



... and Peter –  
Learning to  
Overcome

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Luke 22 : 54 – 62

Mark 16 : 1 – 7



St. Peter's Cross









# The Orphan Spirit



**WHAT IS THE  
ORPHAN  
SPIRIT?**

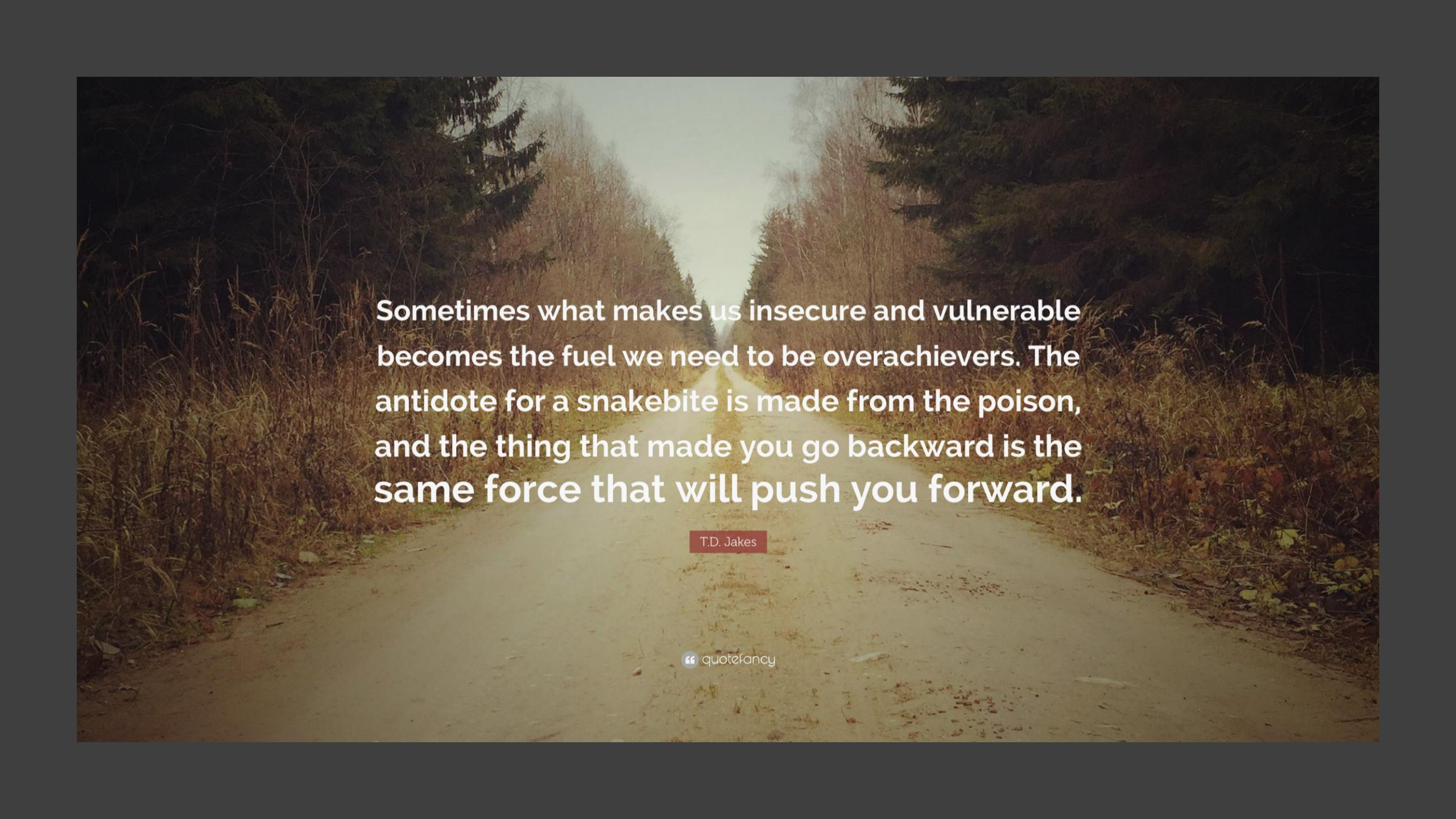


1. I feel  
insecure  
and  
vulnerable

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A dirt road winding through a forest with tall grasses on the sides.

**Sometimes what makes us insecure and vulnerable becomes the fuel we need to be overachievers. The antidote for a snakebite is made from the poison, and the thing that made you go backward is the same force that will push you forward.**

T.D. Jakes

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2. I must  
prove  
myself -  
religiosity

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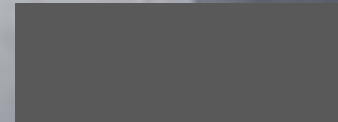
**LET US FIX OUR EYES UPON  
JESUS, THE AUTHOR AND  
PERFECTOR OF OUR FAITH.**

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**-HEBREWS 12:2-**

I will not leave you as  
orphans;  
I will come to you.

John 14:18



## Luke 15


<sup>25</sup> “Meanwhile, the older son was in the field. When he came near the house, he heard music and dancing. <sup>26</sup> So he called one of the servants and asked him what was going on. <sup>27</sup> ‘Your brother has come,’ he replied, ‘and your father has killed the fattened calf because he has him back safe and sound.’

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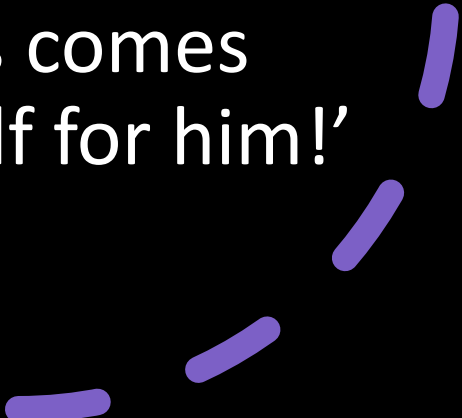
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- Focuses on what he does not have.
- Is often jealous

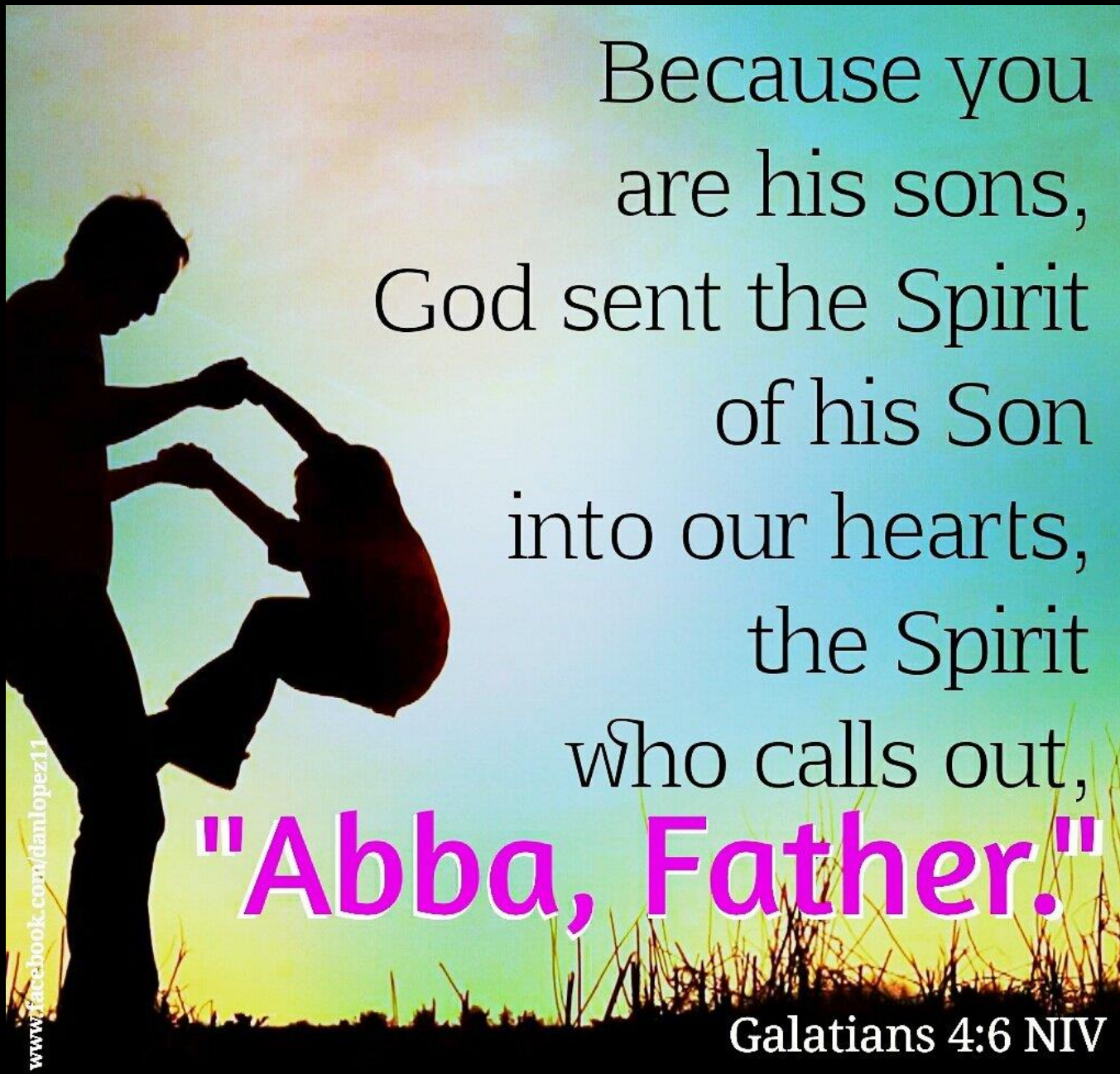


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Because you  
are his sons,  
God sent the Spirit  
of his Son  
into our hearts,  
the Spirit  
who calls out,

**"Abba, Father."**

Galatians 4:6 NIV

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# Keys to the healing of the orphan spirit

1. Know that you are a son/a daughter of the King.
2. All that belongs to the King belongs to you.
3. You are always with the King.
4. So don't compare – there will always be those better and those worse like your prodigal brother.







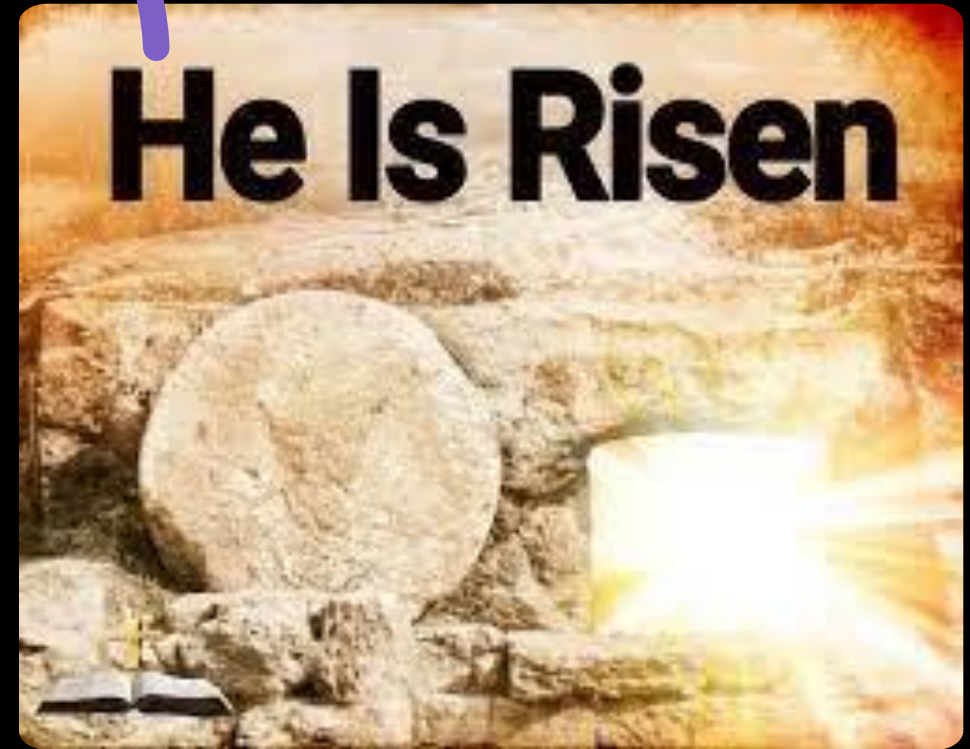
Peter went  
outside and  
wept bitterly.  
Luke 22 : 62

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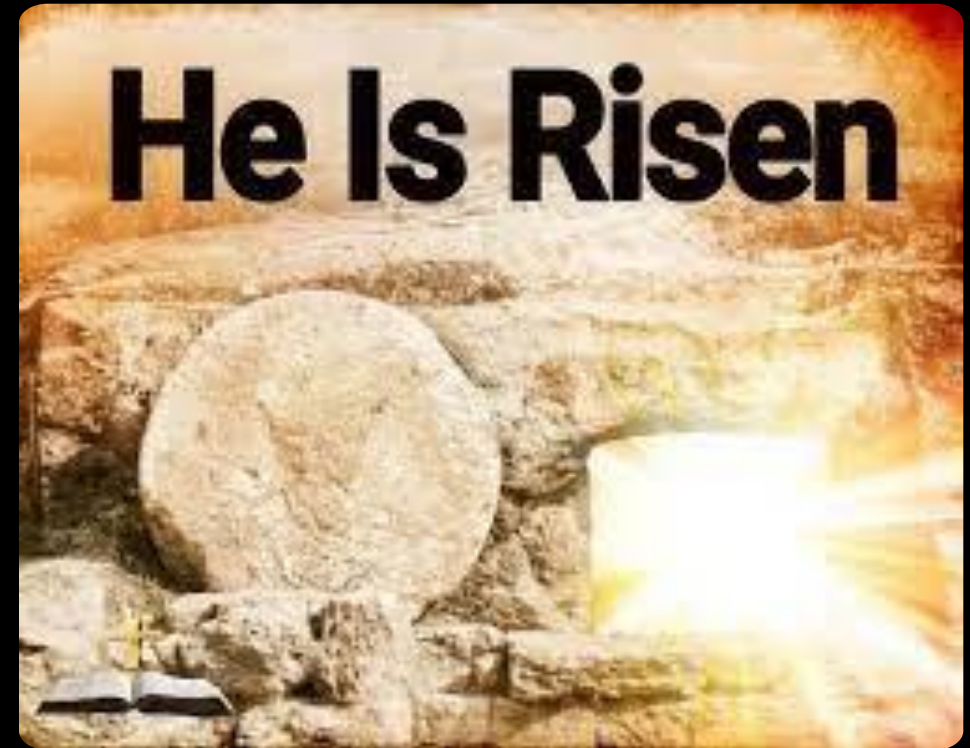
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# NO LONGER SPIRITUAL ORPHANS

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