

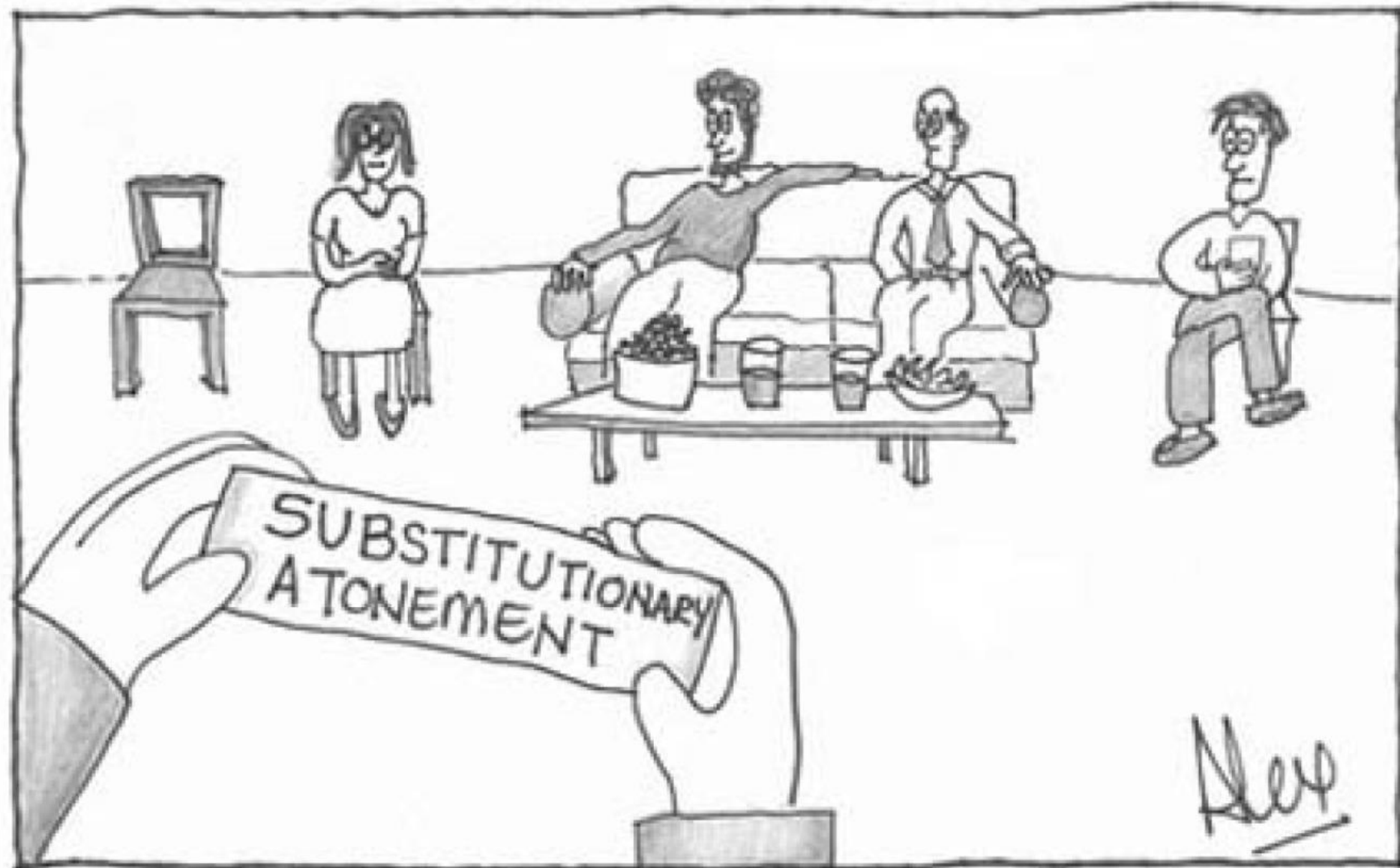
# COSTLY GRACE SERIES

**Pay Day**


**Revelation 14:14-20**







AS LEON UNFURLED THE PIECE OF PAPER HE KNEW HE WOULD NEVER AGAIN PLAY CHARADES WITH MINISTERS



## SUBSTITUTIONARY ATONEMENT.

God's work of reconciling humanity to Himself by providing a vicarious (substitute) sacrifice to bear His wrath against man's sin and to cover man's sins.

**I heard a talk on  
penal substitutionary  
atonement**

**it tainted the 'good'  
in Good Friday**



**NATURALLY, APOCALYPSES WITH THEIR  
FIGURATIVE LICENSE FREELY AMPLIFIED SUCH  
DESCRIPTIONS. THUS WHILE BLOOD FLOWED IN  
STREAMS (1 ENOCH 100:1), HORSES WOULD  
WALK UP TO THEIR CHESTS IN SINNERS' BLOOD  
AND CHARIOTS WOULD BE COVERED (1 ENOCH  
100:3; 4 EZRA 15:35**

**).** ANOTHER SOURCE WARNS THAT CORPSES WILL FILL DEEP RAVINES IN HIGH MOUNTAINS AND BLOOD WILL SWEEP THROUGH THE PLAINS (SIB. OR. 3.682-84).<sup>42</sup> LATER RABBIS, AMPLIFYING THE SLAUGHTER OF THEIR PEOPLE BY THE ROMANS AT BETHAR IN A.D. 135, DESCRIBED HORSES DROWNING IN BLOOD AND BLOOD ROLLING HUGE BOULDERS FORTY MILES OUT TO THE SEA

**; THE BLOOD FILLED THE SEA AS FAR  
AWAY AS CYPRUS.<sup>43</sup> SOMETIMES THE  
MORE EXTREME DESCRIPTIONS WERE  
MERELY FIGURATIVE WAYS OF  
EXPRESSING THE HORRIFIC BLOODSHED  
(E.G., EZEK. 32:5-6; JDT. 6:4).**



# **THE VINE OF THE EARTH**

**OUTSIDE THE CITY**

NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD-THE  
THEOLOGY OF JOHN

# THE OVERFLOWING BLOOD

**AND THERE IS BLOOD ENOUGH FOR ALL WHO REPENT. THAT IS WHAT THE MOST GRUESOME, GORY VERSE IN REVELATION IS DECLARING: "BLOOD ENOUGH." JOHN SAYS IT FLOWS FOR ONE THOUSAND, SIX HUNDRED STADIA. AGAIN, THIS IS A SYMBOL, NOT A STATISTIC. ONE THOUSAND, SIX HUNDRED STADIA IS THE TRADITIONAL LENGTH OF PALESTINE FROM TYRE TO THE EGYPTIAN BORDER (ROUGHLY 180 MILES).**

**BLOOD ENOUGH FOR ALL OF PALESTINE? SIXTEEN HUNDRED IS FOUR TIMES FOUR, TIMES TEN TIMES TEN. FOUR IS THE NUMBER OF HUMANITY, THE NUMBER OF CREATION: FOUR CORNERS OF THE EARTH, FOUR WINDS, FOUR LIVING CREATURES BEFORE THE THRONE. TEN IS THE NUMBER OF COMPLETENESS; TEN COMMANDMENTS, TEN FINGERS, TEN TOES, ETC. FOUR TIMES FOUR—LOTS OF HUMANITY. TEN TIMES TEN—COMPLETELY LOTS OF HUMANITY.**

**COVERED WITH THE BLOOD. SIXTEEN HUNDRED IS ALSO, MORE SIMPLY, FORTY TIMES FORTY. FORTY IS THE TRADITIONAL NUMBER OF SINFUL DISOBEDIENCE. 10 BLOOD ENOUGH TO COVER THE SINS OF ALL THOSE WHO REPENT. [I PROMISED YOU IN THE PREFACE THAT NO OTHER BOOK OF THE BIBLE PREACHES THE GOSPEL AS POWERFULLY AS THE LAST!]**

**DARRELL JOHNSON**

THE CROSS IS OFFENSIVE

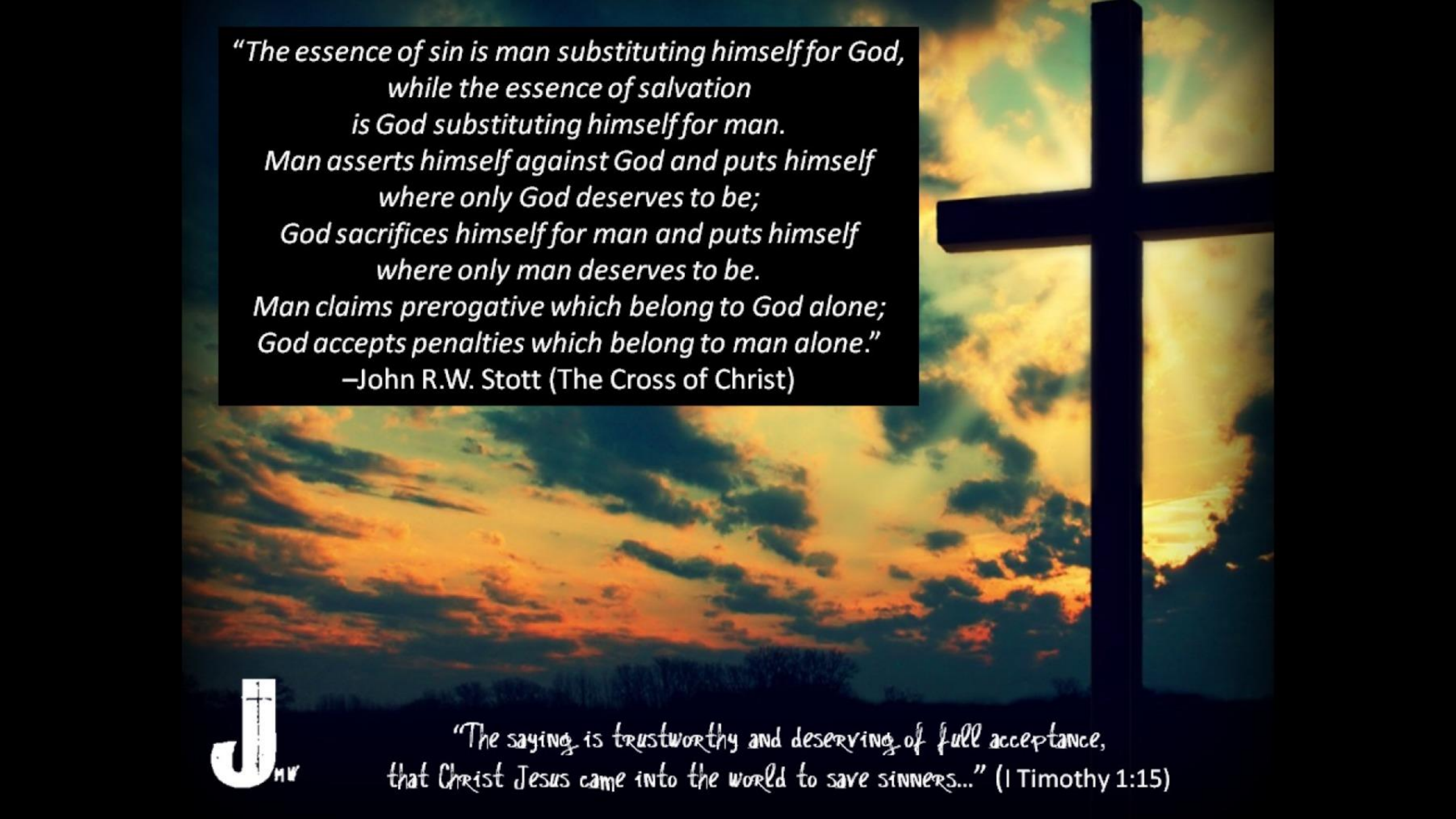


## Charles Spurgeon



The heart of the gospel is redemption, and the essence of redemption is the substitutionary sacrifice of Christ. They who preach this truth preach the gospel in whatever else they may be mistaken; but they who preach not the atonement, whatever else they declare, have missed the soul and substance of the divine message.

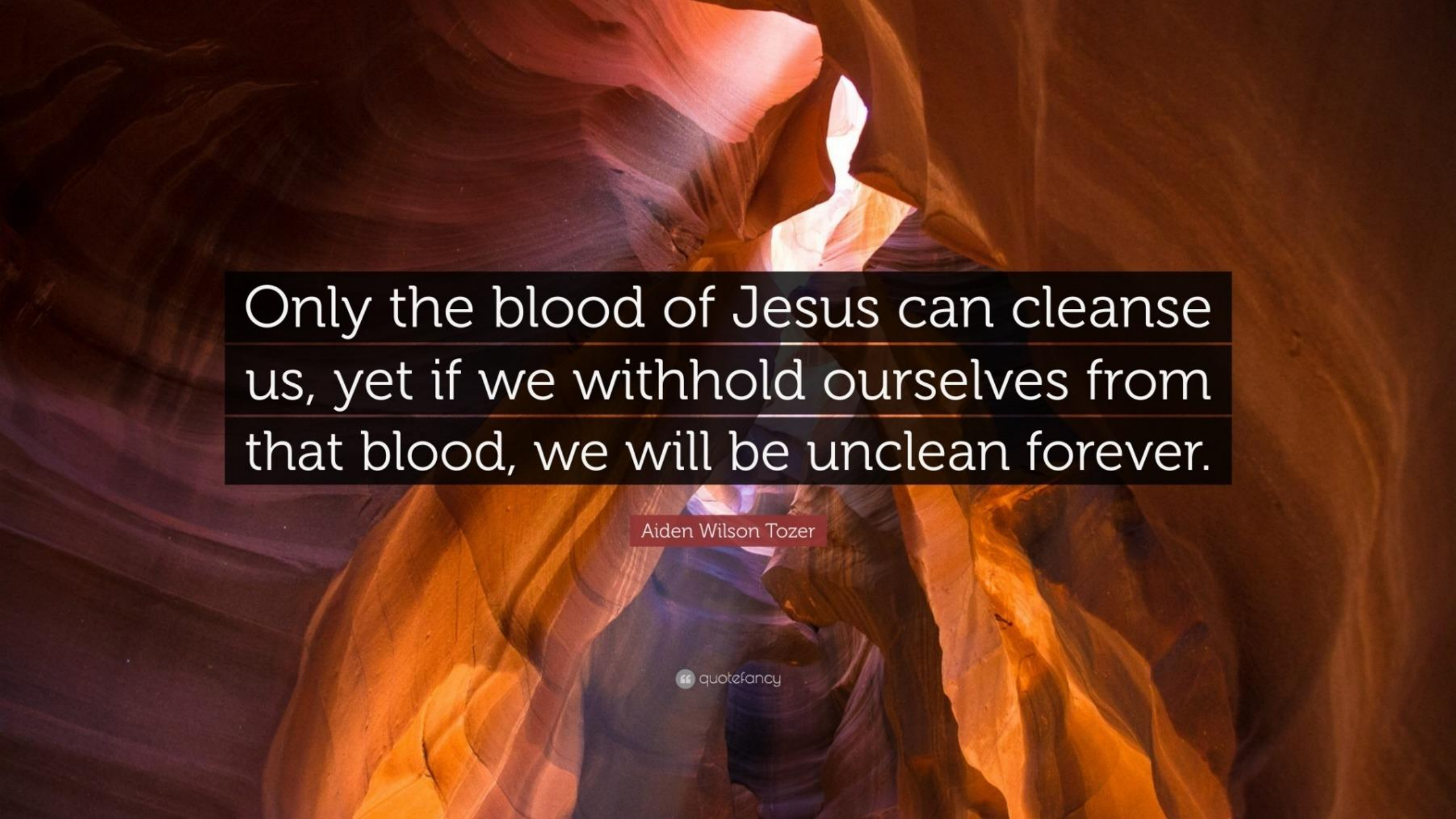
THE BLOOD THE CURE



*"The essence of sin is man substituting himself for God,  
while the essence of salvation  
is God substituting himself for man.  
Man asserts himself against God and puts himself  
where only God deserves to be;  
God sacrifices himself for man and puts himself  
where only man deserves to be.  
Man claims prerogative which belong to God alone;  
God accepts penalties which belong to man alone."  
—John R.W. Stott (The Cross of Christ)*



*"The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance,  
that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners..." (1 Timothy 1:15)*



Only the blood of Jesus can cleanse us, yet if we withhold ourselves from that blood, we will be unclean forever.

Aiden Wilson Tozer

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