

A photograph of a sandy beach with waves crashing on the shore. A path of footprints leads away from the water towards the horizon. The text "Jesus Says, 'Follow Me!'" is overlaid on the image in a white, serif font.

*Jesus Says,  
"Follow Me!"*

## Learning to Follow

Matthew 4 : 18 – 22

Matthew 7 : 1 – 5



St. Peter's Cross



Matthew  
4: 18 –  
22

<sup>18</sup> And Jesus, walking by the Sea of Galilee, saw two brothers, Simon called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishermen. <sup>19</sup> Then He said to them, “Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men.” <sup>20</sup> They immediately left *their* nets and followed Him.

Matthew  
4: 18 –  
22

<sup>21</sup> Going on from there, He saw two other brothers, James *the son* of Zebedee, and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets. He called them, <sup>22</sup> and immediately they left the boat and their father and followed Him.

Peter,  
Andrew,  
James &  
John were  
fishermen

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Mediterranean Sea

Damascus

Tyre

Caesarea Philippi

Galilee

Capernaum

Sea of Galilee

Nazareth

R. Yarmuk

Samaria

R. Jabbok

Jerusalem

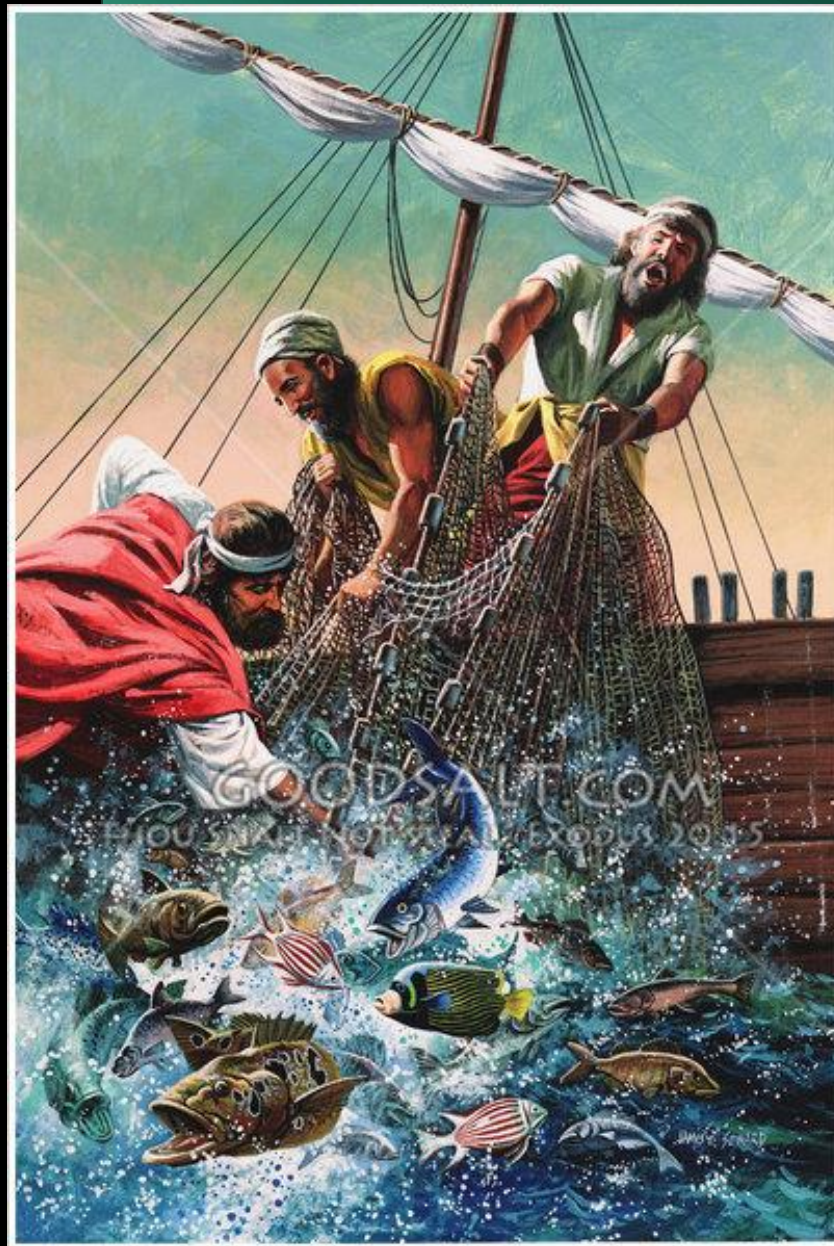
Bethlehem

Dead Sea

Judea

R. Arnon







A close-up photograph of a person wearing a white, textured robe, possibly a religious or historical garment. The person's right hand is extended forward, palm up, in a gesture of offering or invitation. The lighting is soft and focused on the hand and the lower part of the robe. A dark, semi-transparent rectangular box is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing the text "Follow Me" in a white, serif font.

Follow Me

A large dinosaur skeleton is displayed in a museum hall. The skeleton is mounted on a metal frame and is the central focus of the image. The background shows the ornate architecture of the museum, with high ceilings and large arches. People are visible in the background, some looking at the skeleton. The text "How do I get to the museum?" is overlaid on the image in white, with a white underline below it.

How do I get to the  
museum?

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# How do I get to the museum?

Go straight on Elm Street, pass the park, turn right on Park Avenue and turn left on Oak Street. Stop on the left, across from hospital and next to the church.





Go straight on Elm Street, pass the park, turn right on Park Avenue and turn left on Oak Street. Stop on the left, across from the hospital and next to the church.

CHECK

NEXT



Follow me

# JESUS SAYS: FOLLOW ME

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1. Jesus is going to where I am going.
2. Jesus will keep me company.
3. Even if He allows me to take a wrong turn, I will definitely reach my destination because
  - a. He knows the way.
  - b. He may want to show me a bit more of life.



# Matthew 17 : 1 – 5

Now after six days Jesus took Peter, James, and John his brother, led them up on a high mountain by themselves; <sup>2</sup> and He was transfigured before them. His face shone like the sun, and His clothes became as white as the light. <sup>3</sup> And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, talking with Him.








# The Cross

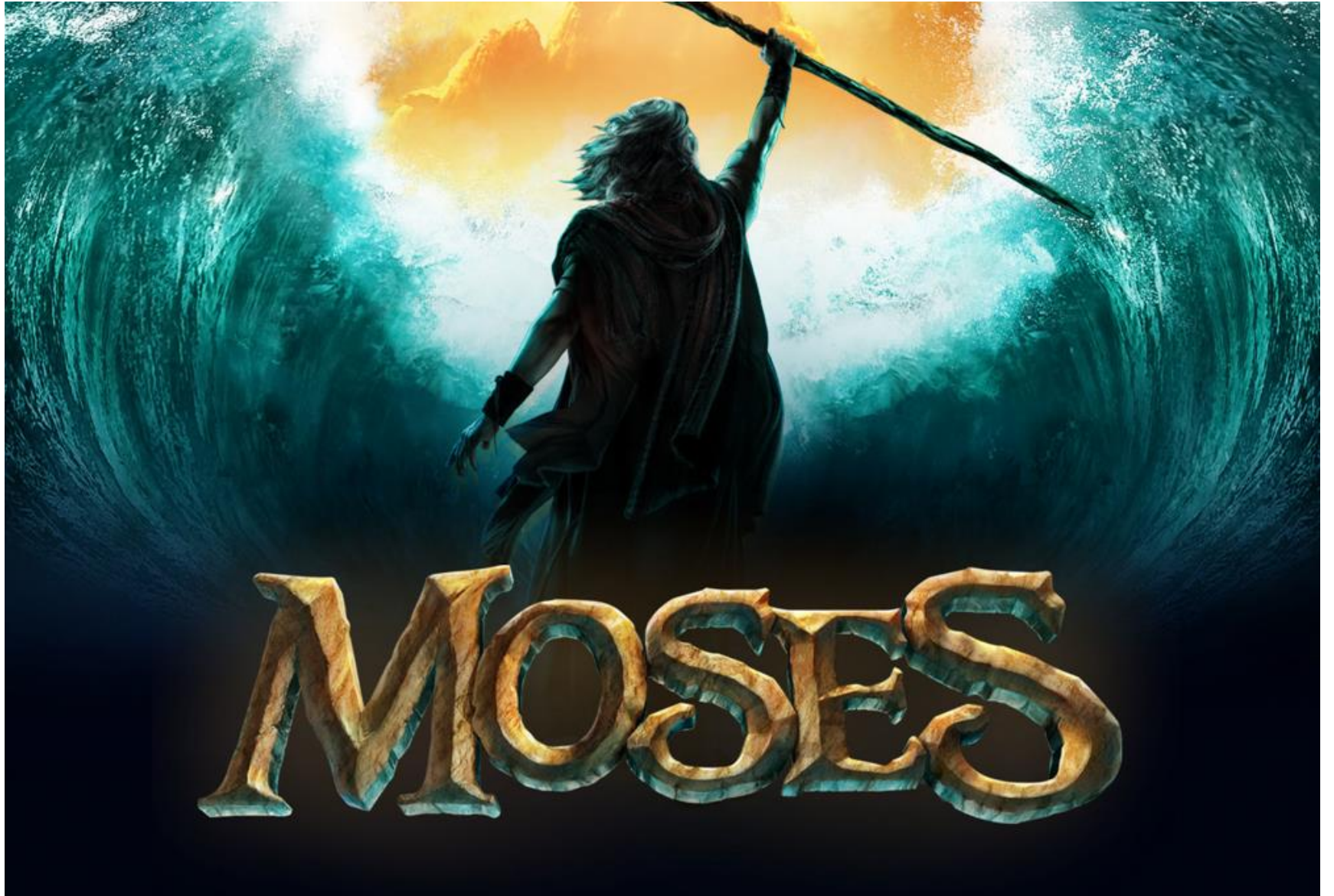
God's Plan To Save Us





MOSES & ELIJAH

Why?



ELIJAH



# Matthew 17 : 1 – 5

<sup>4</sup> Then Peter answered and said to Jesus, “Lord, it is good for us to be here; if You wish, let us make here three tabernacles: one for You, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.”

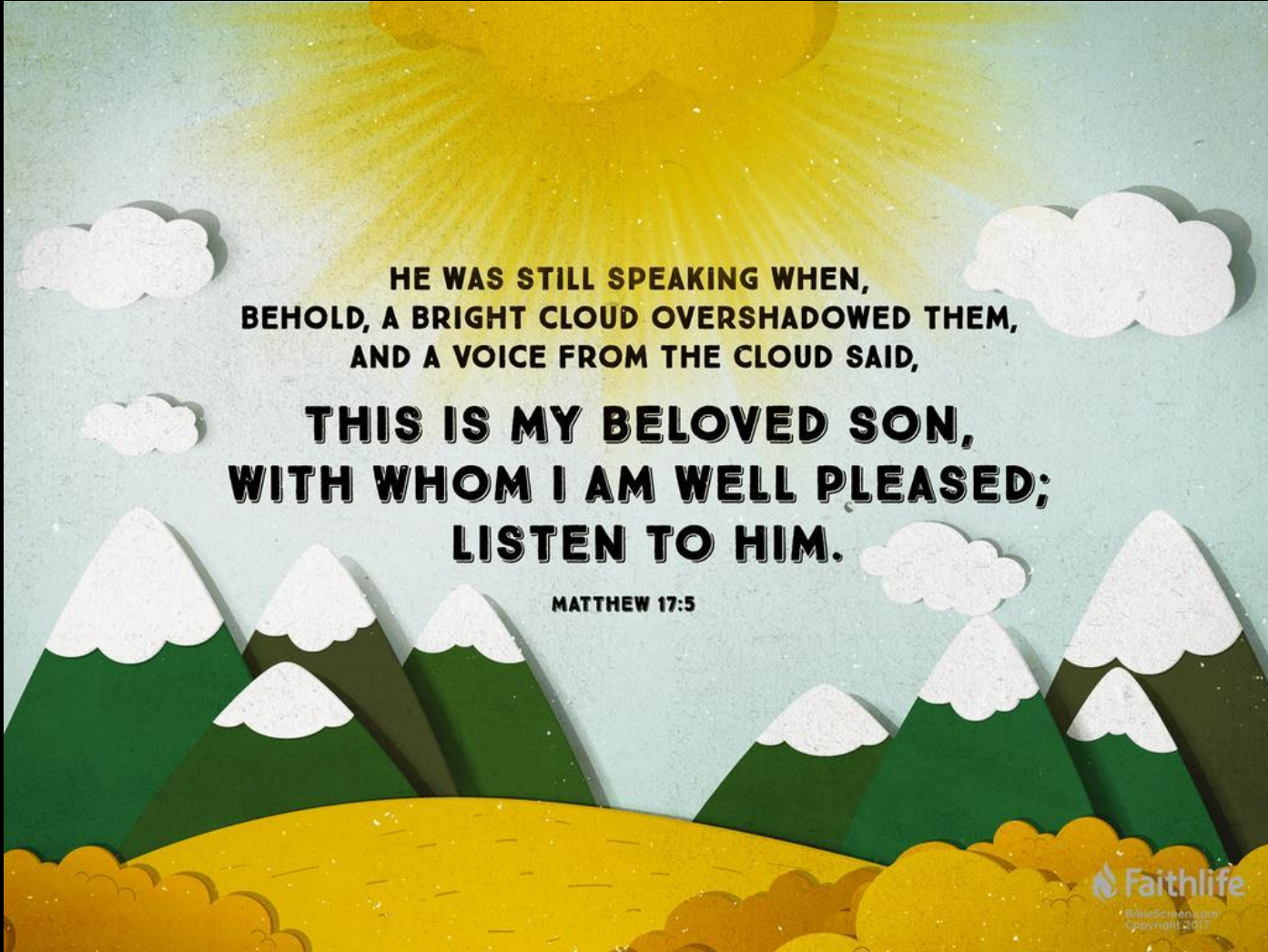
<sup>5</sup> While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them;

Let us make  
here three  
tabernacles.



# Matthew 17 : 1 – 5

<sup>5</sup> While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them; and suddenly a voice came out of the cloud, saying, “This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased. Hear Him!”



**HE WAS STILL SPEAKING WHEN,  
BEHOLD, A BRIGHT CLOUD OVERSHADOWED THEM,  
AND A VOICE FROM THE CLOUD SAID,  
  
THIS IS MY BELOVED SON,  
WITH WHOM I AM WELL PLEASED;  
LISTEN TO HIM.**

**MATTHEW 17:5**



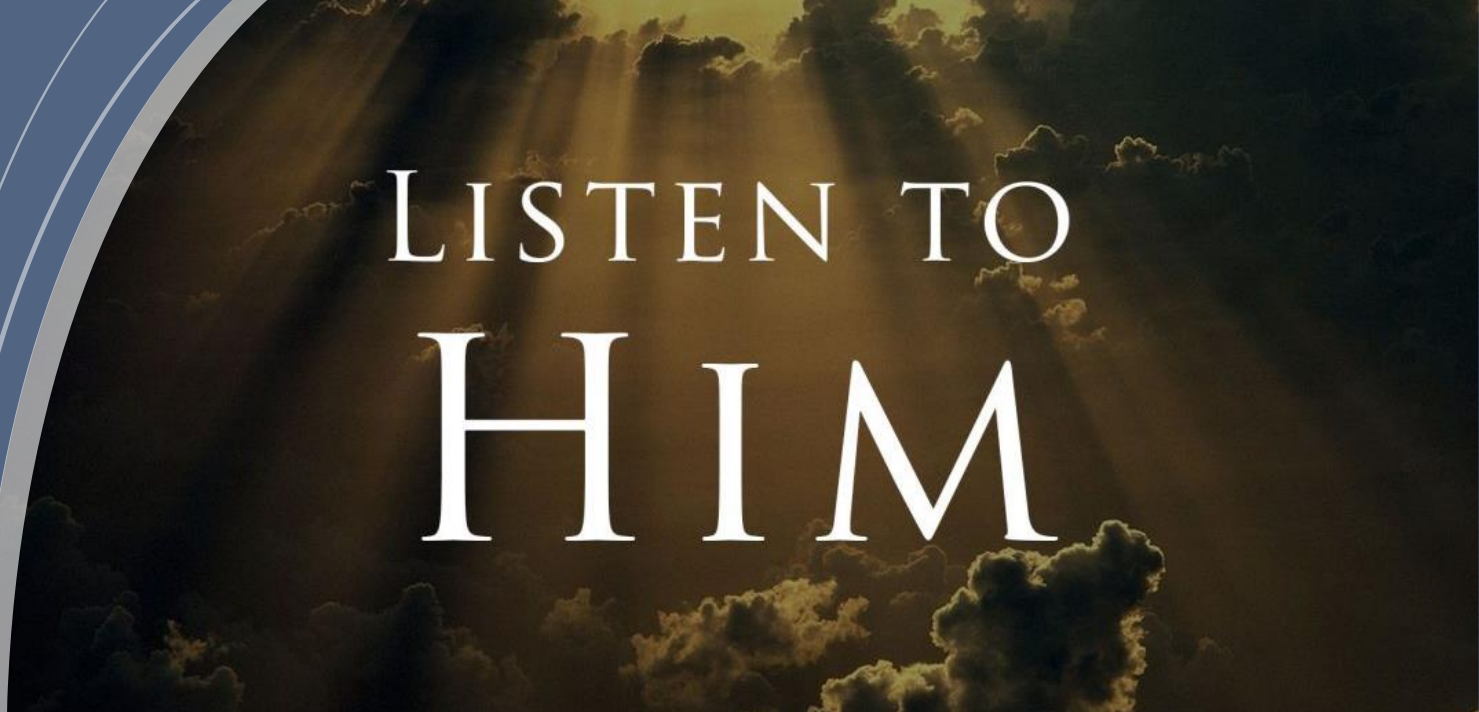
# And Can It Be

No condemnation now I dread  
Jesus and all in Him, is mine!  
Alive in Him, my living Head  
And clothed in righteousness divine  
Bold I approach th'eternal throne  
And claim the crown, through Christ my  
own  
Amazing love! how can it be  
That Thou my God shouldst die for me!



# Follow Me

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LISTEN TO  
HIM



Follow Me

- End of sermon