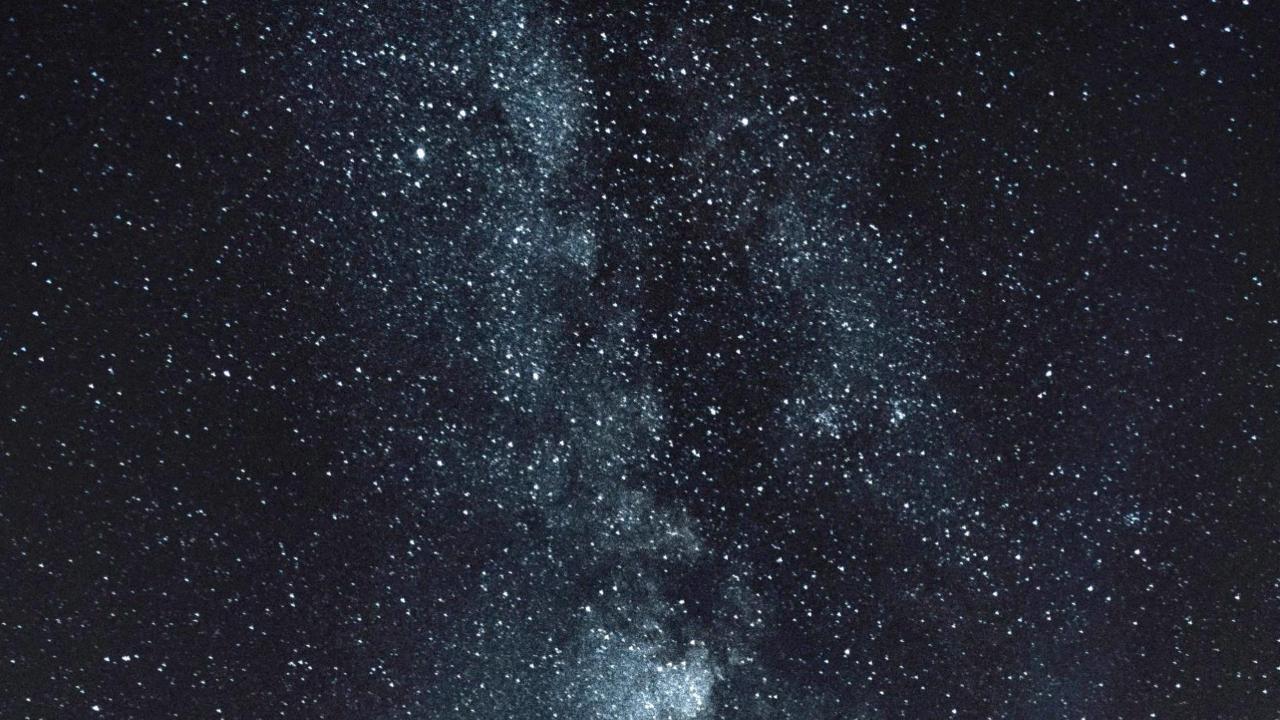
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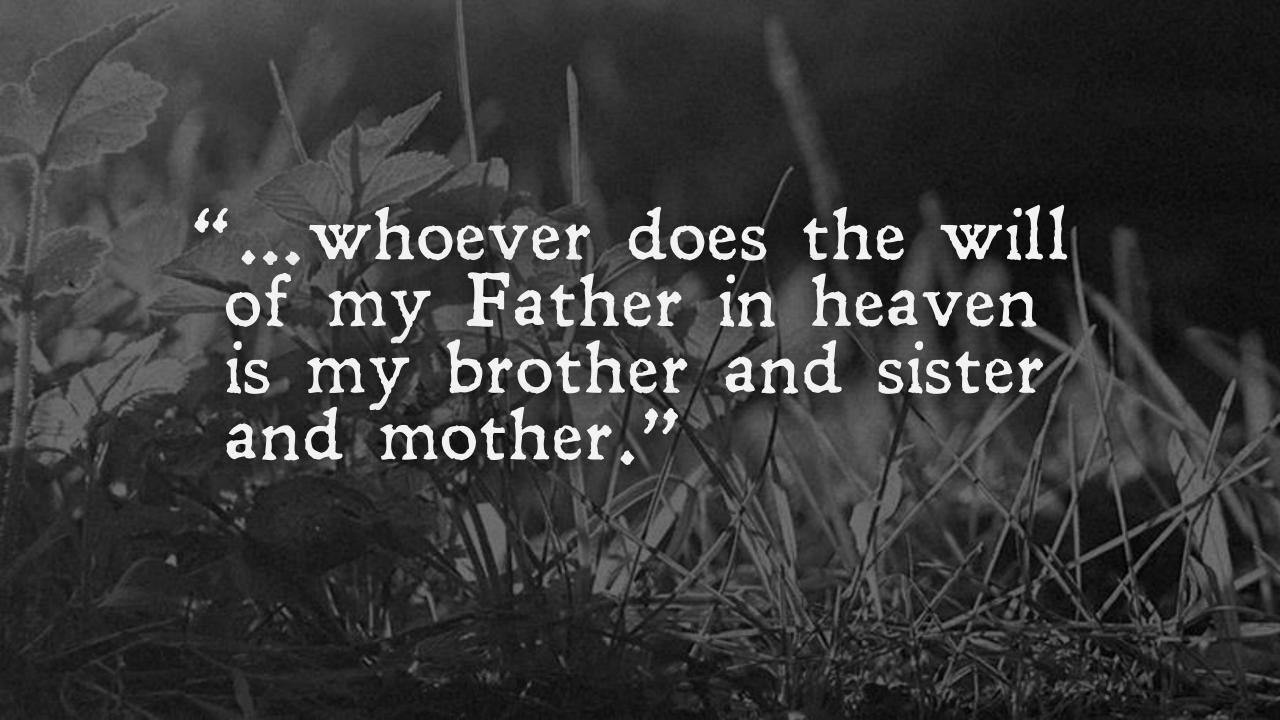
HUMAN BEINGS
HAVE ESTABLISHED A
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OUR WILL TO WHAT WE
DETERMINE TO BE BEST.

IT IS REVOLUTIONARY TO THINK OF LETTING SOMEONE ELSE GUIDE OUR LIVES.





"Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven."



"My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will."

OUR WILL CAN BE OUR GREATEST HINDRANCE TO HAPPINESS IF IT ISN'T ALIGNED WITH GOD.

"A MAN FINDS IT HARD TO GET WHAT HE WANTS BECAUSE HE DOES NOT WANT THE BEST. GOD FINDS IT HARD TO GIVE BECAUSE HE WOULD GIVE THE BEST AND MAN WILL NOT TAKE IT."

-GEORGE MACDONALD

Judas came to the grove, guiding a detachment of soldiers and some officials from the chief priests and Pharisees. They were carrying torches, lanterns and weapons. -John 18:3

Now the betrayer had arranged a signal with them: "The one I kiss is the man; arrest him." Going at once to Jesus, Judas said, "Greetings, Rabbi!" and kissed him. Jesus replied, "Friend, do what you came for." Then the men stepped forward, seized Jesus and arrested him. -Matthew 26:48-50

When Jesus' followers saw what was going to happen, they said, "Lord, should we strike" with our swords?" And one of them (Peter) struck the servant of the high priest (Malchus), cutting off his right ear.

-Luke 22:49-50

"Put your sword back in its place," Jesus said to him, "for all who draw the sword will die by the sword. Do you think I cannot call on my Father, and he will at once put at my disposal more than twelve legions of angels? But how then would the Scriptures be fulfilled that say it must happen in this way?"

No more of this! And he touched the man's ear and healed him.

-Luke 22:51

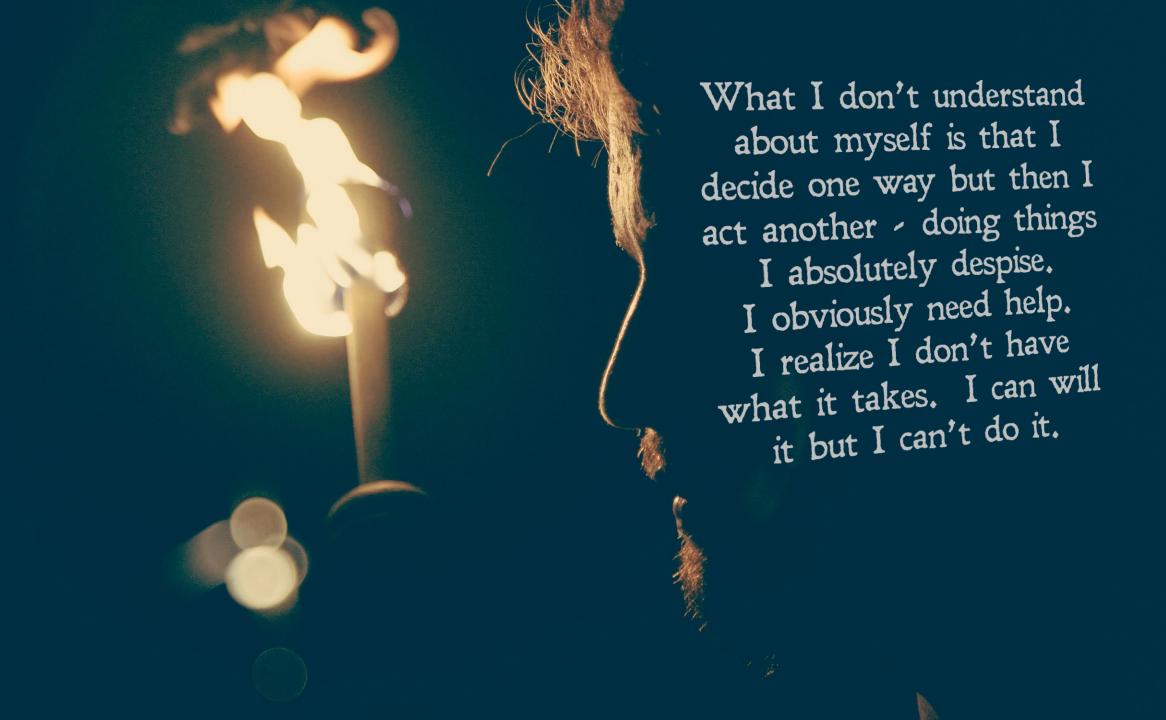
At that time Jesus said to the crowd, "Am I leading a rebellion, that you have come out with swords and clubs to capture me?

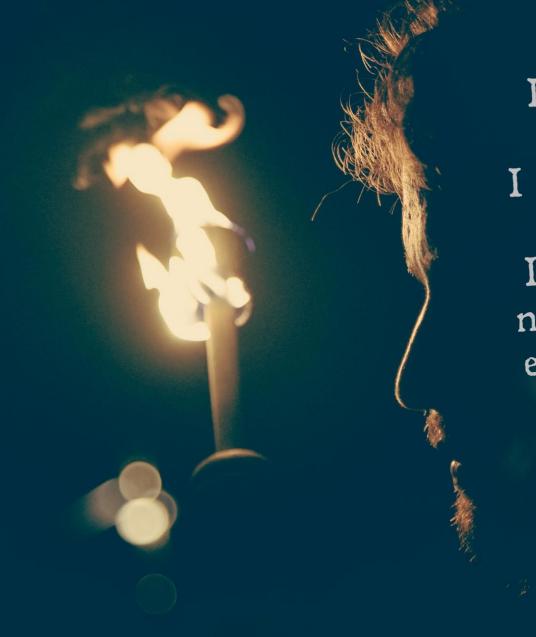
-Matthew 26:55

Then everyone deserted him and fled. A young man, wearing nothing but a linen garment, was following Jesus. When they seized him, he fled naked, leaving his garment behind.

-Mark 14:50-51







I decide to do good but I don't really do it. I decide not to do bad but then I do it anyway. I've tried everything and nothing helps. I'm at the end of my rope. Is there no one who can do anything for me?

Romans 7:15-19



Now when Joshua was near Jericho, he looked up and saw a man standing in front of him with a drawn sword in his hand. Joshua went up to him and asked, "Are you for us or for our enemies?"

"Neither," he replied, "but as commander of the army of the Lord I have now come." Then Joshua fell facedown to the ground in reverence, and asked him, "What message does my Lord have for his servant?"

The commander of the Lord's army replied, "Take off your sandals, for the place where you are standing is holy." And Joshua did so.

-Joshua 5:13-15



"ITELL YOU THE TRUTH, WHEN YOU WERE YOUNGER YOU DRESSED YOURSELF AND WENT WHERE YOU WANTED;

BUTWHENYOUARE OLD YOU WILL STRETCH OUT YOUR HANDS, AND SOMEONE ELSE WILL DRESS YOU AND LEAD YOU WHERE YOU DO NOT WANT TO GO.



"THERE ARE ONLY TWO KINDS OF PEOPLE IN THE END, THOSE WHO SAY TO GOD THY WILL BE DONE AND THOSE TO WHOM GOD SAYS IN THE END THY WILL BE DONE."

- C.S. LEWIS