

A sunset over a field with a path, overlaid with the text "WHY AM I?" in large white letters. The sun is partially obscured by the letter 'H'.

**WHY  
AM I?**



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**JAMES 1:19-25**

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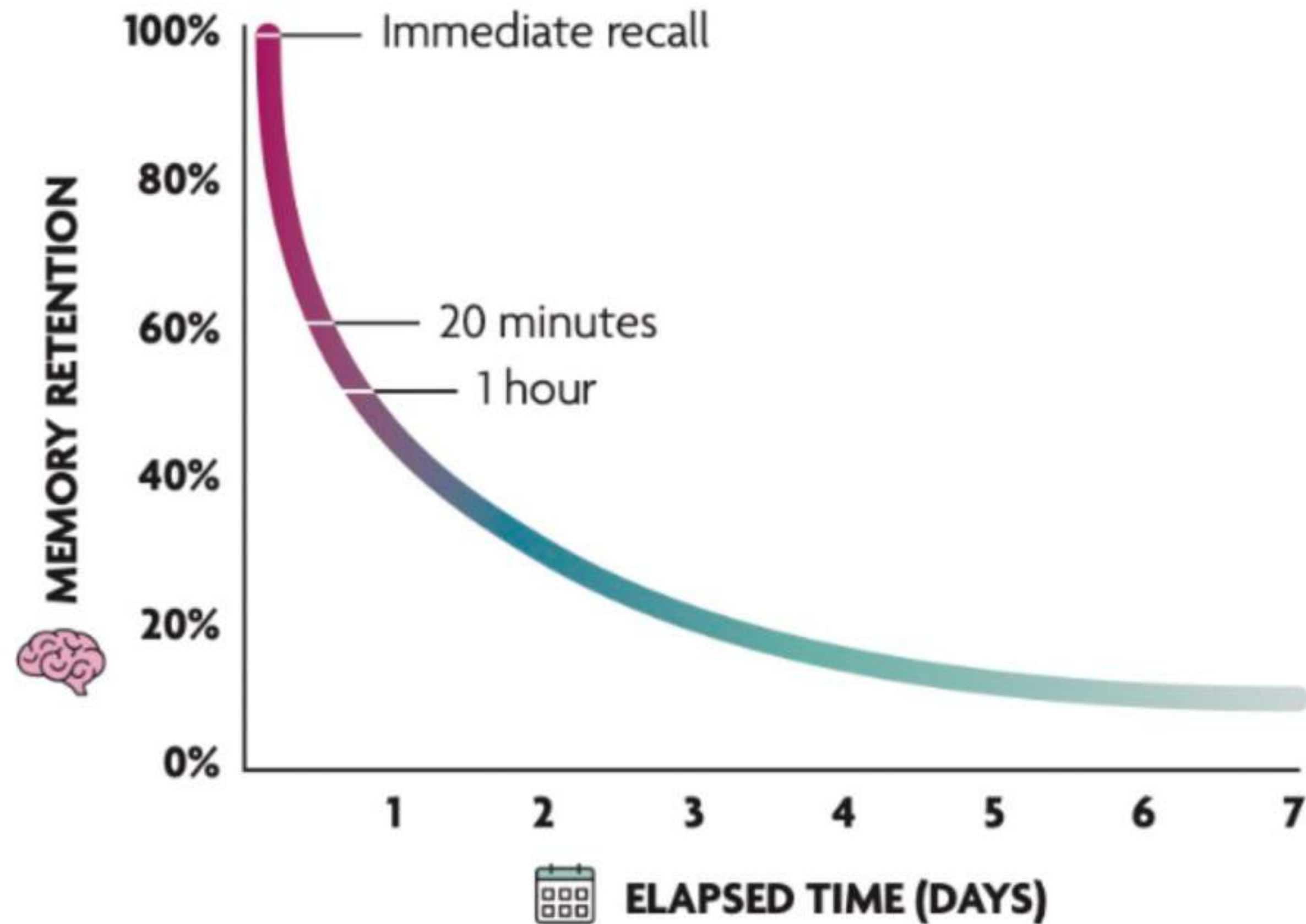
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# THE FORGETTING CURVE



This curve demonstrates how information students learn is lost over time when there is no attempt to consciously review & remember the learned material





**AM I A  
CHRISTIAN?**

**“If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation.”**

**2 CORINTHIANS 5:17**

**“If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me.”**

**LUKE 9:23**



**AM I  
COMMITTED TO  
SANCTIFICATION?**

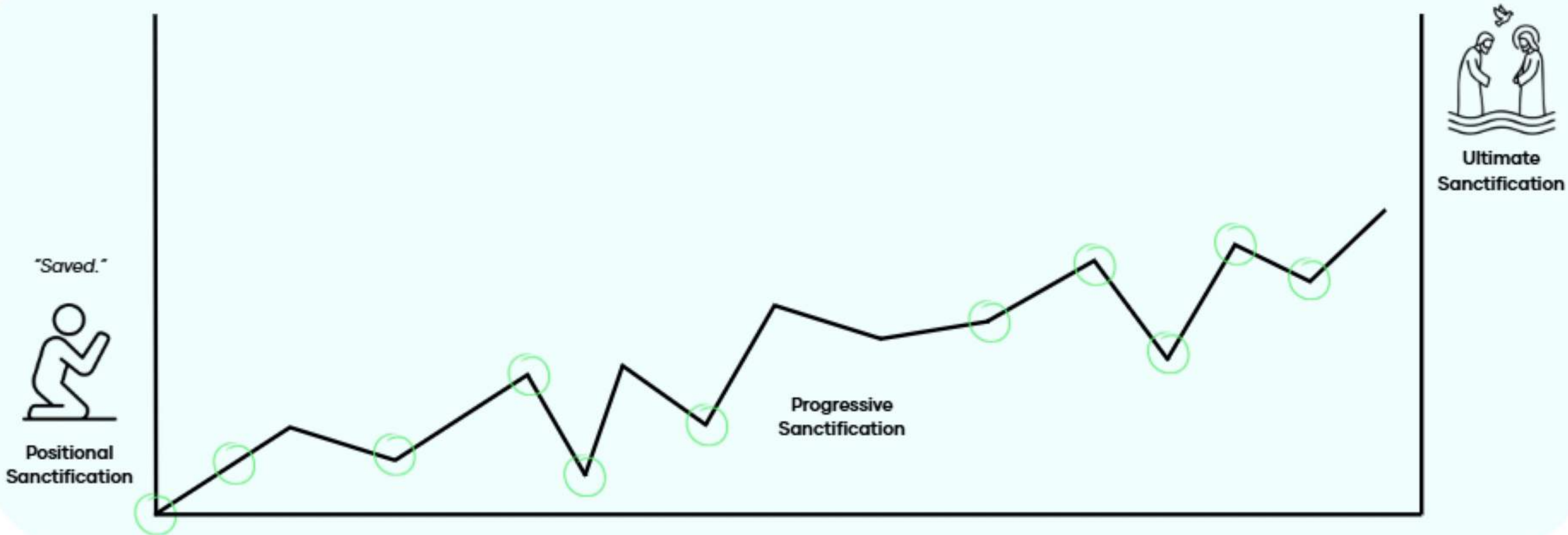
**<sup>11</sup> For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, <sup>12</sup> training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, <sup>13</sup> waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory**

**TITUS 2:12-14**

**of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,<sup>14</sup> who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.**

**TITUS 2:12-14**

# The Believer's Sanctification Journey.



**<sup>3</sup> For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you abstain from sexual immorality; <sup>4</sup> that each one of you know how to control his own body in holiness and honor, <sup>5</sup> not in the passion of lust like the Gentiles who do not know God ...**

**1 THESS 4:3-8**

**<sup>7</sup> For God has not called us for impurity, but in holiness. <sup>8</sup> Therefore whoever disregards this, disregards not man but God, who gives his Holy Spirit to you.**

**1 THESS 4:3-8**

A sunset scene with a bright sun low on the horizon, casting a warm orange and red glow across the sky. Below the horizon, a dark path leads through a field of tall grasses and small flowers towards the viewer. The overall mood is contemplative and dramatic.

**AM I  
UNASHAMED?**

**“For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.”**

**ROMANS 1:16**

**“So everyone who acknowledges me before men, I also will acknowledge before my Father who is in heaven, but whoever denies me before men, I also will deny before my Father who is in heaven”.**

**MATTHEW 10:32-33**



**AM I  
ABIDING?**

**<sup>28</sup> Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”**

**MATTHEW 11:28–30 (ESV)**

**<sup>5</sup> I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.**

**JOHN 15:5**

A vibrant sunset scene with a path leading through a field of flowers. The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the path is illuminated by the low sun. The text is overlaid in the center.

**AM I A  
PERSON OF  
PRAYER?**

**“And rising very early in the morning, while it was still dark, he departed and went out to a desolate place, and there he prayed.”**

**MARK 1:35**

A vibrant sunset scene with a path leading through a field of flowers. The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the sun is visible as a bright yellow circle on the horizon. The foreground shows a path of small, reddish-orange flowers.

**AM I A  
STUDENT OF  
THE WORD?**

**“If you love me, you will keep my  
commandments.”**

**JOHN 14:15**

**“Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him.”**

**JOHN 14:21**

**“If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. <sup>24</sup> Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me.”**

**JOHN 14:23-24**

A sunset scene with a path leading through a field of flowers. The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the sun is visible behind the horizon. The text is overlaid in large, white, bold letters.

**AM I LIVING IN  
STEP WITH  
THE SPIRIT?**

**But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.**

**GALATIANS 5:16**

A sunset over a field with a path, overlaid with the text "AM I A SERVANT?". The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the foreground is dark with some small plants.

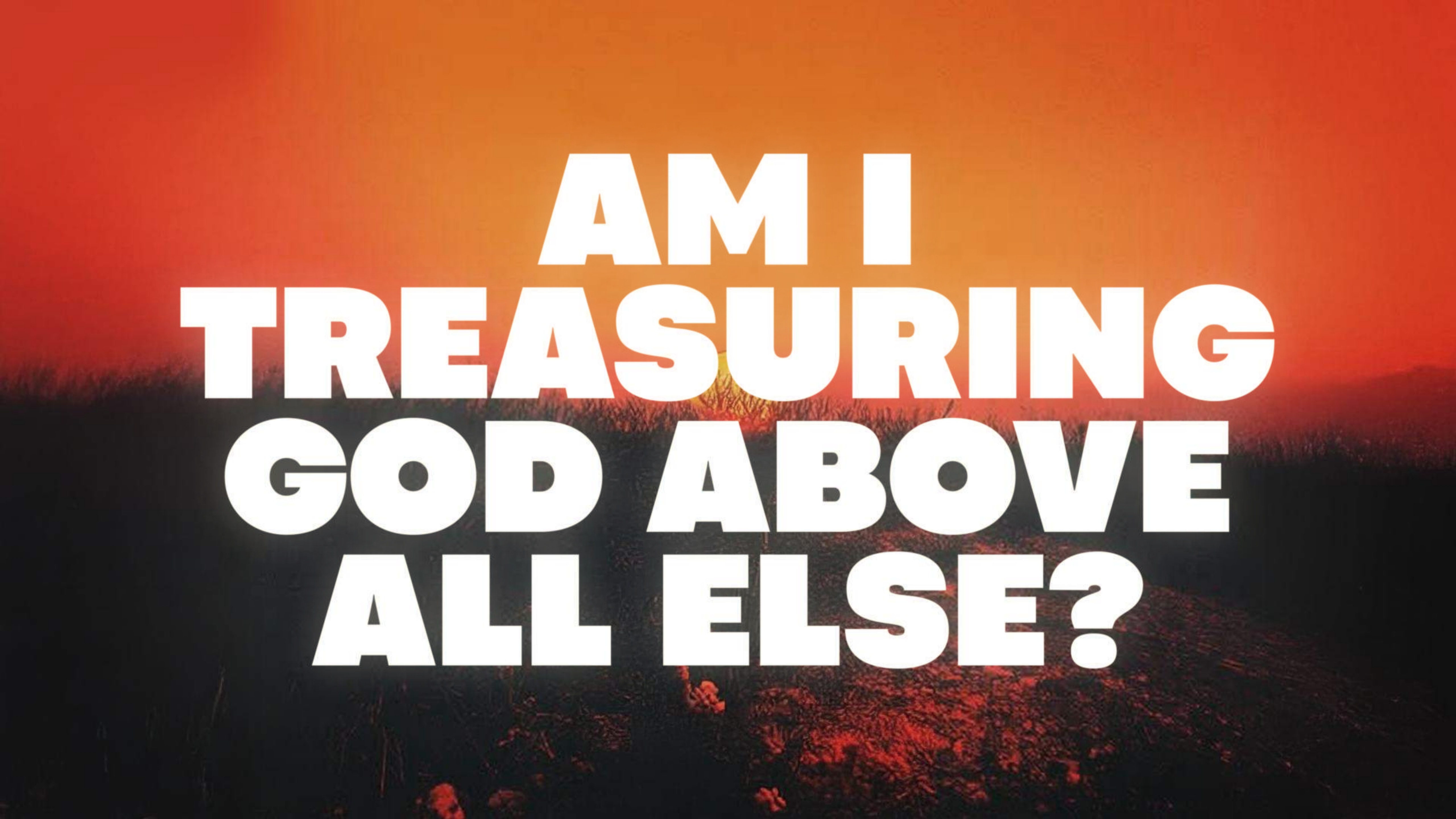
**AM I A  
SERVANT?**

**And he died for all, that those who live  
might no longer live for themselves  
but for him who for their sake died and  
was raised.**

**2 CORINTHIANS 5:15**

**For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."**

**MARK 10:45**

A sunset over a field with a path leading towards the horizon. The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the ground is dark with some red flowers. The text is overlaid in the center.

**AM I  
TREASURING  
GOD ABOVE  
ALL ELSE?**

**19 "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, 20 but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. 21 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."**

**MATTHEW 6:19-21**

A sunset over a field of flowers with a path leading towards the horizon. The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the sun is visible on the horizon. The foreground is dark with some red flowers.

**AM I LIVING  
FOR GOD?**

**<sup>13</sup> Come now, you who say, “Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit” — <sup>14</sup> yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. <sup>15</sup> Instead you ought to say, “If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that.”**

**JAMES 4:13-15**

A sunset over a field of tall grass with a path leading towards the horizon. The sky is a gradient of orange and red, and the sun is visible as a bright yellow circle on the horizon. The grass is dark, and the path is a light brown color.

**AM I A  
DISCIPLE OF  
JESUS CHRIST?**

# THE GREAT COLLABORATION

MATTHEW 28:18-20

# THE GREAT MOTIVATION

MARK 12:30-31

# THE GREAT MULTIPLICATION

2 TIMOTHY 2:1-2

**What are 3 tangible steps  
you can take to obey  
God's voice?**

