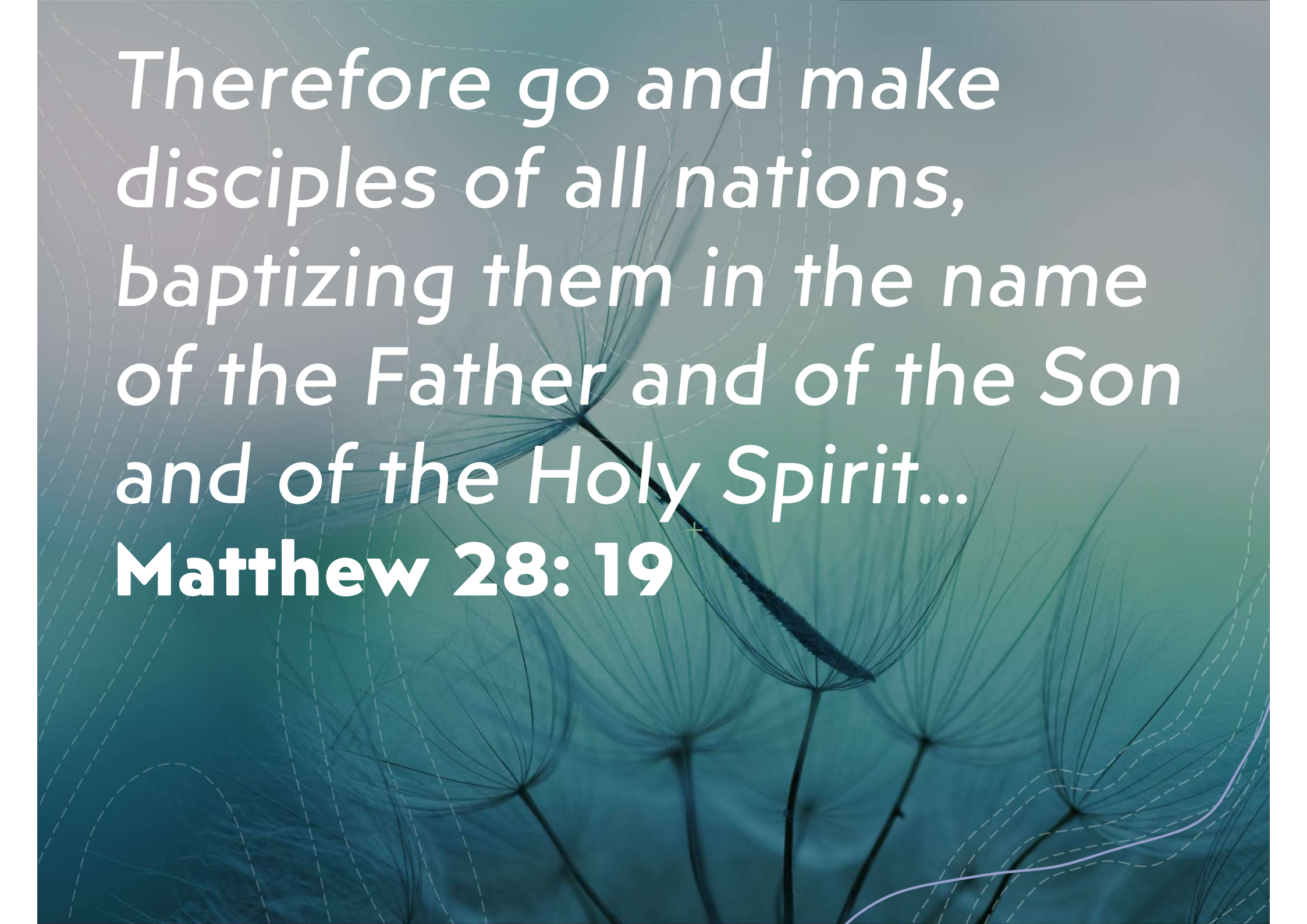


# Making Disciples

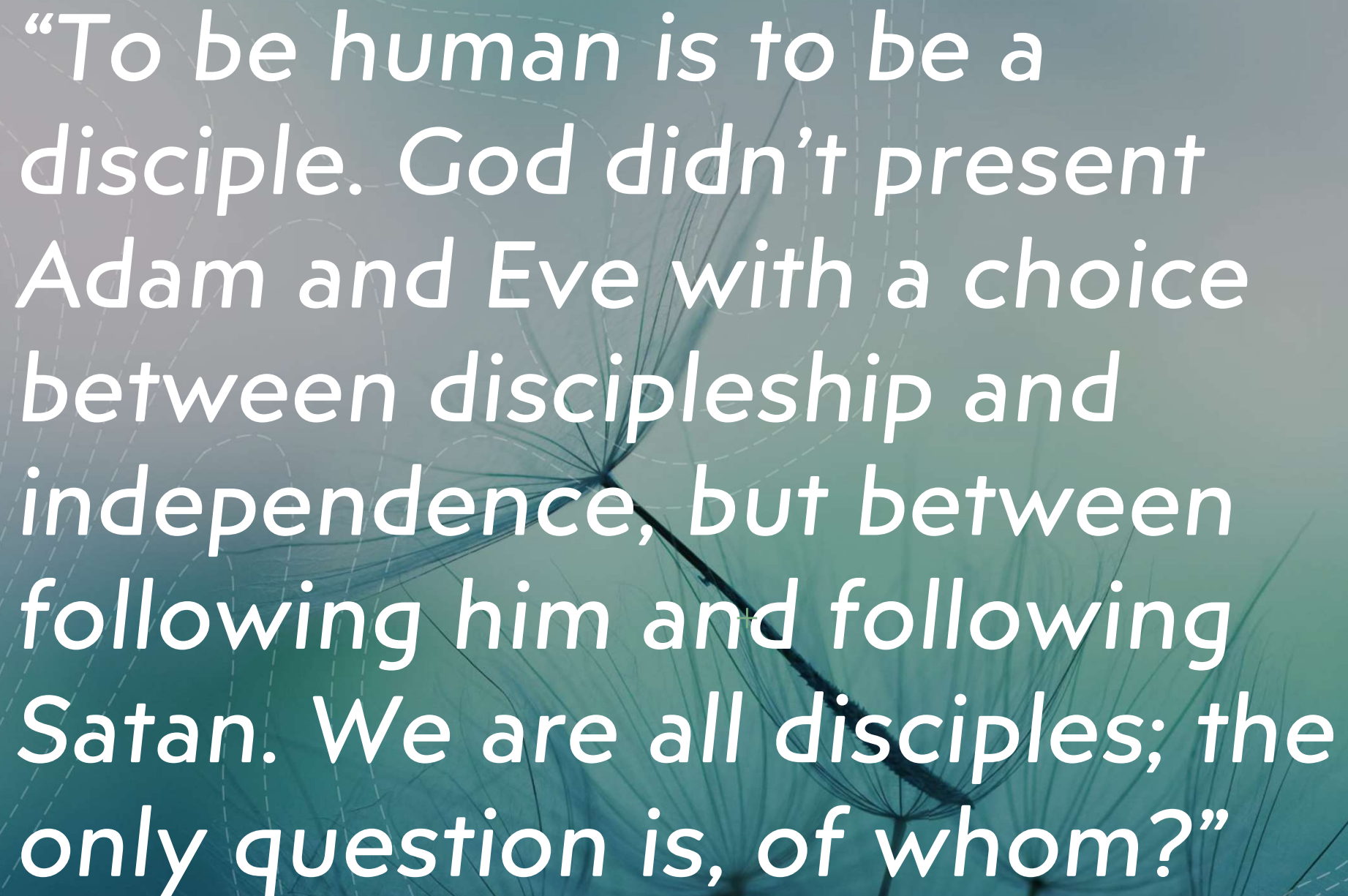
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*Therefore go and make  
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baptizing them in the name  
of the Father and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit...*

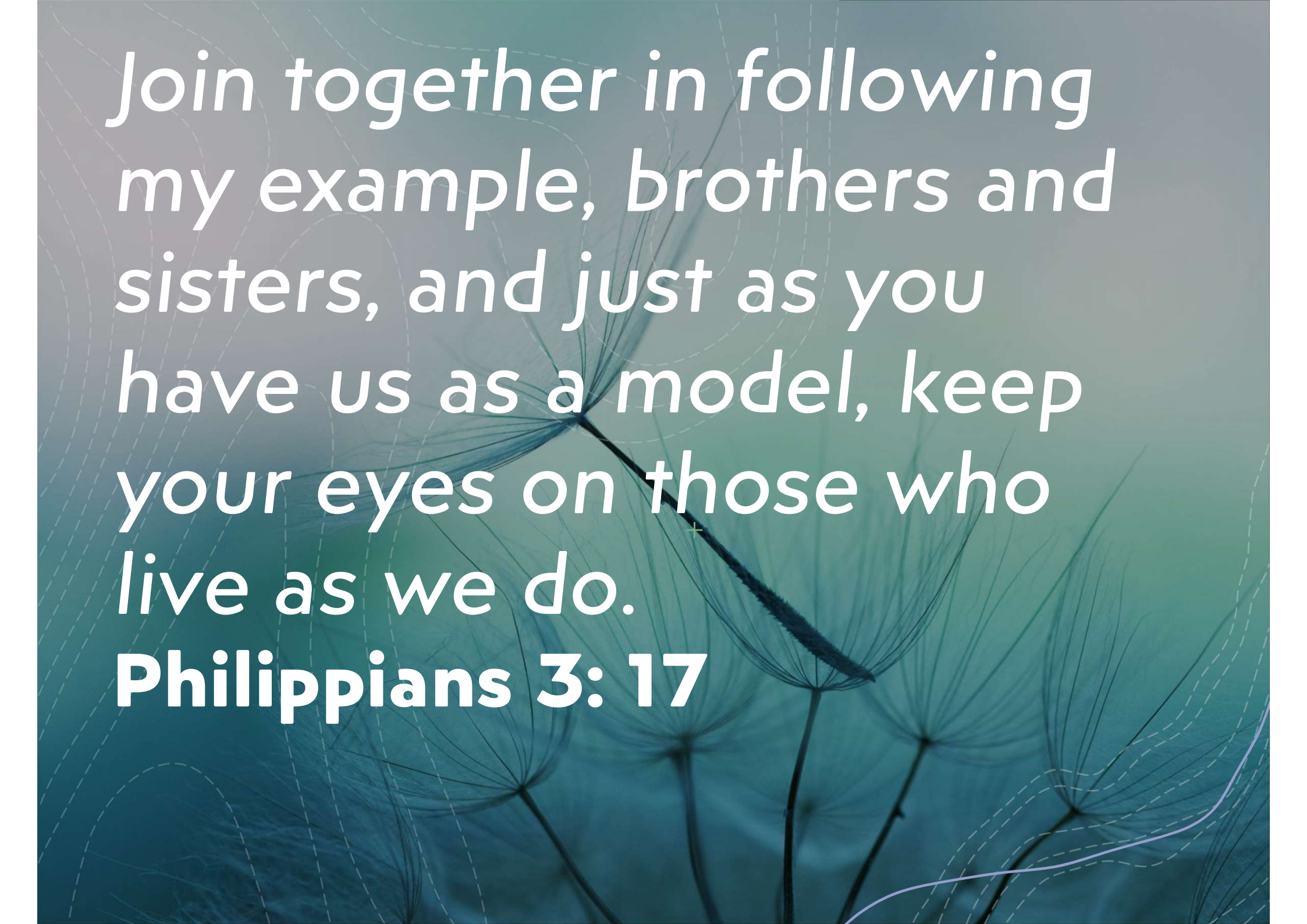
**Matthew 28: 19**



*“To be human is to be a disciple. God didn’t present Adam and Eve with a choice between discipleship and independence, but between following him and following Satan. We are all disciples; the only question is, of whom?”*

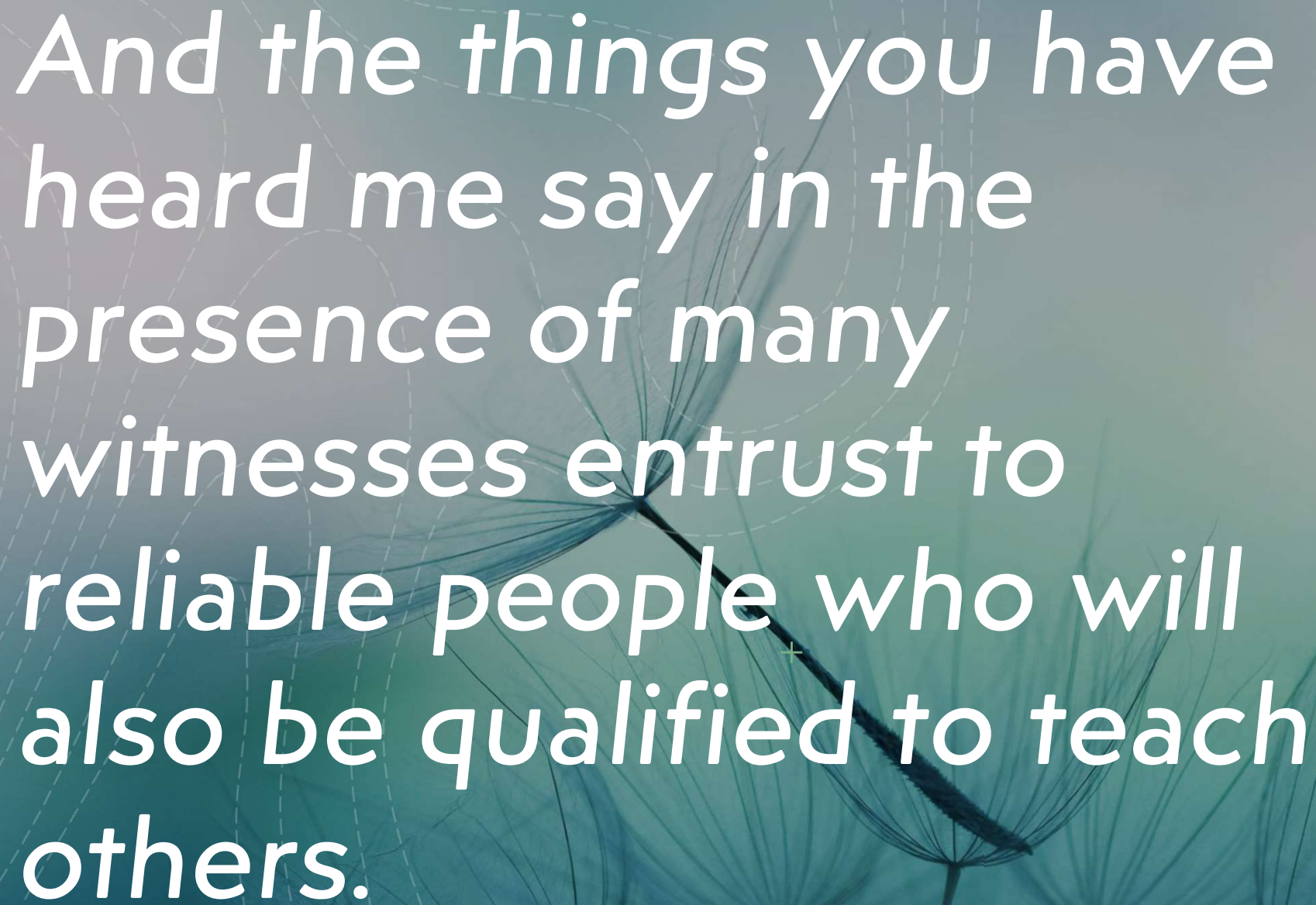
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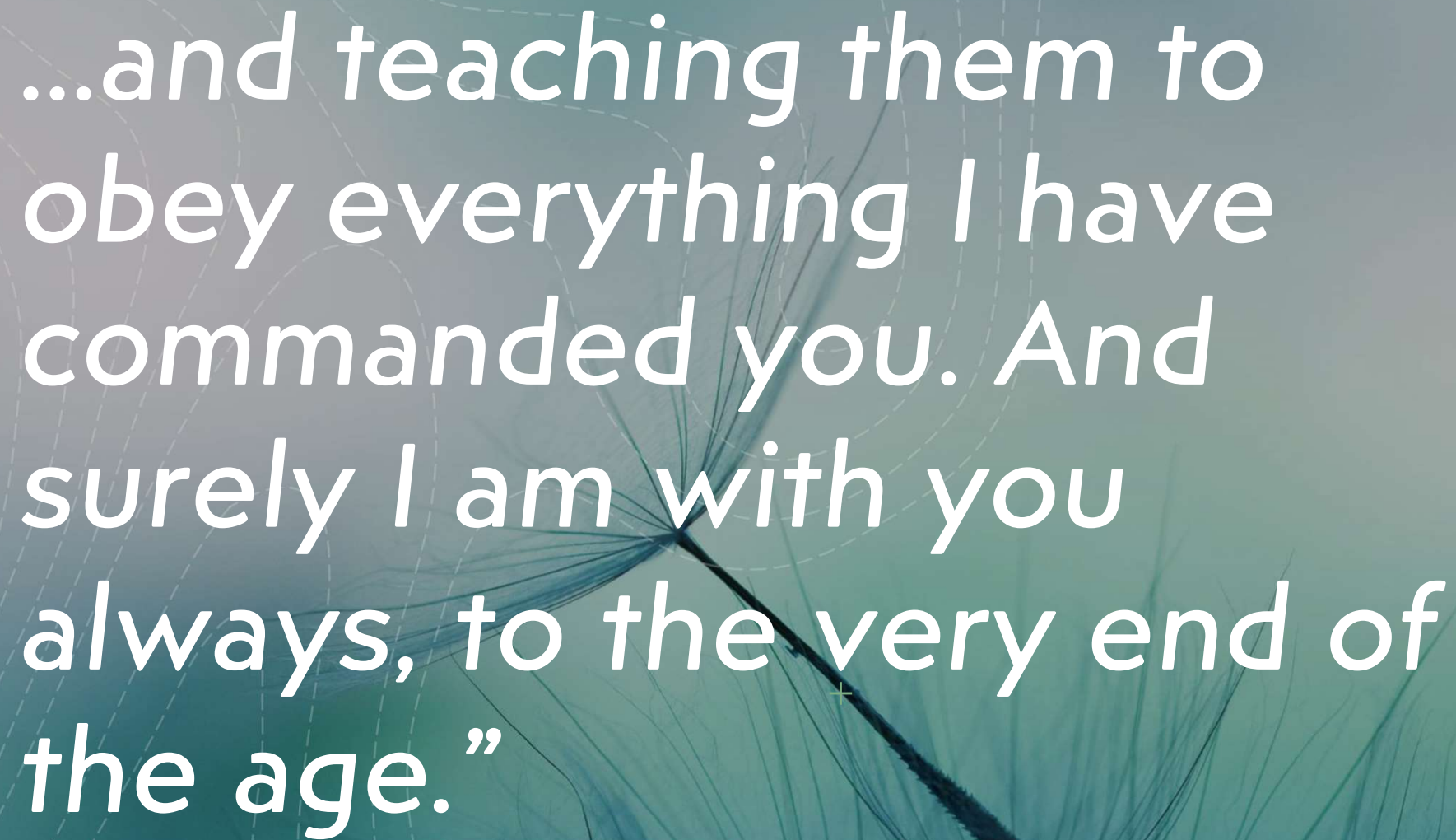
*Join together in following  
my example, brothers and  
sisters, and just as you  
have us as a model, keep  
your eyes on those who  
live as we do.*

**Philippians 3: 17**



*And the things you have  
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presence of many  
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**2 Timothy 2: 2**



*...and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”*

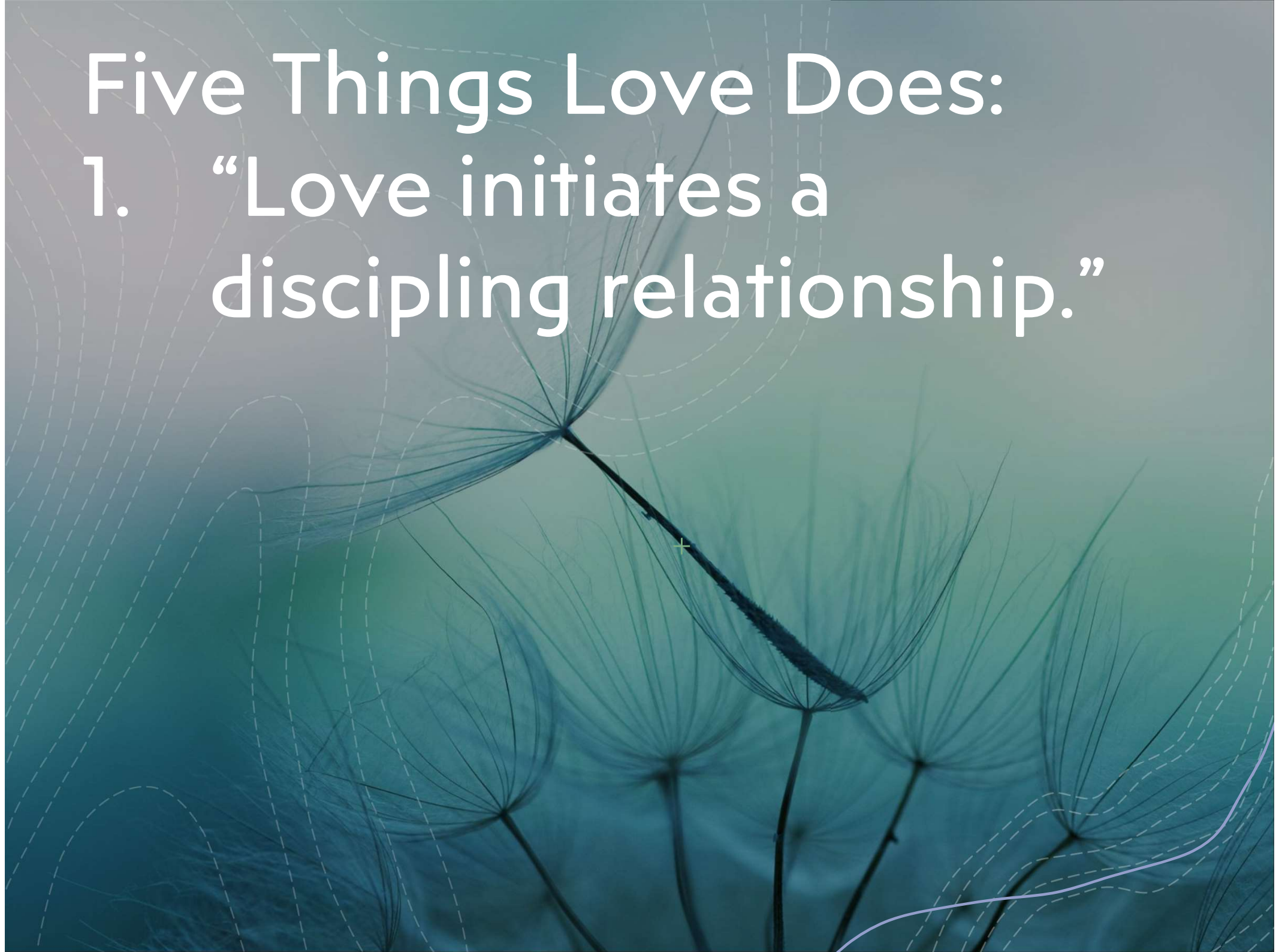
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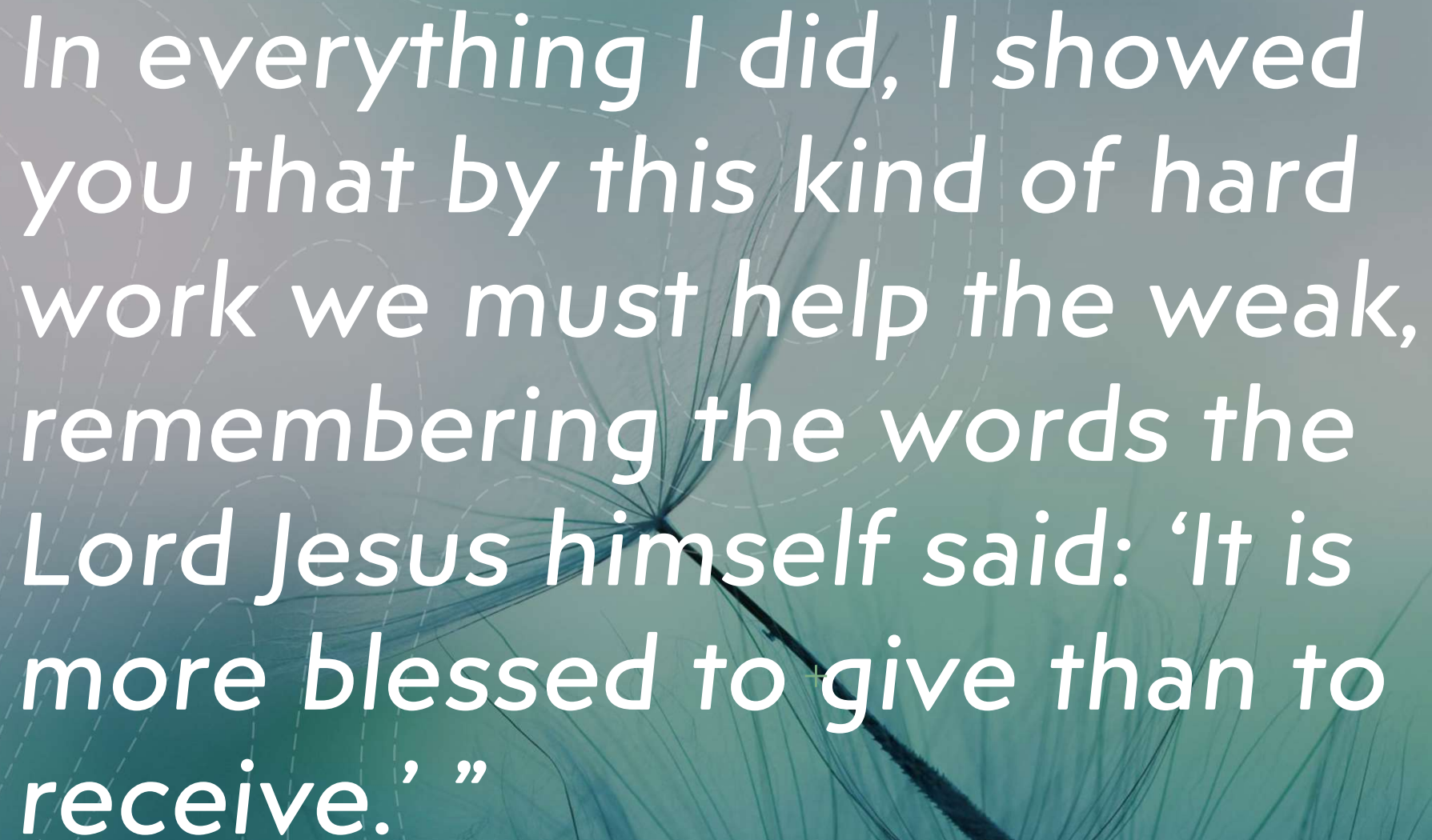


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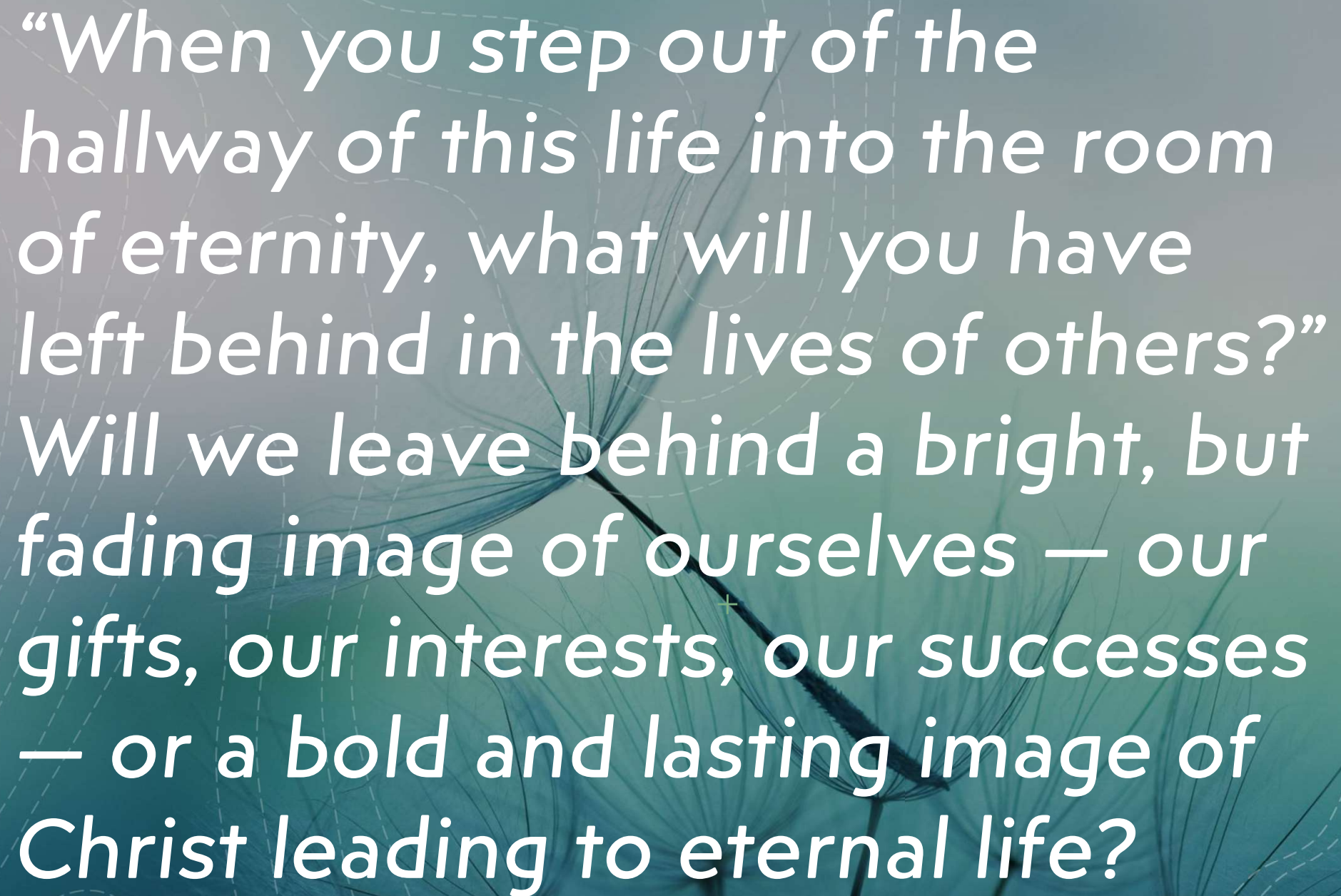


In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' "

**Acts 20: 35**

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“When you step out of the hallway of this life into the room of eternity, what will you have left behind in the lives of others?” Will we leave behind a bright, but fading image of ourselves — our gifts, our interests, our successes — or a bold and lasting image of Christ leading to eternal life?

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