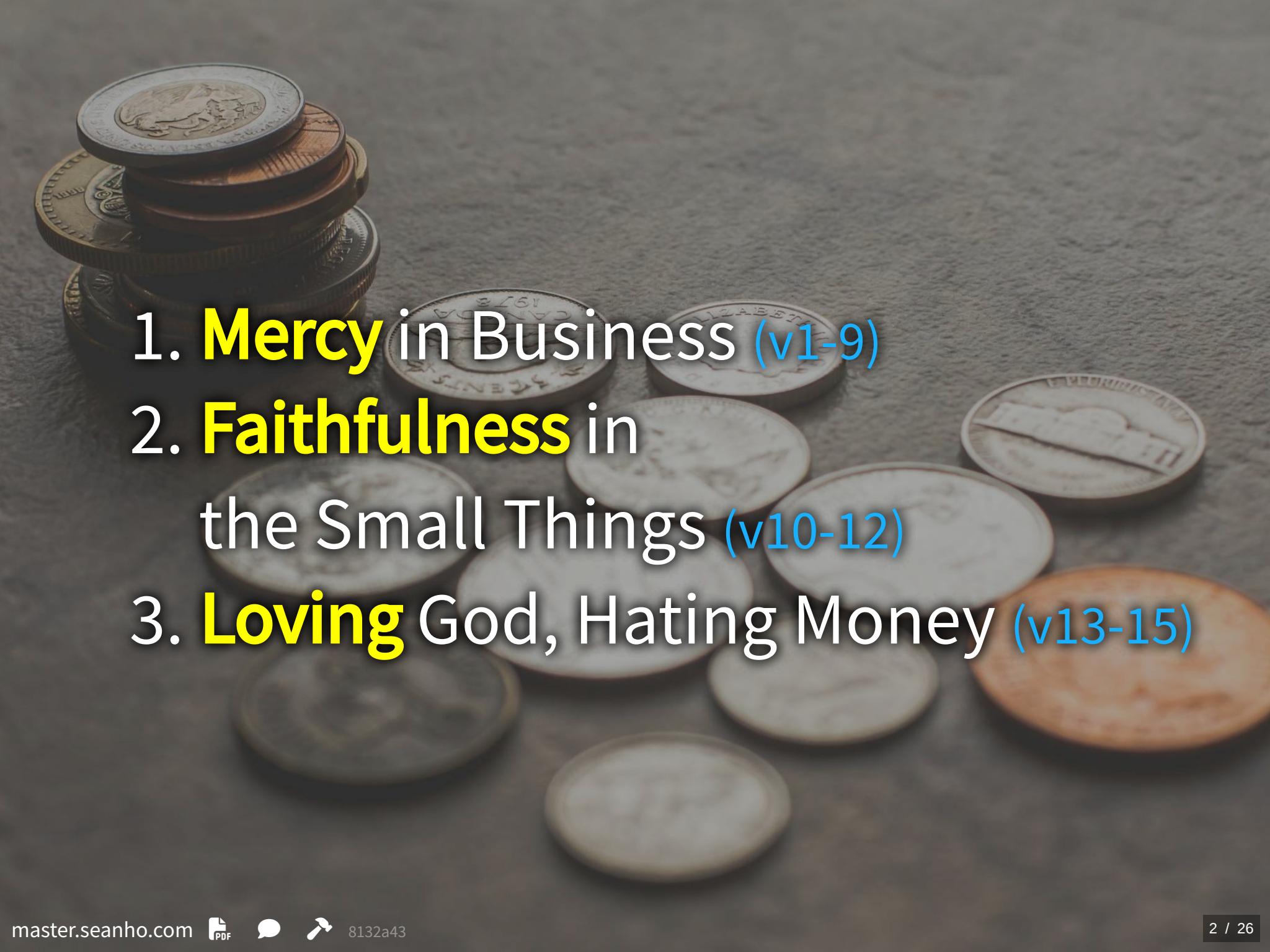


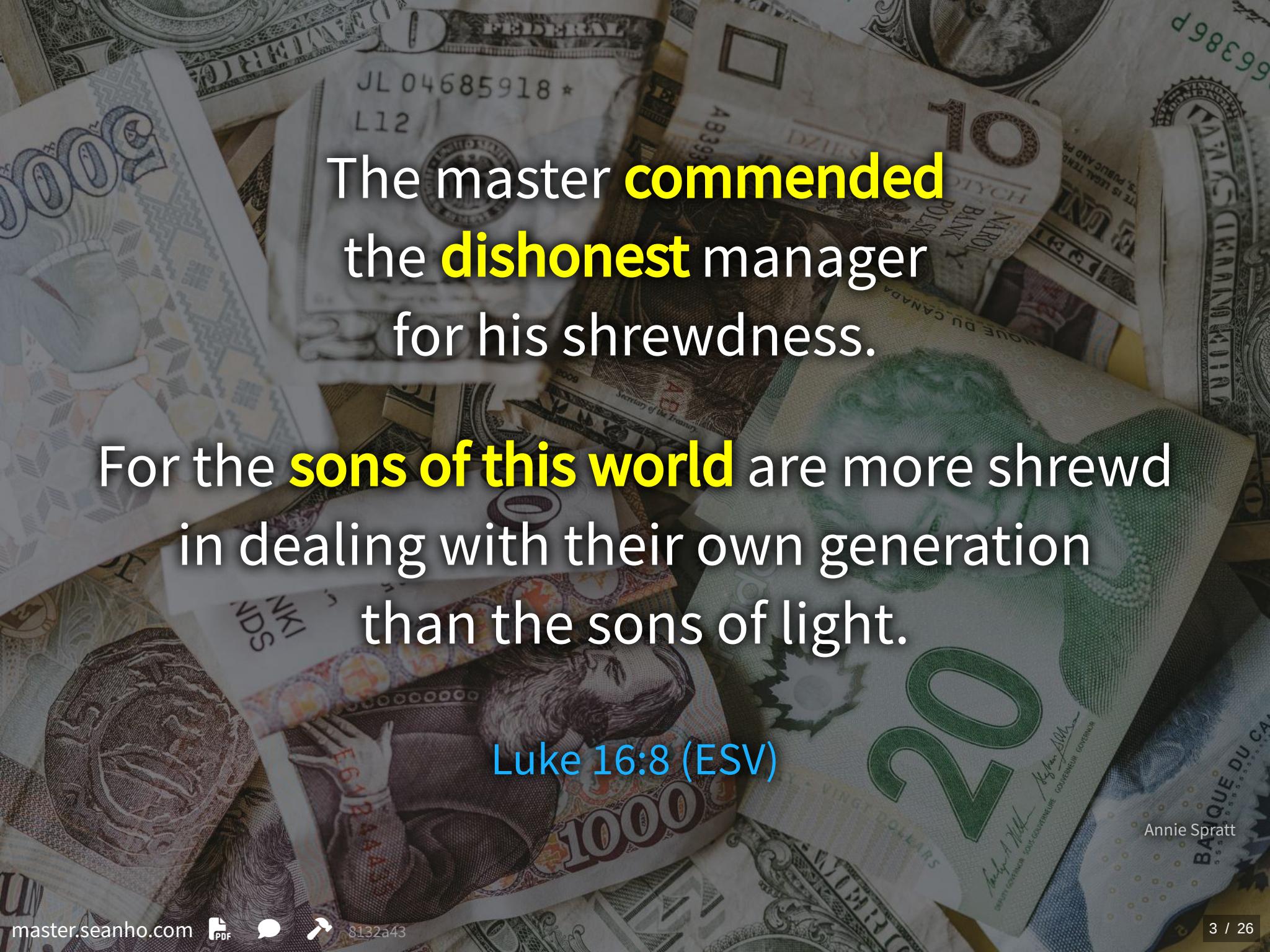
A photograph of a stack of coins, including quarters, dimes, nickels, and pennies, resting on a dark, textured surface. The coins are scattered around the main stack.

Is Money My Master?

Luke 16:9-15

Steve Johnson

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- A photograph of several gold coins, including Canadian dollars and a British pound coin, scattered on a dark, textured surface. Some coins are stacked in the upper left corner, while others are scattered across the frame.
1. **Mercy** in Business (v1-9)
 2. **Faithfulness** in
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The master **commended**
the **dishonest** manager
for his shrewdness.

For the **sons of this world** are more shrewd
in dealing with their own generation
than the sons of light.

Luke 16:8 (ESV)

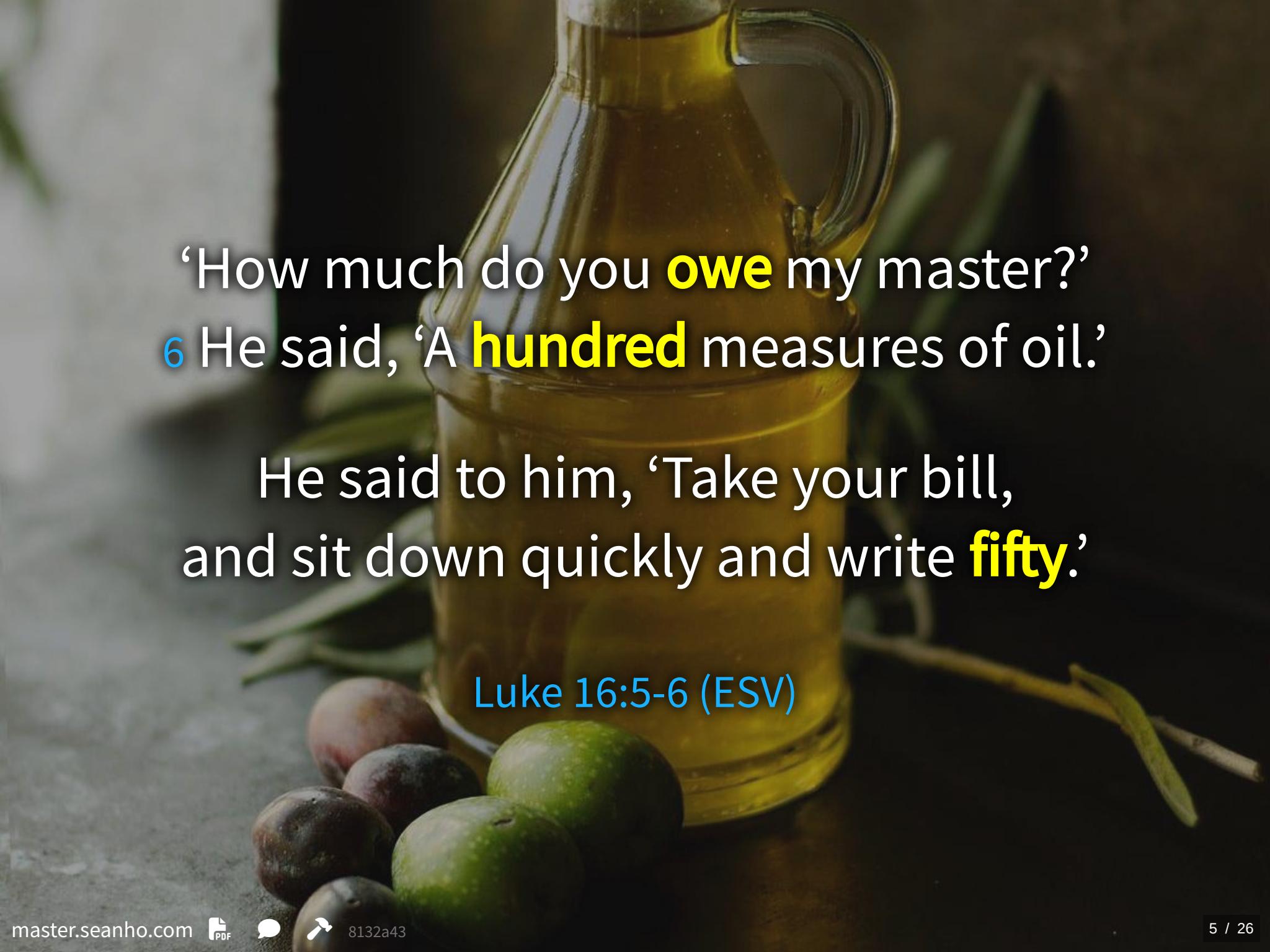
Annie Spratt

Hear what the **unrighteous judge** says.

7 And will not **God** give justice to his **elect**,
who **cry** to him day and night?

Luke 18:6-7 (ESV)

Wesley Tingey

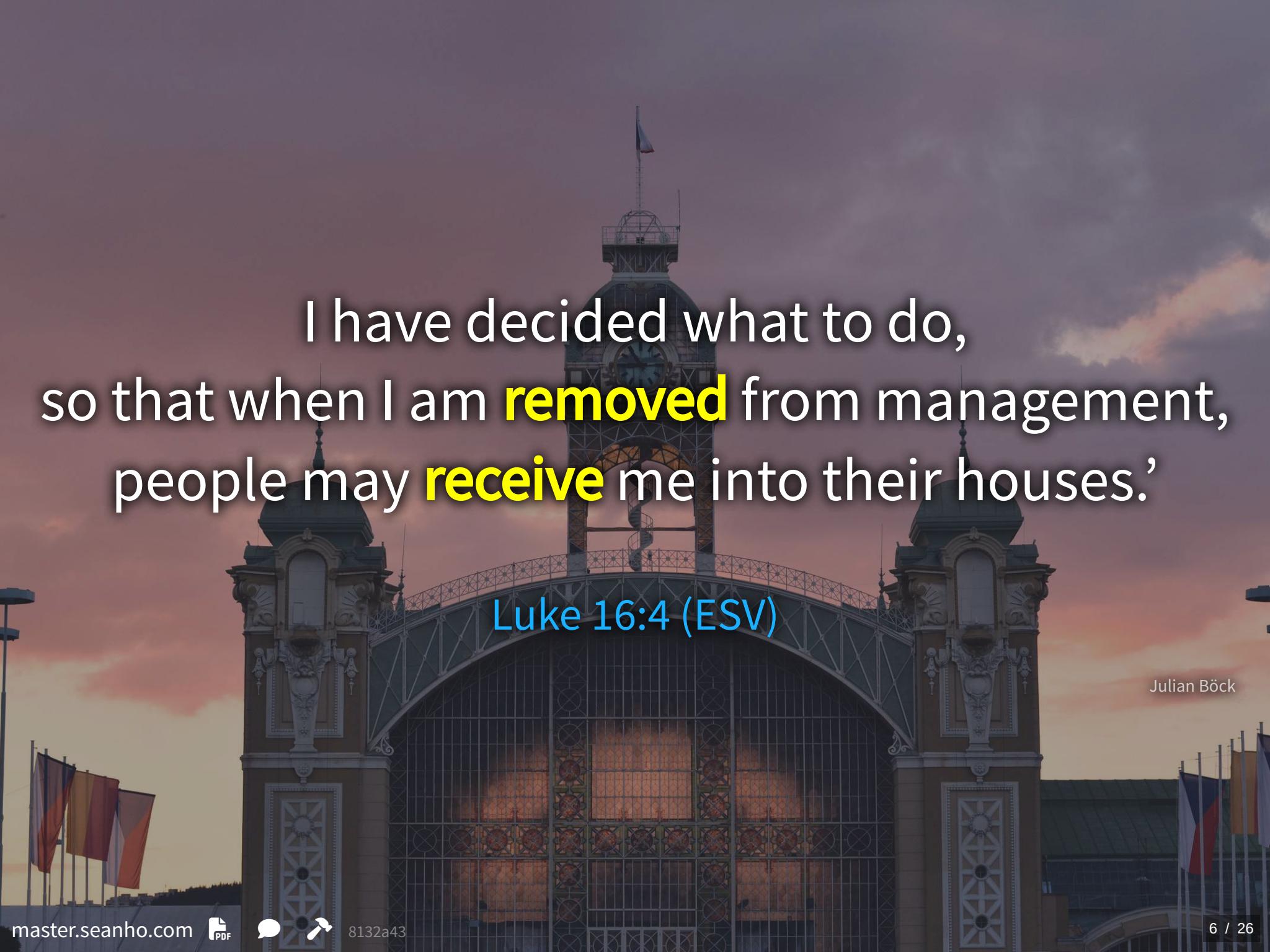
A close-up photograph of a glass bottle filled with golden-yellow olive oil. In the foreground, several green and brown olives are scattered on a dark surface. The lighting is warm, highlighting the texture of the olives and the clarity of the oil.

‘How much do you **owe** my master?’

⁶ He said, ‘A **hundred** measures of oil.’

He said to him, ‘Take your bill,
and sit down quickly and write **fifty**.’

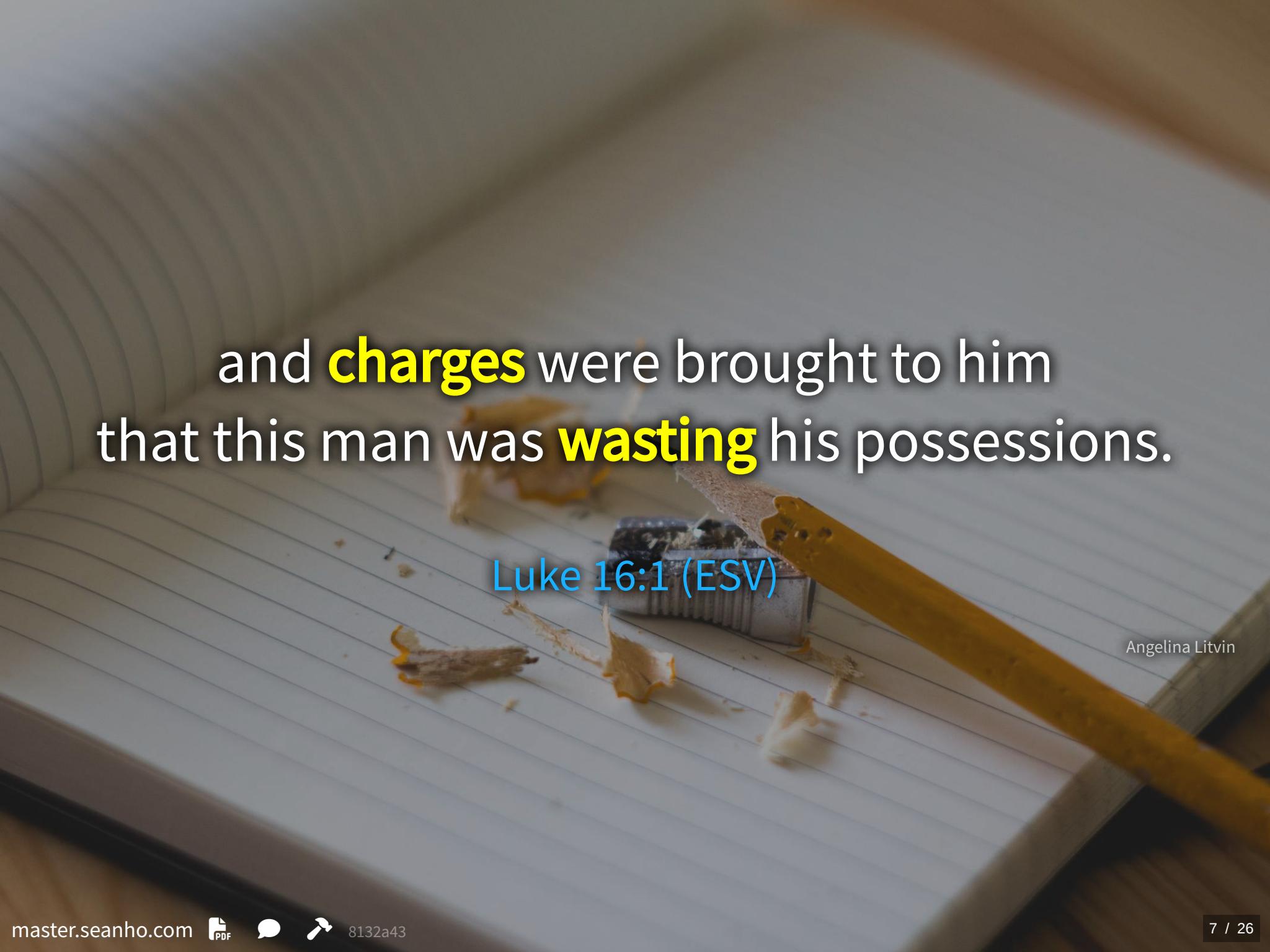
Luke 16:5-6 (ESV)

A photograph of a grand, ornate building, likely a train station or a large hall, featuring a prominent glass roof supported by a steel framework and two tall, decorative towers. The sky is filled with warm, orange and yellow hues of a sunset. The building's facade is made of light-colored stone and features intricate architectural details.

I have decided what to do,
so that when I am **removed** from management,
people may **receive** me into their houses.'

Luke 16:4 (ESV)

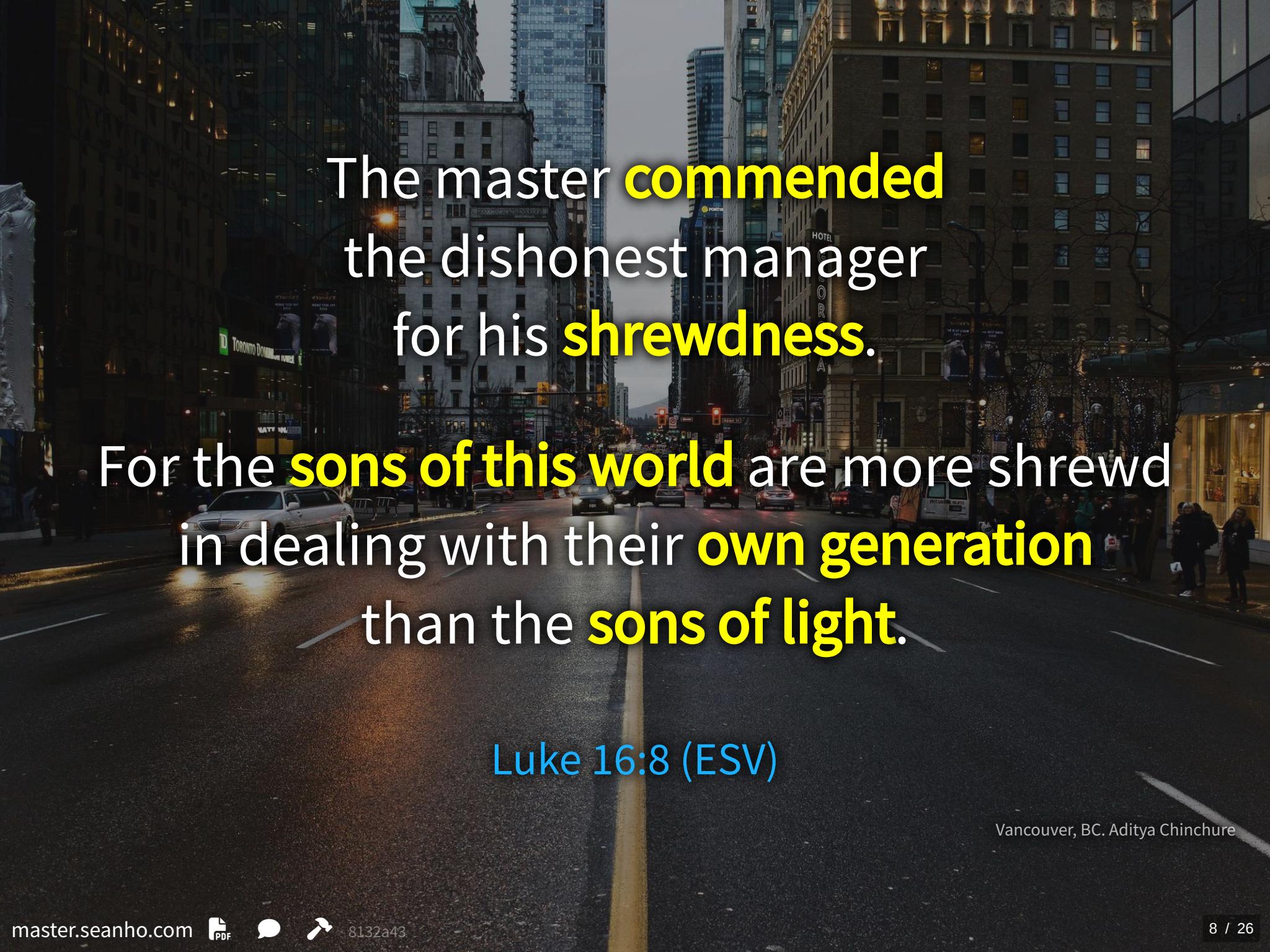
Julian Böck

A yellow pencil lies diagonally across a spiral-bound notebook. Several orange peels are scattered across the lined pages, some near the pencil and others further down. The background is a warm, out-of-focus yellow.

and **charges** were brought to him
that this man was **wasting** his possessions.

Luke 16:1 (ESV)

Angelina Litvin

The background of the slide is a photograph of a city street at night. The scene is dimly lit by streetlights and the illuminated windows of tall buildings. A yellow double-yellow line runs down the center of the dark asphalt road. In the distance, several cars are visible, their headlights and tail lights glowing. To the right, a sidewalk is lined with people walking and some storefronts with signs, including one for "HOTEL".

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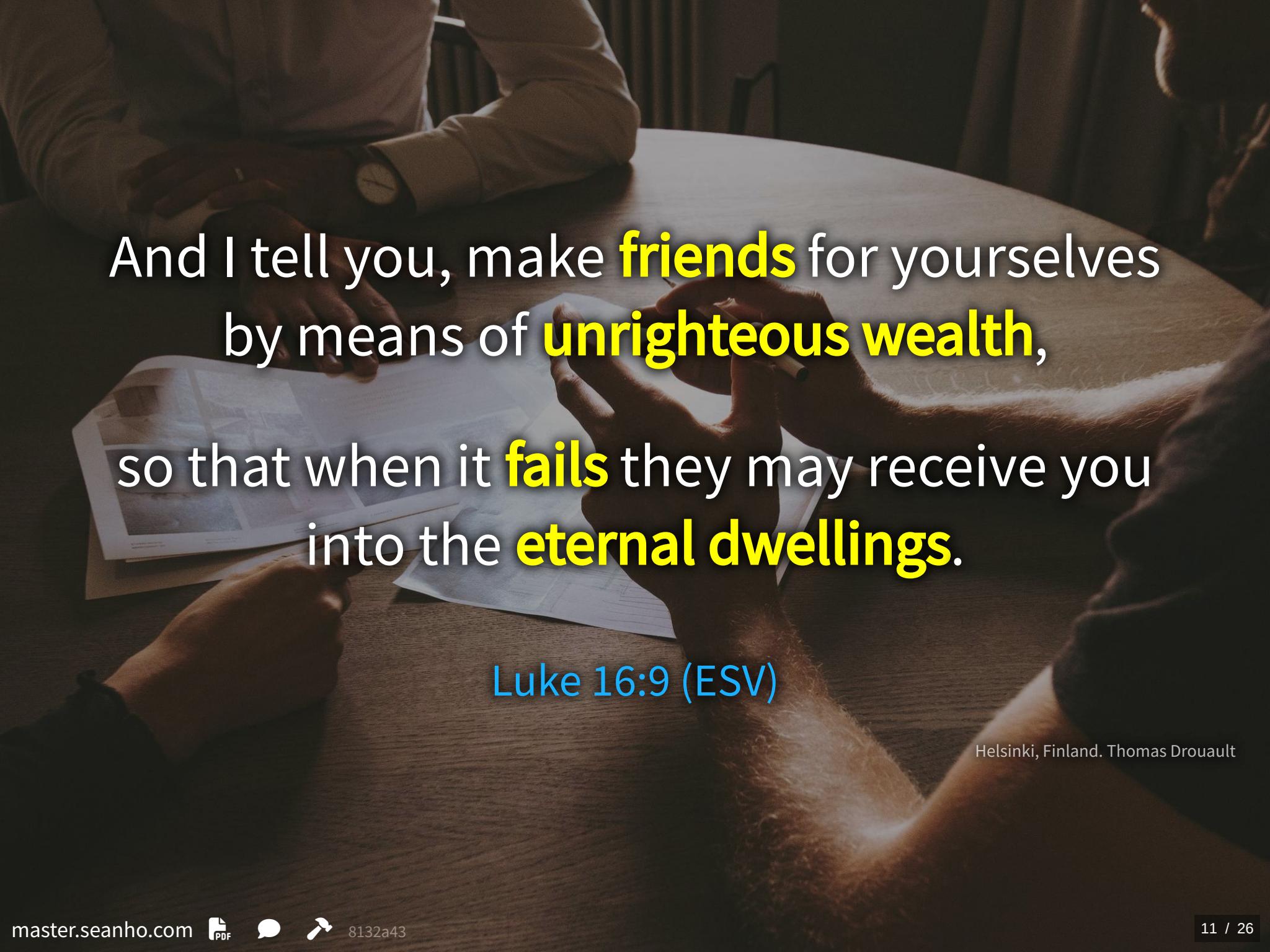
Vancouver, BC. Aditya Chinchure

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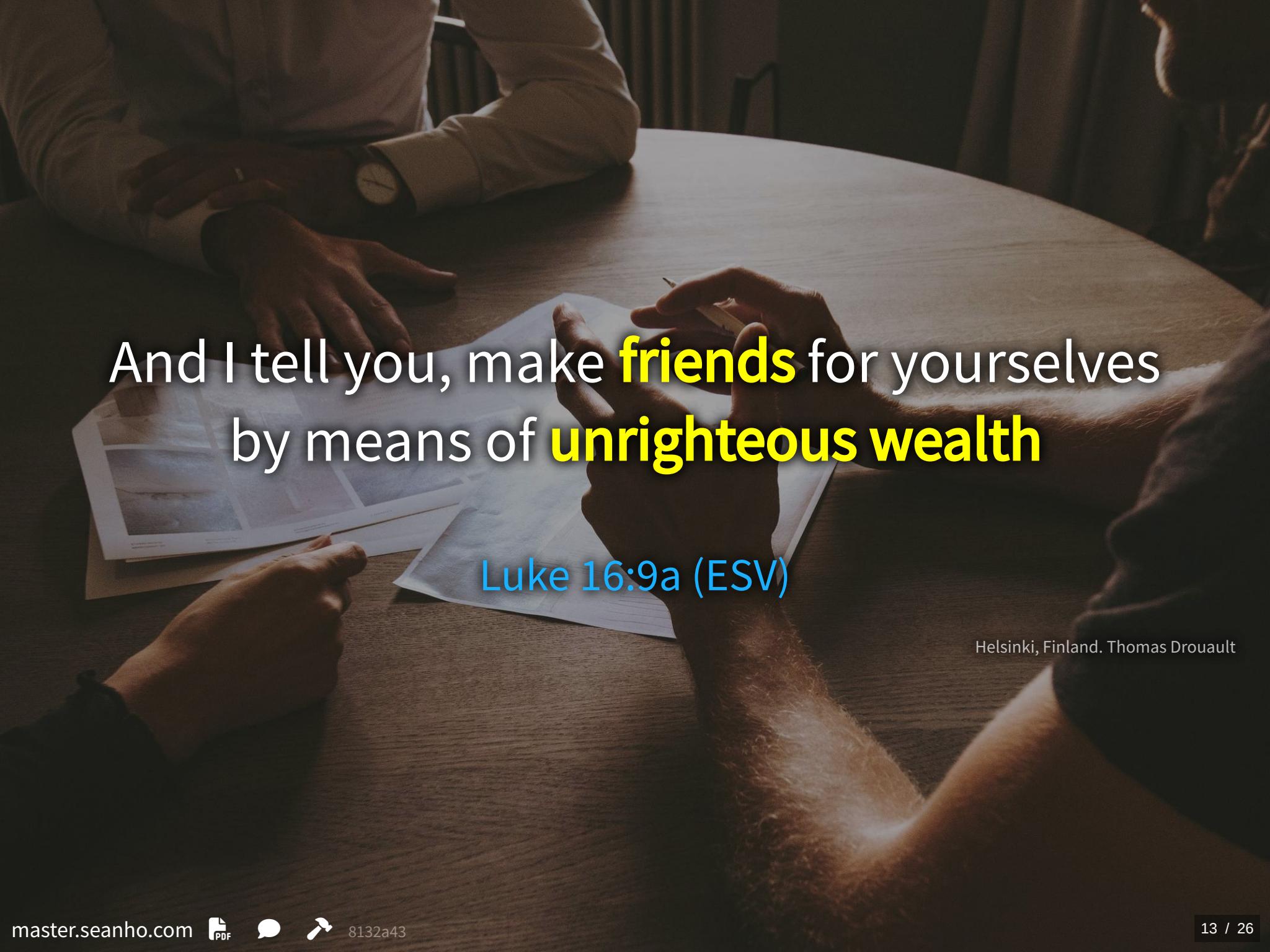
And I tell you, make **friends** for yourselves
by means of **unrighteous wealth**,
so that when it **fails** they may receive you
into the **eternal dwellings**.

Luke 16:9 (ESV)

Helsinki, Finland. Thomas Drouault

Making Friends Using Wealth

1. Make Peace with **God**
2. Support the **Saints** in Their Need
3. Show Mercy to **Business Partners**



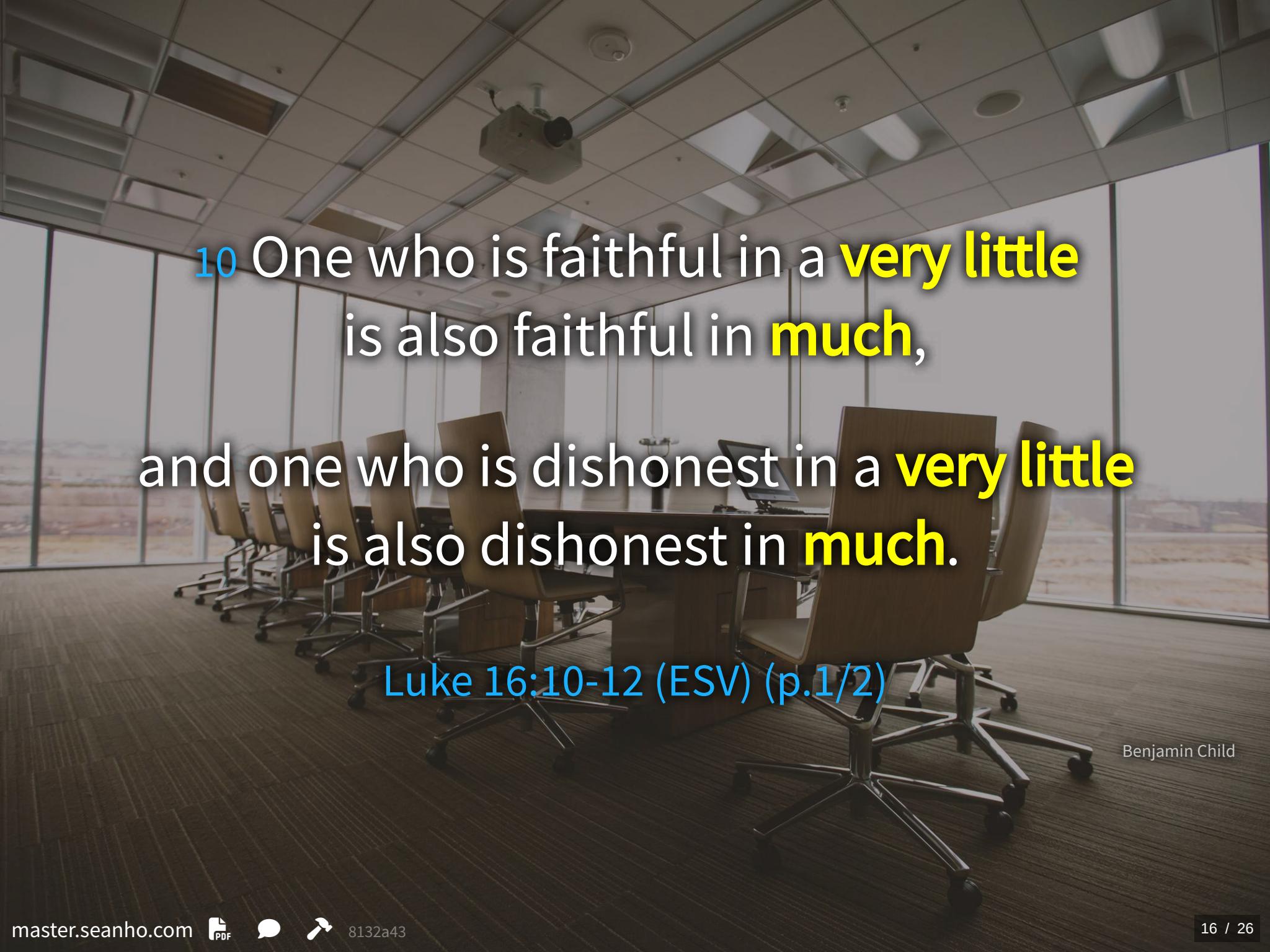
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Luke 16:9a (ESV)

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Do I seek to show
mercy in business?

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- A close-up photograph of several gold coins, likely Canadian dollars, scattered on a dark, textured surface. Some coins are stacked in the upper left corner, while others are scattered across the frame. The coins have various inscriptions and designs visible.
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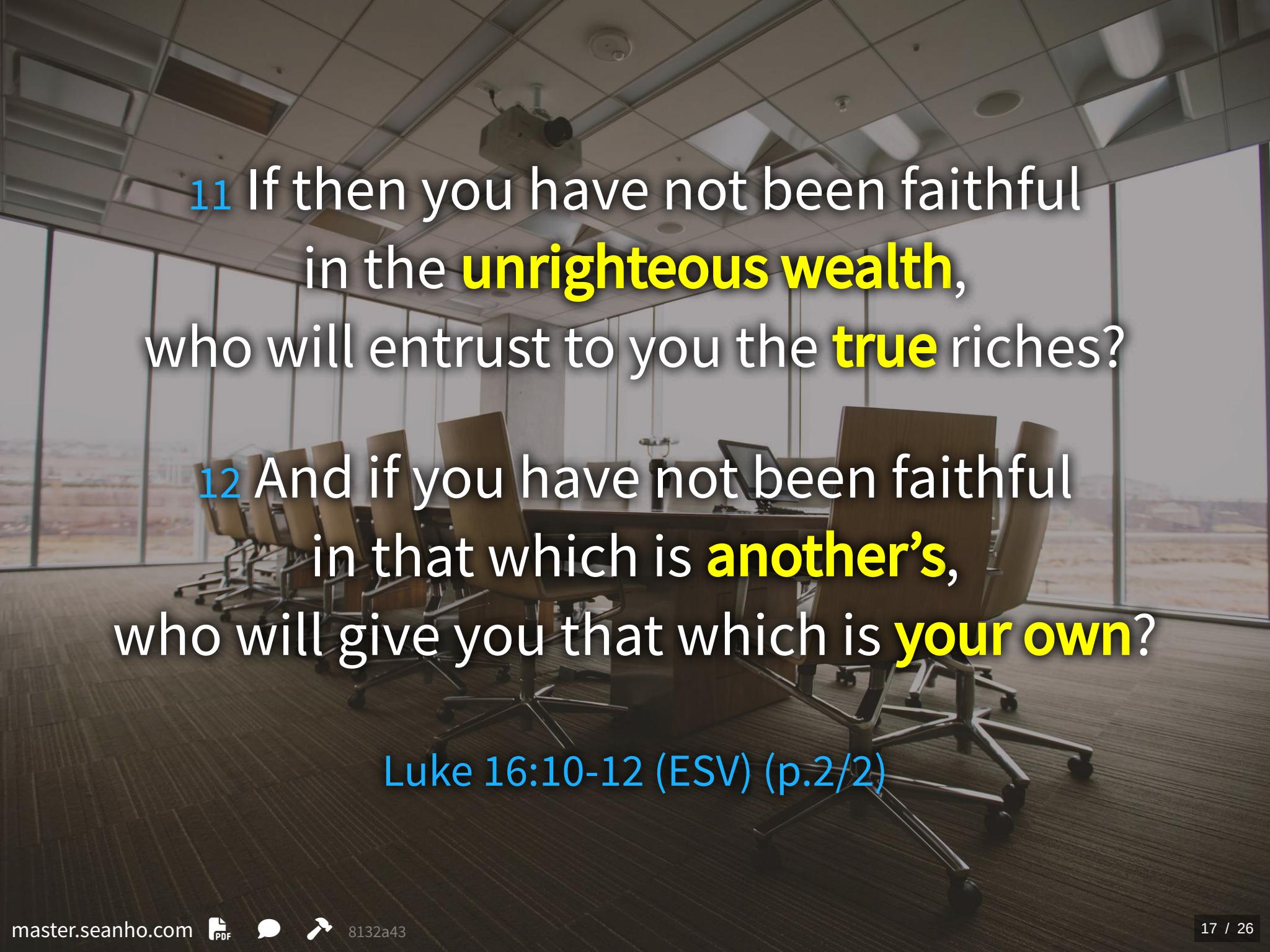
A photograph of a modern conference room. In the foreground, a row of wooden office chairs with chrome bases and wheels are arranged facing a large window. The window looks out onto a bright, open landscape. The room has a high ceiling with a projector mounted on a track. A long conference table is visible in the background, partially obscured by the chairs.

10 One who is faithful in a **very little**
is also faithful in **much**,

and one who is dishonest in a **very little**
is also dishonest in **much**.

Luke 16:10-12 (ESV) (p.1/2)

Benjamin Child



11 If then you have not been faithful
in the **unrighteous wealth**,
who will entrust to you the **true** riches?

12 And if you have not been faithful
in that which is **another's**,
who will give you that which is **your own**?

Luke 16:10-12 (ESV) (p.2/2)

Therefore I tell you,
do not be **anxious** about your **life**,
what you will **eat** or what you will drink,
nor about your **body**, what you will **put on**.

Is not **life** more than food,
and the **body** more than clothing?

Matthew 6:25 (ESV)

Pink dahlias. Irina Iriser

Whatever you do, work **heartily**,
as **for the Lord** and not for men,

24 knowing that from the Lord you will receive
the **inheritance** as your reward.

You are serving the **Lord Christ**.

Colossians 3:23-24 (ESV)

Aaron Burden

In what
“unimportant” area
have I been
not so faithful?

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- A stack of gold coins, including Canadian dollars and British coins, is arranged in a pyramid-like shape on a dark, textured surface. Some coins are scattered around the base.
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No servant can serve **two masters**,

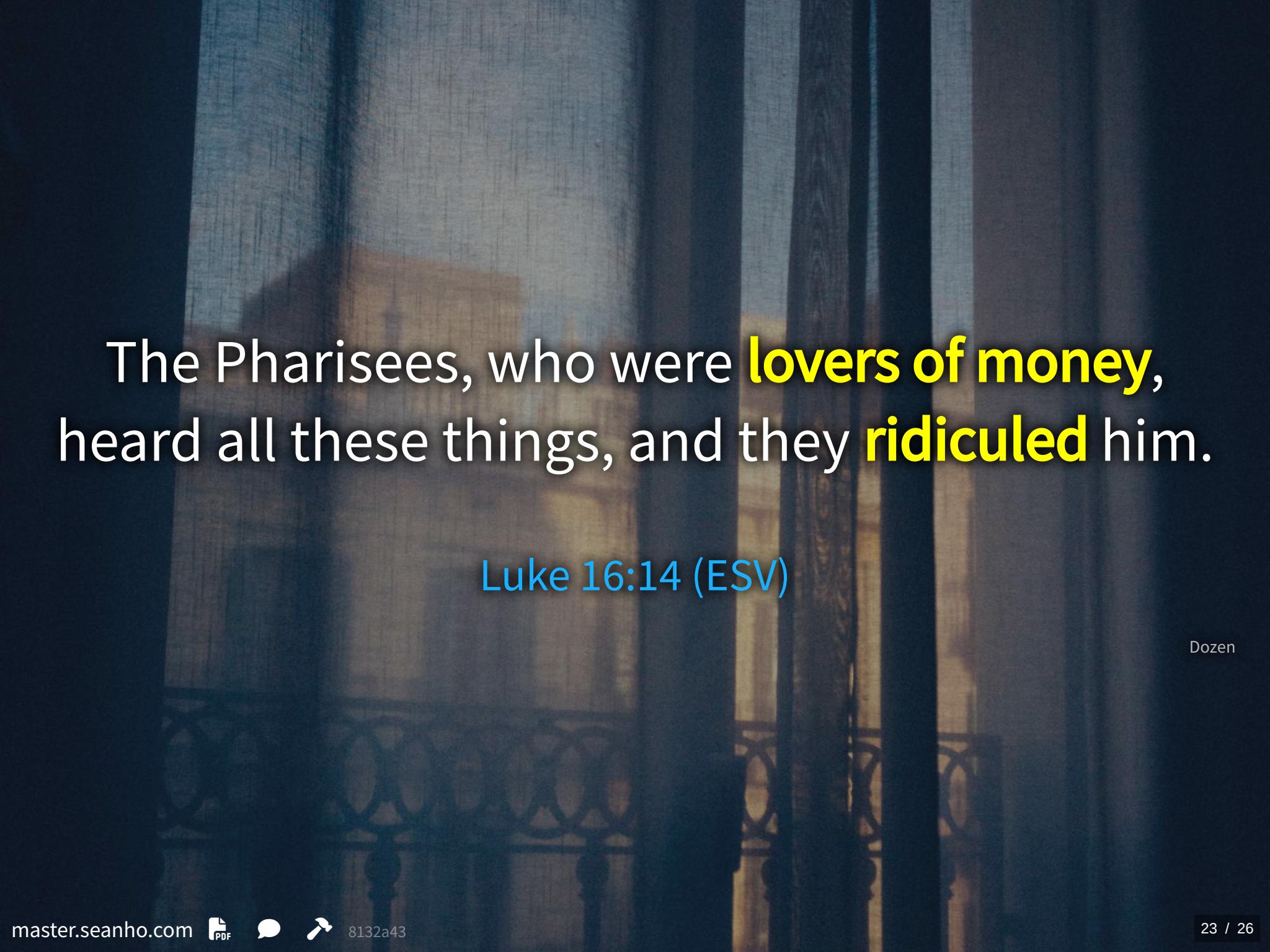
for either he will **hate** the one
and **love** the other,

or he will be **devoted** to the one
and **despise** the other.

You cannot serve **God and money**.

Luke 16:13 (ESV)

Savoie, France. Thomas Tixtaaz



The Pharisees, who were **lovers of money**, heard all these things, and they **ridiculed** him.

Luke 16:14 (ESV)

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And he said to them,
“You are those who **justify yourselves**
before men, but God knows your **hearts**.

For what is **exalted** among men
is an **abomination** in the sight of God.

Luke 16:15 (ESV)

Carolyn Christine



Am I trying
to **love** both God
and money?

