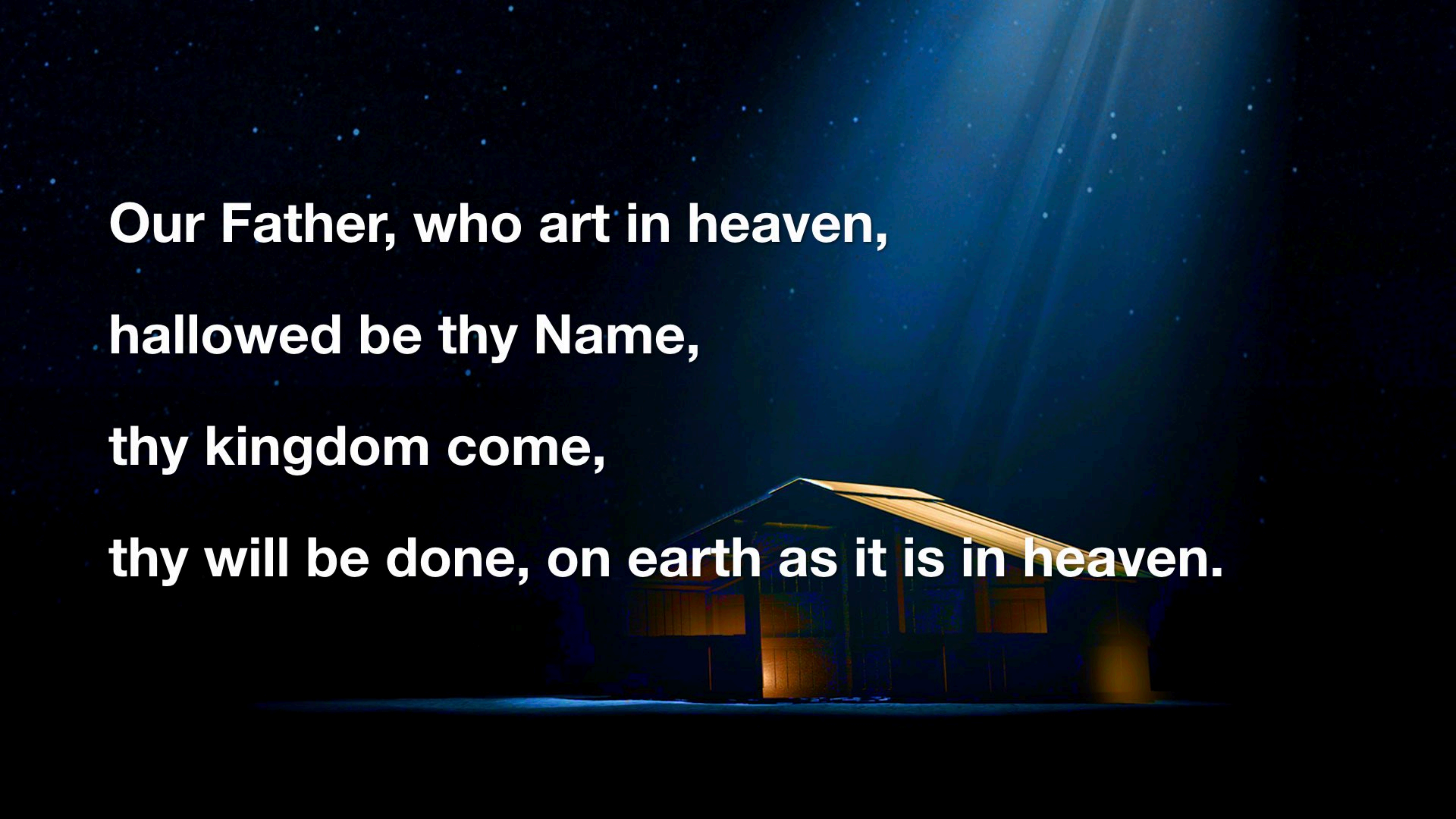


Your  
Kingdom  
Come



**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

A 3D architectural rendering of a modern house at night. The house is illuminated from within, showing a warm orange glow from the windows and doors. The exterior is dark, with some blue and green lighting accents. The house is set against a dark blue, starry sky. A bright light source in the upper right corner creates a lens flare effect, illuminating the scene.

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive  
those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us  
from evil.**



**For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**



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## **Luke 1:26-38 (Pg. 1025)**

**In the sixth month of Elizabeth's pregnancy, God sent the angel Gabriel to Nazareth, a town in Galilee, to a virgin pledged to be married to a man named Joseph, a descendant of David. The virgin's name was Mary. The angel went to her and said, "Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you."**

**Mary was greatly troubled at his words and wondered what kind of greeting this might be. But the angel said to her, “Do not be afraid, Mary; you have found favor with God. You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over Jacob’s descendants forever; his kingdom will never end.”**

**“How will this be,” Mary asked the angel,  
“since I am a virgin?”**

**The angel answered, “The Holy Spirit will  
come on you, and the power of the Most  
High will overshadow you. So the holy one to  
be born will be called the Son of God.**



**Even Elizabeth your relative is going to have a child in her old age, and she who was said to be unable to conceive is in her sixth month. For no word from God will ever fail.”**

**“I am the Lord’s servant,” Mary answered.  
“May your word to me be fulfilled.” Then the angel left her.**



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# An Everlasting Kingdom



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**Luke 1:31**

**You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over Jacob's descendants forever; his kingdom will never end."**

**An Everlasting Kingdom**

**What are the implications?**





Thomas before the Roman investigator – From the movie Risen

# **An Everlasting Kingdom**

**What are the implications?**

**John 6:67-69**

**“You do not want to leave too, do you?”**

**Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.**

# Unlimited Resources





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**Luke 1:34**

**“How will this be,”**

**... Even Elizabeth your relative is going to have a child in her old age, and she who was said to be unable to conceive is in her sixth month. For no word from God will ever fail.”**

# Unlimited Resources

**Luke 1:37**

**For no word from God shall be void of power.**

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## 'Alice through the Looking Glass' by Lewis Carroll

"I'm just one hundred and one, five months and a day." "I can't believe that!" said Alice. "Can't you?" the Queen said in a pitying tone. "Try again: draw a long breath, and shut your eyes." Alice laughed. "There's no use trying," she said: "one *can't* believe impossible things." "I daresay you haven't had much practice," said the Queen. "When I was your age, I always did it for half-an-hour a day. Why, sometimes I've believed as many as six impossible things before breakfast."

# A Willing Participant



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**Luke 1:38**

**“I am the Lord’s servant,” Mary answered. “May your word to me be fulfilled.”**



# **A Willing Participant**

**Luke 1:28**

**“Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you.”**

**What qualities made her highly favored?**



# A Willing Participant

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sAt09nt7Xnc>  
to minute 142



# **A Willing Participant**

**Luke 1:46-48**

**“My soul glorifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant.”**



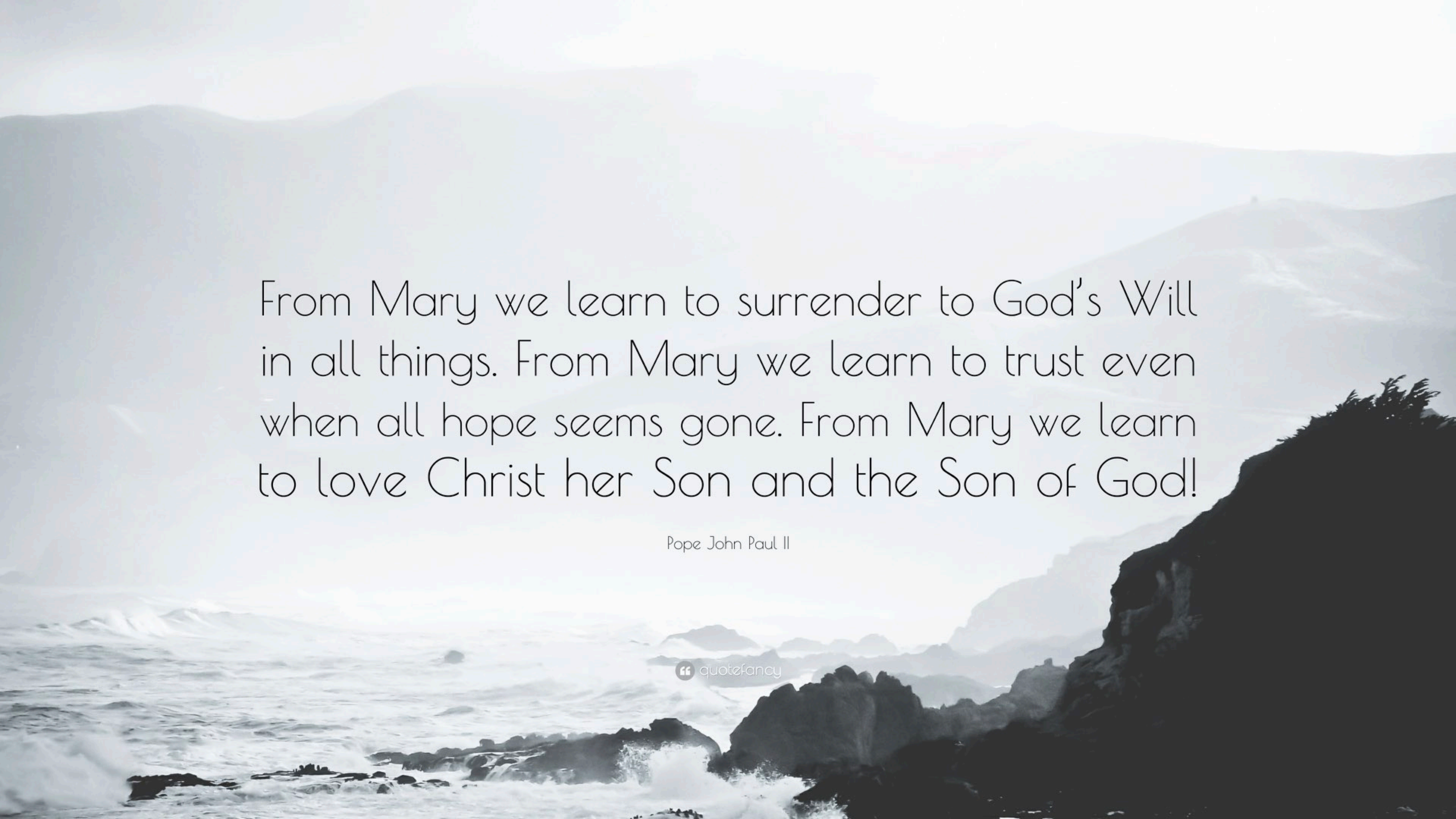


# A Willing Participant

**Luke 1:45**

**Blessed is she who has believed that the Lord would fulfill his promises to her!”**





From Mary we learn to surrender to God's Will  
in all things. From Mary we learn to trust even  
when all hope seems gone. From Mary we learn  
to love Christ her Son and the Son of God!

Pope John Paul II

“ quote fancy

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