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PHILIPPIANS

Deepening Relationships with God and Others

¹⁵ All of us, then, who are mature should take such a view of things. And if on some point you think differently, that too God will make clear to you.

¹⁶ Only let us live up to what we have already attained.

Philippians 3:15-16 (NIV 2011)

¹ Further, my brothers and sisters, rejoice in the Lord! It is no trouble for me to write the same things to you again, and it is a safeguard for you. ² Watch out for those dogs, those evildoers, those mutilators of the flesh. ³ For it is we who are the circumcision, we who serve God by his Spirit, who boast in Christ Jesus, and who put no confidence in the flesh —

Philippians 3:1-3 (NIV 2011)

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Καυχάομαι (kauchaomai)

“to put one’s full trust and confidence in something”

Philippians 3:3 (NIV 2011)

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σάρξ (sarx)

- 1. Physical body**
- 2. Humanity in its broken state under the power of Sin and Death (without Jesus and the Holy Spirit)**

Philippians 3:3 (NIV 2011)

⁴ ...though I myself have reasons for such confidence. If someone else thinks they have reasons to put confidence in the flesh, I have more:
⁵ circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; in regard to the law, a Pharisee; ⁶ as for zeal, persecuting the church; as for righteousness based on the law, faultless.

Philippians 3:4-6 (NIV 2011)

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Δικαιοσύνη (dikaiosynē)

A state of rightness; the way things should be

Philippians 3:4-6 (NIV 2011)

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γνῶσις (gnōsis)

Personal, relational knowing

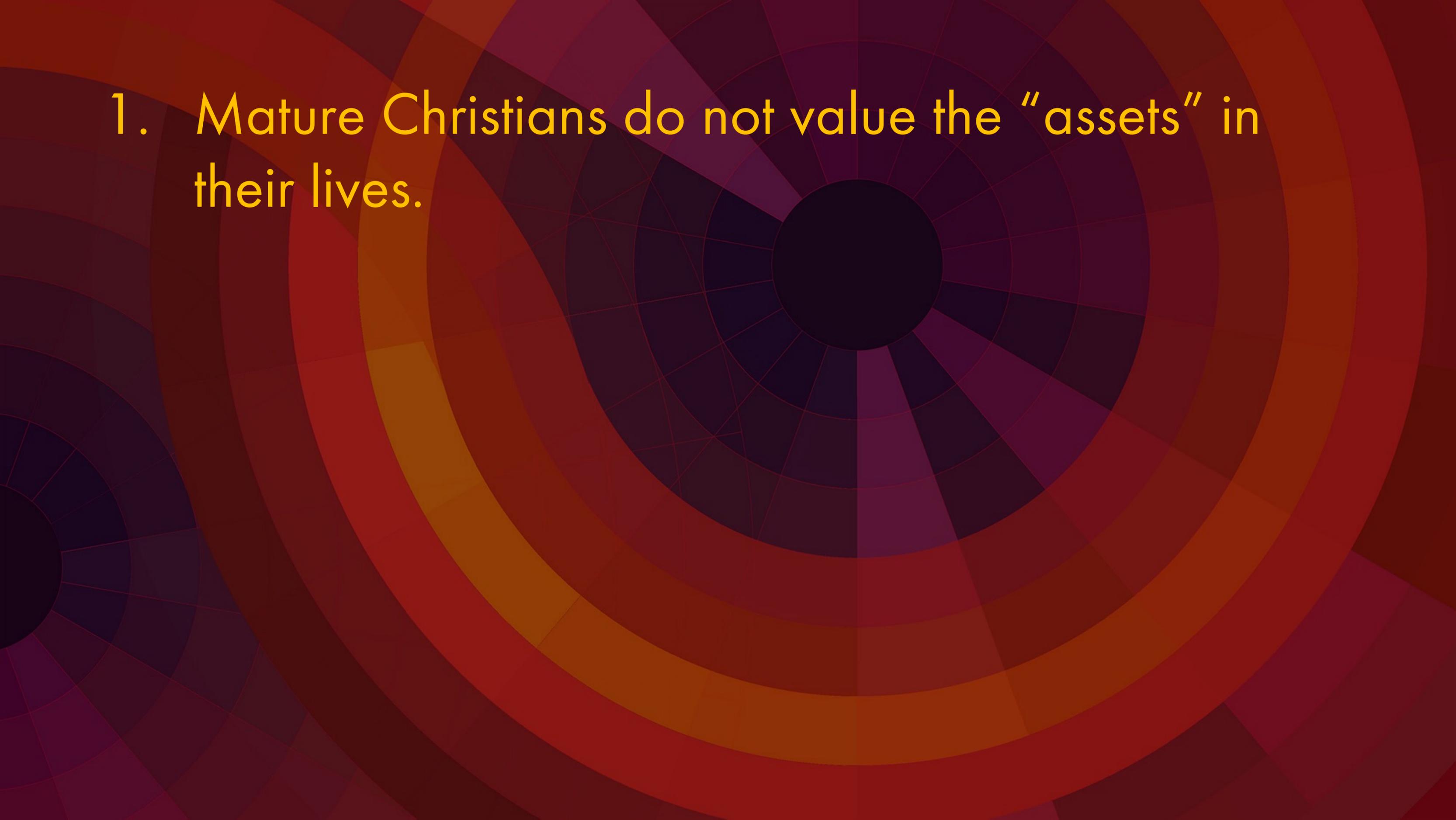
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Σκύβαλον (skybalon)

Excrement, manure [vulgar]

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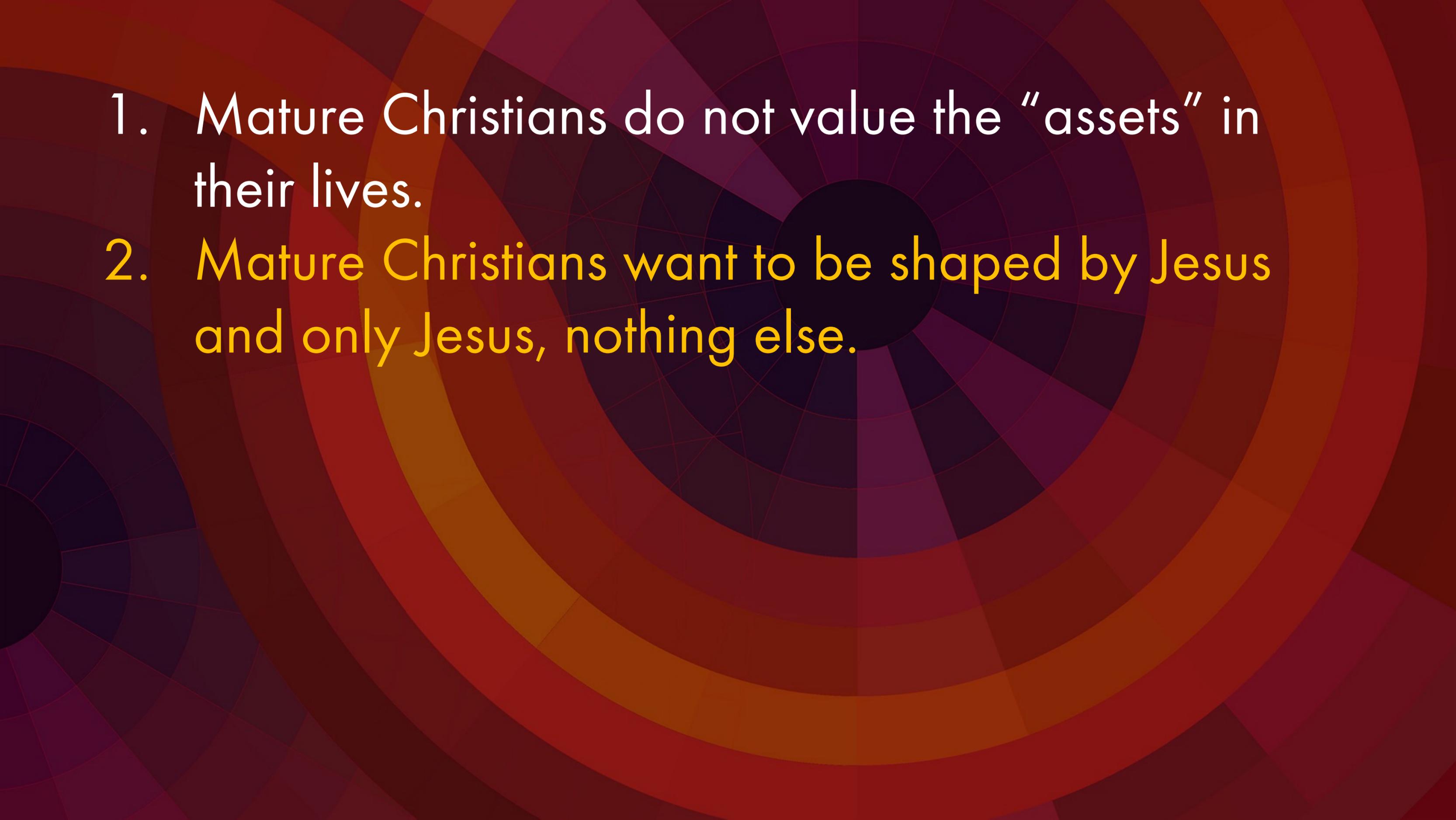


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I consider them garbage, that I may gain Christ⁹ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through ~~faith in Christ~~ **the faithfulness of Christ*** – the righteousness that comes from God on the basis of faith.

NIV Footnote: "*Or through the faithfulness of*"

Philippians 3:8b-9 (NIV 2011)

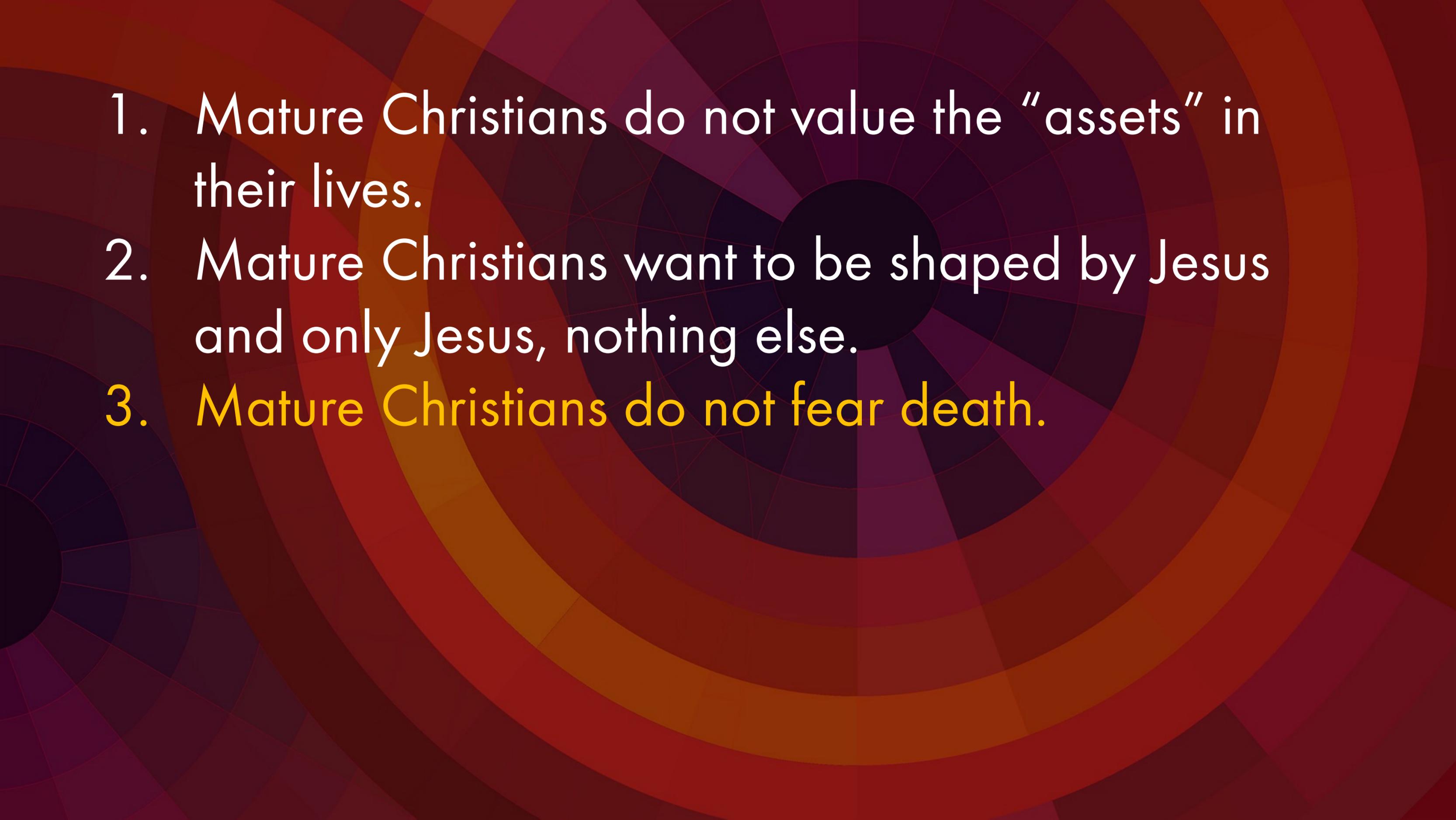
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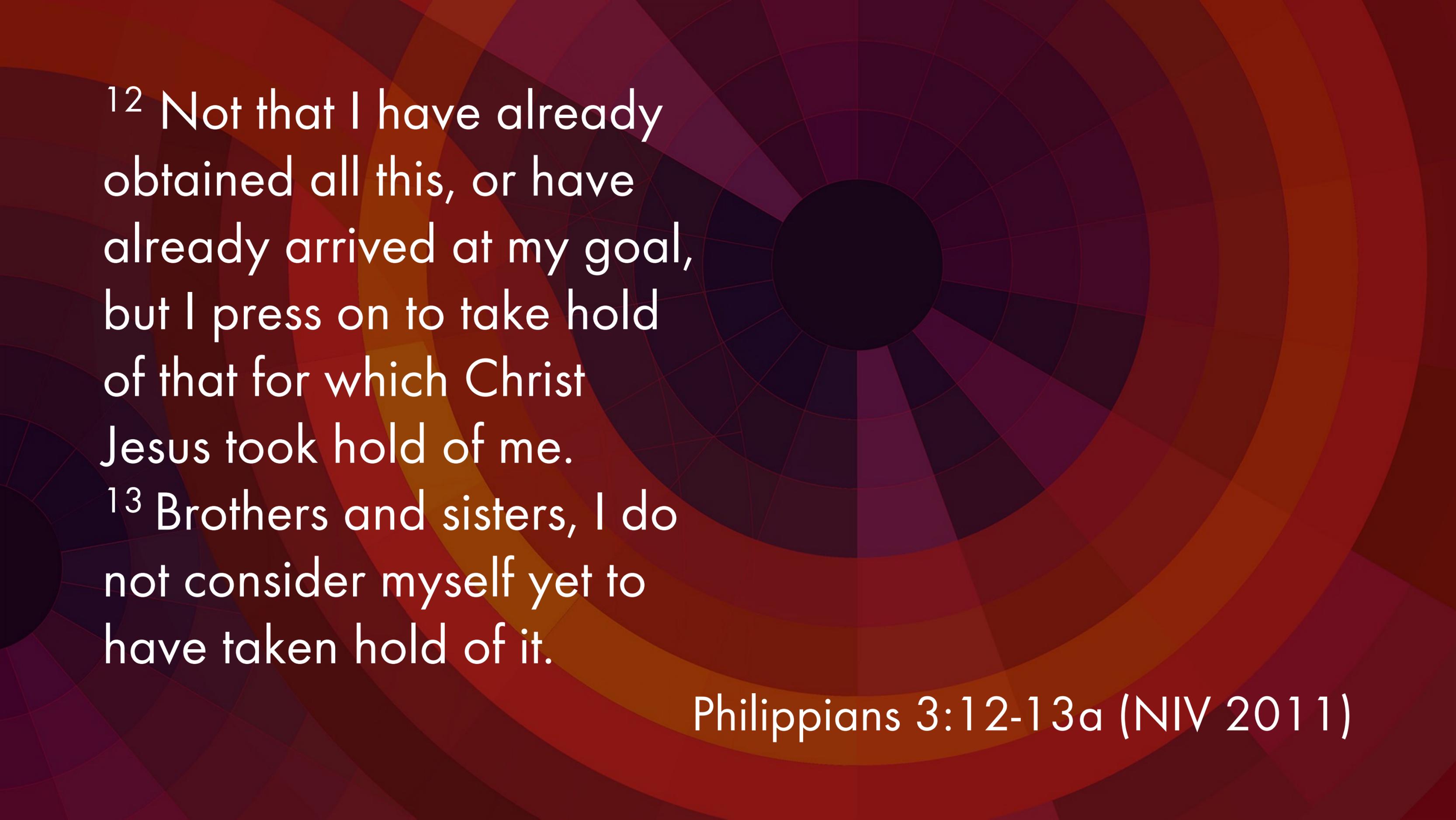
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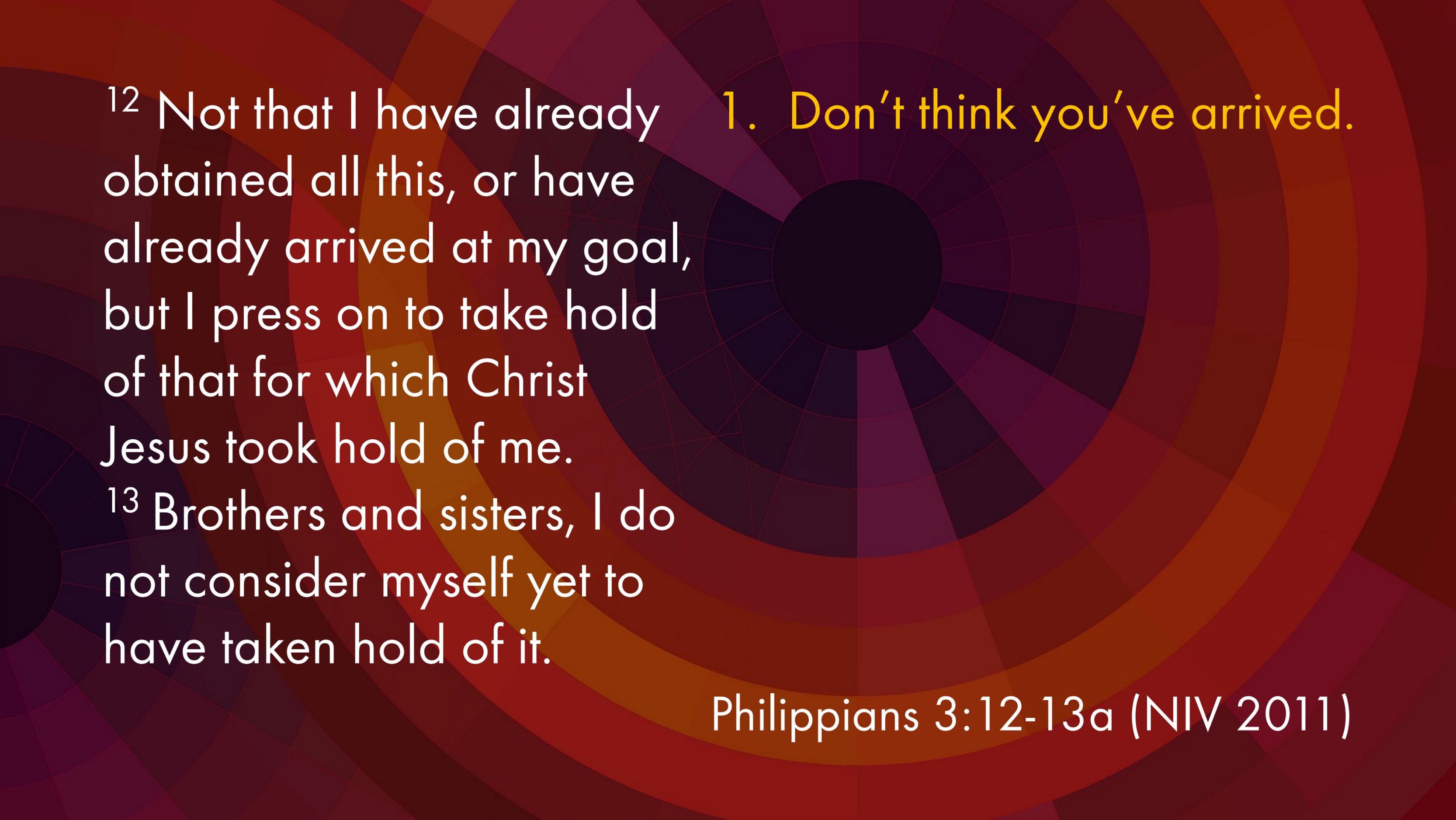
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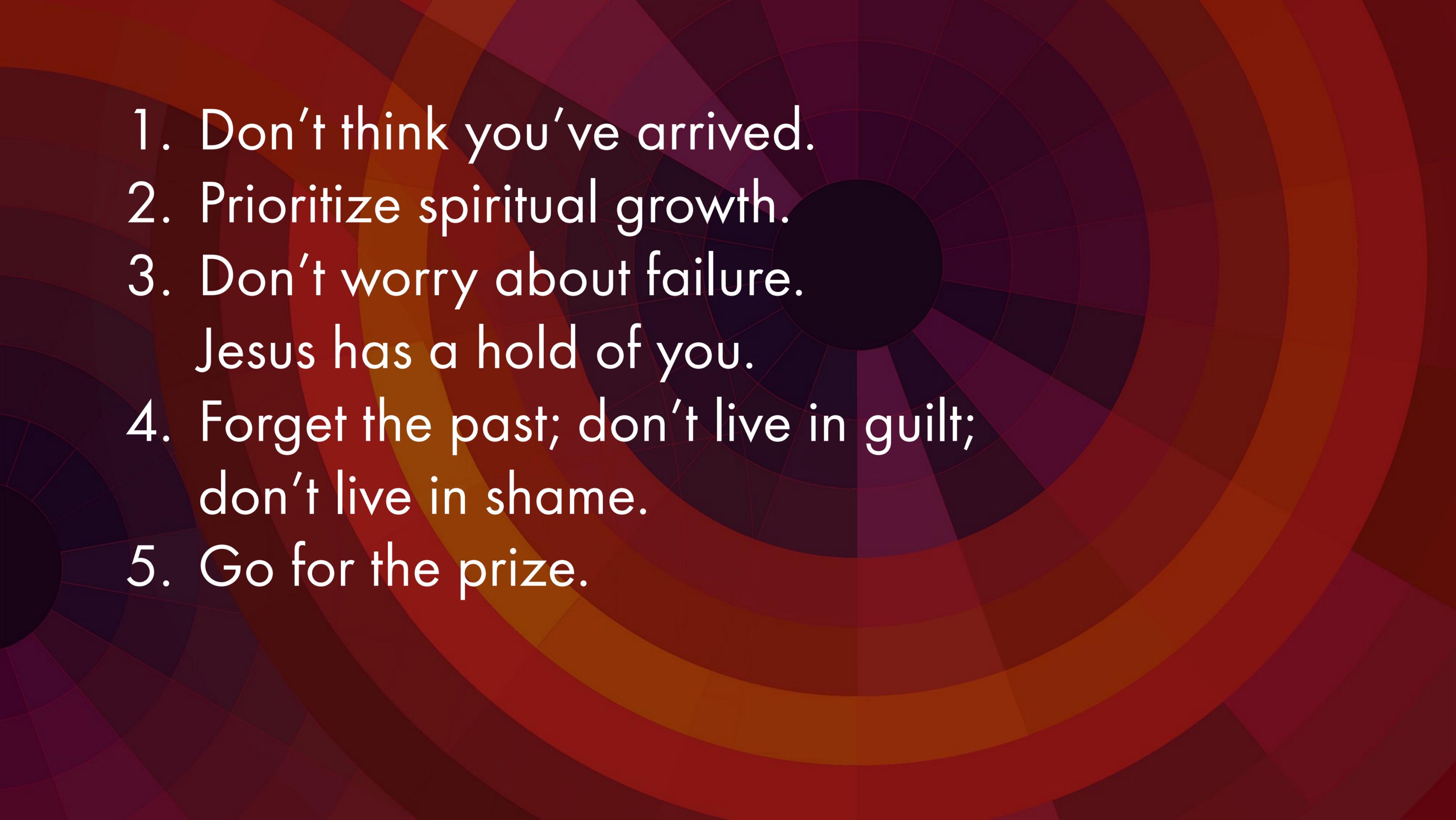
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