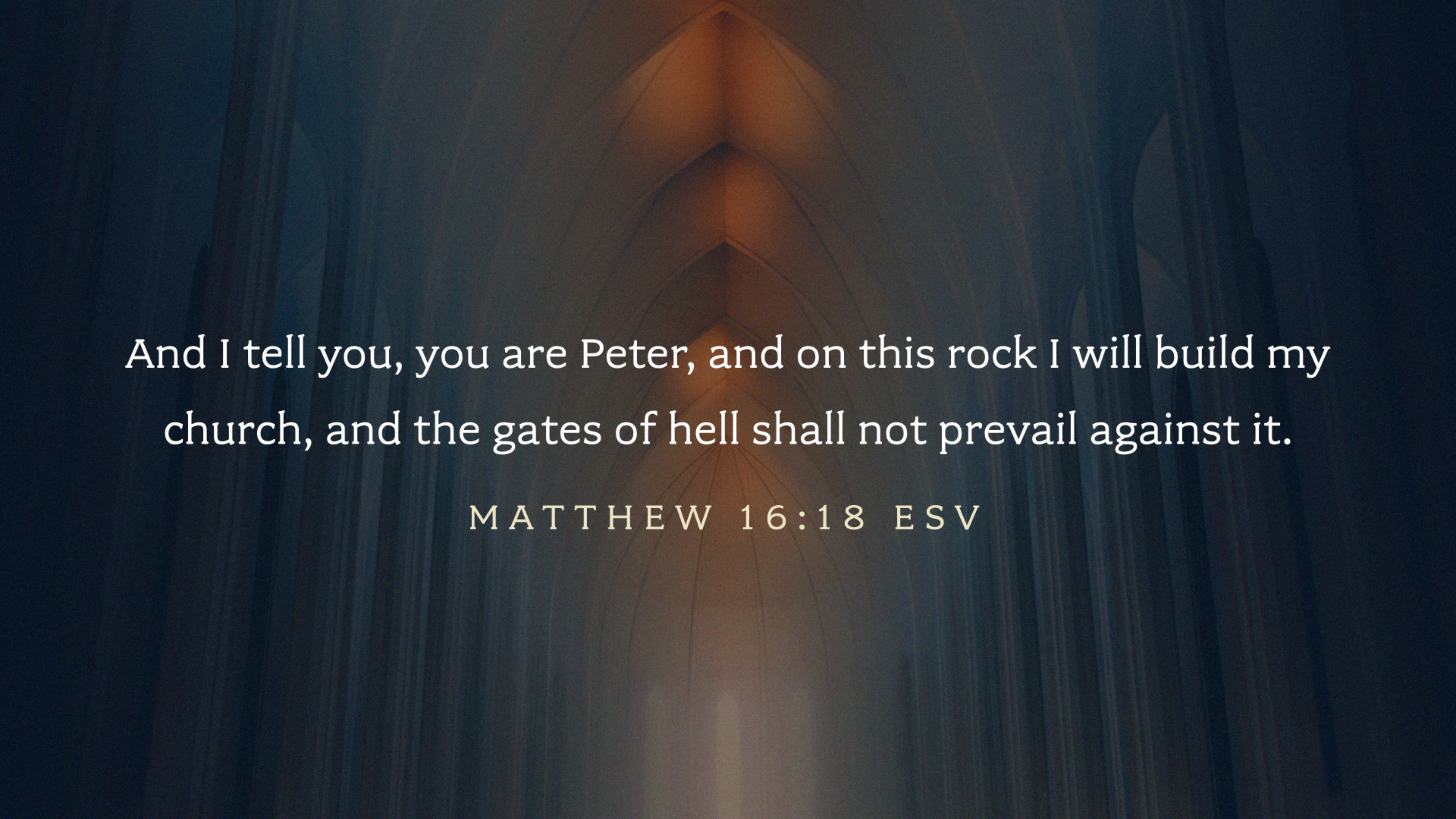


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And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

MATTHEW 16:18 ESV



JESUS BUILDS HIS CHURCH

EPHESIANS 2:19-22 ESV

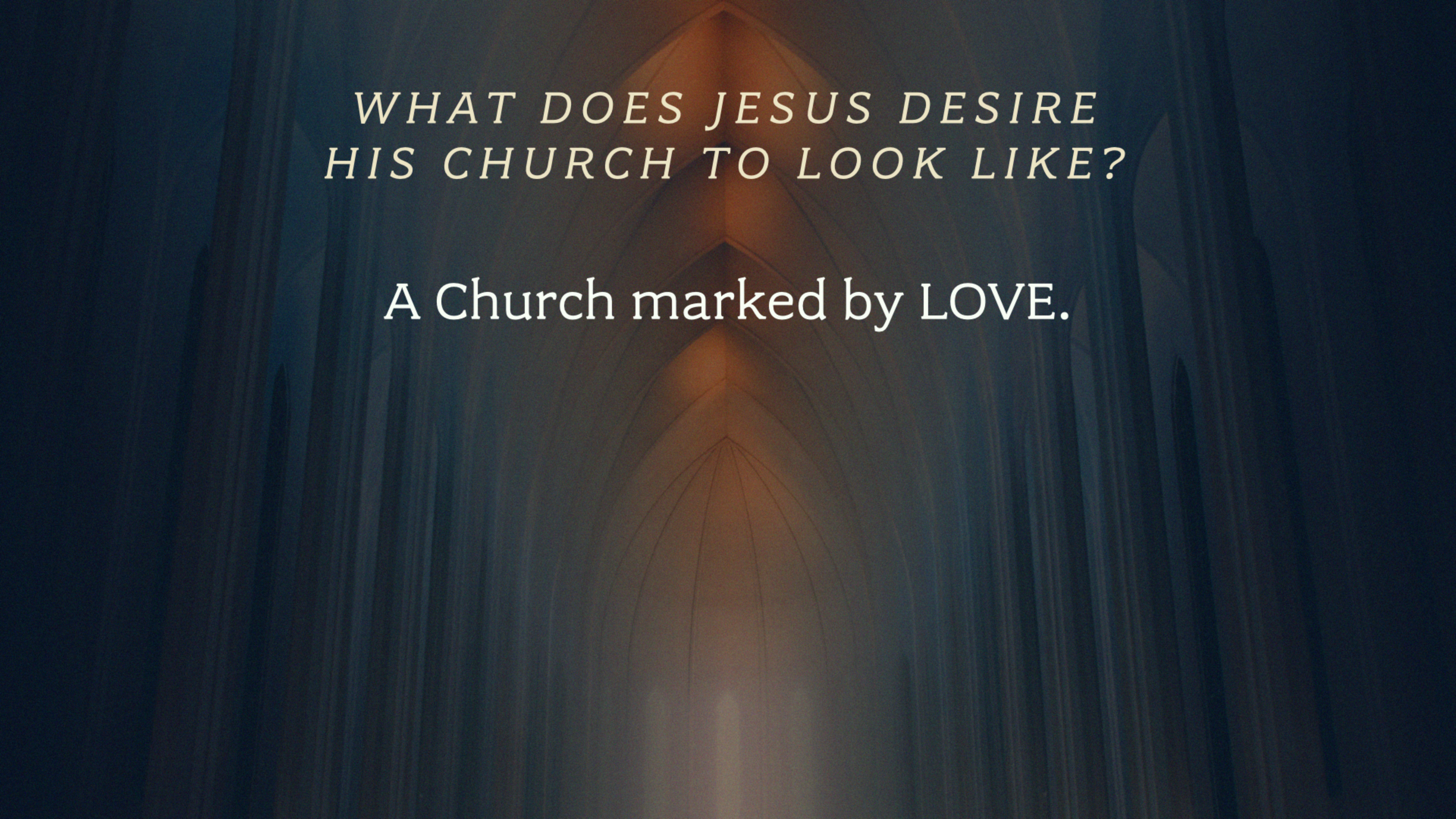
¹⁹ So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, ²⁰ built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, ²¹ in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord.

EPHESIANS 2:19-22 ESV

²² In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.



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A Church marked by LOVE.

JOHN 13:34-35 ESV

³⁴ A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. ³⁵ By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.



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JOHN 17:11 ESV

¹¹ And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one.

JOHN 17:20-21a ESV

²⁰ I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, ²¹ that they may all be one...



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REVELATION 7:9-10 ESV

⁹ After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰ and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!”

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REVELATION 19:7-8 ESV

⁷ “Let us rejoice and exult
and give him the glory,
for the marriage of the Lamb has come,
and his Bride has made herself ready;
⁸ it was granted her to clothe herself
with fine linen, bright and pure”—
for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints.



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Let love drive us.



“The Pentecostal power, when you sum it all up, is just more of God’s love. If it does not bring more love, it is simply counterfeit.”

WILLIAM SEYMOUR

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