 passport stamps



IT'S GONNA BE



MAY

"I'm sure things will be back
to normal by July!"

July:



My state's current plan for reopening schools.



When do them kids,
go back to school?



**When COVID-19 is over and you
can finally go finish the 8th grade.**



2020 every second



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1 PETER 5:8

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You have something to prove. (*pride*)



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“**If** you are the Son of God,” he said, “throw yourself down. For it is written:

““He will command his angels concerning you, and they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.””

MATTHEW 4:6

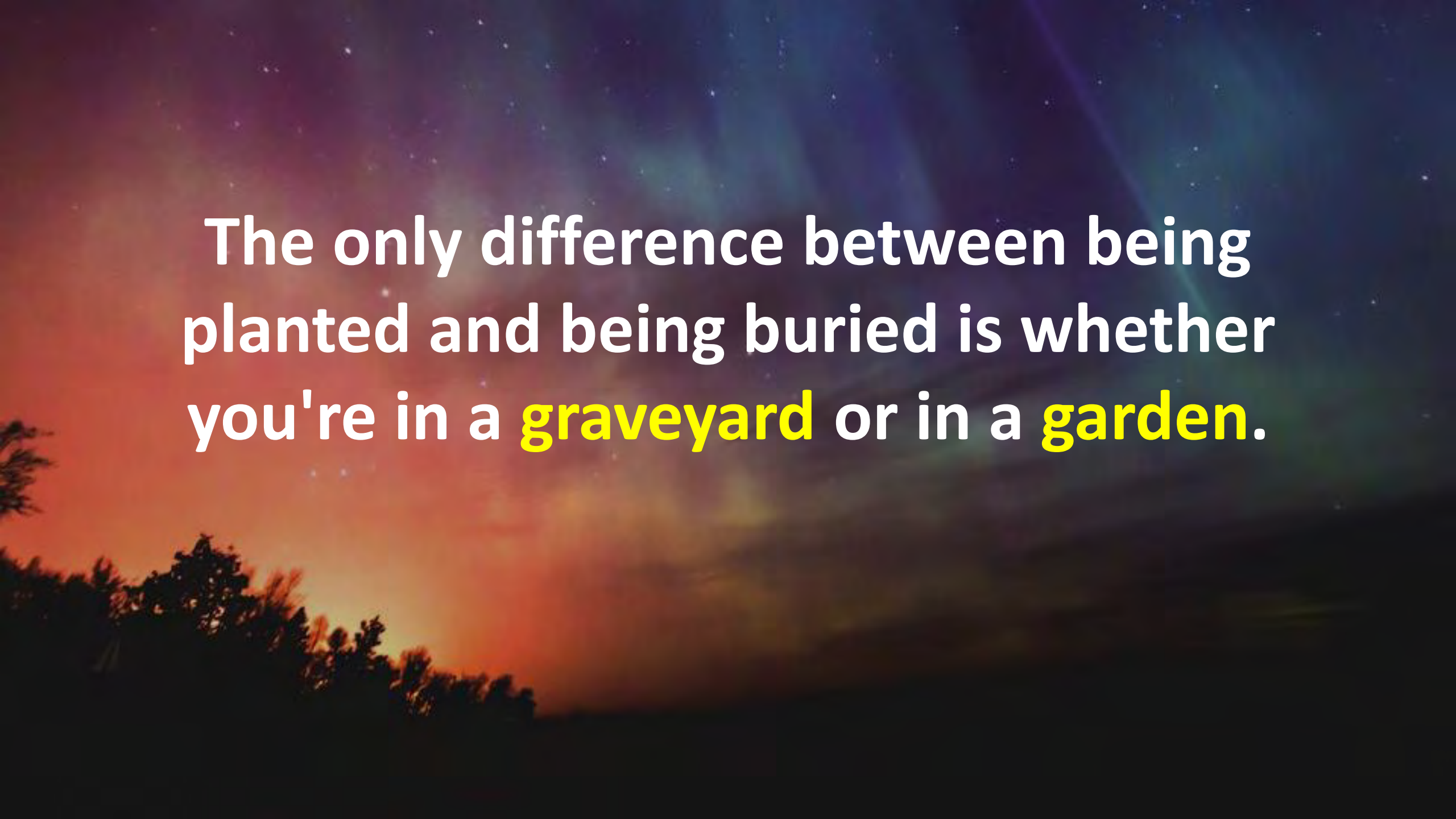
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a **blessing** received in the wrong
season becomes a **burden**.



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The only difference between being
planted and being buried is whether
you're in a **graveyard** or in a **garden**.

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You have something to prove. (*pride*)

You won't make it through this. (*worry*)



Cast all your **anxiety** on him
because he cares for you.

1 PETER 5:7

Cognitive Bias



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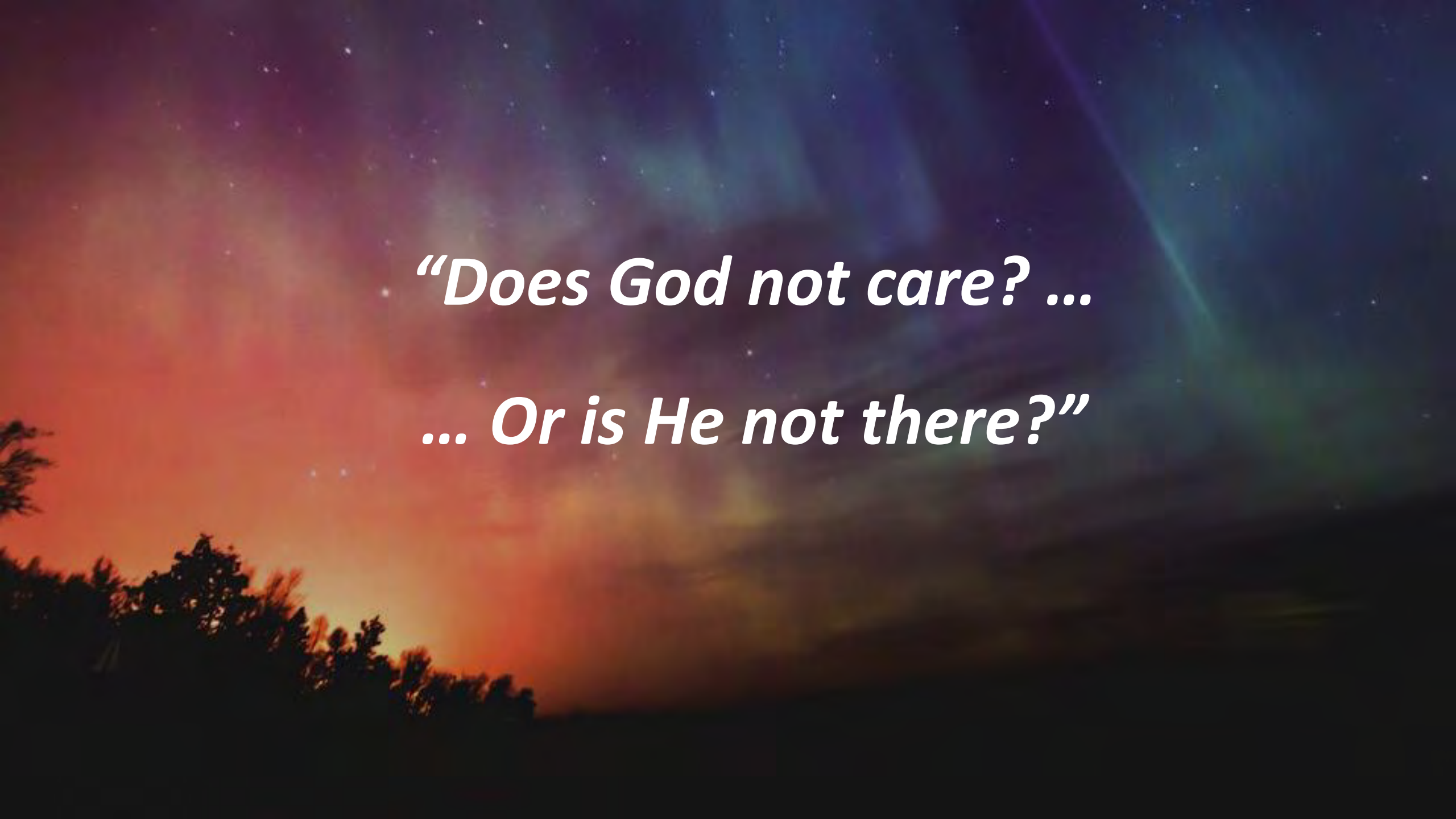
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God doesn't care about you. (*pain*)



*“Does God not care? ...
... Or is He not there?”*

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Don't doubt God's presence ...

**Doubt what you're thinking
about your trial.**

Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that the **family of believers** throughout the world is undergoing the same kind of **sufferings**.

1 PETER 5:9

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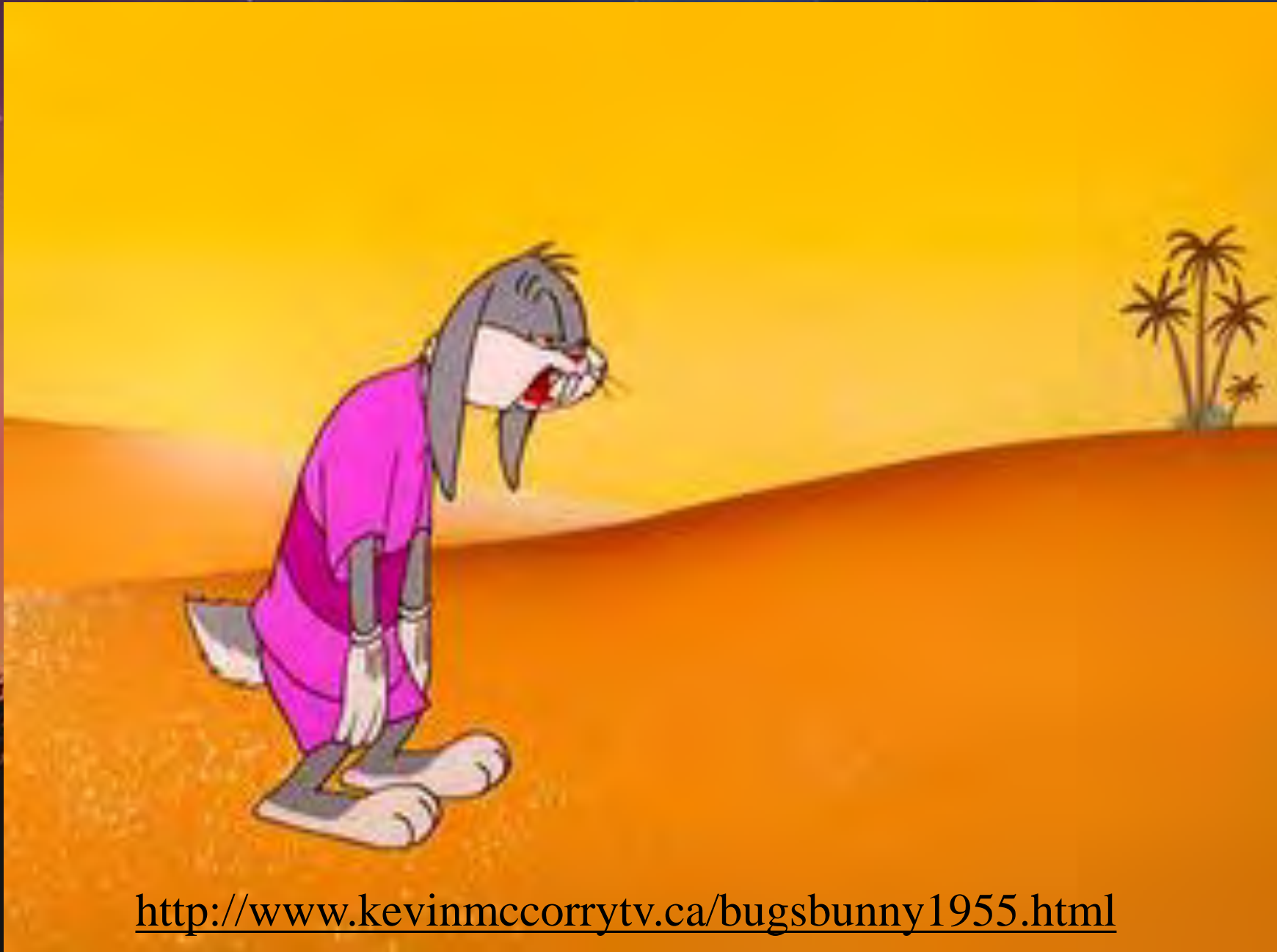
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You can relax now. (*prosperity*)

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