

He Reigns . He Returns . He Wins!

THE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST

Revelation 10:1-11

A Mighty Angel & A Little Scroll

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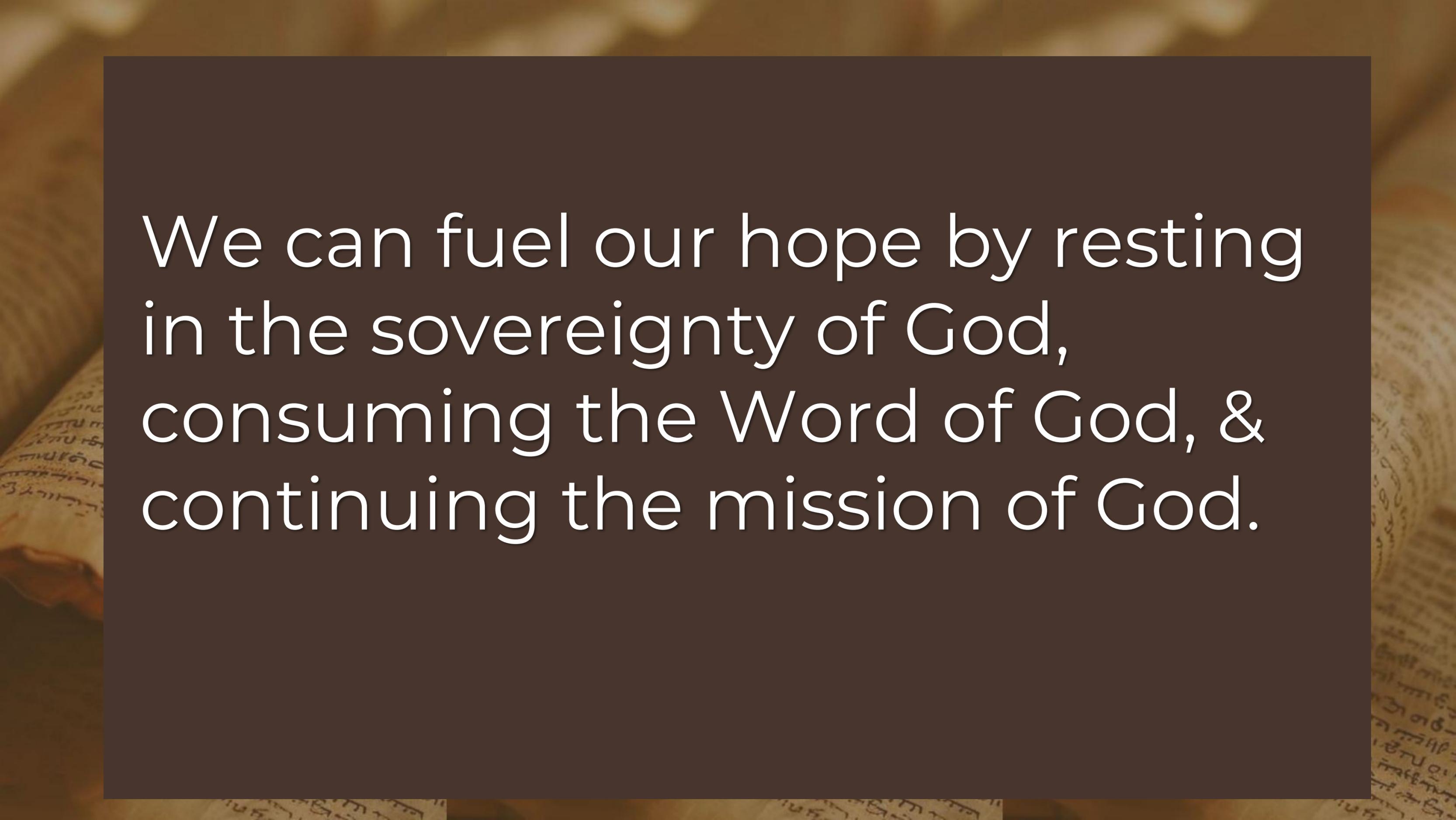


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Chapter 8:1-9:21

The Trumpet Judgments



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The Revelation of Jesus Christ

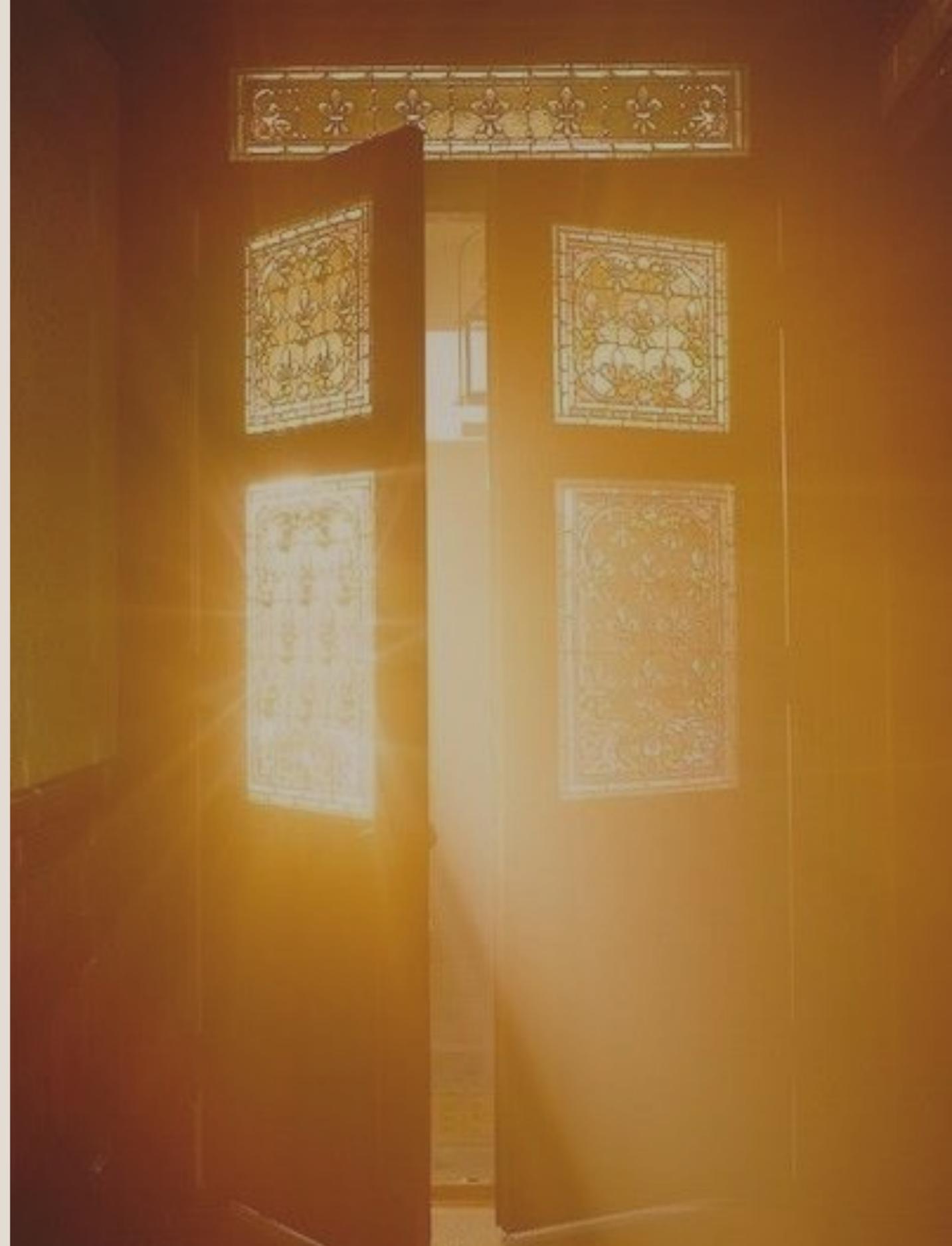
WHAT YOU SAW	WHAT IS	WHAT WILL BE	
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He Reigns, He Returns, He Wins --- Live Like It!

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- II. John takes the little scroll. (10:8–11)

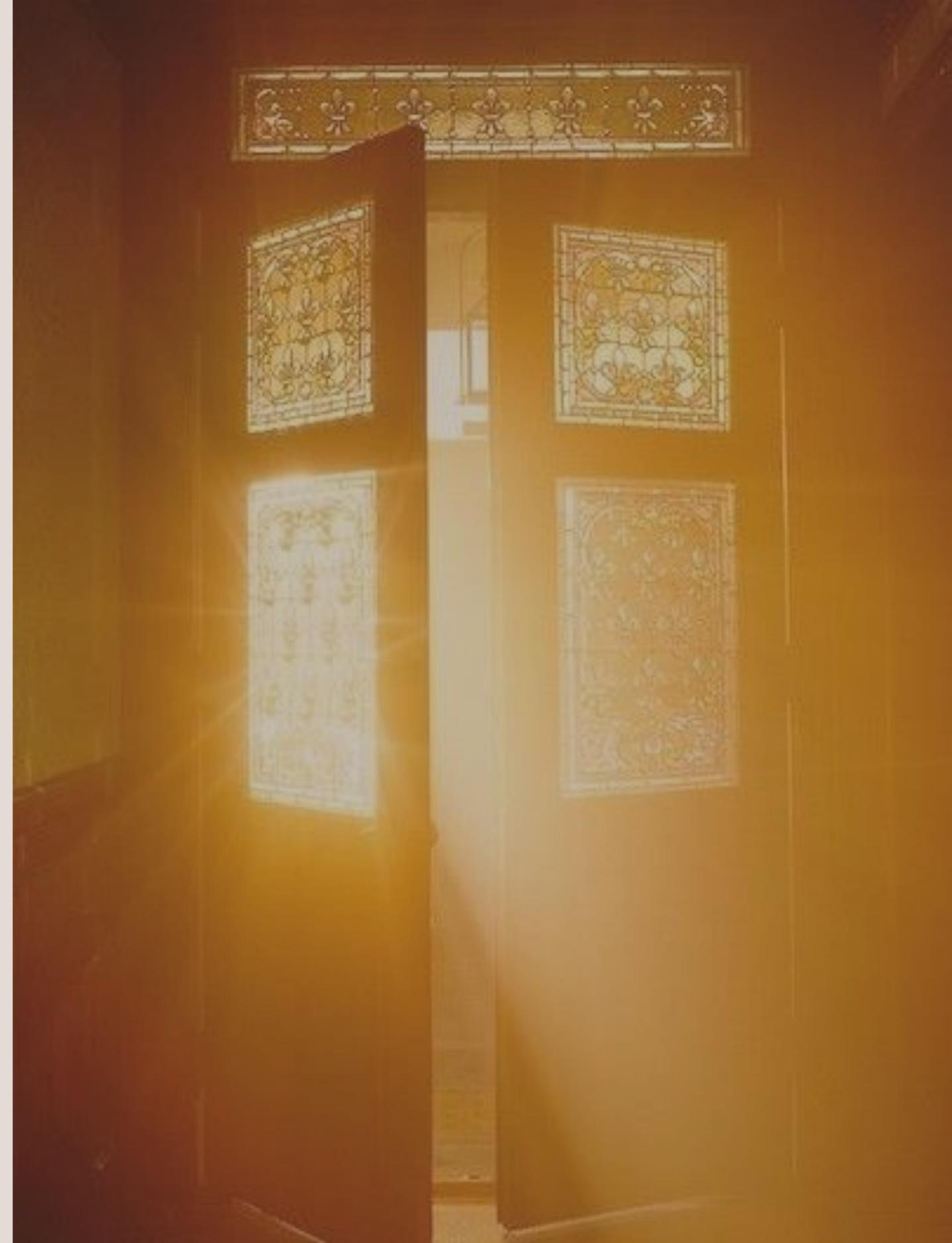
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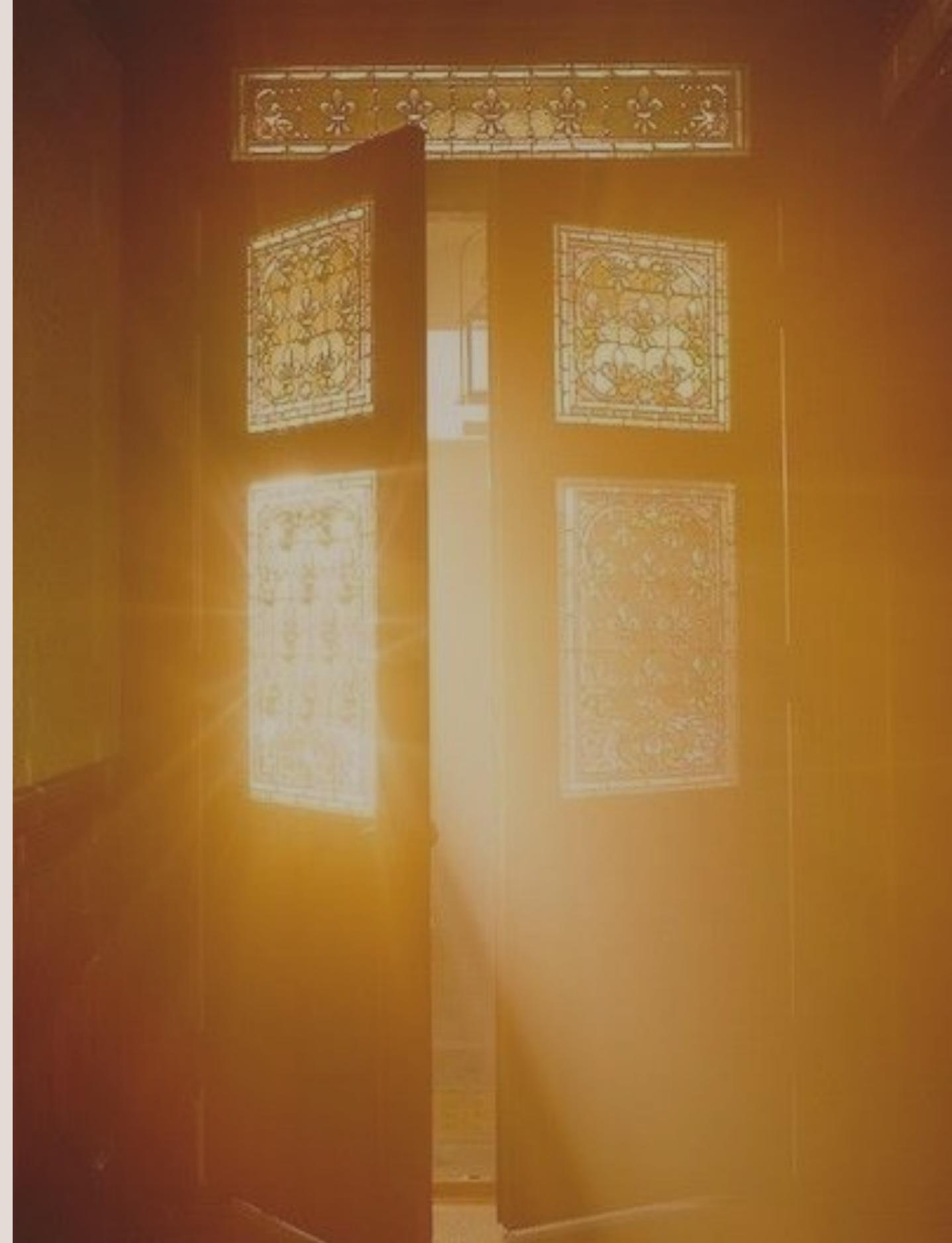
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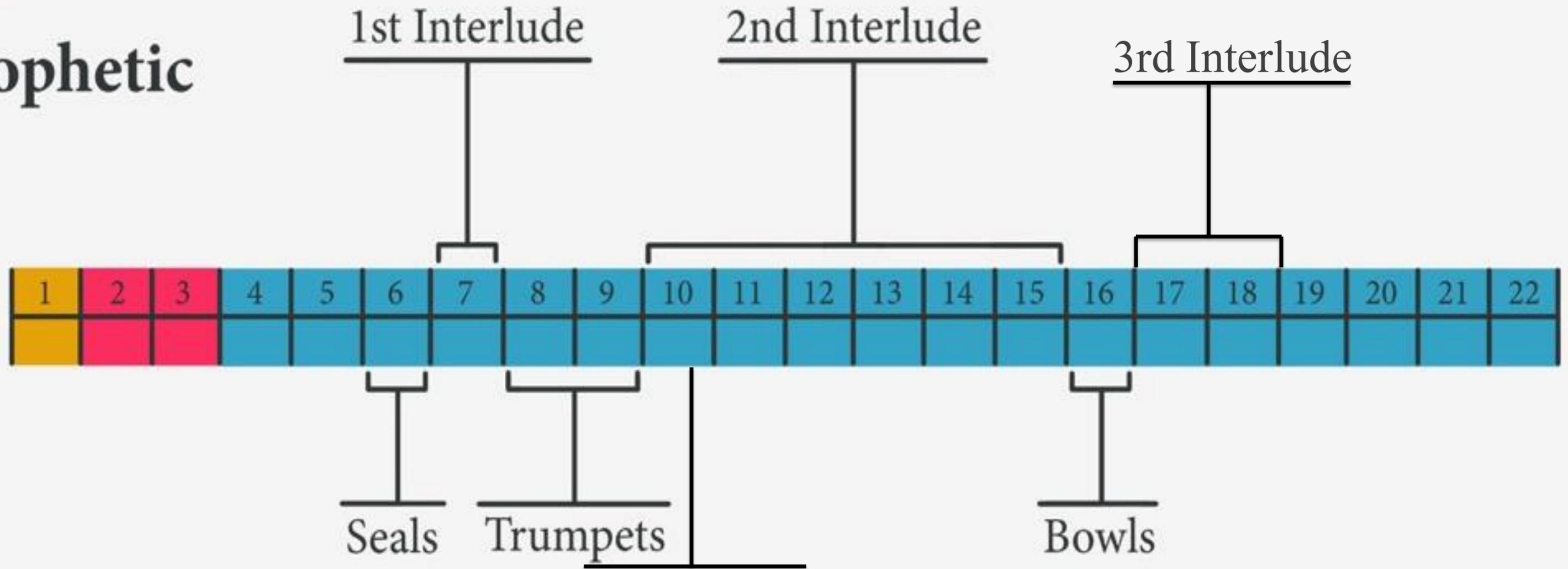
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Timeline

- Past
- Present
- Prophetic



Thunder Judgements?

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“The secret things belong to the Lord our God, ...

Deuteronomy 29:29a

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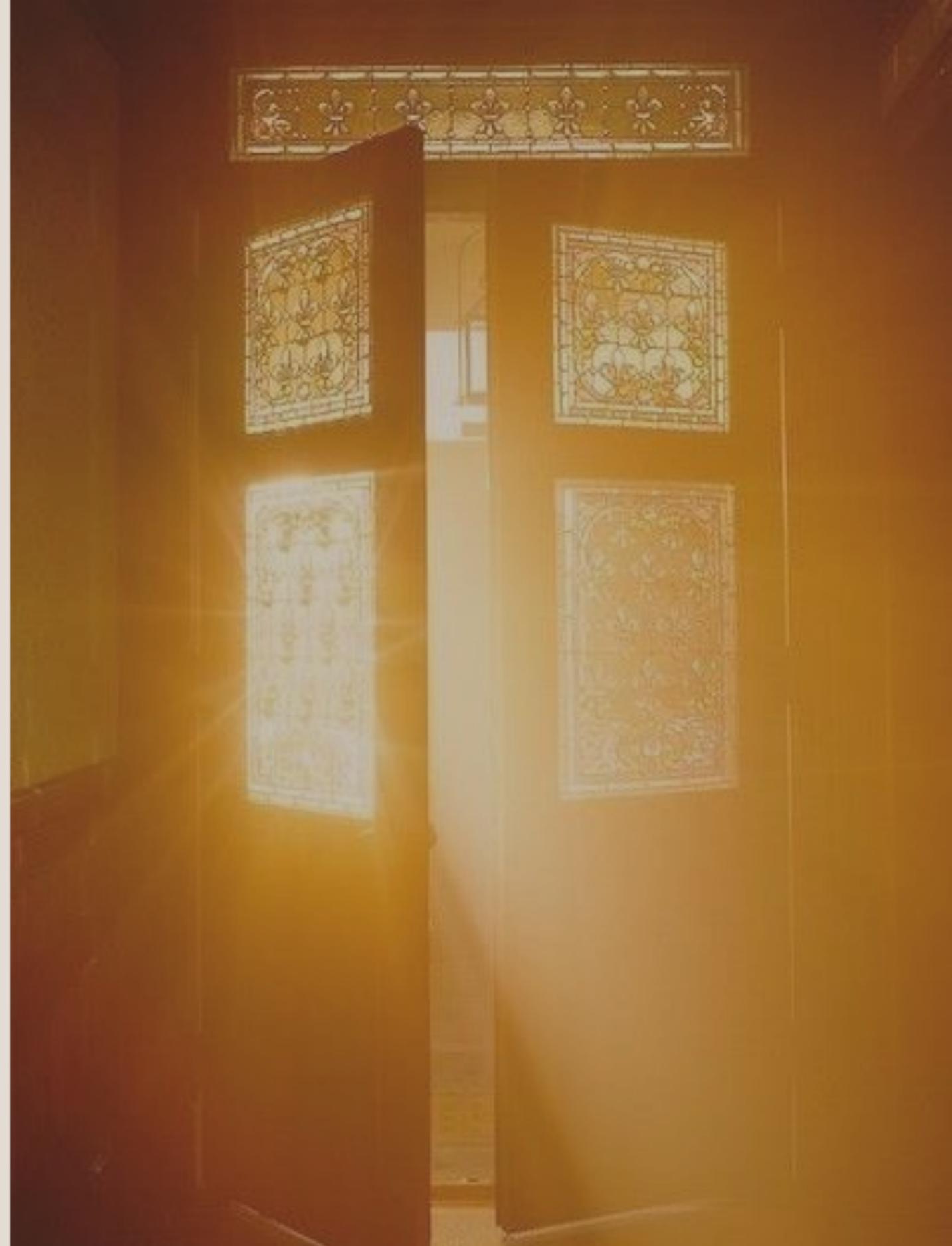
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CIAG grid to handle those areas God has chose not to disclose to you:

- 1. Control**
- 2. Influence**
- 3. Accept**
- 4. Grateful**

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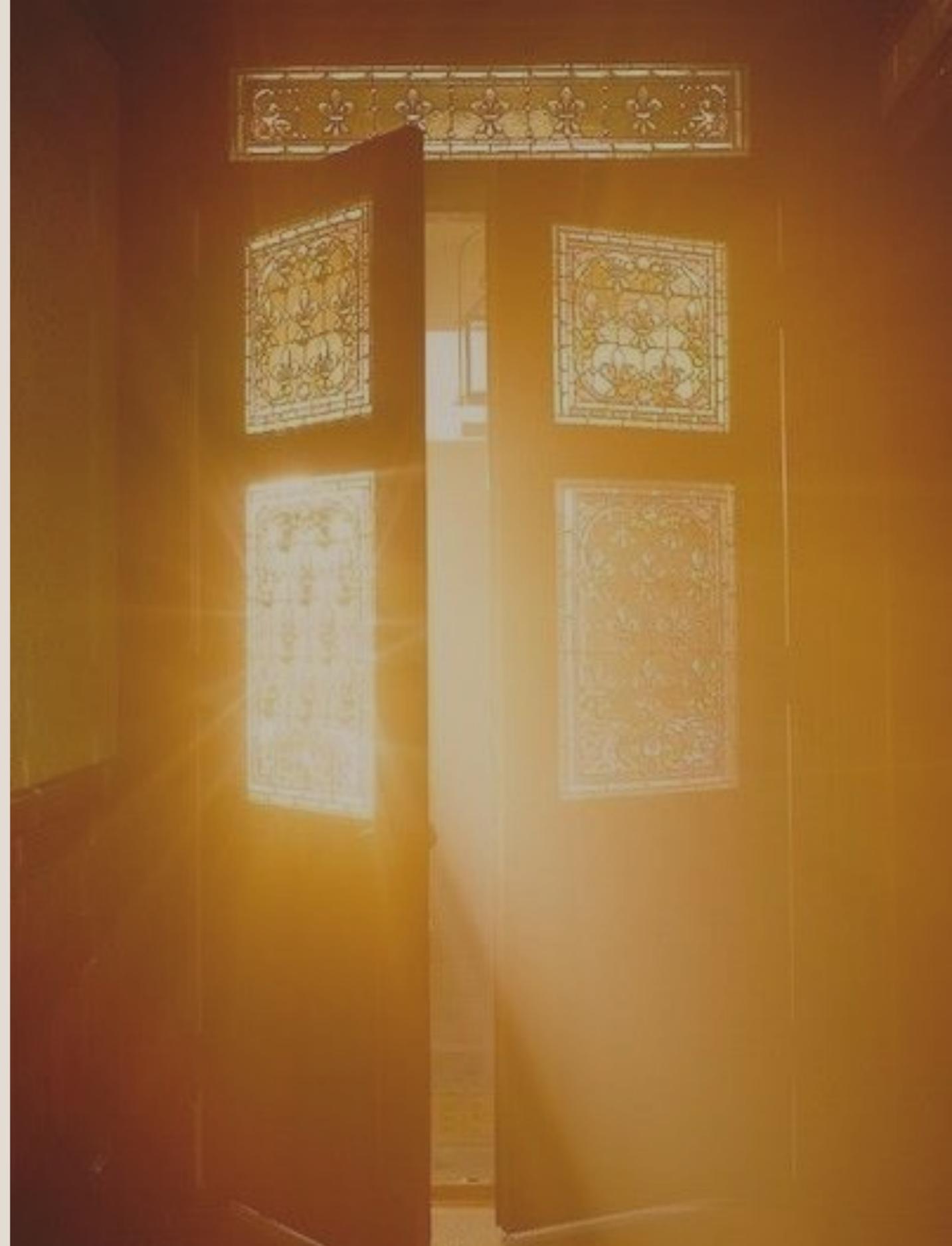


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They cried out with a loud voice, "O Sovereign Lord, holy and true, how long before you will judge and avenge our blood on those who dwell on the earth?"

Revelation 6:10

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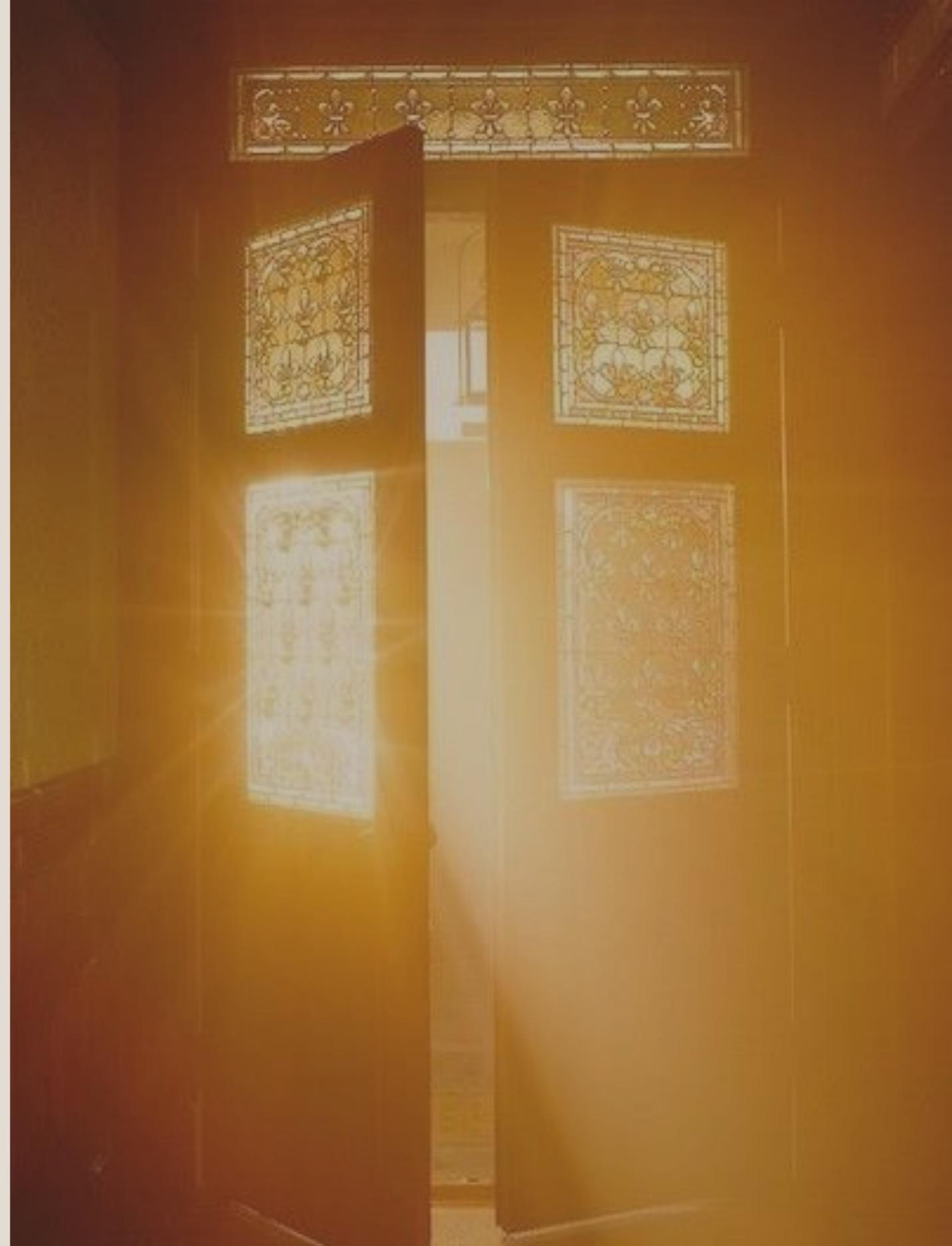


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The full counsel of God contains a word of judgment as well as mercy, and the messenger of the gospel must be faithful to both aspects of his message. But the man who knows the love of God and the compassion of Christ can never take delight in preaching the wrath of God or find satisfaction of spirit in proclaiming divine judgments. He must always do this with a broken heart, with a bitter spirit, following the example of his Lord who wept over those upon whom God's judgment was to fall.

George Eldon Ladd. A Commentary on the Revelation of John, 143.

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