



Your God is too Small.

Part 2 of 2

Therians / Otherkin / Furrries

Species Dysphoria is a condition in which a person feels that their body is of the wrong species. Many with this condition believe it is because their body does not reflect their inner identity. As a result of this, the person may feel discomfort or confusion



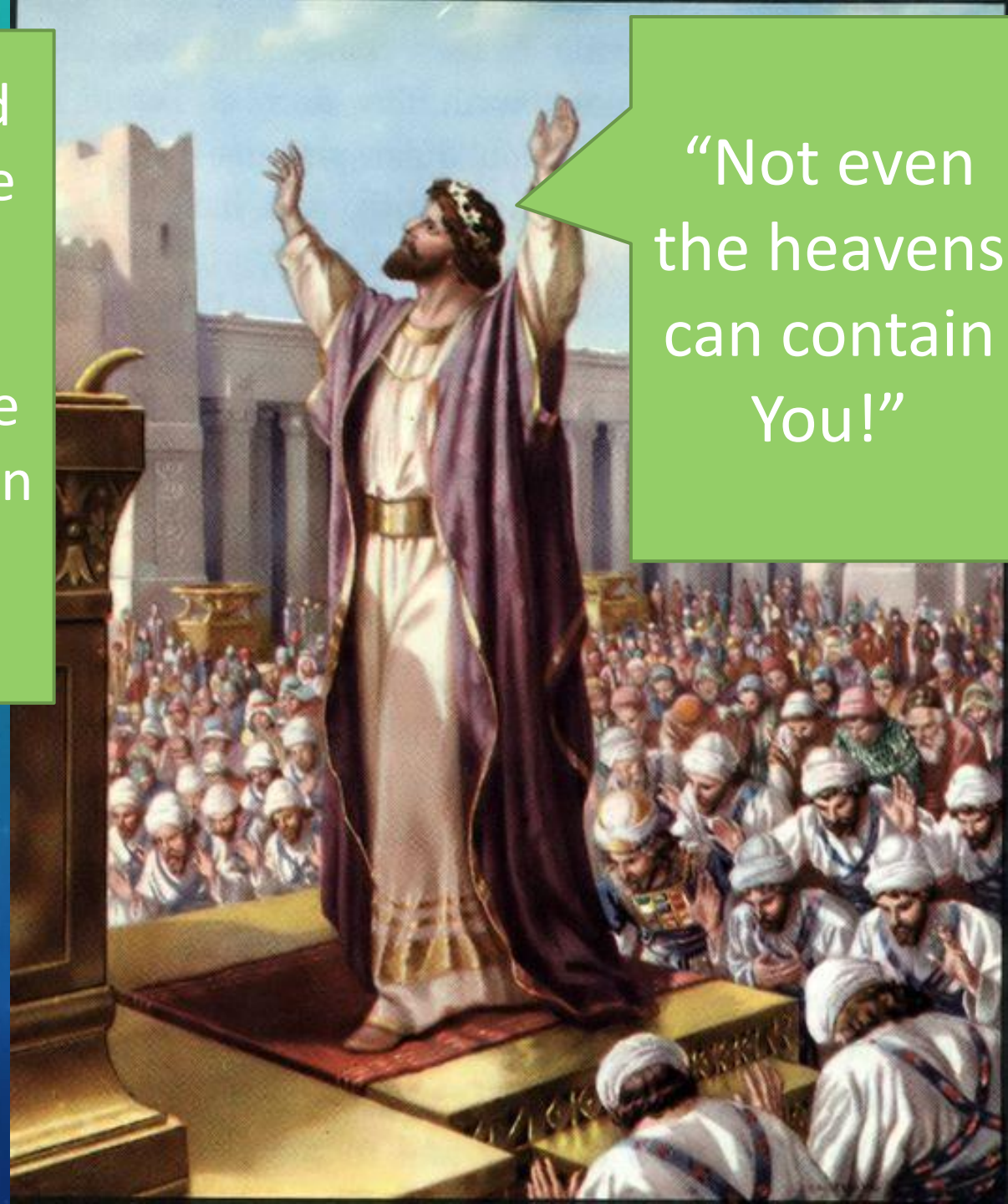
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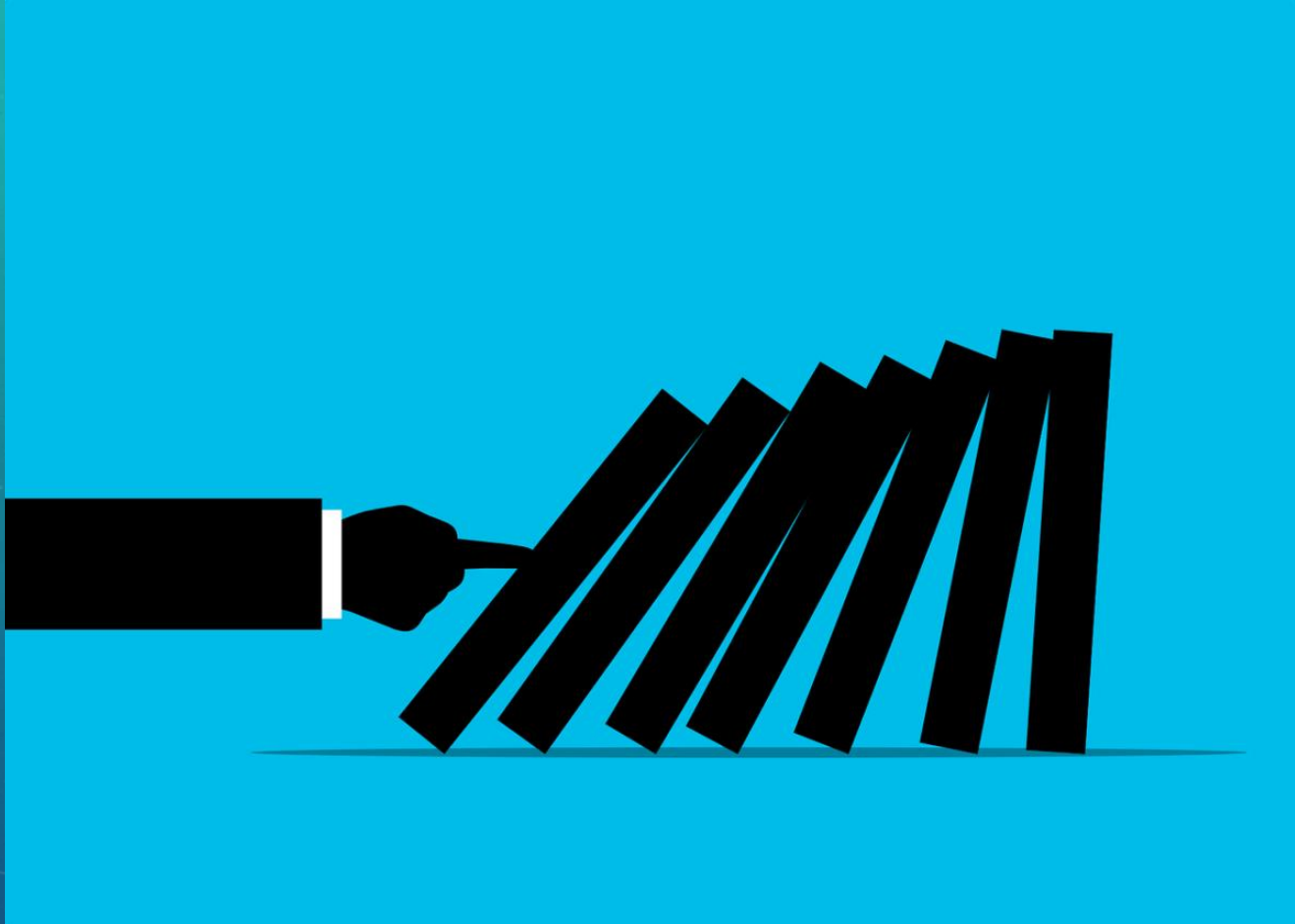


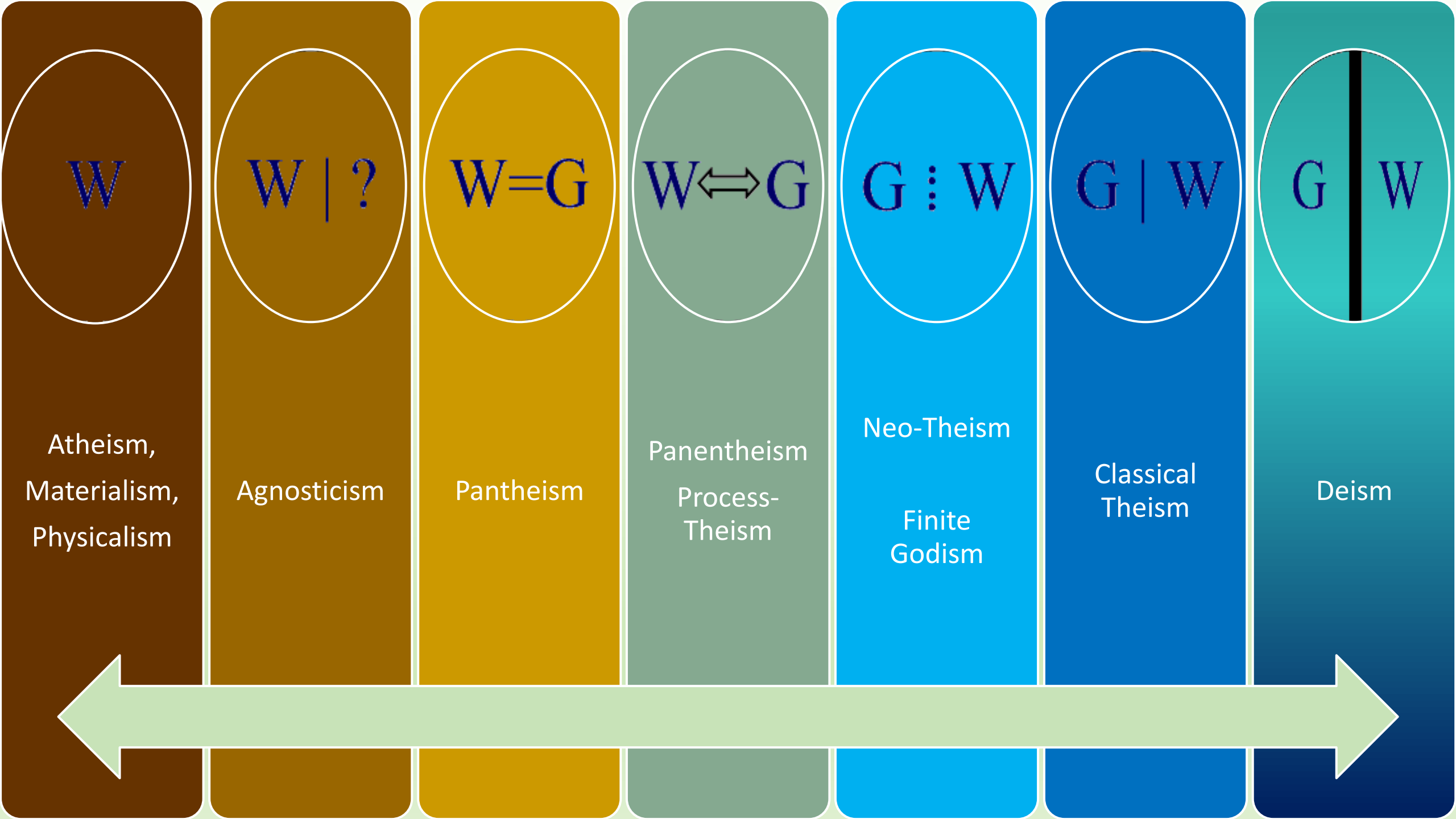
The heavens and earth declare the glory of God.

(But never let the lines blur between the Creator and His creation.)



“Not even the heavens can contain You!”





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$G : W$

$G | W$

$G | W$

Atheism,
Materialism,
Physicalism

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Panentheism
Process-
Theism

Neo-Theism
Finite
Godism

Classical
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Deism



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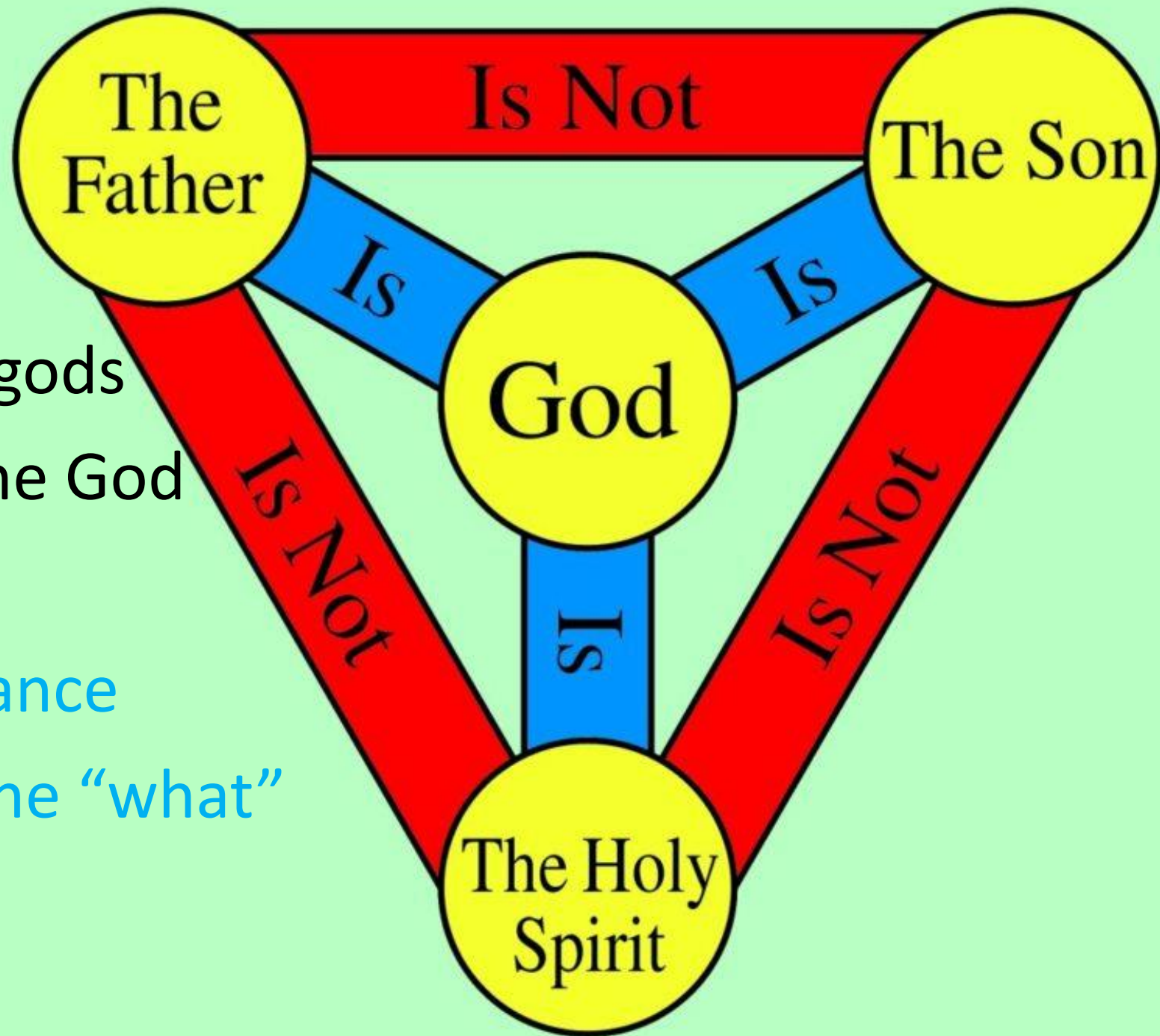
“The God of the Bible is
neither the kind of God men
would invent if they **c**ould
nor **c**ould invent if they **w**ould!”

- The true God won't fit perfectly in our little boxes. But invented/imagined gods will
- Similar yet different
- Not illogical



TRI-UNITY

- One God--not three gods
- Not three parts of one God
- Three persons
- One essence / substance
- Three “whos” and One “what”

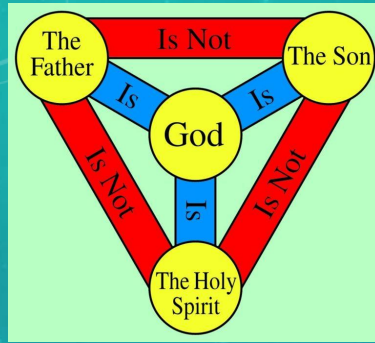


TRI-UNITY

- Not a contradiction
- Apprehend vs. Comprehend



TRI-UNITY



How to explain personalities and fellowship?

“Then God said, ‘Let us make man in our image, in our likeness.’... So God created man in his own image, in the image of god he created him; male and female he created them.” **Gen. 1**

You can't give what you don't have?

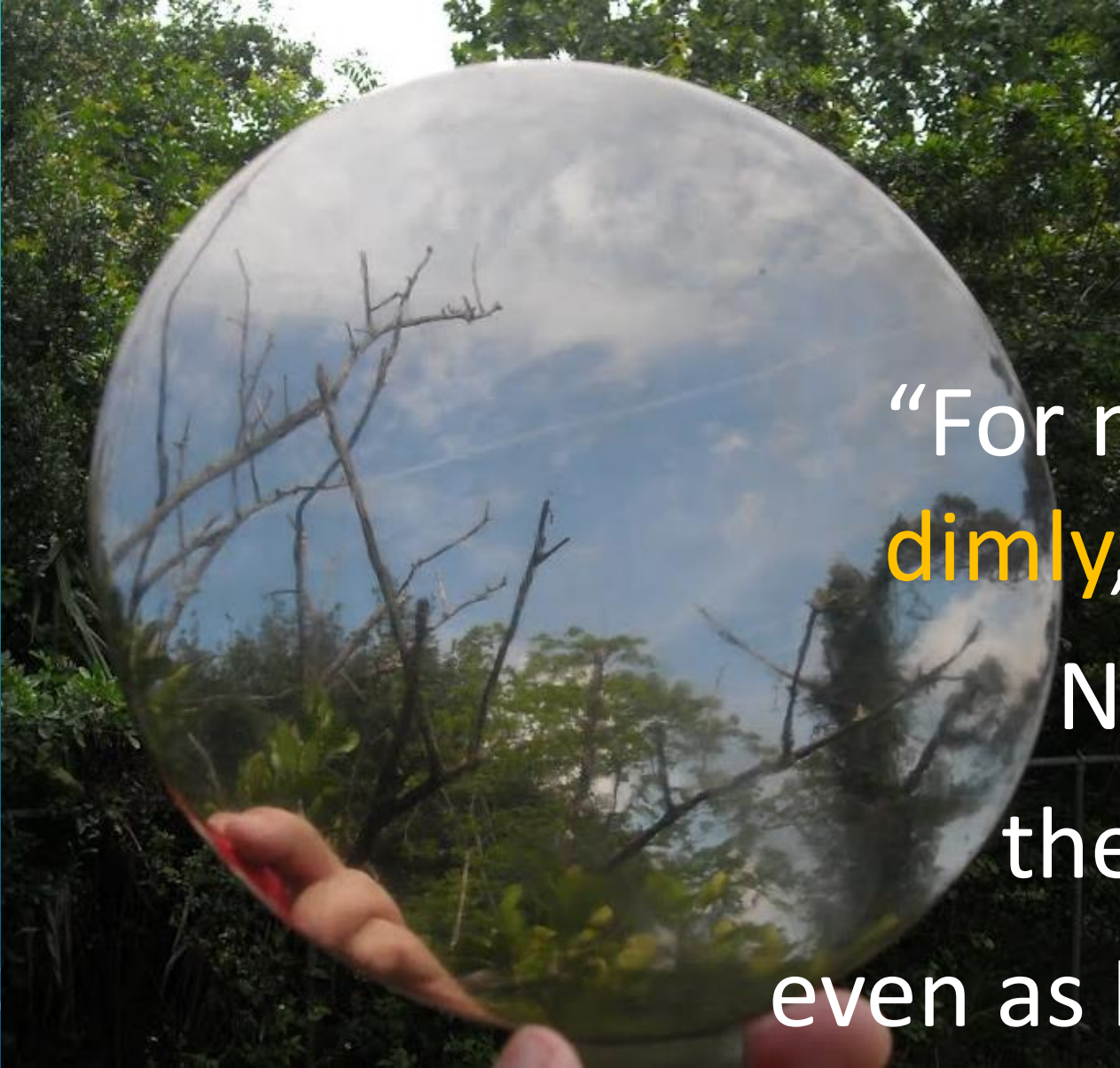




1 COR. 13:12

“For now we see in a **mirror dimly**, but then **face to face**.

Now I know in part;
then I shall know fully,
even as I have been fully known.”





Exodus 33 When Moses entered the tent, **the pillar of cloud** would descend and stand at the entrance of the tent, and the **LORD would speak with Moses**. And when all the people saw the **pillar of cloud** standing at the entrance of the tent, all the people would rise up and worship, each at his tent door. **Thus the LORD used to speak to Moses face to face, as a man speaks to his friend.** ... And [God] said, “**My presence** will go with you, and I will give you rest.” . . . Moses said, “**Please show me your glory.**” And [God] said, “I will make **all my goodness** pass before you and will proclaim before you my name ‘The LORD.’ And I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. **But,**” he said, “**you cannot see my face,** for man shall not see me and **live.**” And the LORD said, “Behold, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock, ²² and while **my glory passes by** I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my **hand** until I have passed by. Then I will take away **my hand,** and you shall see **my back,** but **my face** shall not be seen.”

ISAIAH 6

... **I saw the Lord** sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the **temple**. Above him stood the seraphim. . . . And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; **for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!**”

THE FOLLY OF THE GOSPEL – 1 COR. 1-2

For Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach **the gospel**, and not with words of eloquent wisdom, lest **the cross of Christ** be emptied of its power. For **the word of the cross is folly** to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. . . .the world did not know God through wisdom, it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks seek wisdom, but we preach **Christ crucified**, a stumbling block to Jews and **folly to Gentiles**, but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the **wisdom** of God. For the **foolishness of God** is **wiser** than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men. ... God chose what is low and despised in the world, ... so that no human being might boast in the presence of God. And because of him you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us **wisdom** from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption, so that, as it is written, “Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord.” ... I decided to know nothing among you except **Jesus Christ and him crucified**.

THE FOLLY (MYSTERY) OF THE GOSPEL



THE FOLLY OF THE GOSPEL

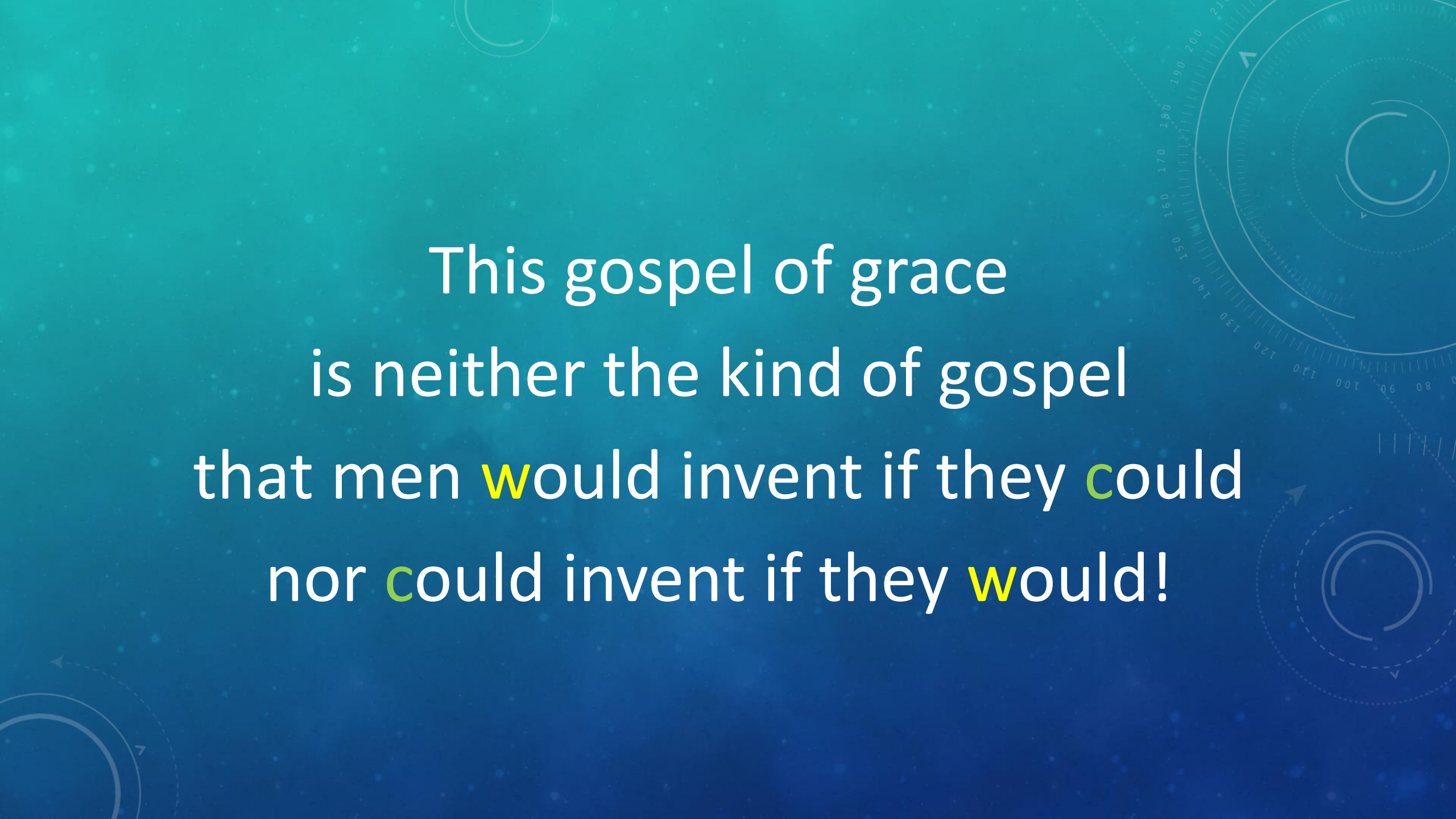
- Bees in my wall
- Love them? Destroy them?
- Prepared a “mansion” for them
- But how to relocate them?
- Can’t talk to them
- Can’t force them
- Become a worker bee?!?!
- Die for them???!?!???
- Adopt them as legal heirs???



MYSTERY OF TWO NATURES

- Infinite into finite???
- More than a finger puppet!
- “Donning an earth suit.”
- Fully divine (100% God)
- ***Still*** fully man (100% human)
- How is that possible?



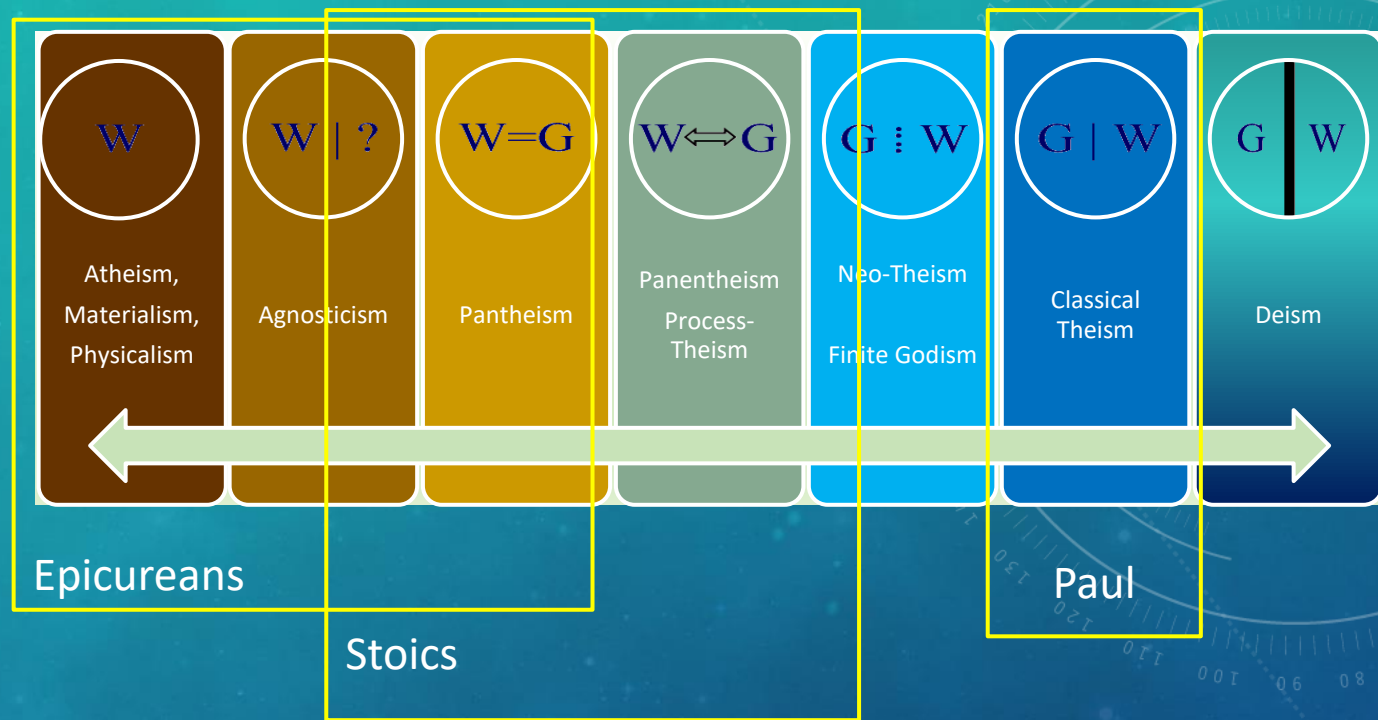


This gospel of grace
is neither the kind of gospel
that men **w**ould invent if they **c**ould
nor **c**ould invent if they **w**ould!



SOVEREIGN OVER HISTORY

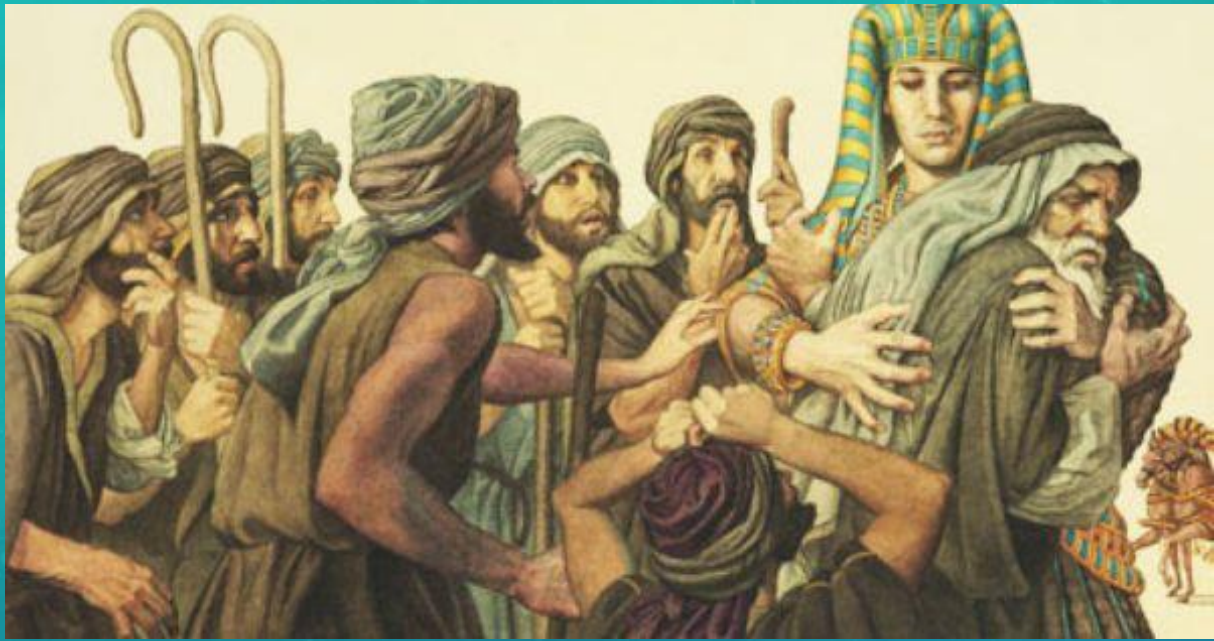
Acts 17



The God who made the world and everything in it, being Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in temples made by man, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mankind life and breath and everything. **And he made from one man every nation of mankind to live on all the face of the earth, having determined allotted periods and the boundaries of their dwelling place, that they should seek God,** and perhaps feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each one of us. . .

SOVEREIGN OVER HISTORY - EGYPT





GENESIS 50

“Please forgive the transgression of your brothers and their sin, because they did evil to you.” . . . Joseph said to them, “Do not fear, ... **As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive**, as they are today. So do not fear; I will provide for you and your little ones.” Thus he comforted them and spoke kindly to them.

TEN PLAGUES “MOCKERY”

- 1) **Water to blood vs. Khnum, Hapi, Osiris**
- 2) Frogs vs. Hapi (frog goddess) and Heqt
- 3) **Lice vs Seb (the earth god)**
- 4) Flies vs. Uatchit (the fly god)
- 5) **Cattle anthrax vs. Ptah, Hathor, Mnevis, Amon**
- 6) Boils vs. Sekhmet, Serapis, Imhotep
- 7) **Hail vs. Nut, Isis, Seth, and Shu**
- 8) Locusts vs. Serapia
- 9) **Darkness vs. Re, Amon-re, Aten, Atum, Horus, Thoth**
- 10) Death of firstborn vs. all gods including Pharoah



Waters Turn to Blood
Exodus 7:14-25



Amphibians (Frogs)
Exodus 7:26-8:11



Gnats (Lice)
Exodus 8:12-15



Flies
Exodus 8:16-28



Disease on Livestock
Exodus 9:1-7



Unhealable Boils
Exodus 9:8-12



Hail and Fire
Exodus 9:13-35



Locusts
Exodus 10:1-20



Darkness
Exodus 10:21-29



Death of Firstborn
Exodus 11:1-12:36

The Ten Plagues of Egypt

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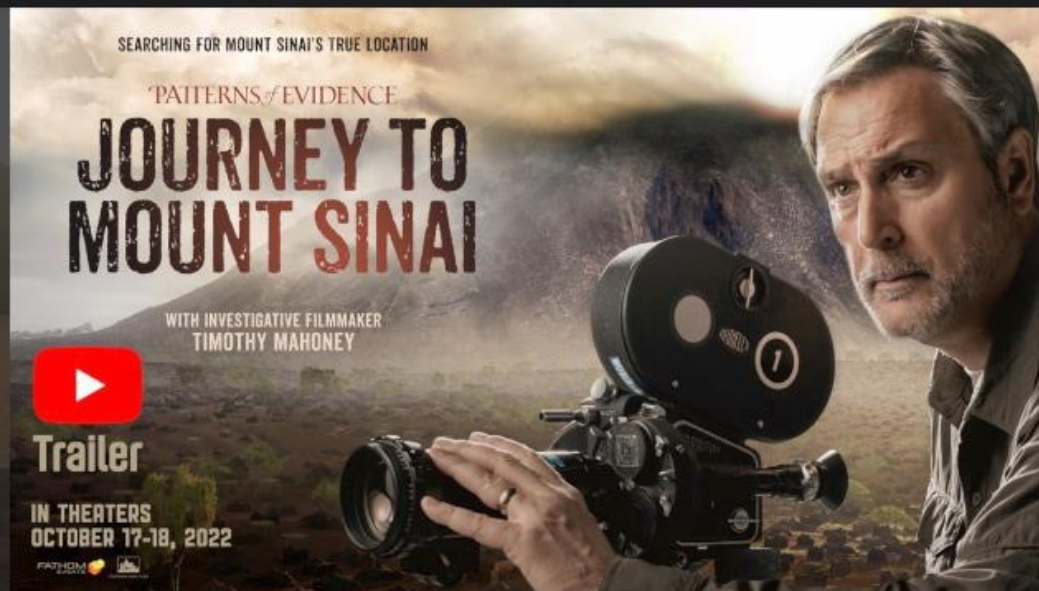
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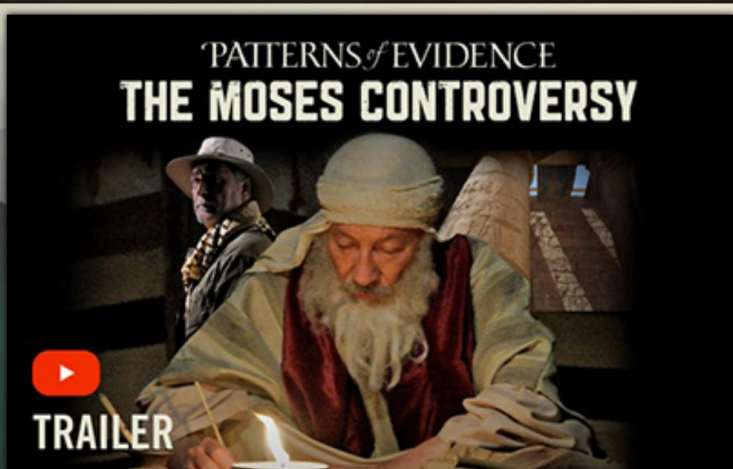
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The Exodus

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The connection between the acts of God and the knowledge of God (for both Jews and Egyptians) was a running theme throughout the book of Exodus:

- Ex. 6: “**you shall know** that I am the LORD your God, who has brought you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians.”
- Ex.7: “Then I will lay my hand on Egypt and bring my hosts, my people the children of Israel, out of the land of Egypt by great acts of judgment. The Egyptians **shall know** that I am the LORD, when I stretch out my hand against Egypt and bring out the people of Israel from among them. . . By this **you shall know** that I am the LORD. . .”
- Ex. 8: “Be it as you say, so that **you may know** that there is no one like the LORD our God.”
- Ex. 9: “so that **you may know** that there is none like me in all the earth. . . . so that **you may know** that the earth is the LORD's.”
- Ex. 10: “that I may show these signs of mine among them, and that you may tell in the hearing of your son and of your grandson how I have dealt harshly with the Egyptians and what signs I have done among them, that **you may know** that I am the LORD.”
- Ex. 14: “and the Egyptians **shall know** that I am the LORD.”


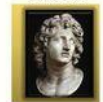

- Ex. 33: “how shall it **be known** that I have found favor in your sight, I and your people? Is it not in your going with us, so that we are distinct, I and your people, from every other people on the face of the earth?”

There are important insights here into God’s view of the natural relationship between evidence, human reason, and human faith/certainty. This is not just for the ancient Israelites. It’s applicable to us today too. Joshua extended the need for this knowledge to everyone:

For the LORD your God dried up the waters of the Jordan for you until you passed over, as the LORD your God did to the Red Sea, which he dried up for us until we passed over, **so that all the peoples of the earth may know** that the hand of the LORD is mighty, that you may fear the LORD your God forever. (Joshua 4:23-24)



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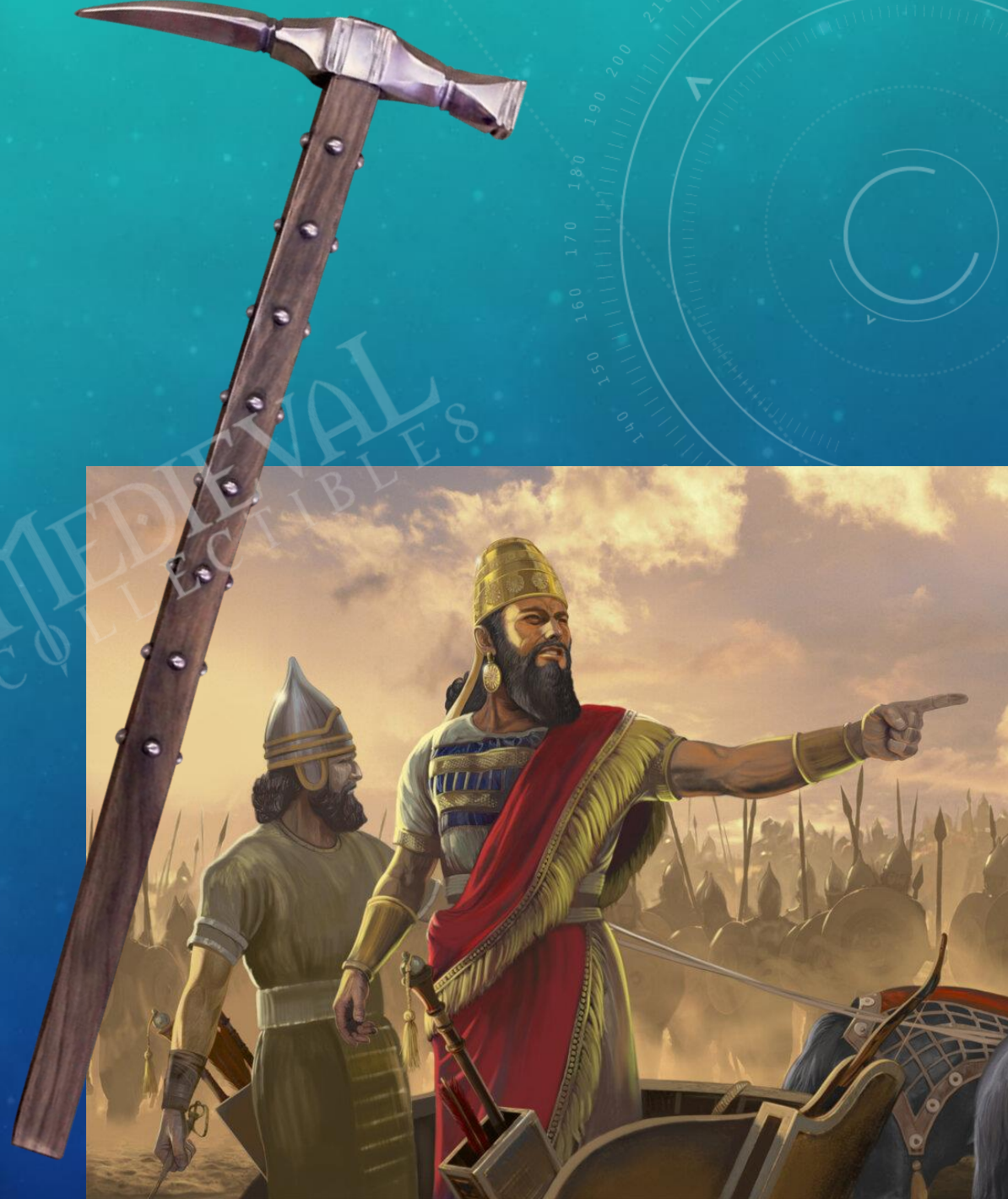
GOLD	BABYLONIAN EMPIRE 605-539 BC THE LION <p><small>Dan. 2:1 And in the second reign of Nebuchadnezzar, he dreamed dreams, where with his spirit was troubled, and his sleep brake from him. 31. Thou, O King, sawest, and beheld a great image. This great image, whose brightness was excellent, stood before thee; and the form thereof was terrible. 32. This image's head was of fine gold, his breast and his arms of silver, his belly and his thighs of brass. 33. His legs of iron, his feet part of iron, part of clay. 38. And wheresoever the children of men dwell, the beast of the field and the fowls of the heaven hath he given into thine hand, and hath made thee ruler over them all. Thou art this head of gold.</small></p>
SILVER	MEDO-PERSIAN EMPIRE 539-331 BC THE BEAR <p><small>39. And after thee shall arise another kingdom inferior to thee,</small></p> 
BRASS	GRECIAN EMPIRE 331-168 BC THE LEOPARD <p><small>39. And another third kingdom of brass, which shall bear rule over all the earth.</small></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><small>Alexander the Great</small></p> 
IRON	ROMAN EMPIRE 168 BC-AD 476 THE DRAGON <p><small>40. And the fourth kingdom shall be strong as iron: forasmuch as iron breaketh in pieces and subdueth all things: and as iron that breaketh all these, shall it break in pieces and bruise.</small></p> 
IRON & CLAY	DIVIDED KINGDOMS HEADED BY REVIVED ROMAN EMPIRE: AMERICA. AD 476 - 2ND AVENT <p><small>41. And whereas thou sawest the feet and toes, part of potters clay, and part of iron, the kingdom shall be divided; but there shall be in it of the strength of the iron, forasmuch as thou sawest the iron mixed with miry clay. 42. And as the toes of the feet were part of iron, and part of clay, so the kingdom shall be partly strong, and partly broken. 43. And whereas thou sawest iron mixed with miry clay, they shall mingle themselves with the seed of man: but they shall not cleave one to another, even as iron is not mixed with clay.</small></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><small>DANIEL 2:32-32</small></p>

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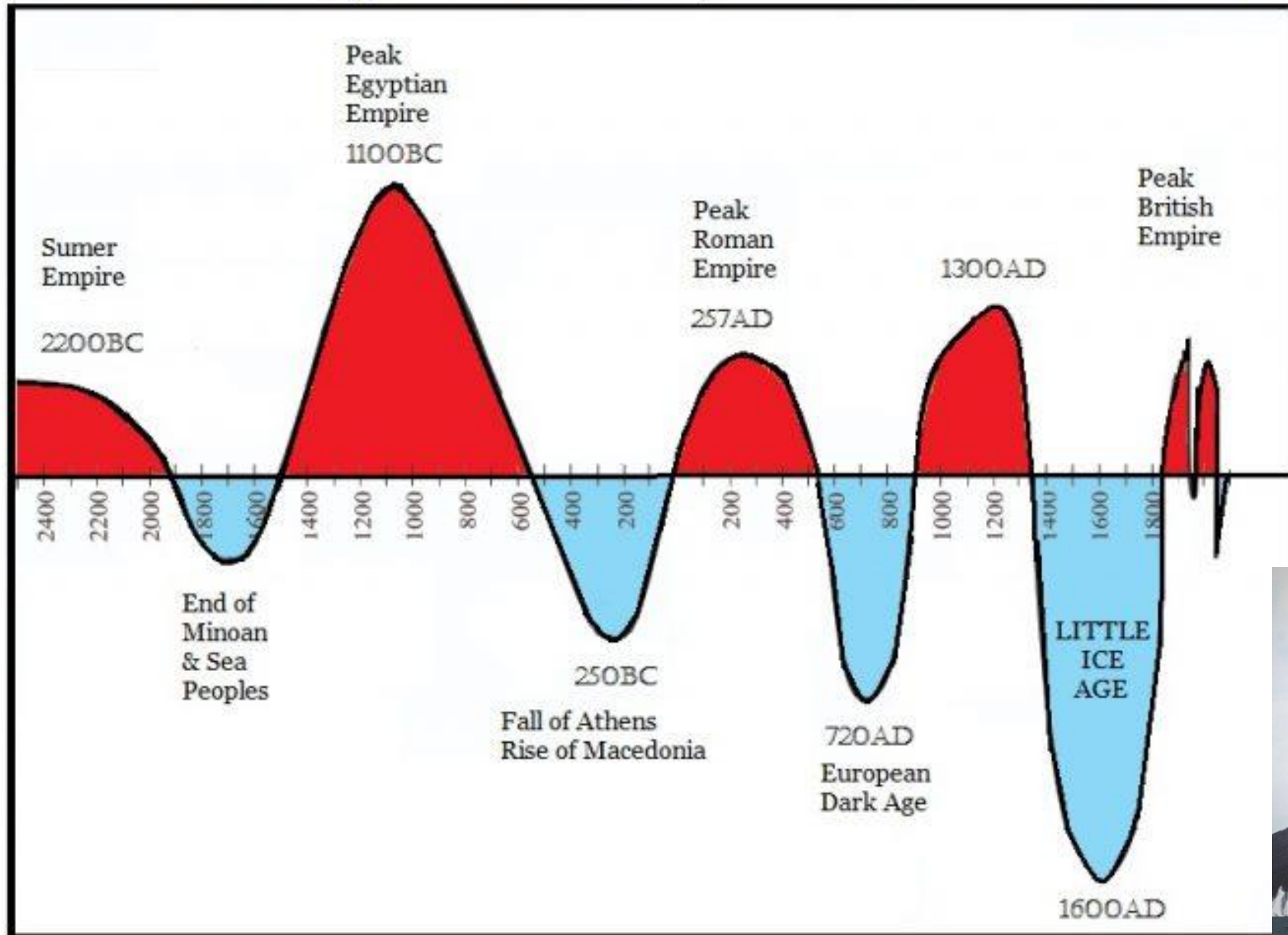
- Babylon
- Medo-Persian Empire
- Greece / Alexander
- Roman Empire
- Neo-Roman Empire

SOVEREIGN OVER HISTORY

- Isaiah 10
- Assyria vs Northern Tribes
- “Woe to Assyria, the rod of my anger ...”
- “But he does not so intend and his heart does not so think...”
- When the Lord has finished all his work ... he will punish ... the king of Assyria



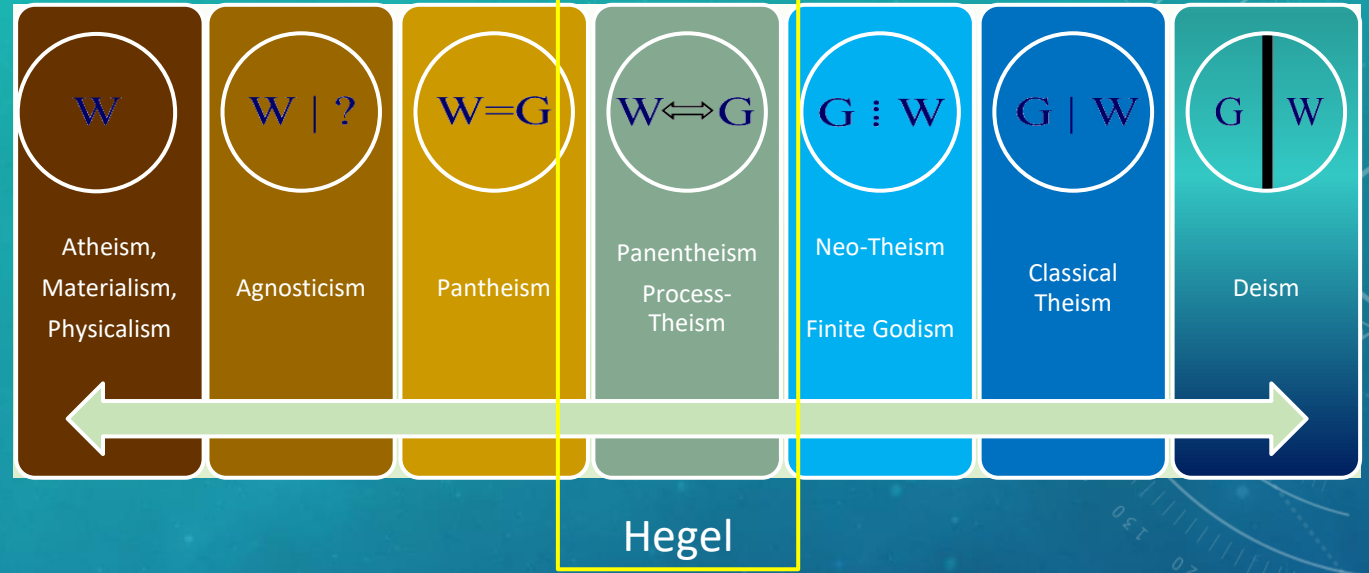
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HEGEL

**GOD IS, AS IT WERE,
THE SEWER INTO
WHICH ALL
CONTRADICTIONS
FLOW.**

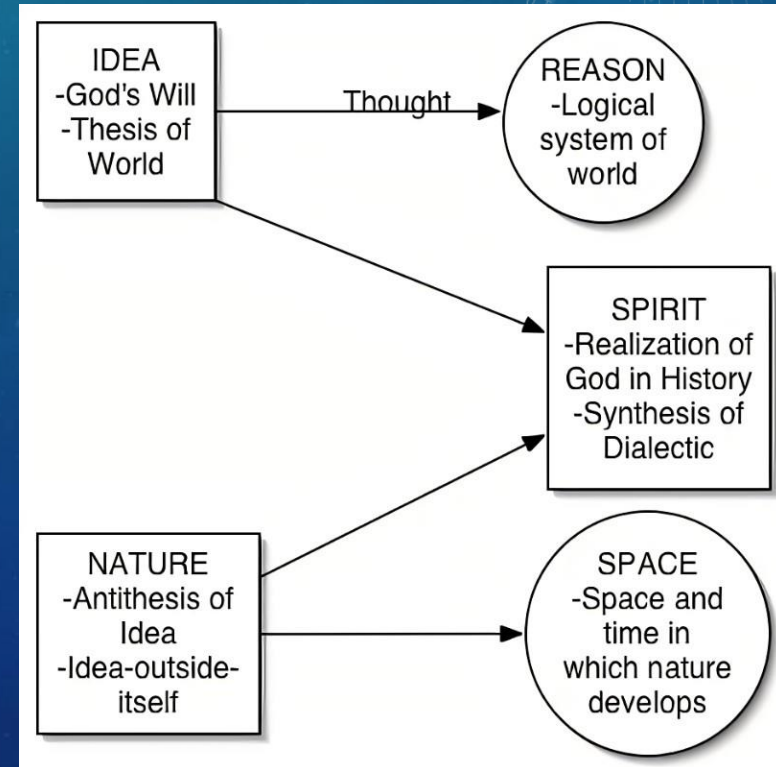
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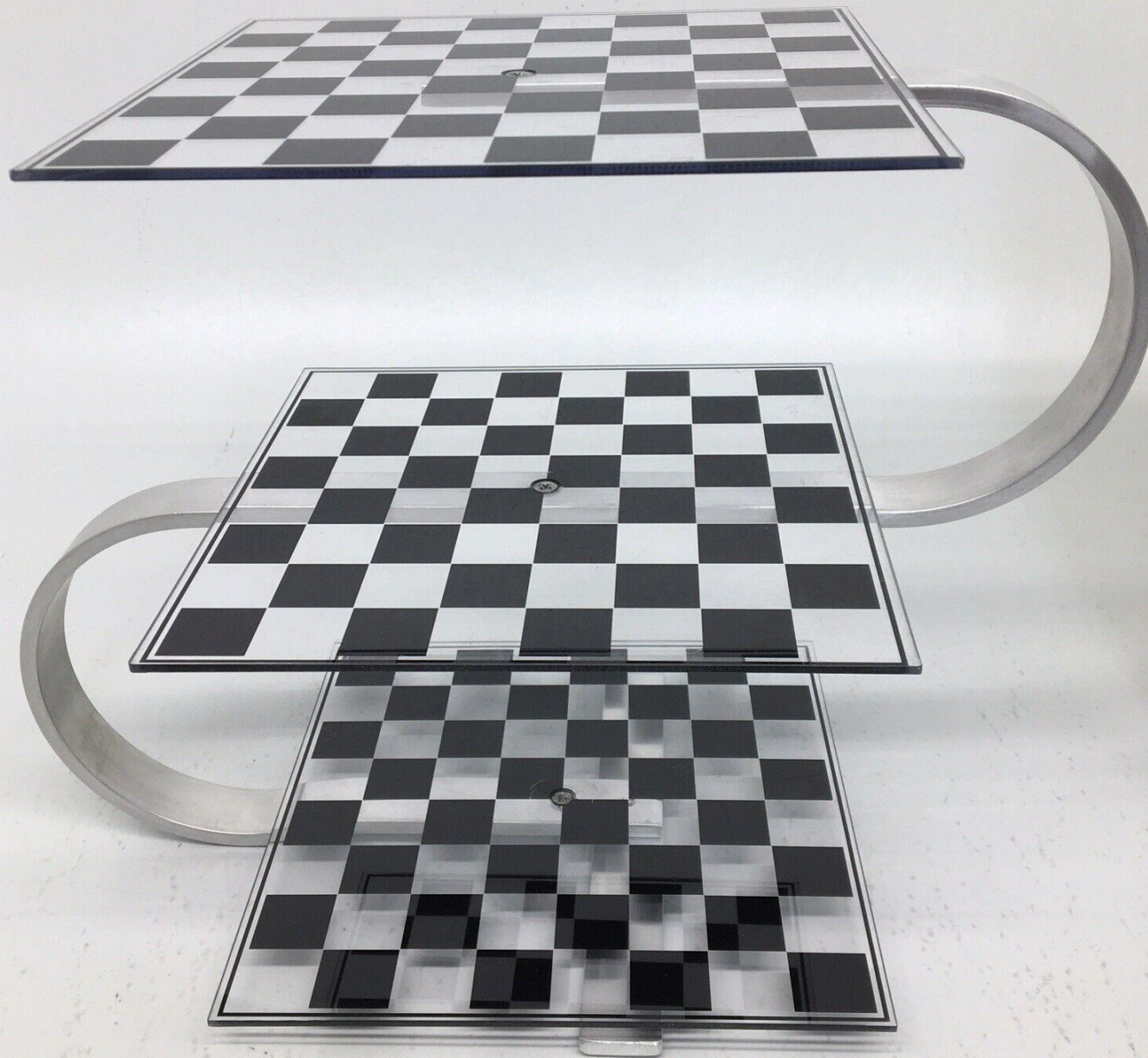


**If facts contradict to
my theory, the
worse for the
facts**

~ Georg Hegel ~

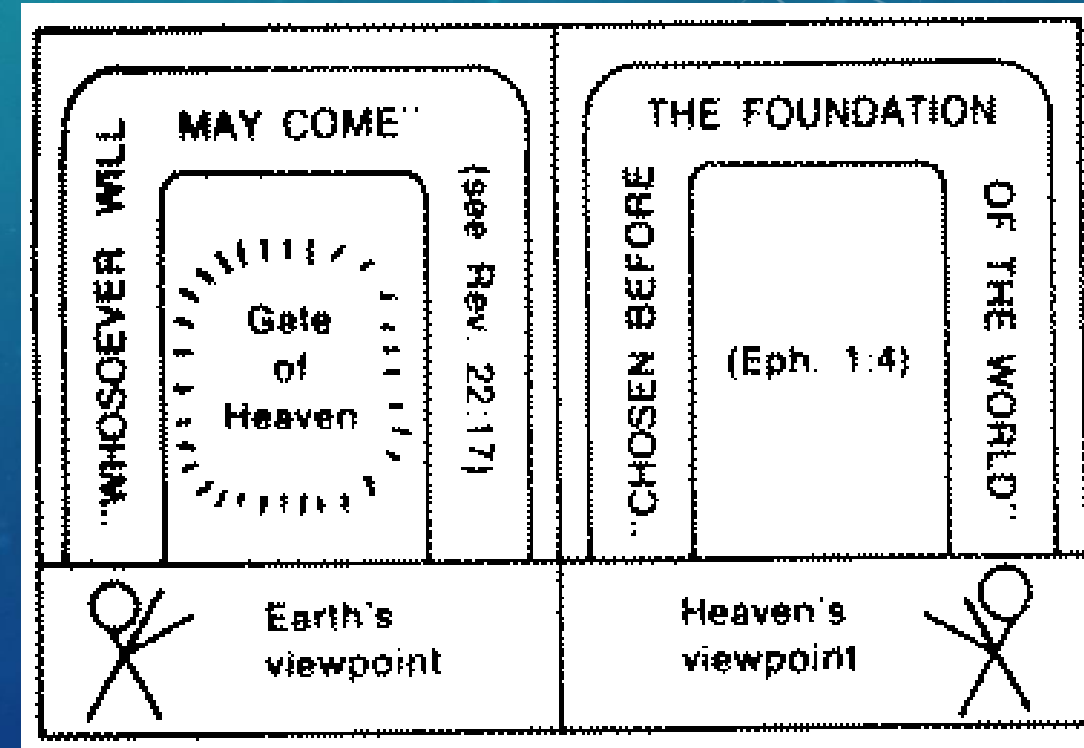
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THE MYSTERY OF SOVEREIGNTY

- God is completely sovereign (100%)
- God sovereignly gave us humans some self-sovereignty too?!
- Not just “phenomenological language”?
- How is that possible?



THE ENDING OF ROMANS 9-11

Lest you be wise in your own sight, **I do not want you to be unaware of this mystery**, brothers: a partial hardening has come upon Israel, until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in. And in this way all Israel will be saved ... **Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!** **For who has known the mind of the Lord**, or who has been his counselor? Or who has given a gift to him that he might be repaid? For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

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New Horizons

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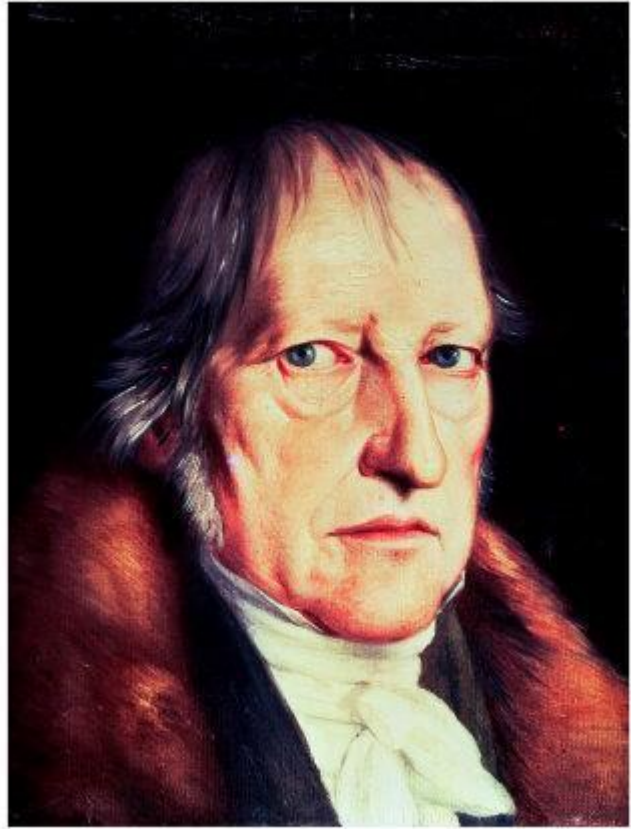
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Hegel on God paraphrased:

"The modern State, proving the reality of political community, when comprehended philosophically, could therefore be seen as the highest articulation of Spirit, or God in the contemporary world."