



# SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

## BIBLE STUDY

### AUGUST 3, 2021

GOSPEL OF MARK

CHAPTER 8 VERSES 13 -38

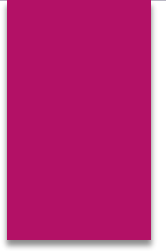
## A FEW NUGGETS FROM VERSES 1-10

- ▶ **Bread is not produced in the wilderness, but the bread you have – can be multiplied there!**
- ▶ **Jesus is concerned about the well being of those who follow Him.**

The Pharisees kept showing up where Jesus was. Their intention wasn't to learn from him – it was to ensnare him. It was to catch him in an untruth and controversy. Bottom line – they meant him no good.

THEY WANTED  
A SIGN.

**WHAT WILL IT  
ACTUALLY TAKE  
FOR YOU TO  
BELIEVE?**



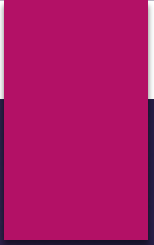
# LEAVEN

▶ **The insistence that God do MORE to prove to you He is God.**

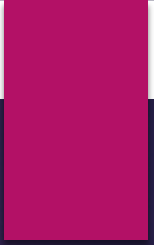
- ▶ Pharisees demanded a sign.
- ▶ Herod also he wanted to see for himself a miracle at the hands of Jesus. (Luke 23:8)



**Beware of this leaven; a  
relationship ideal that  
demands constant  
performance.**



**To be a disciple of Jesus  
is to still follow, love, and  
serve whether He does or  
doesn't do.**



**But can you “faith on”  
based on what He has  
already done, even when  
He doesn’t do what you  
want Him to?**



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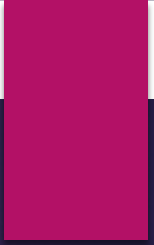
▶ **DISSATISFACTION**

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## QUESTION FOR DISCUSSION

*IN WHAT WAYS CAN  
DISSATISFACTION AND THE NEED  
FOR PEOPLE TO CONSTANTLY  
PERFORM BE “LEAVEN” OR FUEL A  
WRONG SPIRIT OR BREACH IN OUR  
RELATIONSHIPS?*

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**MAKE SURE THE PEOPLE  
AROUND YOU CAN GET  
YOU TO JESUS.**



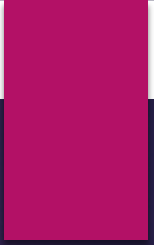
Oftentimes deliverance  
comes on the other side  
of CHANGE.

# BE GENTLE WITH YOURSELF!

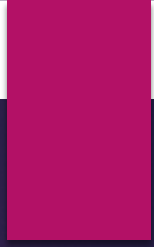
- Maybe you just need another touch.
- There are some things that Jesus does immediately, other things are a process.
- Anything Jesus does, He does completely.



**We shouldn't always rely on miracles or demand them, but if you see the activity of God – FOLLOW! PURSUE!**



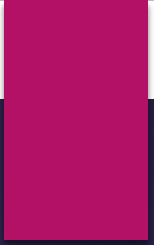
Make sure that you don't speak against the things that are necessary for purpose. Your purpose and other's purpose.



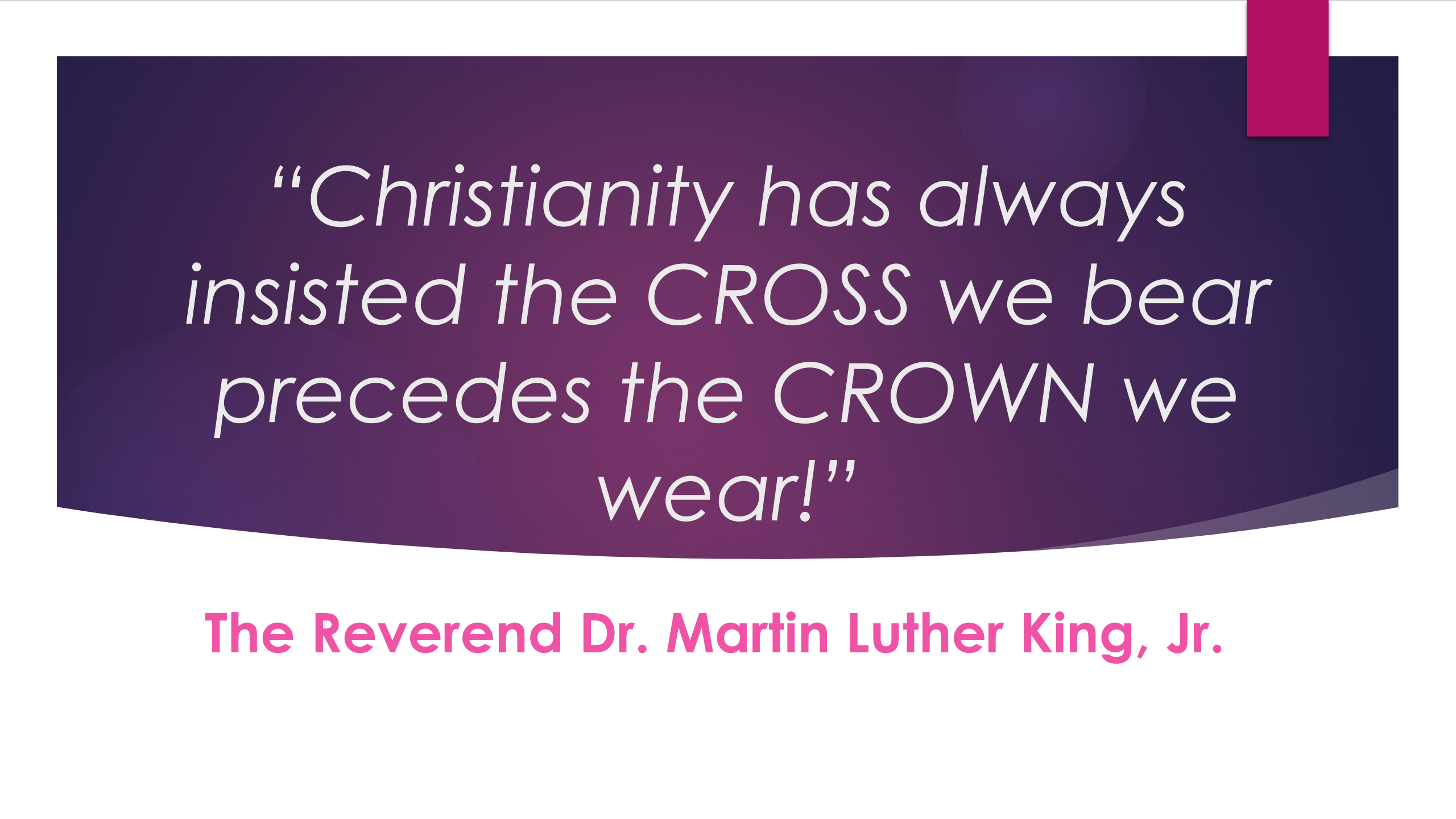
We can be

**DRIVEN BY LOVE,  
BUT A DETRIMENT  
TO THE FUTURE.**



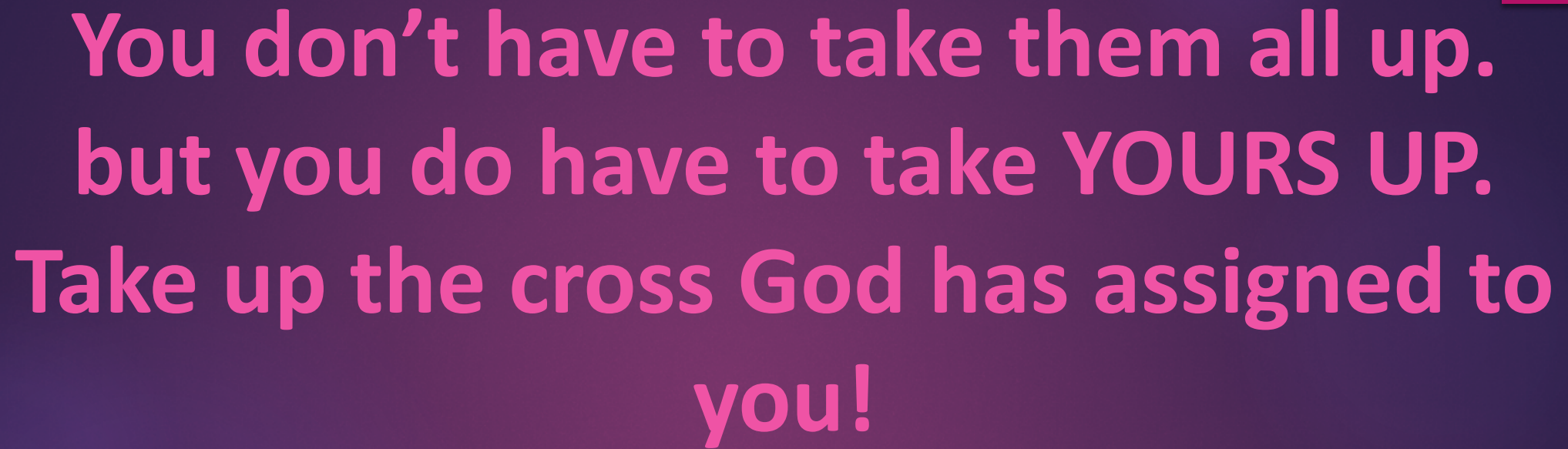


*It is vital that we develop the ability to harness our emotions when it comes to purpose, destiny, and things necessary for the fulfillment of them*



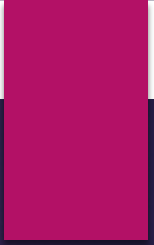
*“Christianity has always  
insisted the CROSS we bear  
precedes the CROWN we  
wear!”*

**The Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**

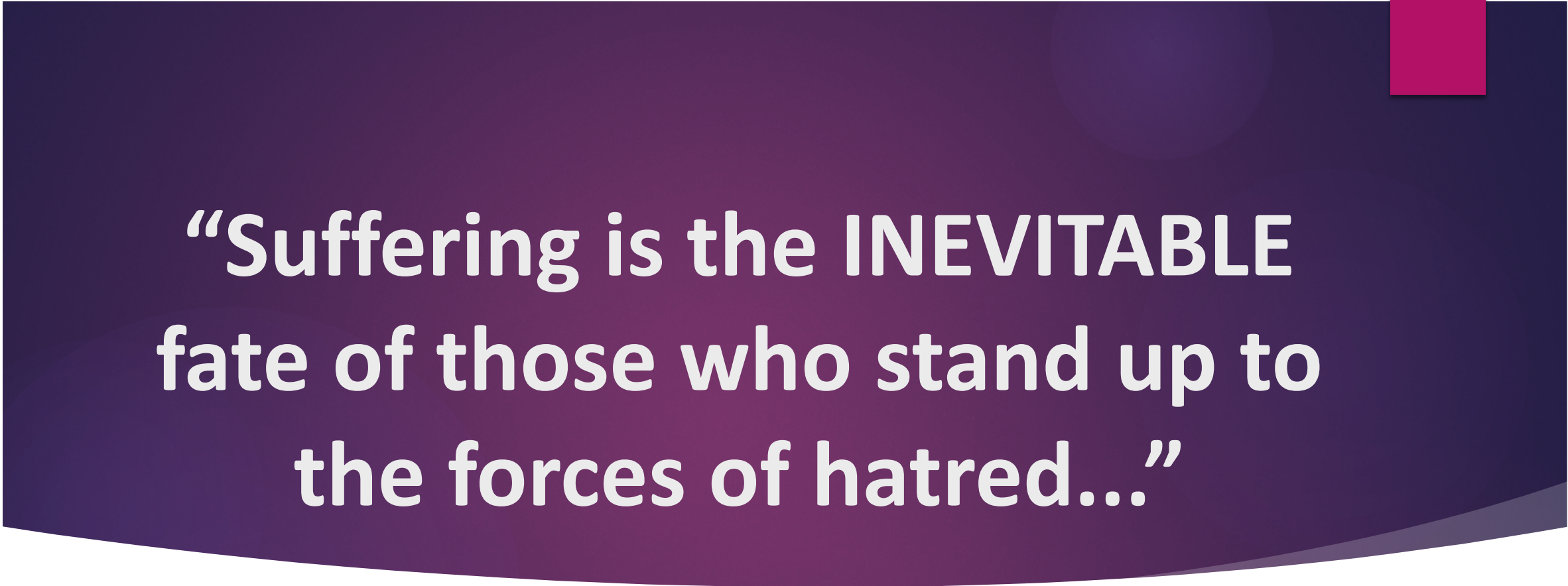


**You don't have to take them all up.  
but you do have to take YOURS UP.  
Take up the cross God has assigned to  
you!**

You don't have to do 100 things,  
it's okay to do 1 thing really well.



**When you must to choose  
between what you want and  
what Christ requires, it isn't  
easy. It's not a first nature thing!  
To deny yourself is a form of  
suffering.**



**“Suffering is the INEVITABLE  
fate of those who stand up to  
the forces of hatred...”**

**Dr. James Hal Cone**



**The cross is a requirement;  
part of the larger picture of  
your destiny.**

**The cross is worth it!**