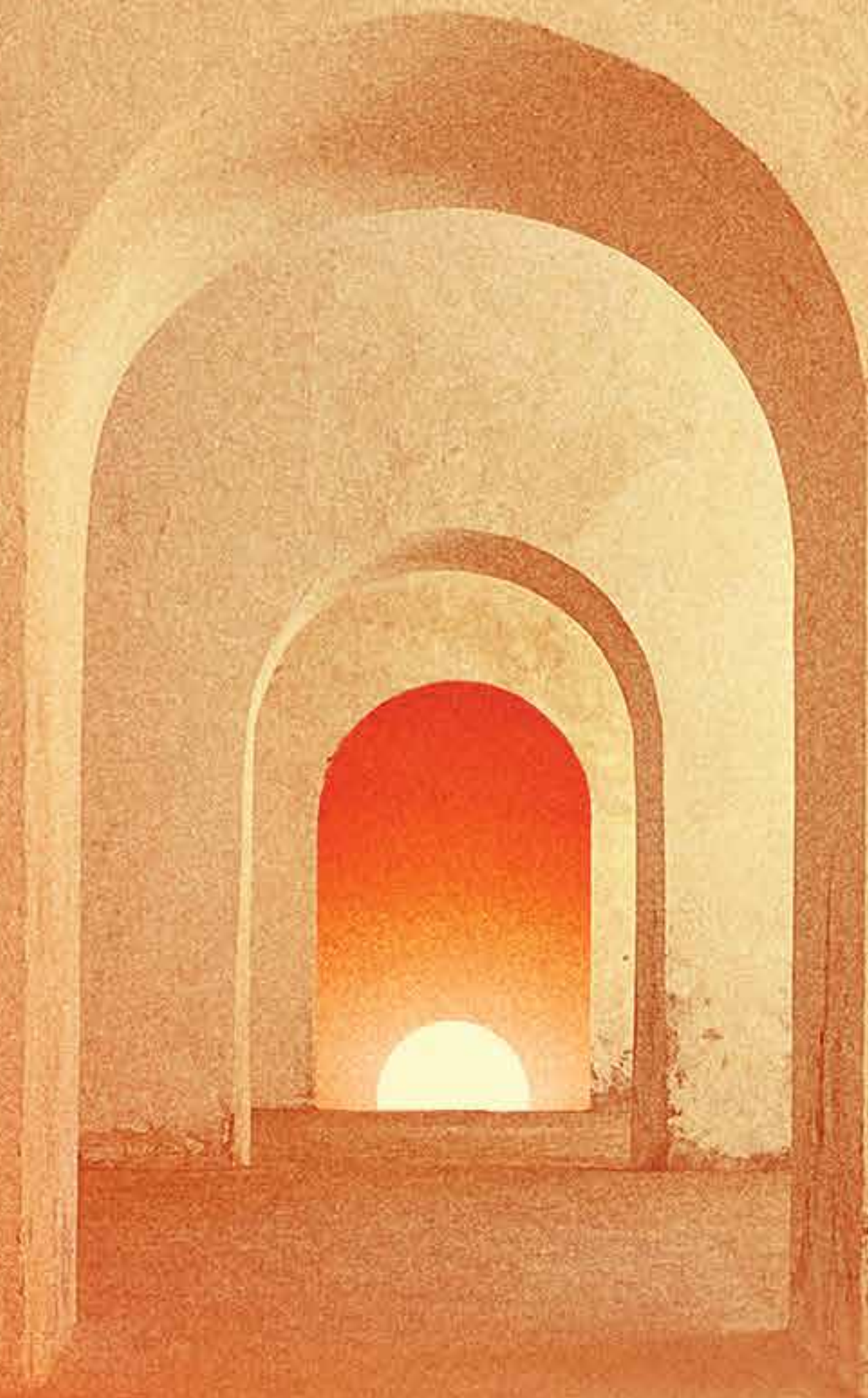


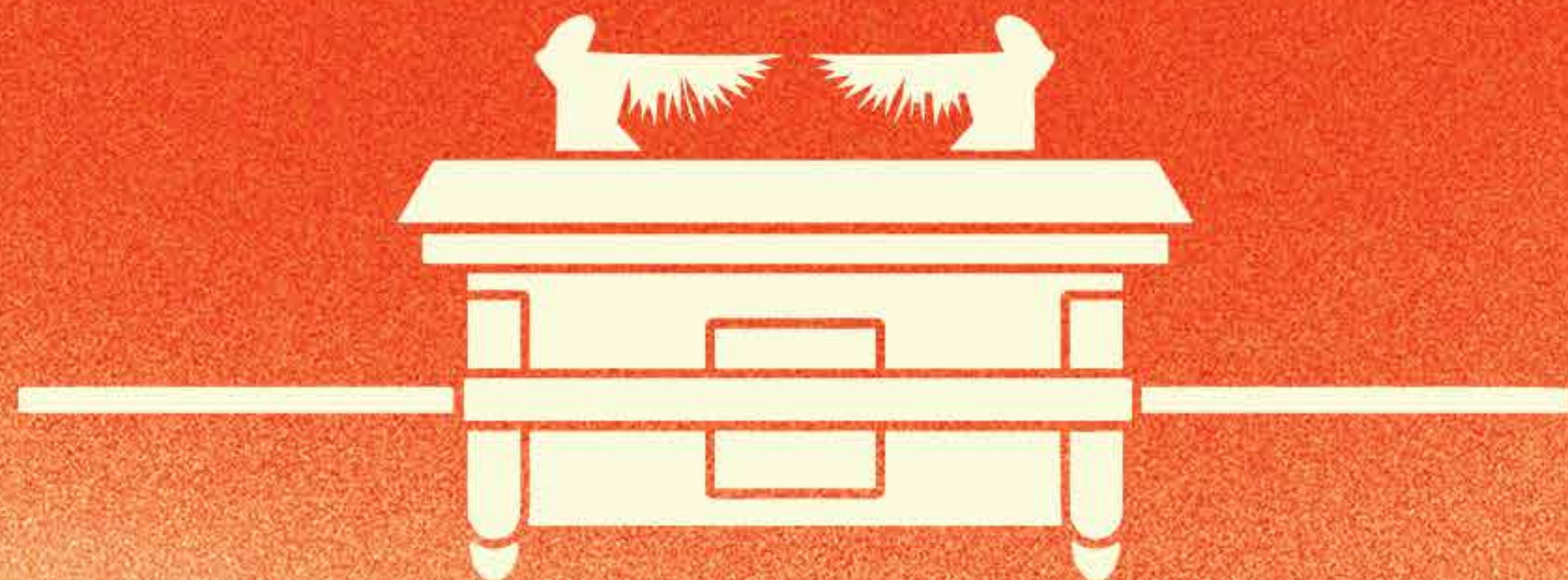
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A Message Series About
The Power & Beauty of God's Word



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The Word Became Flesh





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Rise of Individualism

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The End of Abundance Thinking

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The Metaverse Fever

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What are we Abiding in?

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What does it look like
when we choose to
abide in God's Word?

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But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

JOHN 20:31

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Credentials

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

JOHN 1:1-5

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John 1:1-5 Paraphrased by David Pawson

At the first very moment of its existence, the whole reason for our universe was already there and had been there from all eternity. Both the purpose and pattern of it all were to be found in a person, someone who could look God in the face because he too was fully divine. From the start of what we call "Time", he was working alongside the creator. It was through this partnership that everything else came into being. In fact, not one thing was made without his personal involvement. Even life itself originated in him and his own life sheds light on the meaning of life for every member of the human race. His light goes on shining through all the gloom of human history, because no amount of darkness can ever extinguish it.

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Value Proposition

The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to **become children of God**, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God. **And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us**, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.

JOHN 1:9-14

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Intention

For from his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. No one has ever seen God; the only God, who is at the Father's side, he has **made him known.**

JOHN 1:16-18

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God wants to make
Himself known

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He was in the beginning with God

JOHN 1:2

He was chosen before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake.

1 PETER 1:20

1 HEBREWS 4:3

2 TIMOTHY 1:9

EPHESIANS 1:4

REVELATIONS 13:8

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Jesus did not come to change
God's mind about you.
Jesus came to change
your mind about God.

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2017

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

PSALMS 139

2018

I incline my heart to perform your statutes

PSALMS 119

2019

I will remember the deeds of the Lord; yes, I will remember your miracles of long ago. I will consider all your works and meditate on all your mighty deeds.

PSALMS 77

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2020

Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me.

JOHN 15

2022

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

PSALM 90

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