





Key Idea:

God is a faithful and loving God-
to us and CAC!

AKA

Jesus is Awesome!!



1) God is worthy of praise for His mighty works!

○ give thanks to the Lord...



“Give Thanks”

“Hallelujah” in Hebrew

“Alleluia” in Greek

Praise God!

..to express the worthiness and beauty of its
object



1 Chronicles 16:8

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name;
make known his deeds among the peoples!

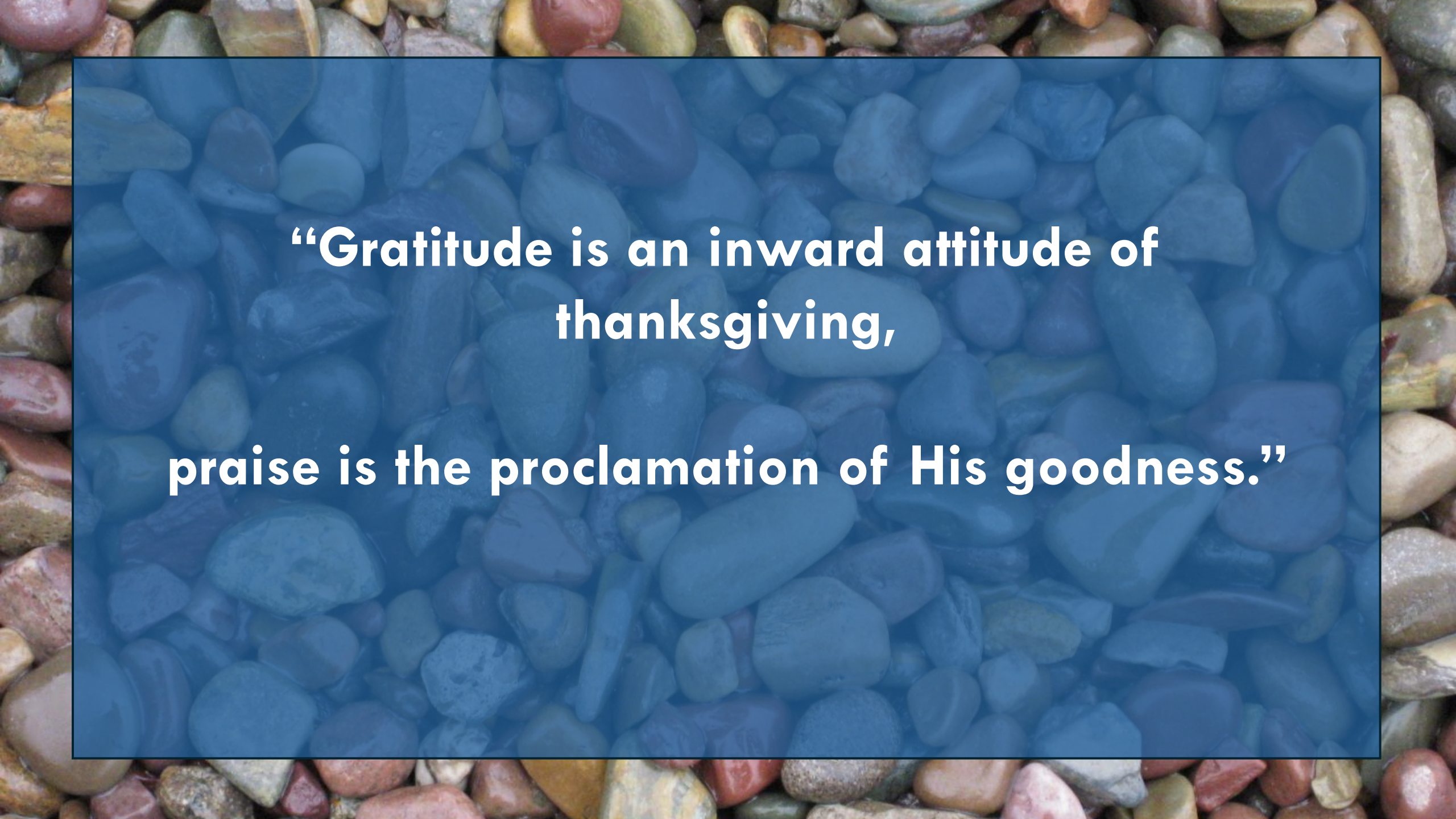


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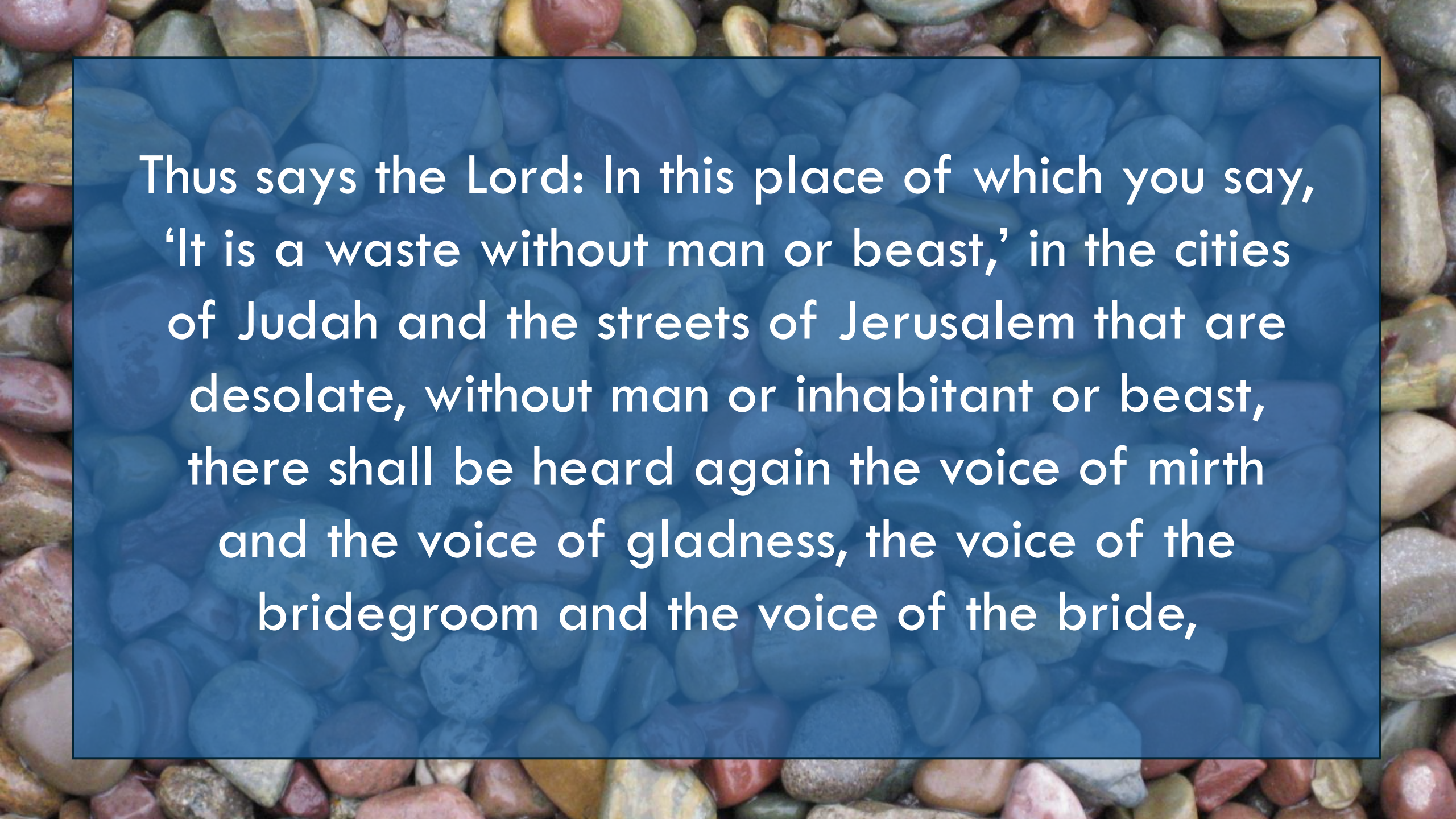
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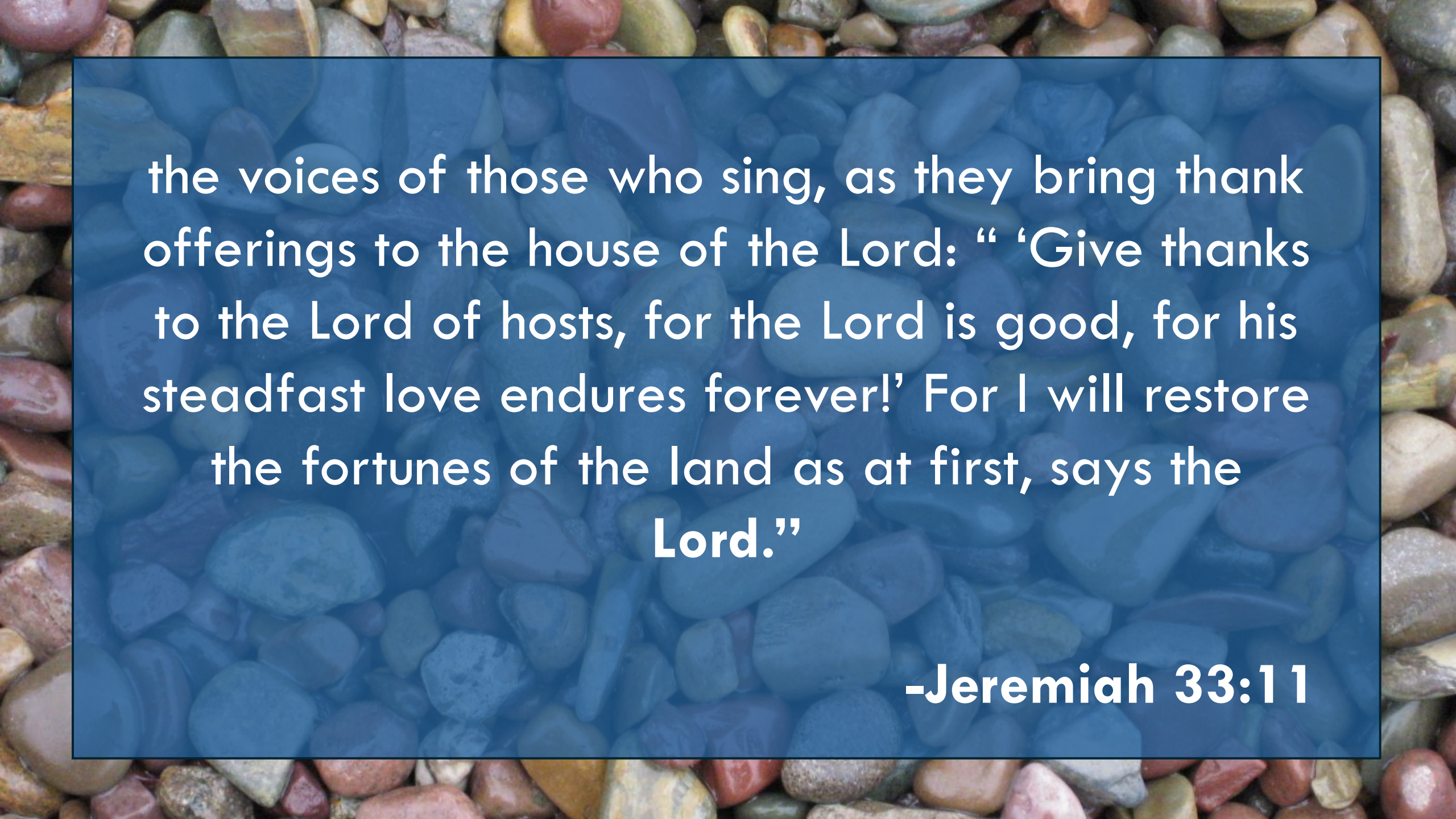
**Tied into this idea of praise is a verbal,
outward proclamation of God's mercy and
grace.**



**“Gratitude is an inward attitude of
thanksgiving,
praise is the proclamation of His goodness.”**



Thus says the Lord: In this place of which you say,
'It is a waste without man or beast,' in the cities
of Judah and the streets of Jerusalem that are
desolate, without man or inhabitant or beast,
there shall be heard again the voice of mirth
and the voice of gladness, the voice of the
bridegroom and the voice of the bride,



the voices of those who sing, as they bring thank offerings to the house of the Lord: “ ‘Give thanks to the Lord of hosts, for the Lord is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!’ For I will restore the fortunes of the land as at first, says the **Lord.**”

-Jeremiah 33:11



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and I miss my Mom so much.

...But...

Worship isn't about me its about you,
so let me worship you
even though it hurts.”



2) God is worthy of praise right now because of
His goodness

...for He is good...



“The first thing that comes to mind when you think about God is the truest thing about you.”

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Is your God “good?”



Vision 2025-2026

1,000 stories of Gospel Risk

“We don’t want to just ATTEND church
but to BE the Church
in our neighborhoods and world.”



Gospel Risks are RAD

Relational

Aimed at pointing towards Jesus

Disruptive Personally



I see God's Goodness in YOU as you take Gospel
Risks!

Grace

Nancy

Michael

Others?



3) God is worthy of praise for what He will do!

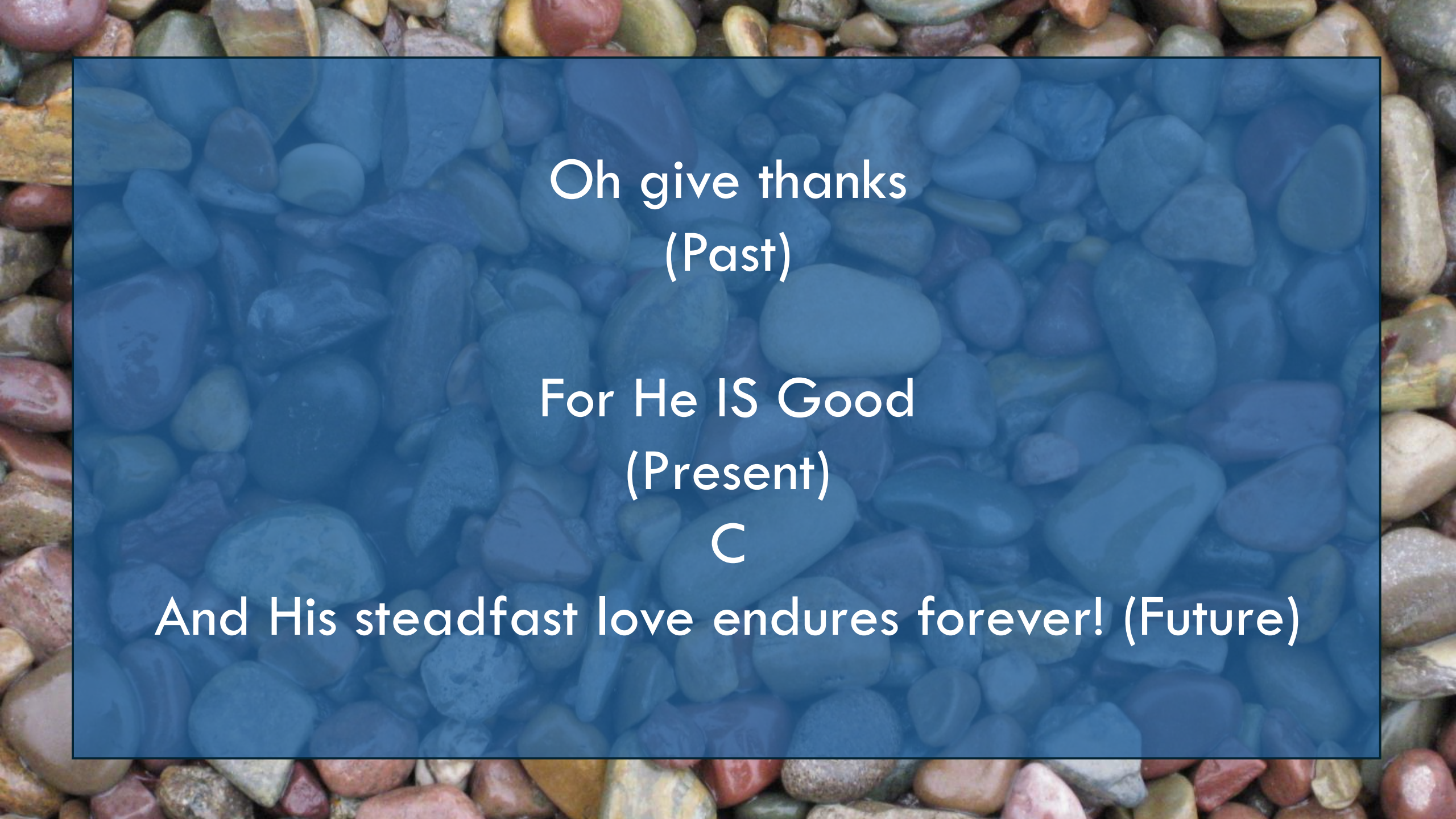
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“Steadfast Love”

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The core idea of this term communicates God’s
loyalty or faithfulness within a relationship.

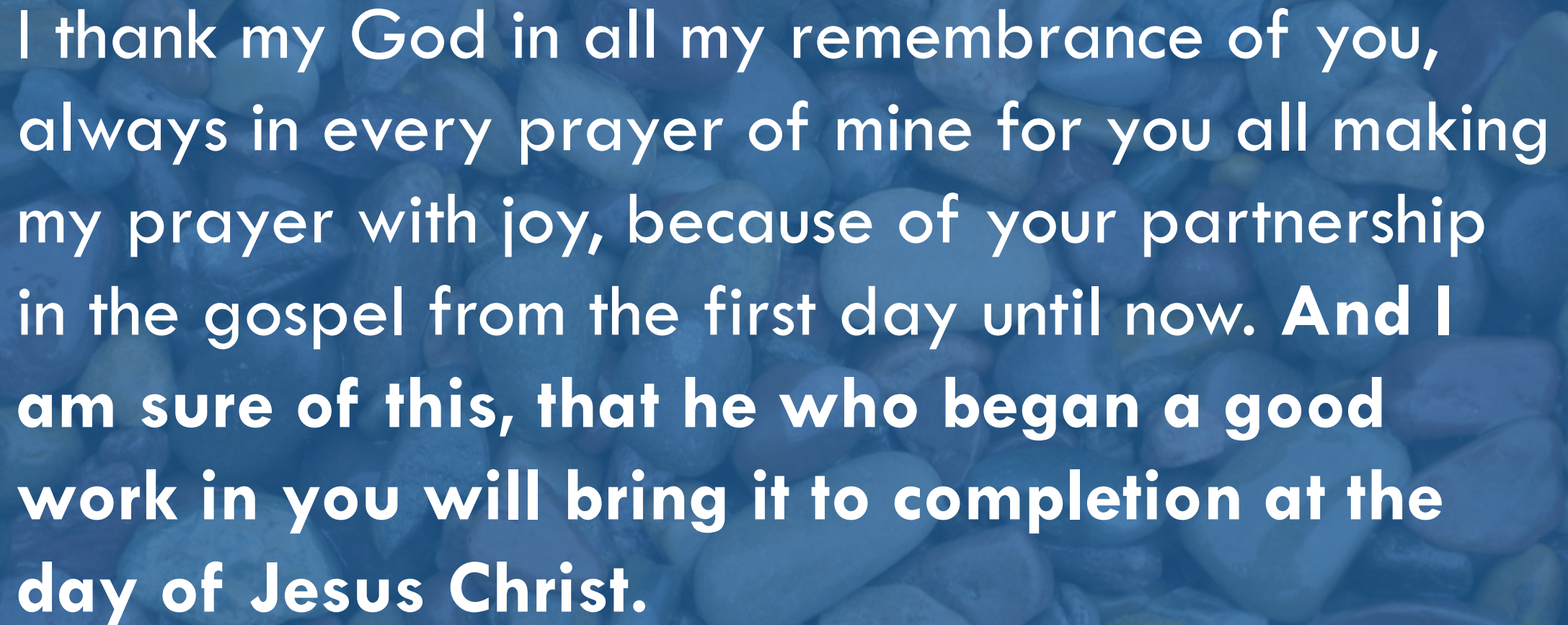


Oh give thanks
(Past)

For He IS Good
(Present)

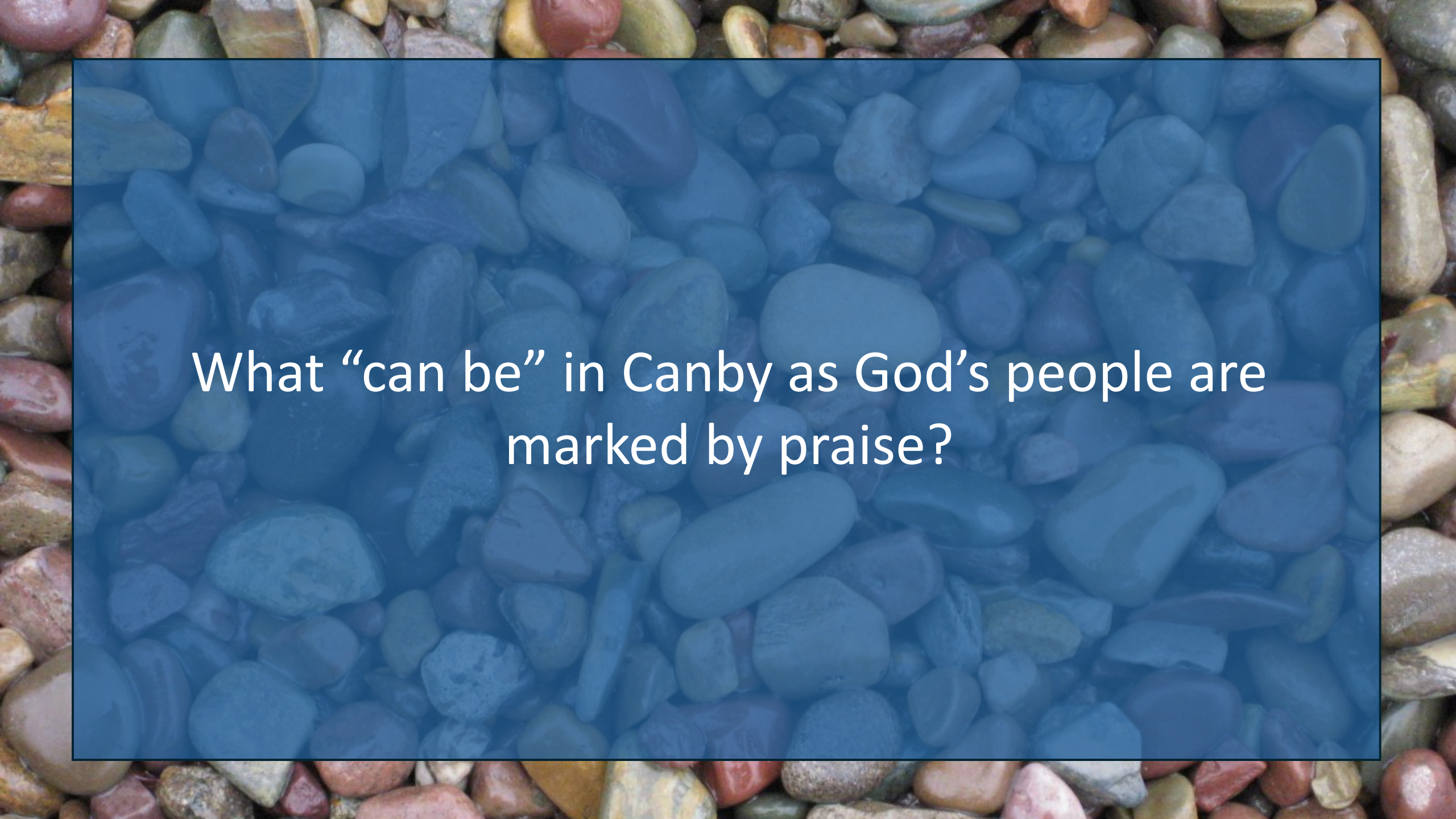
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And His steadfast love endures forever! (Future)



I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. **And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.**

Phil 1:3-6



What “can be” in Canby as God’s people are
marked by praise?

Reflection Questions

Read Psalm 107 this week.

What are some of the expressions of “praising” God? What are some you haven’t tried?

Is “praising” difficult for you? Why or why not?

How can you praise God today? Share with another.