

GOD

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**REASONS
FOR
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EXPERIENTIAL

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**HAVE YOU EVEN BEEN TO
PLACES WHERE YOU'VE
EXPERIENCED THE BEST
DAY EVER?**

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- **Practical Justifications**
- **Rational Justifications**
- **Empirical Justifications**
- **Experiential Justifications**





THE WILD ROBOT

*|| And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and **by the word of their testimony**, for they loved not their lives even unto death.*

Revelations 12:11

1. TESTIMONIES ARE POWERFUL

2 Kings 5:8-15

8 When Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his robes, he sent him this message: “Why have you torn your robes? Have the man come to me and he will know that there is a prophet in Israel.” **9** So Naaman went with his horses and chariots and stopped at the door of Elisha’s house. **10** Elisha sent a messenger to say to him, “Go, wash yourself seven times in the Jordan, and your flesh will be restored and you will be cleansed.” **11** But Naaman went away angry and said, “I thought that he would surely come out to me and stand and call on the name of the Lord his God, wave his hand over the spot and cure me of my leprosy. **12** Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Couldn’t I wash in them and be cleansed?” So he turned and went off in a rage.

2 Kings 5:13-15

13 Naaman's servants went to him and said, "My father, if the prophet had told you to do some great thing, would you not have done it? How much more, then, when he tells you, 'Wash and be cleansed!'"

14 So he went down and dipped himself in the Jordan seven times, as the man of God had told him, and his flesh was restored and became clean like that of a young boy. **15** Then Naaman and all his attendants went back to the man of God. He stood before him and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the world except in Israel. So please accept a gift from your servant."

2. TESTIMONIES PROPHECY

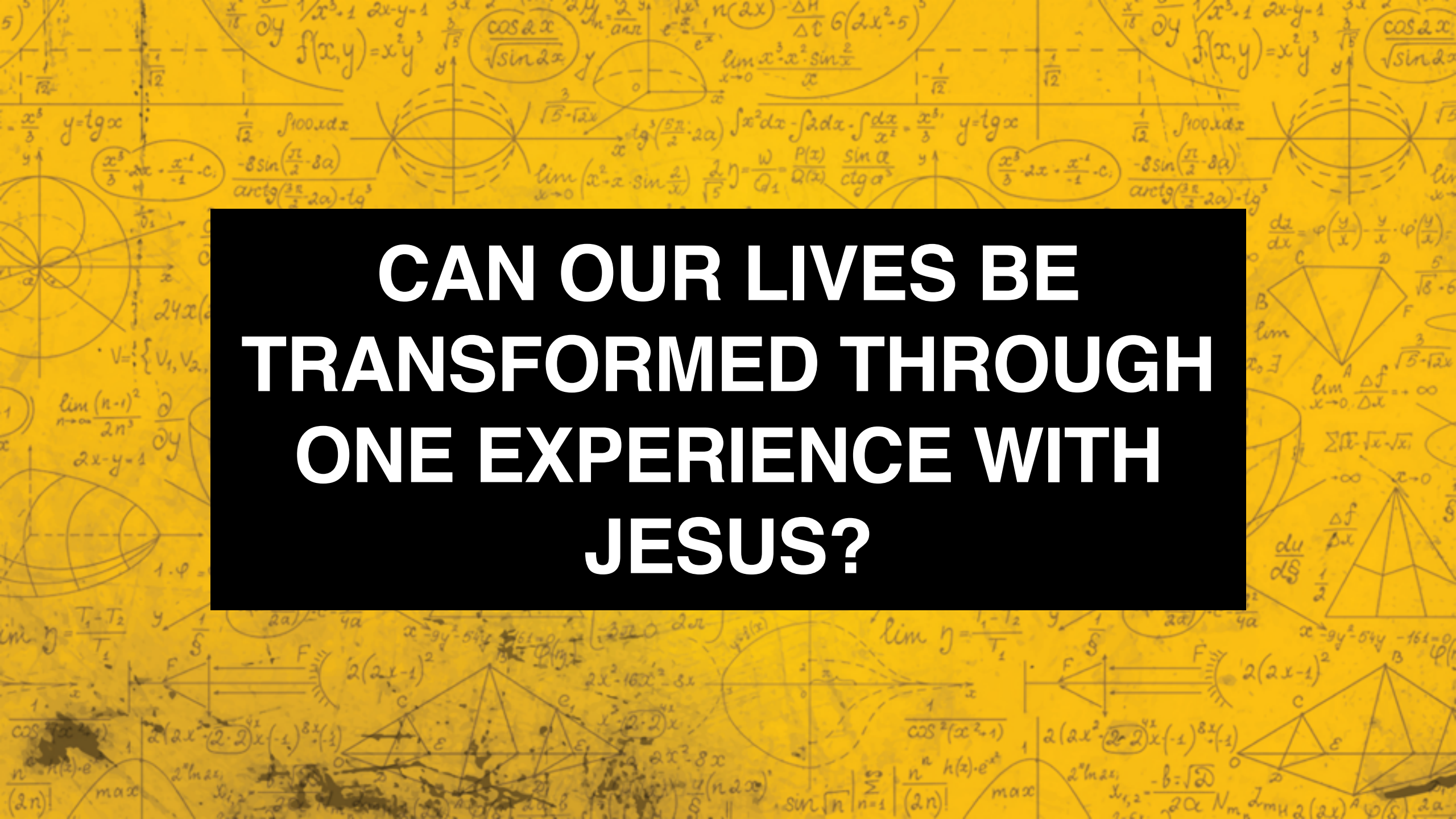
10 *For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.*

Revelations 19:10

Root word: *Edot*

Which means “Do it again”, “Repeat”

3. TESTIMONIES POINT PEOPLE TO JESUS



**CAN OUR LIVES BE
TRANSFORMED THROUGH
ONE EXPERIENCE WITH
JESUS?**



**WE CAN REASON AND RESEARCH,
BUT ULTIMATELY IT IS ABOUT
RELATING TO HIM!**