

To Know and Be Known

Luke 13:22-30

Daniel von Appen

How do I know
I am saved?

22 He went on his way
through towns and villages,
teaching and journeying toward Jerusalem.

23 And someone said to him,
“Lord, will those who are saved be few?”

Luke 13:22-30 (ESV) (p.1/6)

And he said to them,
24 “Strive to enter through the narrow door.
For many, I tell you, will seek to enter
and will not be able.

Luke 13:22-30 (ESV) (p.2/6)

25 When once the master of the house
has risen and shut the door,

and you begin to stand outside
and to knock at the door,
saying, ‘Lord, open to us,’

then he will answer you,
‘I do not know where you come from.’

Luke 13:22-30 (ESV) (p.3/6)

26 Then you will begin to say,
‘We ate and drank in your presence,
and you taught in our streets.’

27 But he will say,
‘I tell you, I do not know where you come from.
Depart from me, all you workers of evil!’

Luke 13:22-30 (ESV) (p.4/6)

28 In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth,
when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God but you yourselves cast out.

Luke 13:22-30 (ESV) (p.5/6)

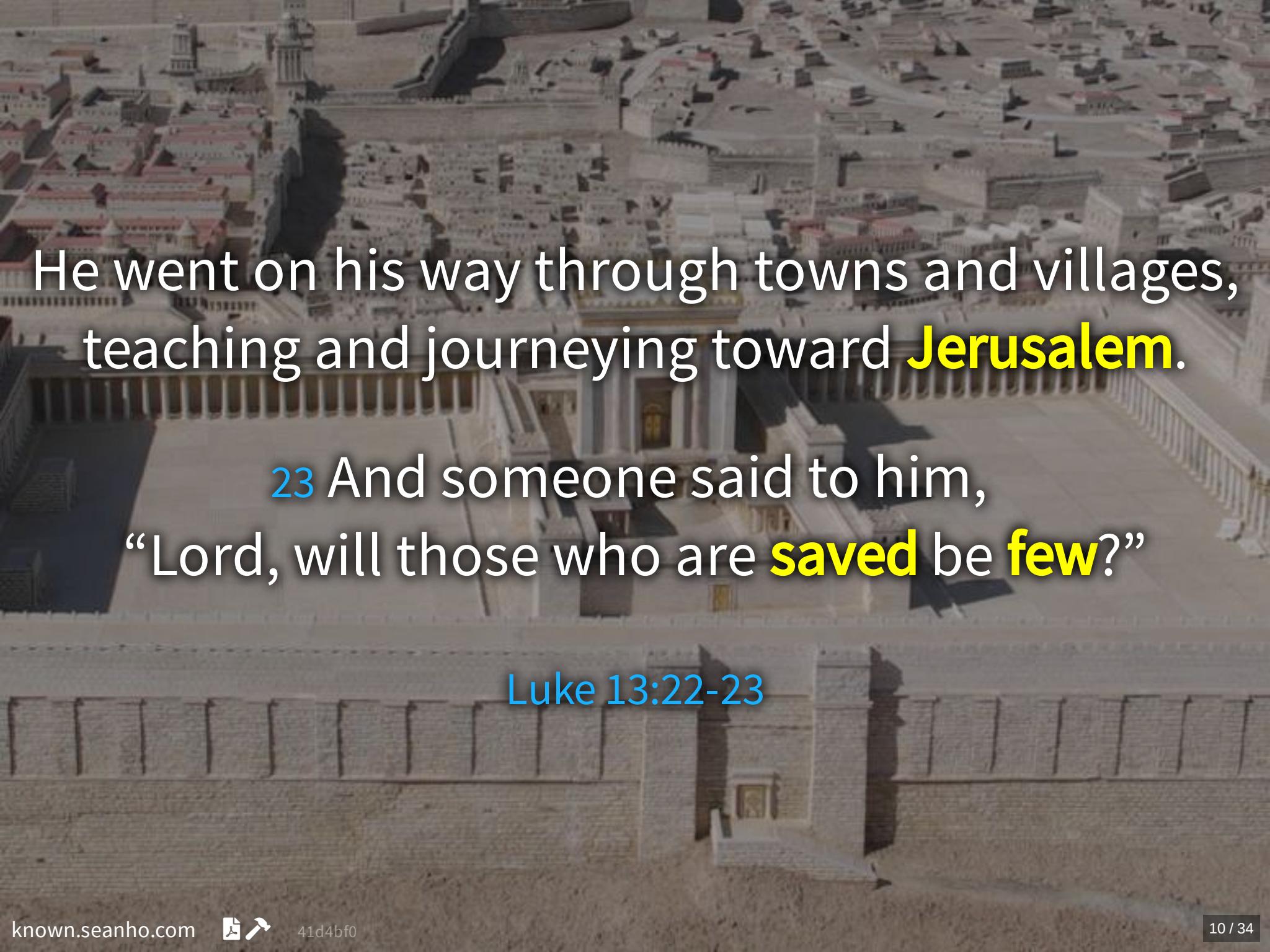
29 And people will come from east and west,
and from north and south,
and recline at table in the kingdom of God.

30 And behold, some are last who will be first,
and some are first who will be last.”

Luke 13:22-30 (ESV) (p.6/6)

To Know and Be Known (Lk13)

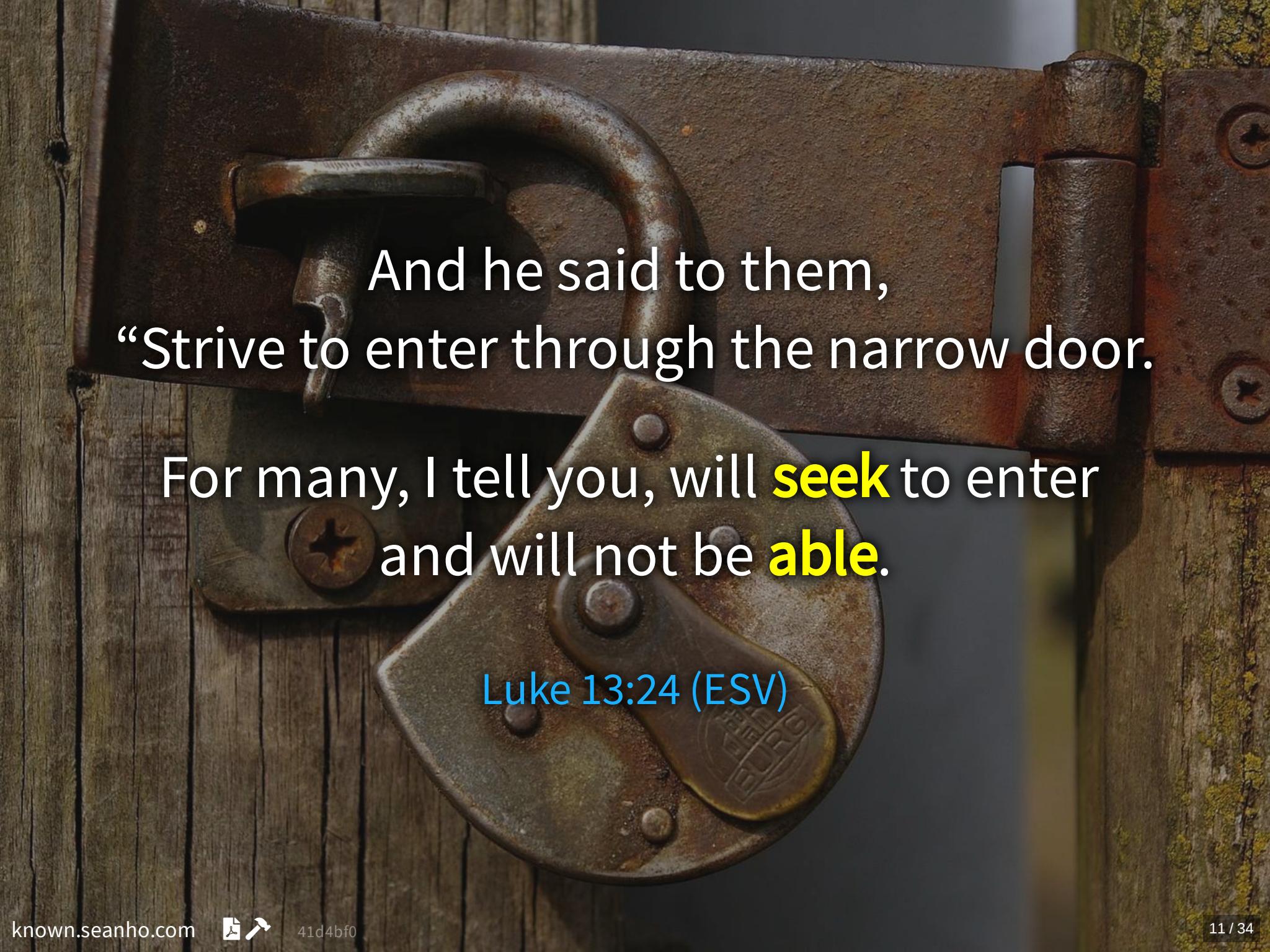
1. **Seeking** to Enter (v22-24)
2. **Known** by the Master (v25-27)
3. Looking In from the **Outside** (v28-30)

An aerial photograph of the Old City of Jerusalem, showing the dense urban sprawl and the large, light-colored stone structures of the Temple Mount complex in the foreground.

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Luke 13:22-23



And he said to them,
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and will not be **able**.

Luke 13:24 (ESV)

Thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel:

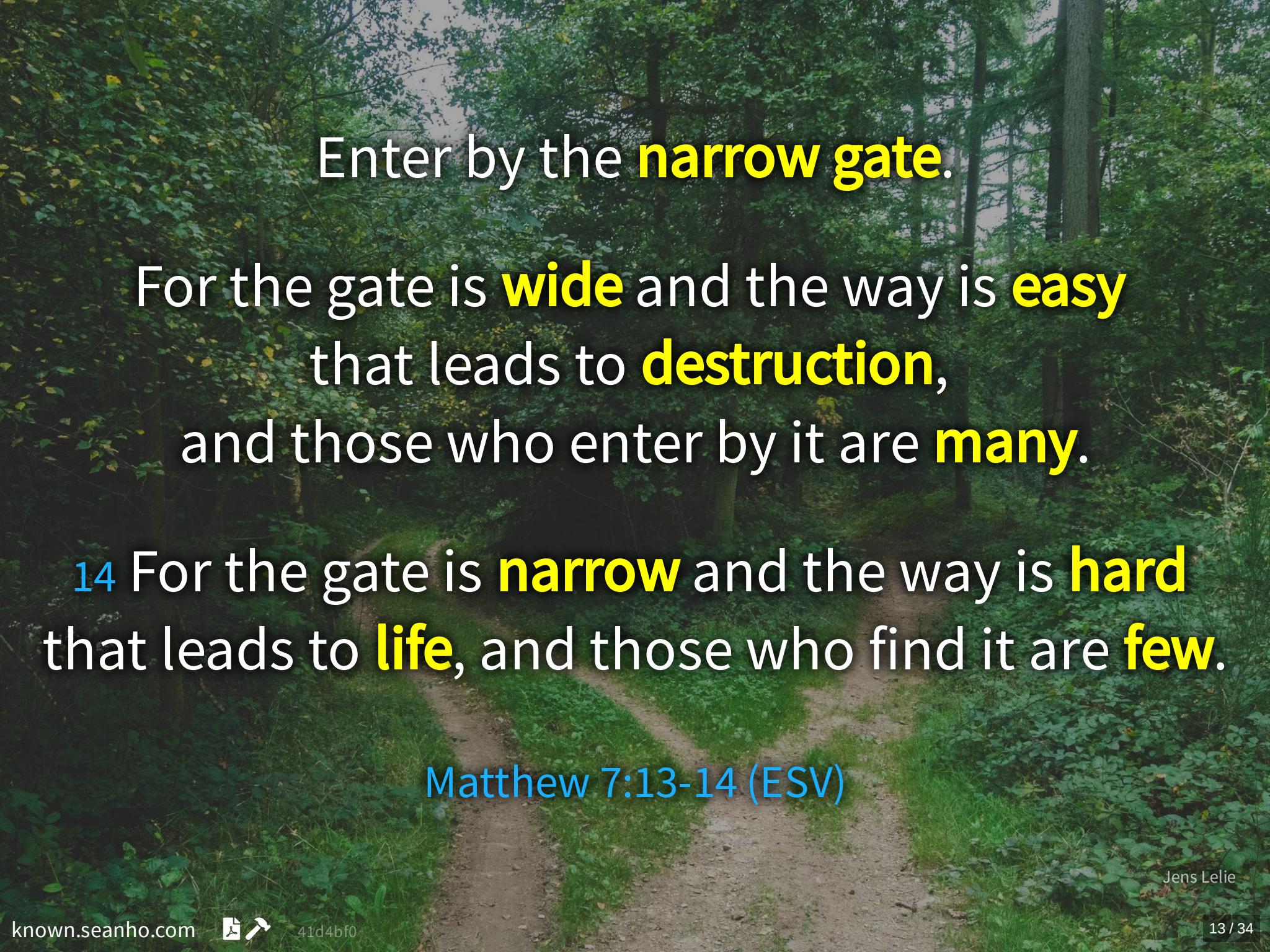
Amend your ways and your deeds,
and I will let you **dwell** in this place.

4 Do not trust in these **deceptive** words:

‘This is the **temple** of the Lord,
the temple of the Lord, the temple of the Lord.’

Jeremiah 7:3-4 (ESV)

Old City of Jerusalem, Damascus Gate.
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Enter by the **narrow gate**.

For the gate is **wide** and the way is **easy**
that leads to **destruction**,
and those who enter by it are **many**.

14 For the gate is **narrow** and the way is **hard**
that leads to **life**, and those who find it are **few**.

Matthew 7:13-14 (ESV)

Jens Lelie



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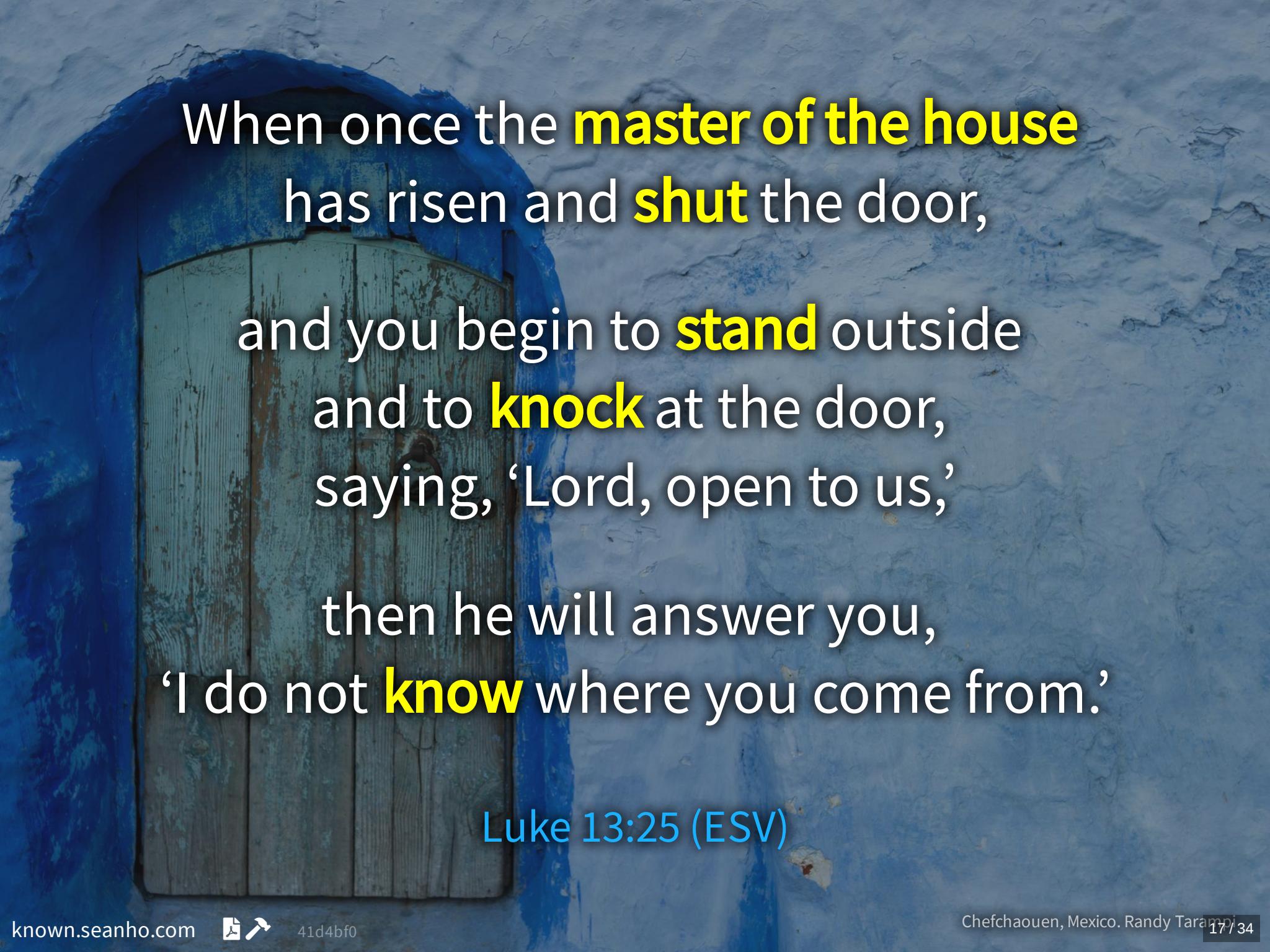
Luke 13:24 (ESV)

Braden Collum

Do I agonise over
my salvation, or
take it for granted?

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1. Seeking to Enter (v22-24)
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The background of the slide features a close-up photograph of a blue-painted wooden door. The paint is worn and peeling, revealing the underlying wood. The door is set into a wall that appears to be made of rough, textured concrete or stone. A small, dark hole is visible in the bottom right corner of the wall.

When once the **master of the house**
has risen and **shut** the door,

and you begin to **stand** outside
and to **knock** at the door,
saying, ‘Lord, open to us,’

then he will answer you,
‘I do not **know** where you come from.’

Luke 13:25 (ESV)

Then you will begin to say,
‘We **ate and drank** in your presence,
and you **taught** in our streets.’

Luke 13:26 (ESV)

Aaron Burden

On that day many will say to me,
‘Lord, Lord, did we not **prophesy** in your name,
and **cast out demons** in your name,
and do many **mighty works** in your name?’

Matthew 7:22 (ESV)

Los Angeles. Edwin Andrade

25 Then he will answer you,
‘I do not **know** where you come from.’

27 But he will say,
‘I tell you, I do not **know** where you come from.

Luke 13:25,27 (ESV)

Ukraine. Paul Itkin

Depart from me, all you **workers of evil!**

Luke 13:27 (ESV)

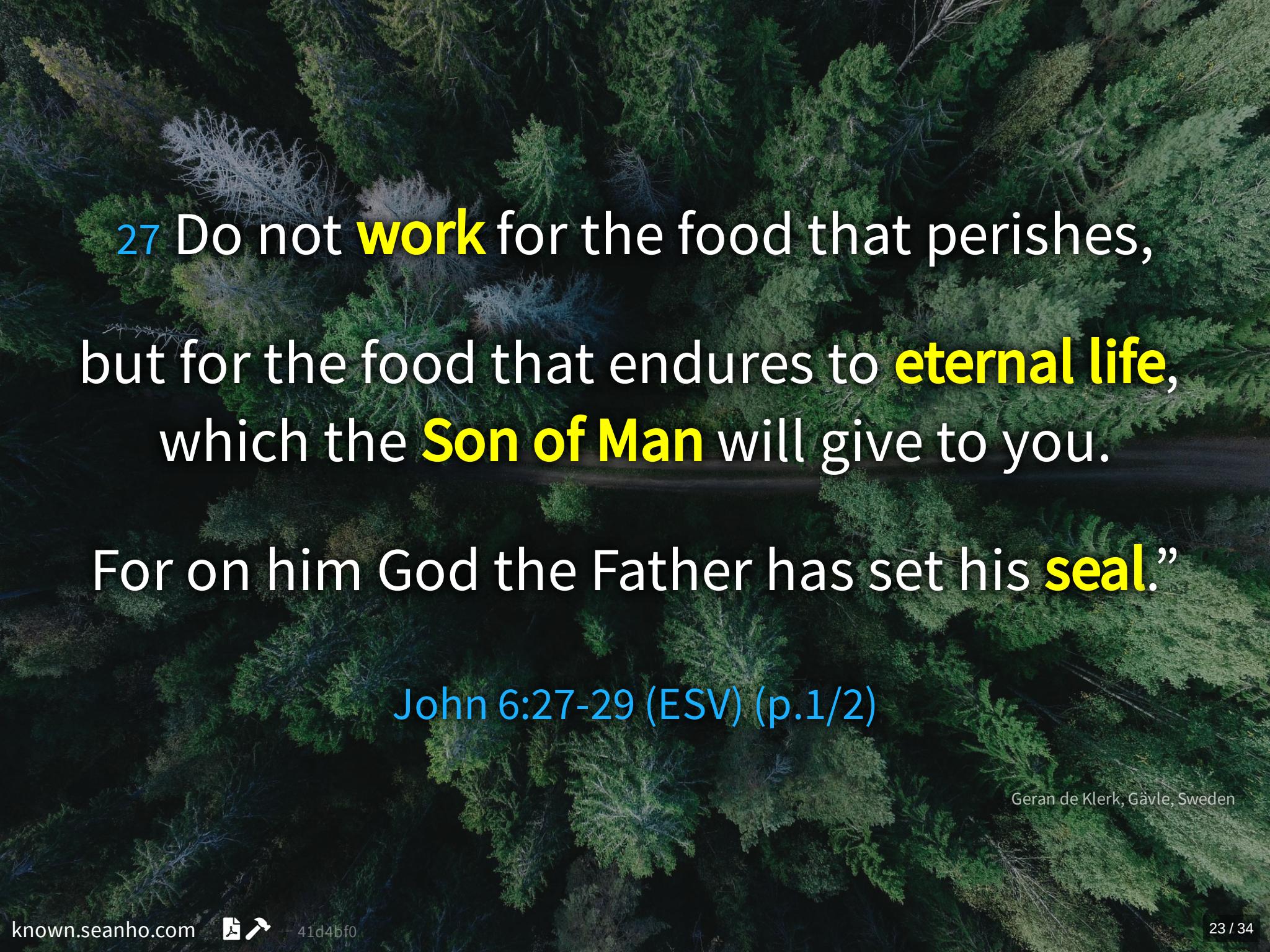
A photograph showing a person from behind, their hands clasped in a prayerful gesture. They are standing outdoors at sunset, with the warm orange and yellow hues of the sky reflected in the water in front of them.

Not everyone who says to me, ‘**Lord, Lord**,’
will enter the kingdom of heaven,

but the one who **does the will**
of my **Father** who is in heaven.

Matthew 7:21 (ESV)

Montreal, CA. Marc-Olivier Jodoin

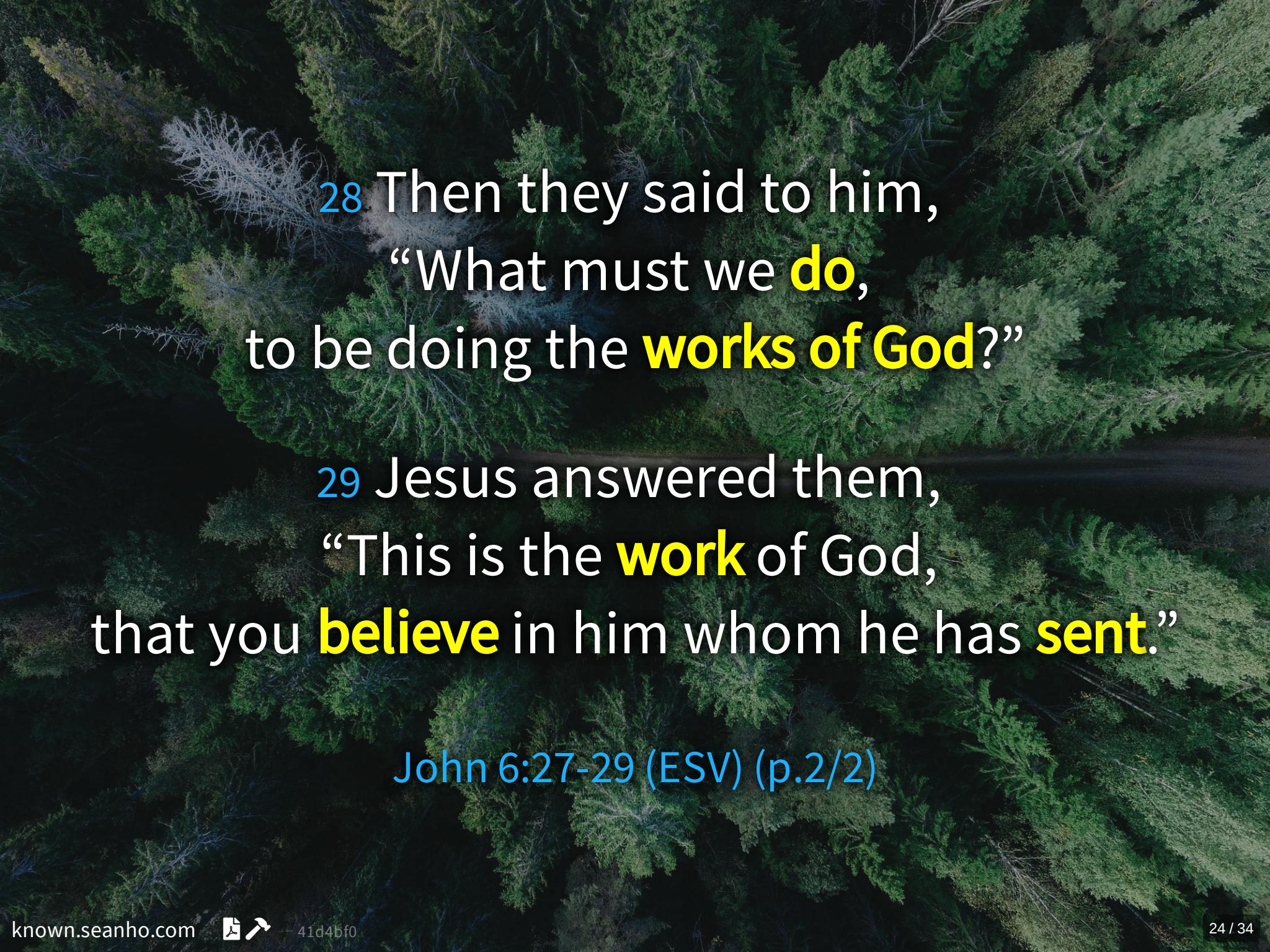


27 Do not **work** for the food that perishes,
but for the food that endures to **eternal life**,
which the **Son of Man** will give to you.

For on him God the Father has set his **seal**.”

John 6:27-29 (ESV) (p.1/2)

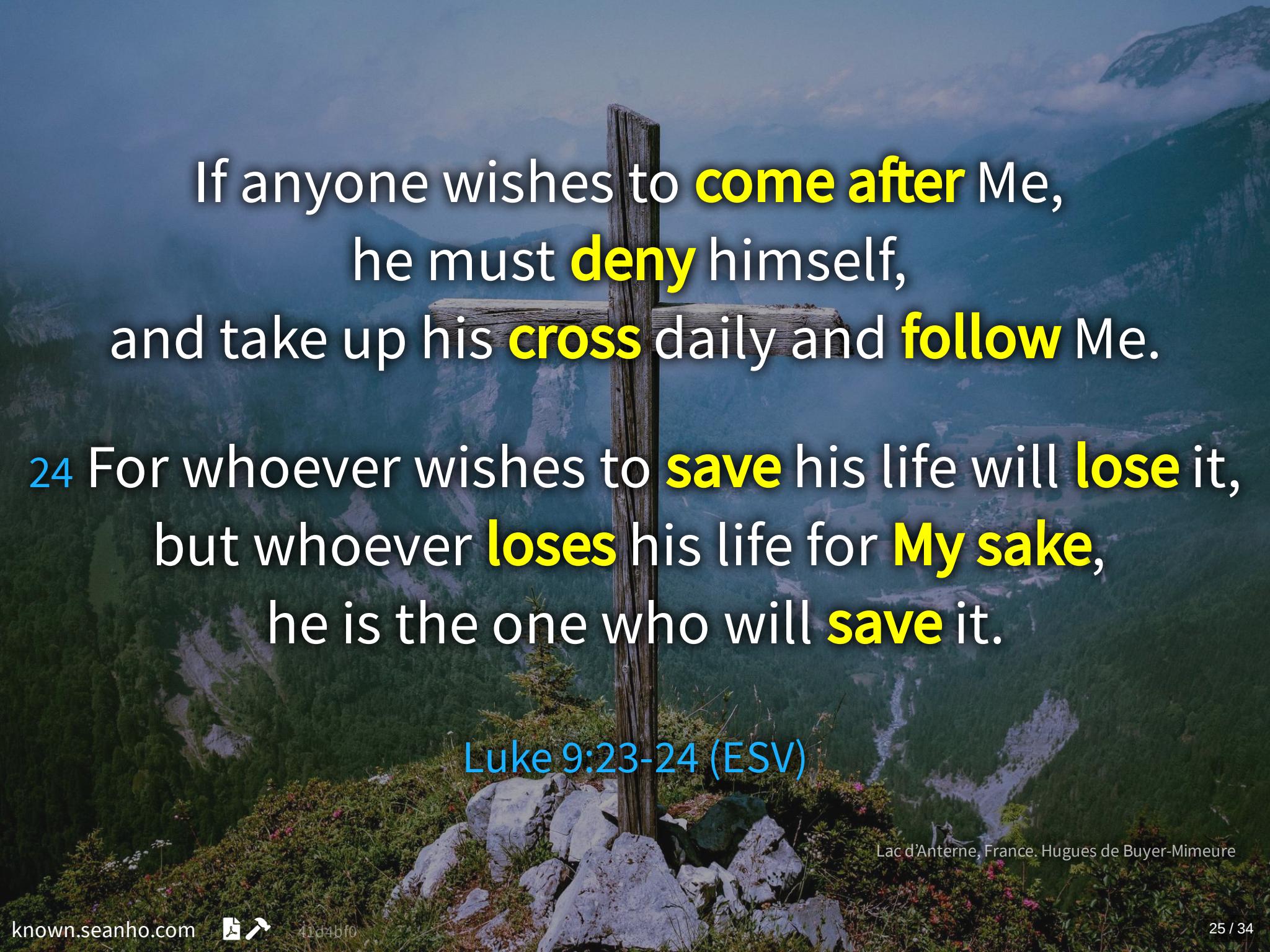
Geran de Klerk, Gävle, Sweden

The background of the slide is a photograph of a dense forest from an aerial perspective. The trees are primarily dark green conifers, with some lighter-colored branches or dead wood visible. The lighting suggests it might be late afternoon or early morning.

28 Then they said to him,
“What must we **do**,
to be doing the **works of God**?”

29 Jesus answered them,
“This is the **work** of God,
that you **believe** in him whom he has **sent**.”

John 6:27-29 (ESV) (p.2/2)

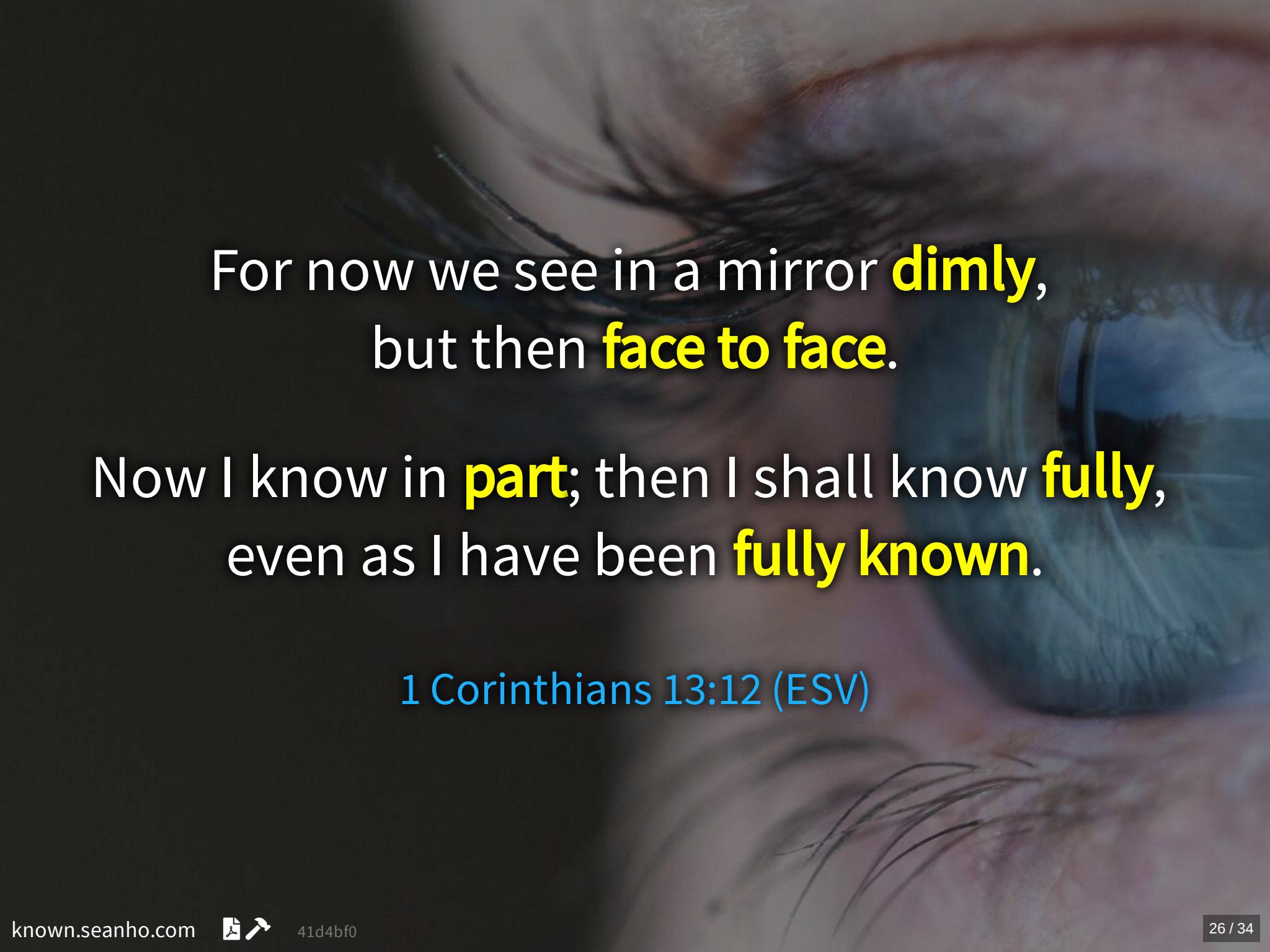
A scenic view of a mountain range with a wooden post in the foreground.

If anyone wishes to **come after** Me,
he must **deny** himself,
and take up his **cross** daily and **follow** Me.

24 For whoever wishes to **save** his life will **lose** it,
but whoever **loses** his life for **My sake**,
he is the one who will **save** it.

Luke 9:23-24 (ESV)

Lac d'Anterne, France. Hugues de Buyer-Mimeure



For now we see in a mirror **dimly**,
but then **face to face**.

Now I know in **part**; then I shall know **fully**,
even as I have been **fully known**.

1 Corinthians 13:12 (ESV)

Do I seek Christ's
blessings or power,
but not His **heart?**

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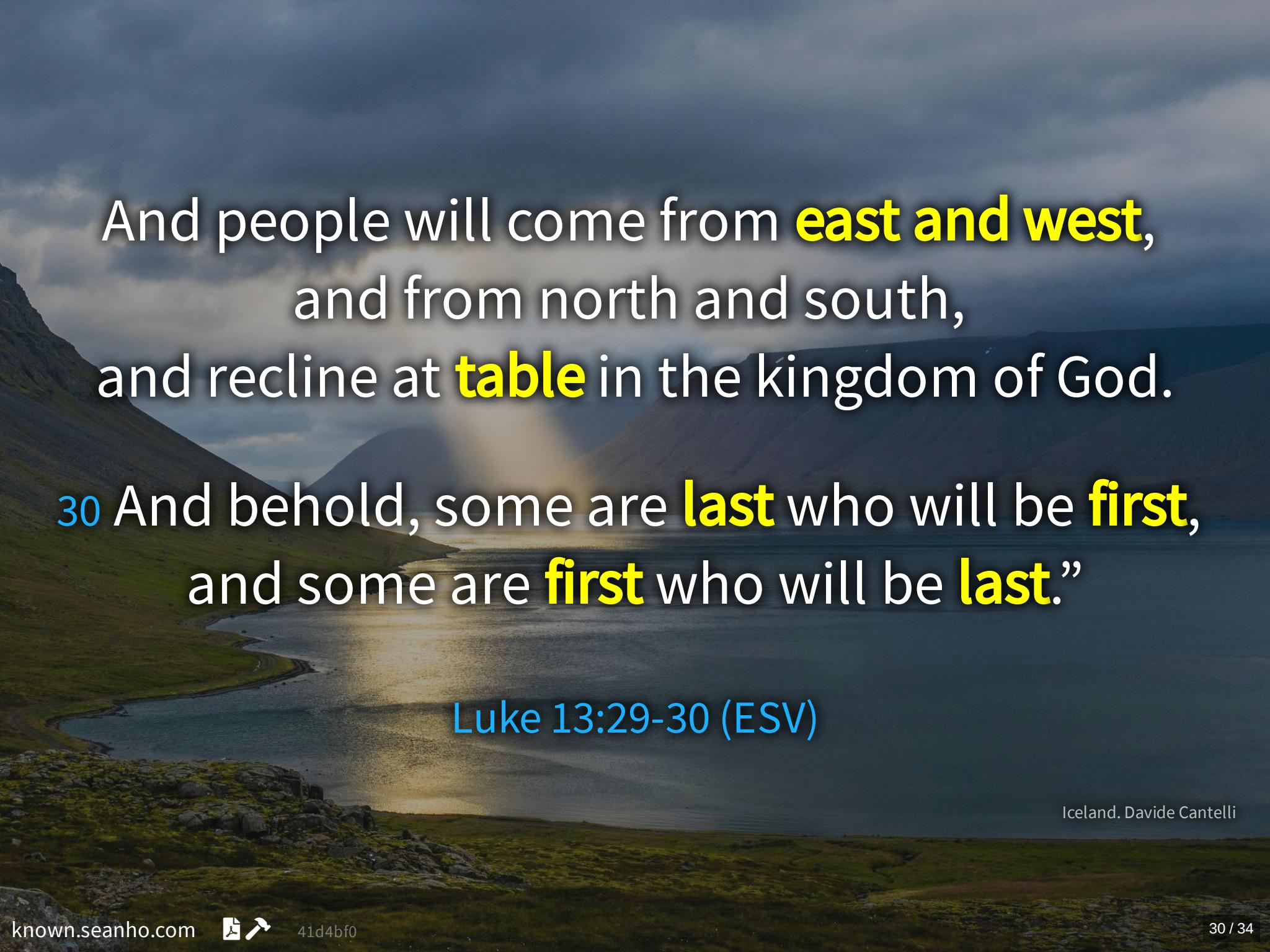
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when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob
and all the **prophets** in the kingdom of God
but you yourselves **cast out**.

Luke 13:28 (ESV)

Silverthorne, CO. Nathan Anderson

A scenic landscape featuring a winding fjord or bay. The water is calm, reflecting the light from a low sun. The surrounding terrain is rugged, with steep hills and mountains covered in sparse vegetation and rocky outcrops. The sky is filled with heavy, dark clouds, creating a dramatic and somewhat somber atmosphere.

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and from north and south,
and recline at **table** in the kingdom of God.

30 And behold, some are **last** who will be **first**,
and some are **first** who will be **last.”**

Luke 13:29-30 (ESV)

Iceland. Davide Cantelli

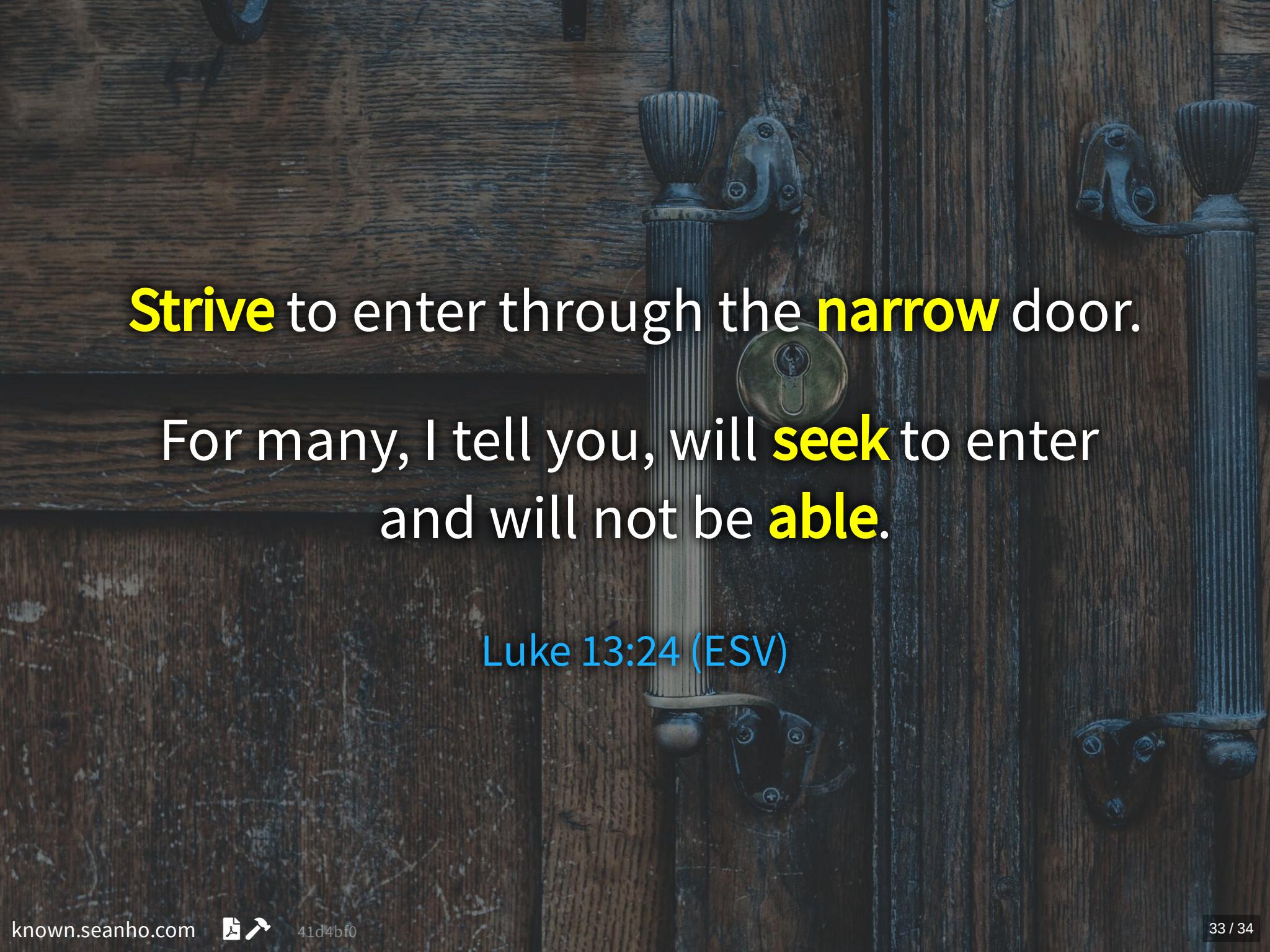
He himself **bore our sins** in his body on the tree,
that we might **die to sin**
and live to **righteousness.**
By his wounds you have been healed.

25 For you were **straying** like sheep,
but have now **returned** to
the **Shepherd** and **Overseer** of your souls.

1 Peter 2:24-25 (ESV)

Claudio Testa

will I end up on
the **outside** of
the **banquet** in
God's kingdom?



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Luke 13:24 (ESV)

