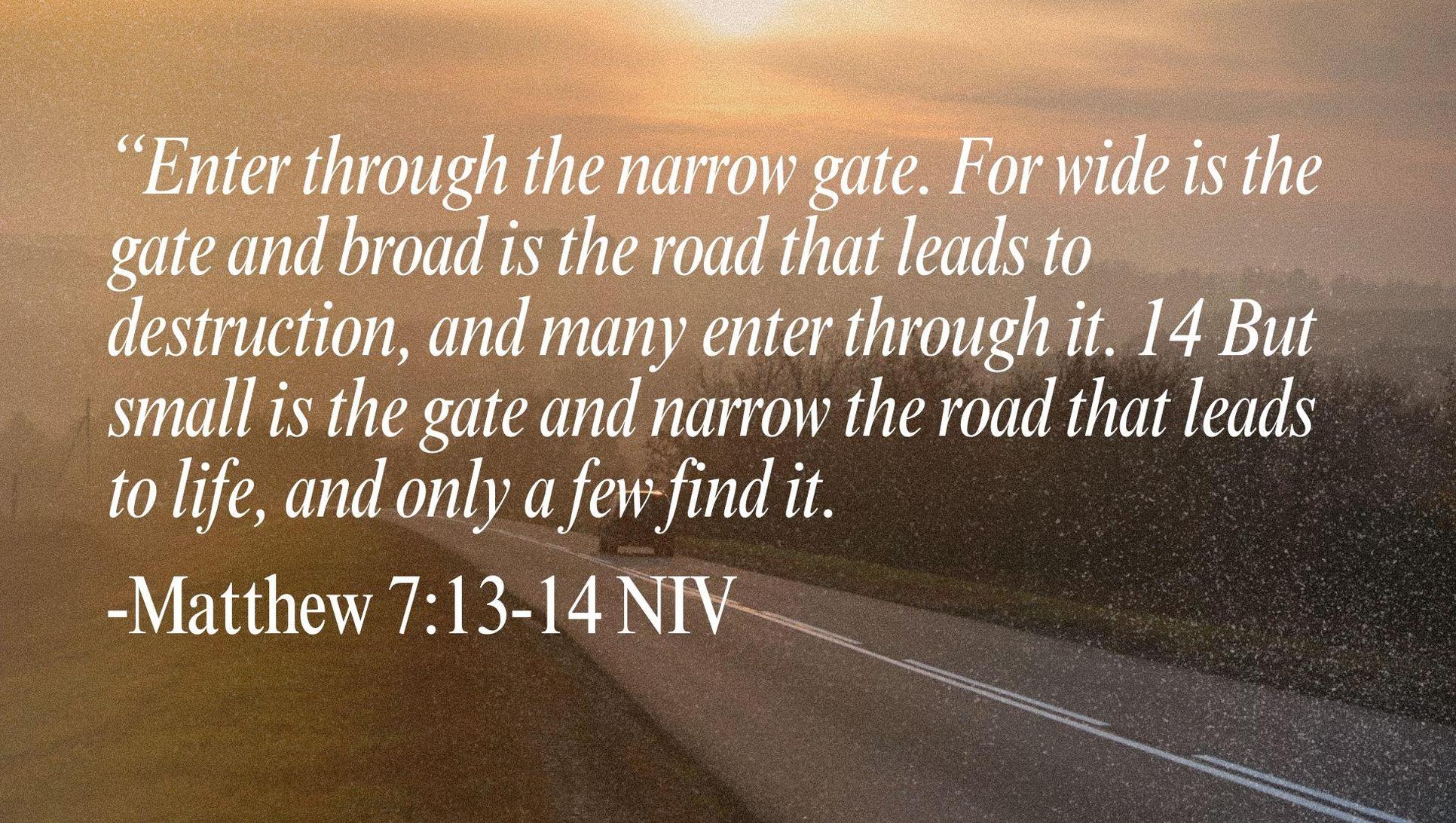


A scenic photograph of a winding asphalt road through a dense forest of evergreen trees. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow that filters through the trees and illuminates the road. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

*IS THE GOSPEL
ENOUGH?*

THE NARROW & THE WIDE ROAD



A photograph of a paved road winding through a landscape during sunset or sunrise. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and brown. The road has white dashed lines and a car is visible in the distance. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

“Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it. 14 But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it.

-Matthew 7:13-14 NIV

21 “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. 22 Many will say to me on that day, ‘Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name and in your name drive out demons and in your name perform many miracles?’ 23 Then I will tell them plainly, ‘I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!’

Matthew 7:21-23 NIV

A scenic view of a road winding through a forest at sunset or sunrise. The sky is filled with soft, warm colors like orange, yellow, and pink, with some light clouds. The trees on either side of the road are silhouetted against the bright sky. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

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The gospel is the good news that Christ has come to fulfill the law that we are not able to fulfill. It is the good news that through Christ, we receive salvation. It is the good news that we were facing eternal death but through him we have gained eternal life.

A long, straight asphalt road with a double yellow line in the center, receding into the distance. The road is flanked by green grass. In the background, there are mountains under a sky with a sunset or sunrise, featuring orange and blue hues.

The troubles in our world
point to our dire need for
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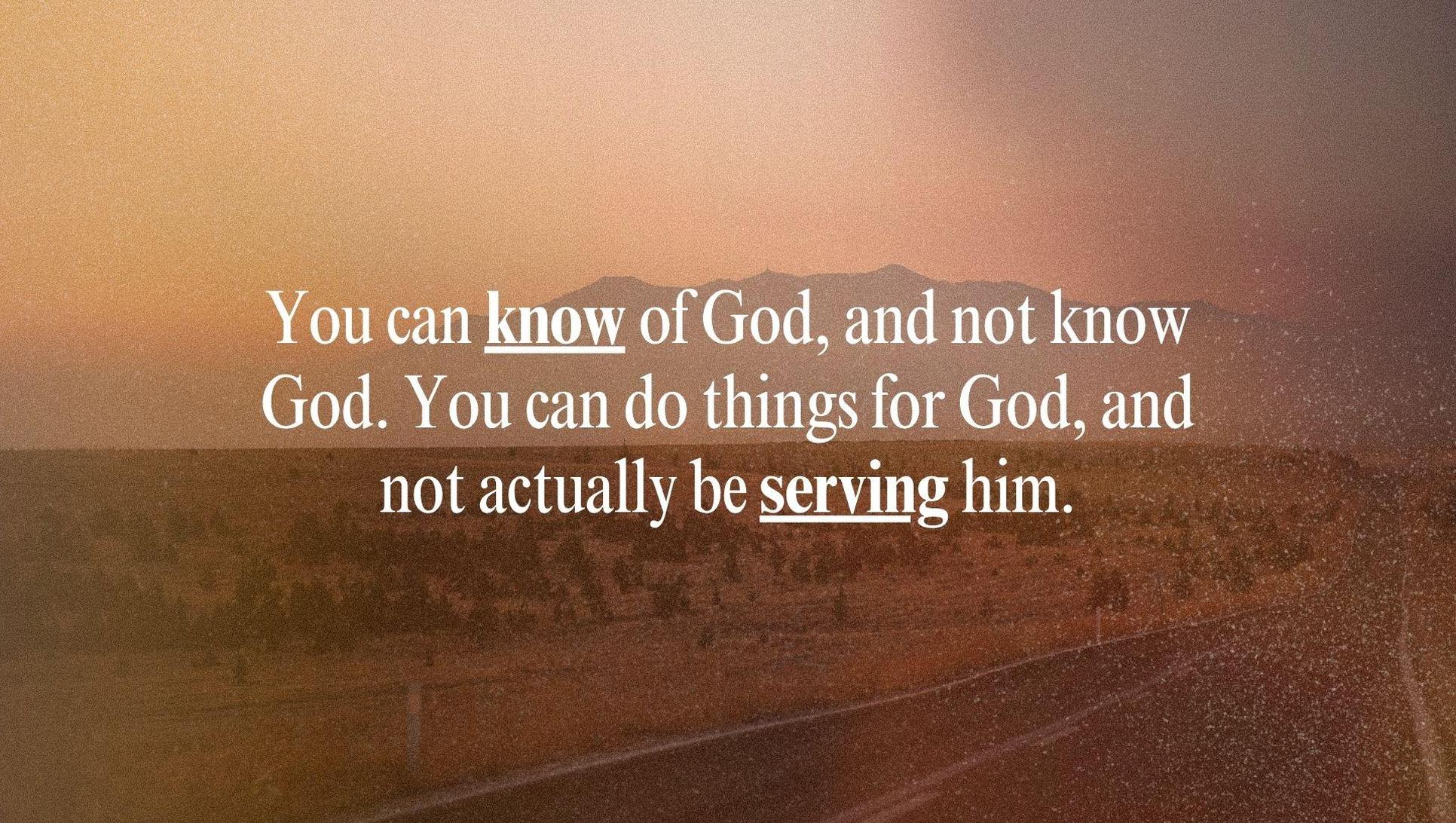
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- Many who believe they're on the narrow road may actually be on the wide one.

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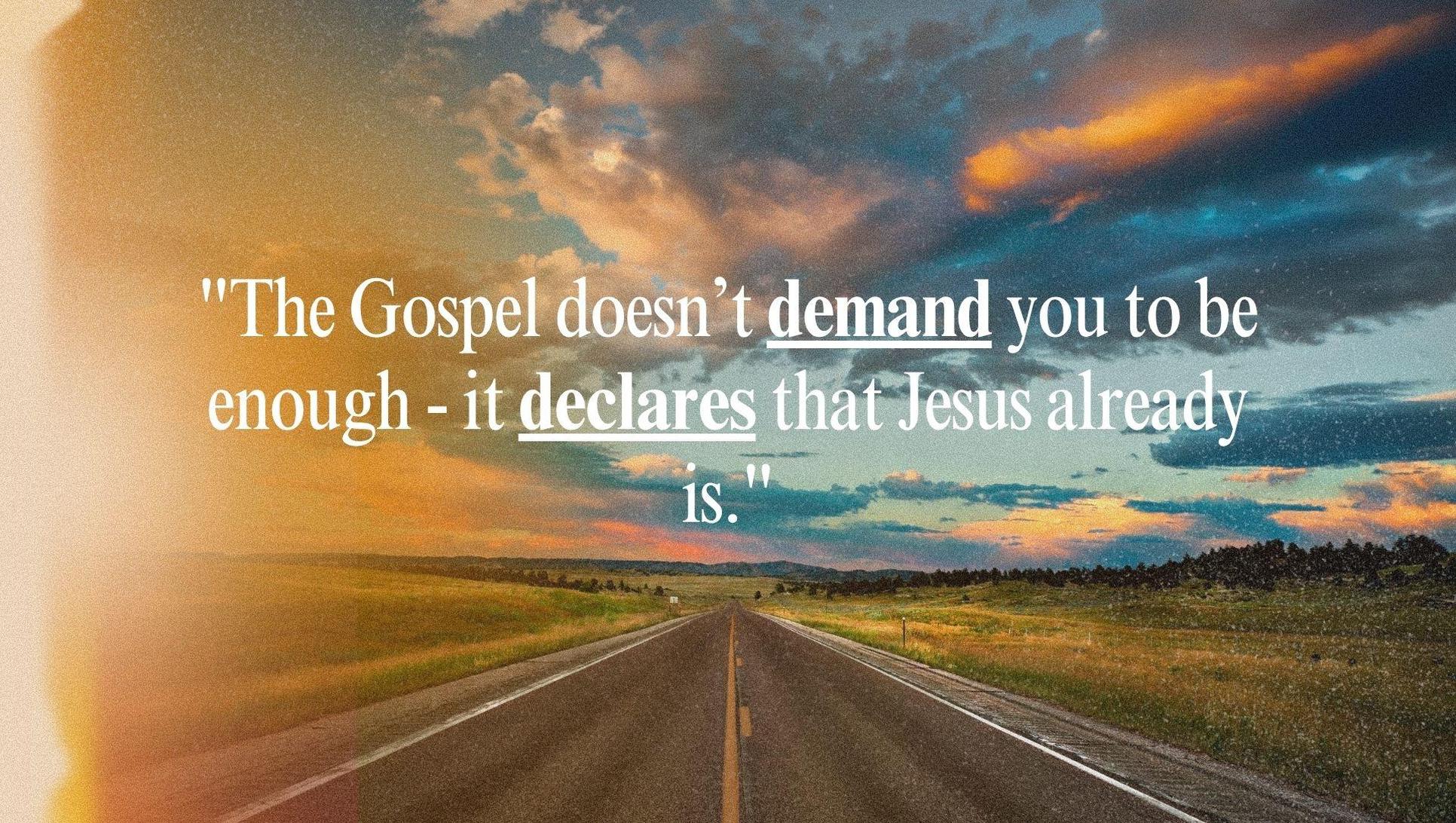
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A landscape photograph with a fence in the foreground and mountains in the background under a hazy sky. The text is overlaid in the center.

You can know of God, and not know
God. You can do things for God, and
not actually be serving him.



Is the Gospel truly
enough for you?



"The Gospel doesn't demand you to be
enough - it declares that Jesus already
is."

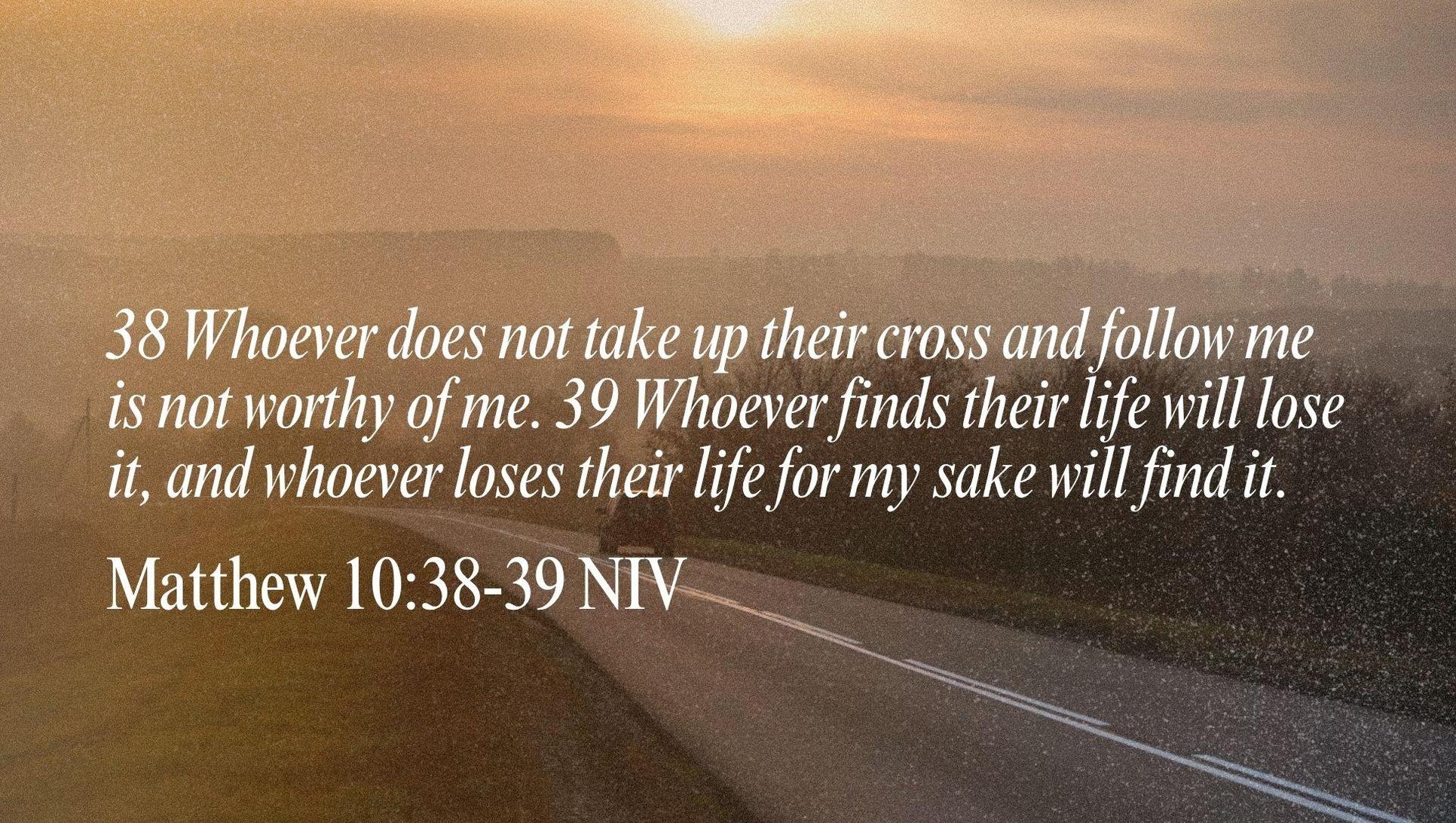


A scenic landscape featuring a gravel road that curves through a dense forest of evergreen trees. In the background, rolling mountains are visible under a sky with soft, golden light, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and inviting.

Jesus doesn't just warn us. He invites us.
There's grace - right here, right now."

Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, 2 because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death. 3 For what the law was powerless to do because it was weakened by the flesh, God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh to be a sin offering. And so he condemned sin in the flesh, 4 in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fully met in us, who do not live according to the flesh but according to the Spirit

Romans 8:1-4 NIV

A scenic landscape at sunset or sunrise. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and soft blue. In the foreground, a paved road with white lane markings curves through a valley. The background shows rolling hills and a distant town or city under the hazy light of the setting or rising sun.

38 Whoever does not take up their cross and follow me is not worthy of me. 39 Whoever finds their life will lose it, and whoever loses their life for my sake will find it.

Matthew 10:38-39 NIV

*“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
4 Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. 5
Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. 6 Blessed are
those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be
filled. 7 Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. 8
Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.*

Matthew 7:4-8 NIV

9 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. 10 Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me. 12 Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Matthew 7:9-12 NIV