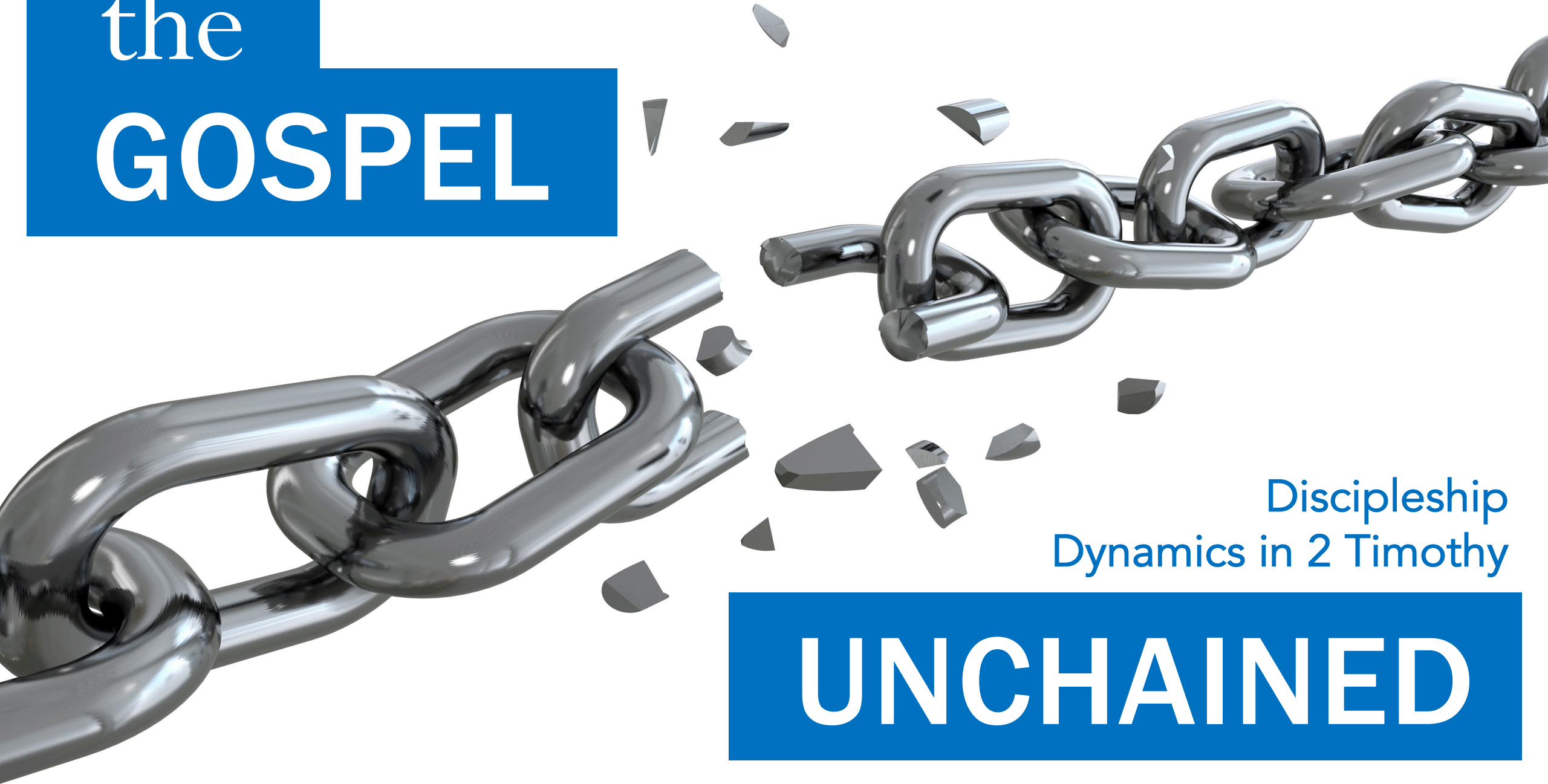


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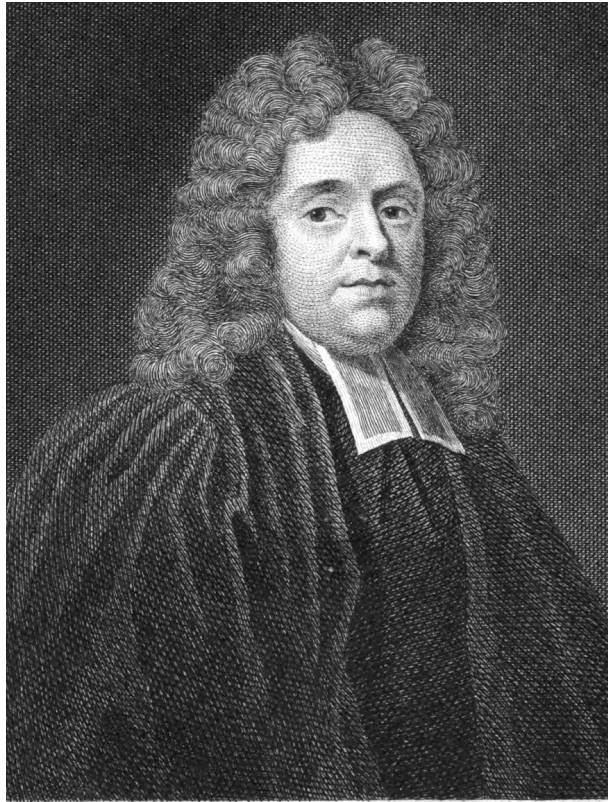
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Hope in the Midst of Hardship
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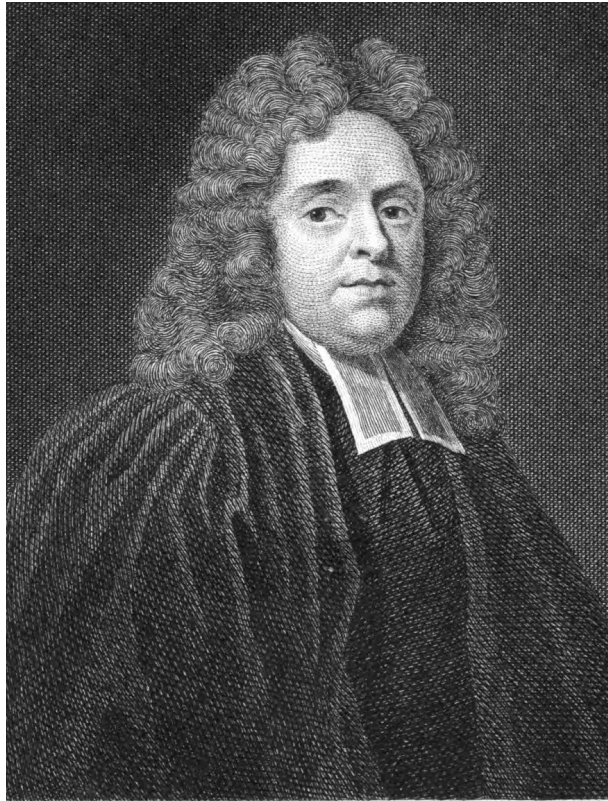


Matthew Henry
1662-1714

“We have every one of us a charge to keep, an eternal God to glorify, an immortal soul to provide for, needful duty to be done, our generation to serve; and it must be our daily care to keep this charge, for it is the charge of the Lord our Master, who will shortly call us to account about it, and it is our...



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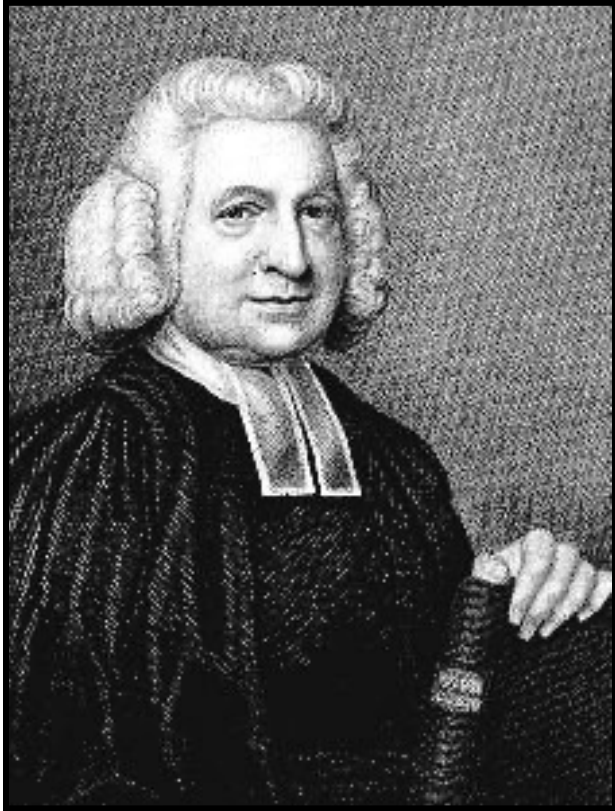


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"...utmost peril if we neglect it. Keep it that ye die not; it is death, eternal death, to betray the trust that we are charged with; by the consideration of this we must be kept in awe."



A Charge to Keep (1762)



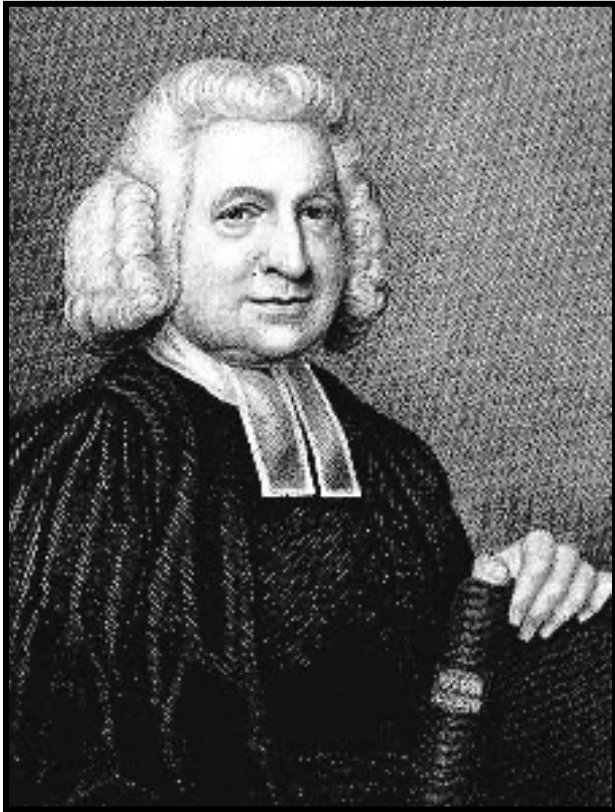
Charles Wesley
1707-1788

A charge to keep I have,
A God to glorify,
A never-dying soul to save,
And fit it for the sky.

To serve the present age,
My calling to fulfill:
O may it all my powers engage
To do my Master's will!



A Charge to Keep (1762)



Charles Wesley
1707-1788

Arm me with watchful care
As in Thy sight to live,
And now Thy servant, Lord, prepare
A strict account to give!

Help me to watch and pray,
And still on Thee rely,
Oh, let me not my trust betray,
But press to realms on high.



Guard the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you—guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.”

2 Timothy 1:14



Endure Hardship for the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“Endure hardship with us like a good soldier of Christ Jesus.... Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead.... This is my gospel, for which I am suffering even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But God’s word is not chained.”

2 Timothy 2:3, 8-9



Continue in the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“Evil men and impostors will go from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived. But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of.”

2 Timothy 3:13-14



Share the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus . . . I give you this charge: Preach the Word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.”

2 Timothy 4:1-4



The GOSPEL of Jesus Christ

The gospel is **the good news announcement** that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, lived the life we should have lived, died the death we should have died, and rose again from the dead, sharing his life with all who believe in him. He ascended into heaven, taking our humanity with him into the Trinity, and now stands vindicated by his Father, reigns triumphant over the powers of darkness, and works to make all things new in the great restoration of the entire cosmos.



*Overcome earthly hardship
with heavenly hope.*

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**Keep your charge, and you will experience
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Keep your charge, and you will experience earthly hardship.

You might experience the pain of seclusion.



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God will supply you.



Keep your charge, and you will experience heavenly hope.

God will supply you.

He will give you the people you need.



Keep your charge, and you will experience heavenly hope.

God will supply you.

He will give you the people you need.

He will give you the provisions you need.



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God will strengthen you.



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You will be able to pardon.



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You will be able to praise.



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Keep your charge, and you will experience heavenly hope.

God will save you.

The earth cannot take you when God is keeping you.



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God will save you.

The earth cannot take you when God is keeping you.
The earth cannot keep you when God is taking you.



The God Who Keeps

“The Lord will . . . bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom.”
(2 Timothy 4:18)



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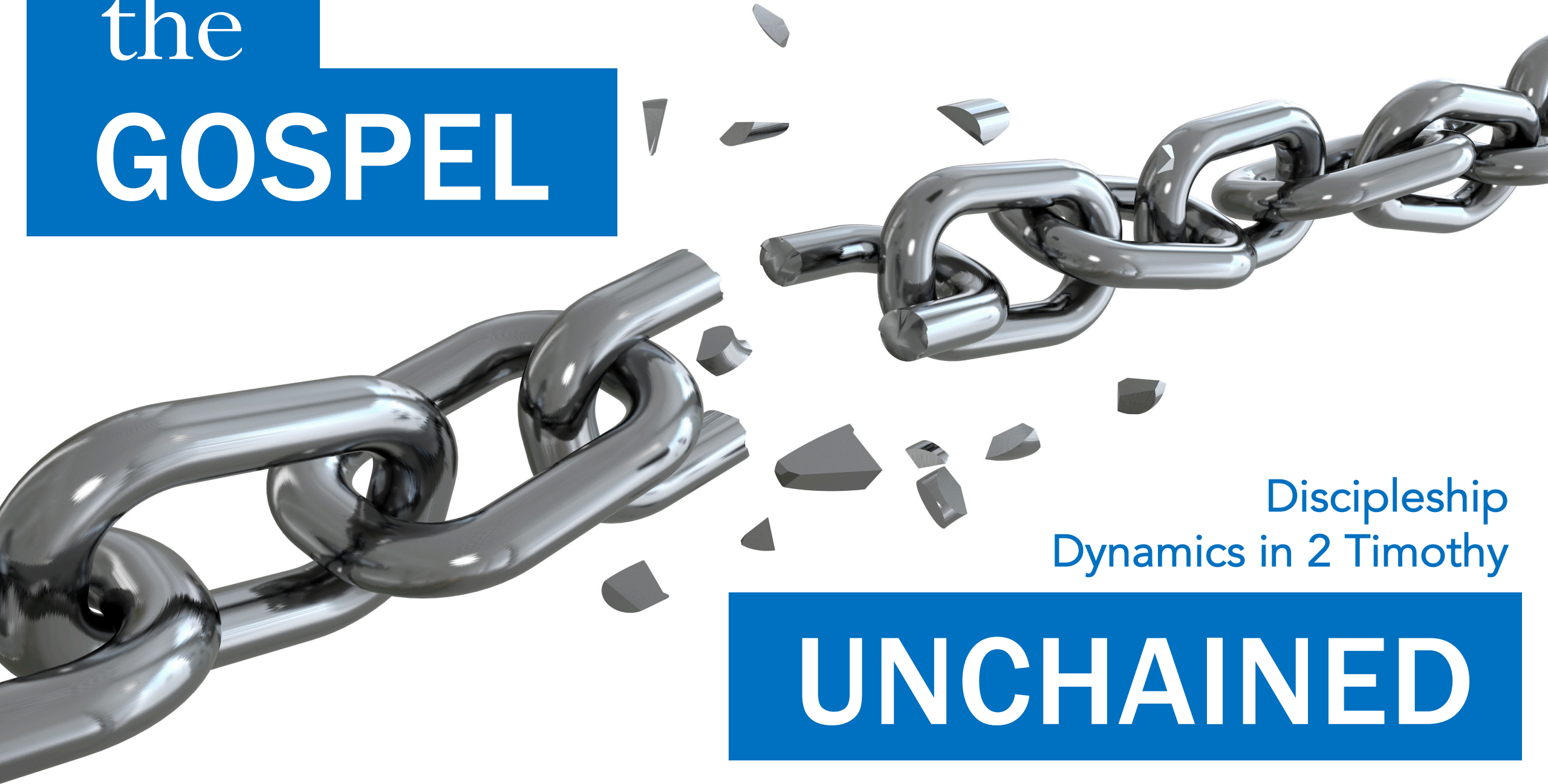


Paul's Final Words to the Church
2 Timothy 4:22

**“The Lord be with your spirit.
Grace be with you.”**



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