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JEREMIAH 13

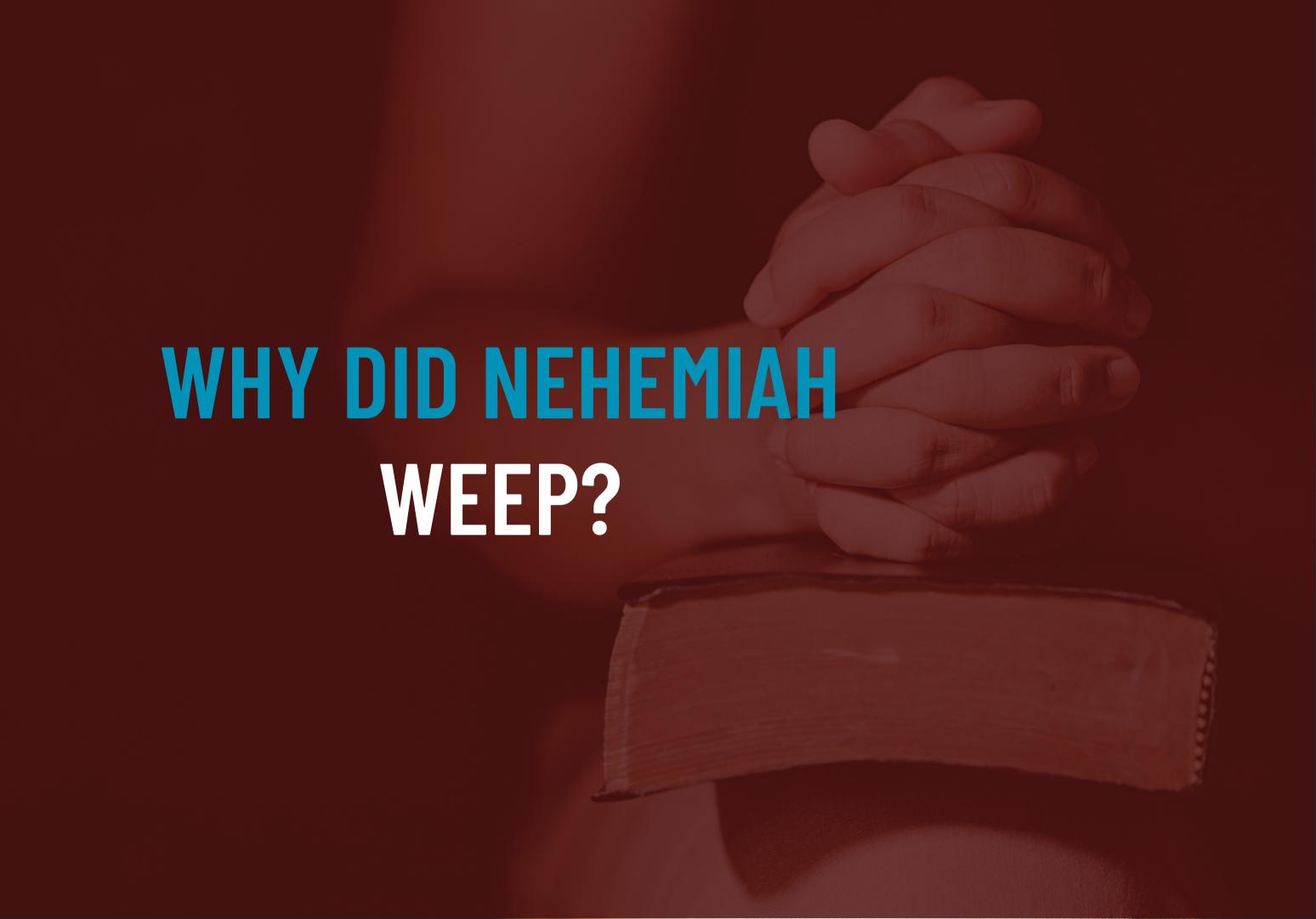
9 "This is what the Lord says: 'In the same way I will ruin the pride of Judah and the great pride of Jerusalem. 10 These wicked people, who refuse to listen to my words, who follow the stubbornness of their hearts and go after other gods to serve and worship them, will be like this belt—completely useless!

JEREMIAH 13

17 If you do not listen, I will weep in secret because of your pride; my eyes will weep bitterly, overflowing with tears, because the Lord's flock will be taken captive.







NEHEMIAH WEPT BECAUSE OF SIN

Nehemiah 1: 6 I confess the sins we Israelites, including myself and my father's family, have committed against you.

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James 4:8 Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. 9 Grieve, mourn and wail. Change your laughter to mourning and your joy to gloom. 10 Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

NEHEMIAH WEPT BECAUSE GOD WAS FORGOTTEN IN CULTURE

Nehemiah 1:7 We have acted very wickedly toward you. We have not obeyed the commands, decrees and laws you gave your servant Moses.





JESUS WEPT BECAUSE THEY FORMED HIM INTO THEIR OWN IMAGE

Luke 19: 41 As he approached Jerusalem and saw the city, he wept over it 42 and said, "If you, even you, had only known on this day what would bring you peace—but now it is hidden from your eyes. 43 The days will come upon you when your enemies will build an embankment against you and encircle you and hem you in on every side. 44 They will dash you to the ground, you and the children within your walls.

CRAFTING JESUS IN OUR OWN IMAGE IS STILL IDOLATRY

JESUS WEPT BECAUSE THEIR FAITH WAS AN OUTWARD PERFORMANCE INSTEAD OF INWARD TRANSFORMATION

Matthew 6: 2 "So when you give to the needy, do not announce it with trumpets, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and on the streets, to be honored by others... 16 "When you fast, do not look somber as the hypocrites do, for they disfigure their faces to show others they are fasting.

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Malachi 2: 13 Another thing you do: You flood the Lord's altar with tears. You weep and wail because he no longer looks with favor on your offerings or accepts them with pleasure from your hands. 14 You ask, "Why?" It is because the Lord is the witness between you and the wife of your youth. You have been unfaithful to her, though she is your partner, the wife of your marriage covenant.

HEARTS OF STONE SHED TEARS HEARTS OF FAITH WEEP





PSALM 10

18 You will hear the cries of the oppressed and the orphans; you will judge in their favor, so that mortal men may cause terror no more. (GNT)





1 KINGS 18

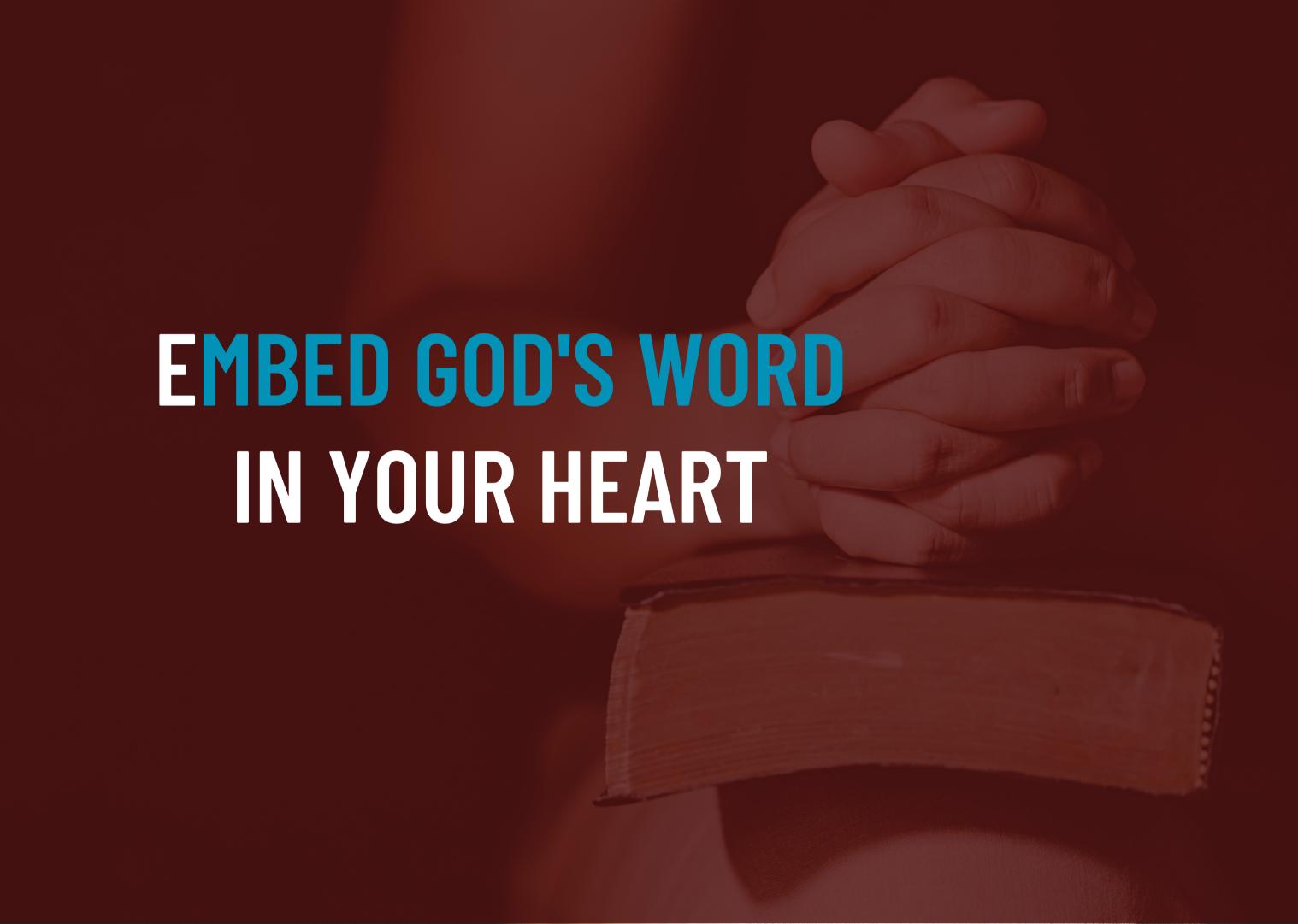
21"How long will you waver between two opinions? If the Lord is God, follow him; but if Baal is God, follow him."



REPENTANCE IS A SHALLOW PRAYER IF YOU WEEP BUT DO NOT CARE







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