



APATHY

← WHAT QUESTIONS ARE HOLDING YOU BACK? →

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**DO I REALLY
HAVE ENOUGH
TIME?**

³ Then the word of the LORD came through the prophet Haggai: ⁴ “Is it a time for you yourselves to be living in your paneled houses, while this house remains a ruin?” ⁵ Now this is what the LORD Almighty says: “Give careful thought to your ways. ⁶ You have planted much, but harvested little.

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You eat, but never have enough. You drink, but never have your fill. You put on clothes, but are not warm. You earn wages, only to put them in a purse with holes in it.”⁷ This is what the LORD Almighty says: “Give careful thought to your ways.

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⁸ Go up into the mountains and bring down timber and build my house, so that I may take pleasure in it and be honoured,” says the LORD. ⁹ “You expected much, but see, it turned out to be little. What you brought home, I blew away.

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Why?” declares the LORD Almighty.
“Because of my house, which remains a ruin, while each of you is busy with your own house. ¹⁰ Therefore, because of you the heavens have withheld their dew and the earth its crops. ¹¹ I called for a drought on the fields and the mountains,

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on the grain, the new wine, the olive oil
and everything else the ground produces,
on people and livestock, and on all the
labour of your hands.”¹² Then
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of Jozadak, the high priest, and the
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voice of the LORD their God and the message of the prophet Haggai, because the LORD their God had sent him. And the people feared the LORD. ¹³ Then Haggai, the LORD's messenger, gave this message of the LORD to the people: "I am with you," declares the LORD.

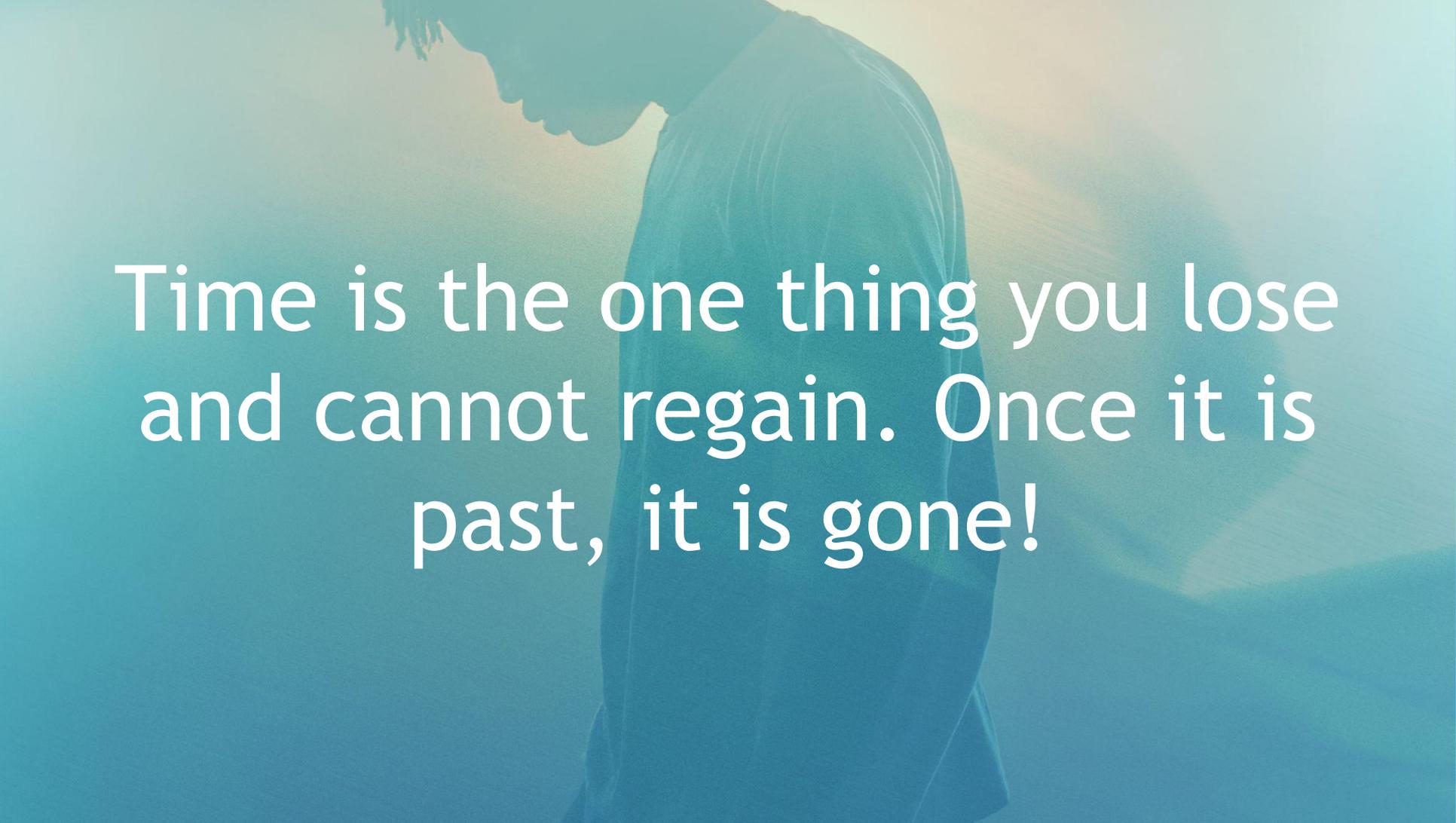
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¹⁴ So the LORD stirred up the spirit of Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and the spirit of Joshua son of Jozadak, the high priest, and the spirit of the whole remnant of the people. They came and began to work on the house of the LORD Almighty, their God,

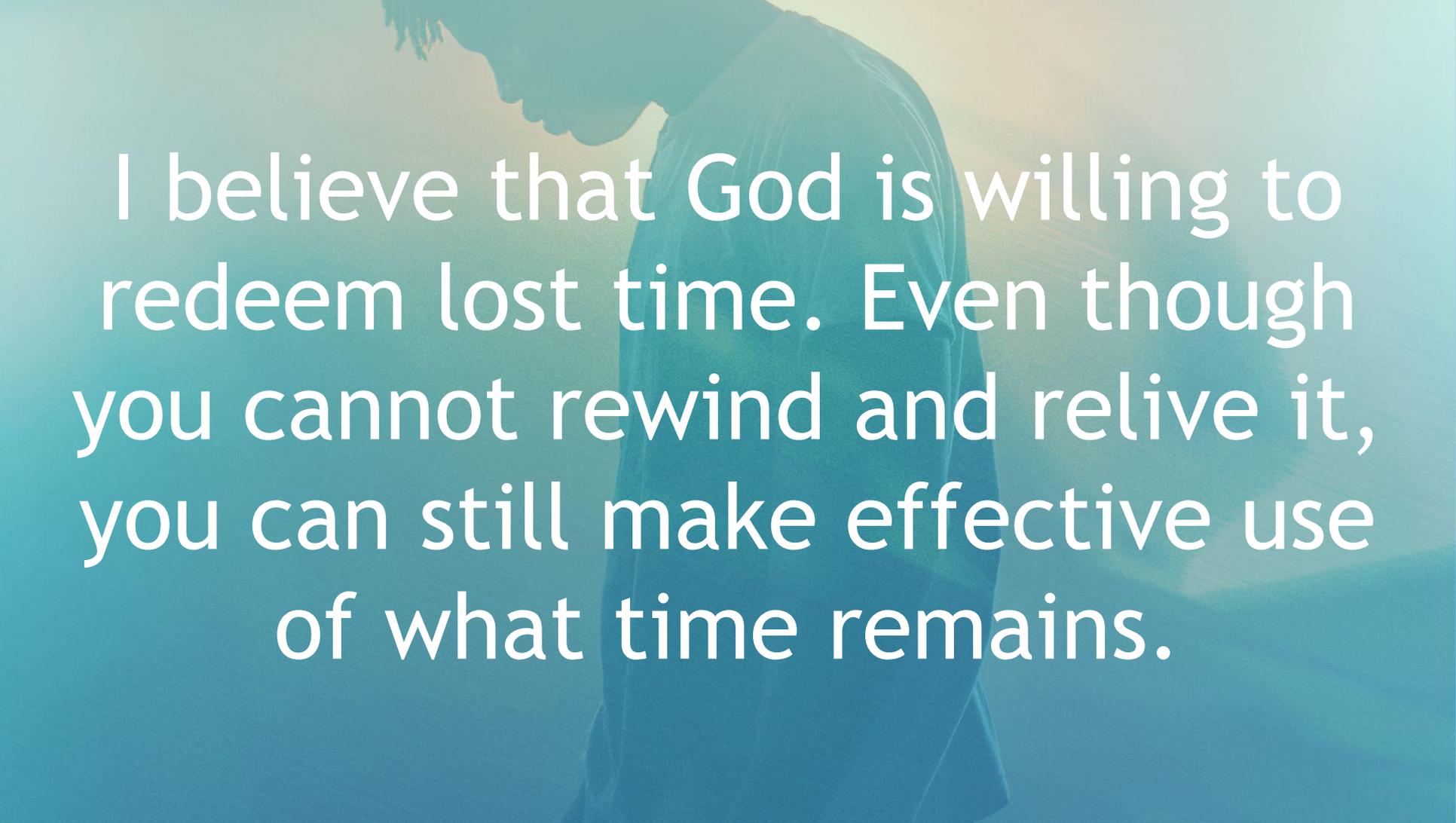
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¹⁵ on the twenty-fourth day of the
sixth month.

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Time is the one thing you lose
and cannot regain. Once it is
past, it is gone!

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I believe that God is willing to redeem lost time. Even though you cannot rewind and relive it, you can still make effective use of what time remains.

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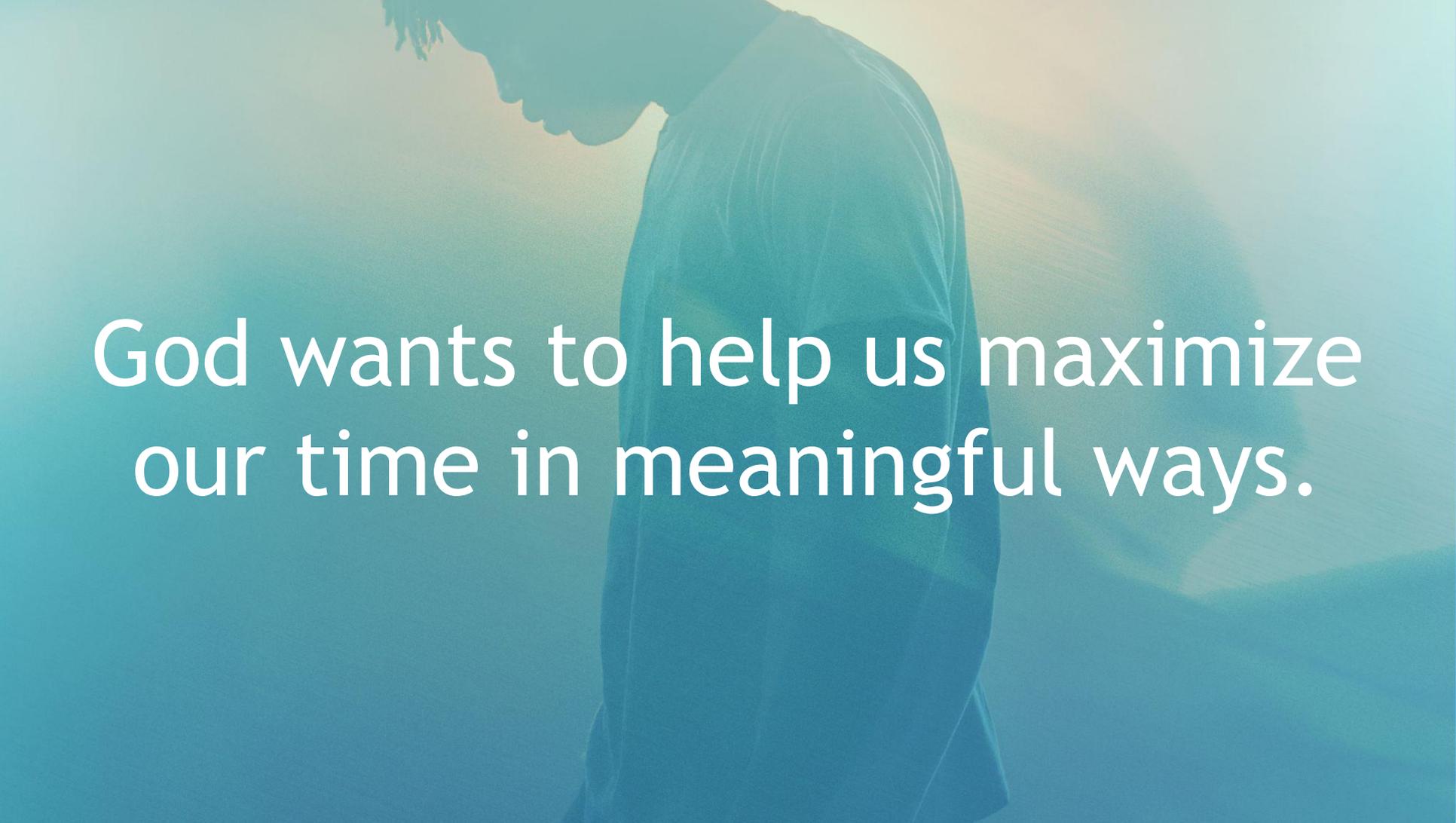
**“GIVE CAREFUL
THOUGHT TO
YOUR WAYS”**

⁵ Now this is what the LORD Almighty says:
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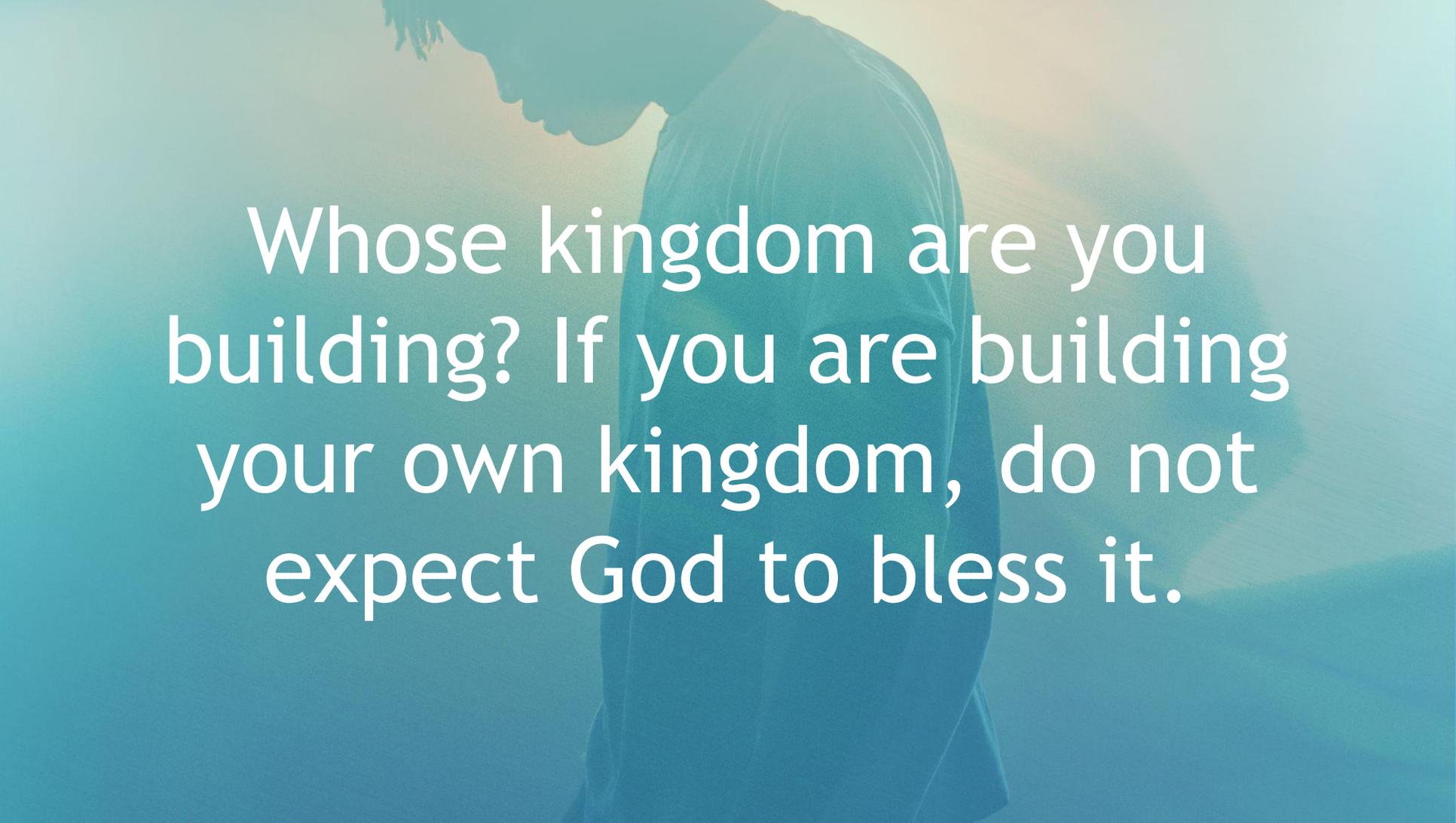
HAGGAI 1:5-8

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HAGGAI 1:5-8

A person is shown in profile from the chest up, looking downwards. The image is heavily overlaid with a teal-to-blue gradient, which is most intense on the left side and fades towards the right. The person's hair and the texture of their shirt are visible through the semi-transparent overlay.

God wants to help us maximize
our time in meaningful ways.

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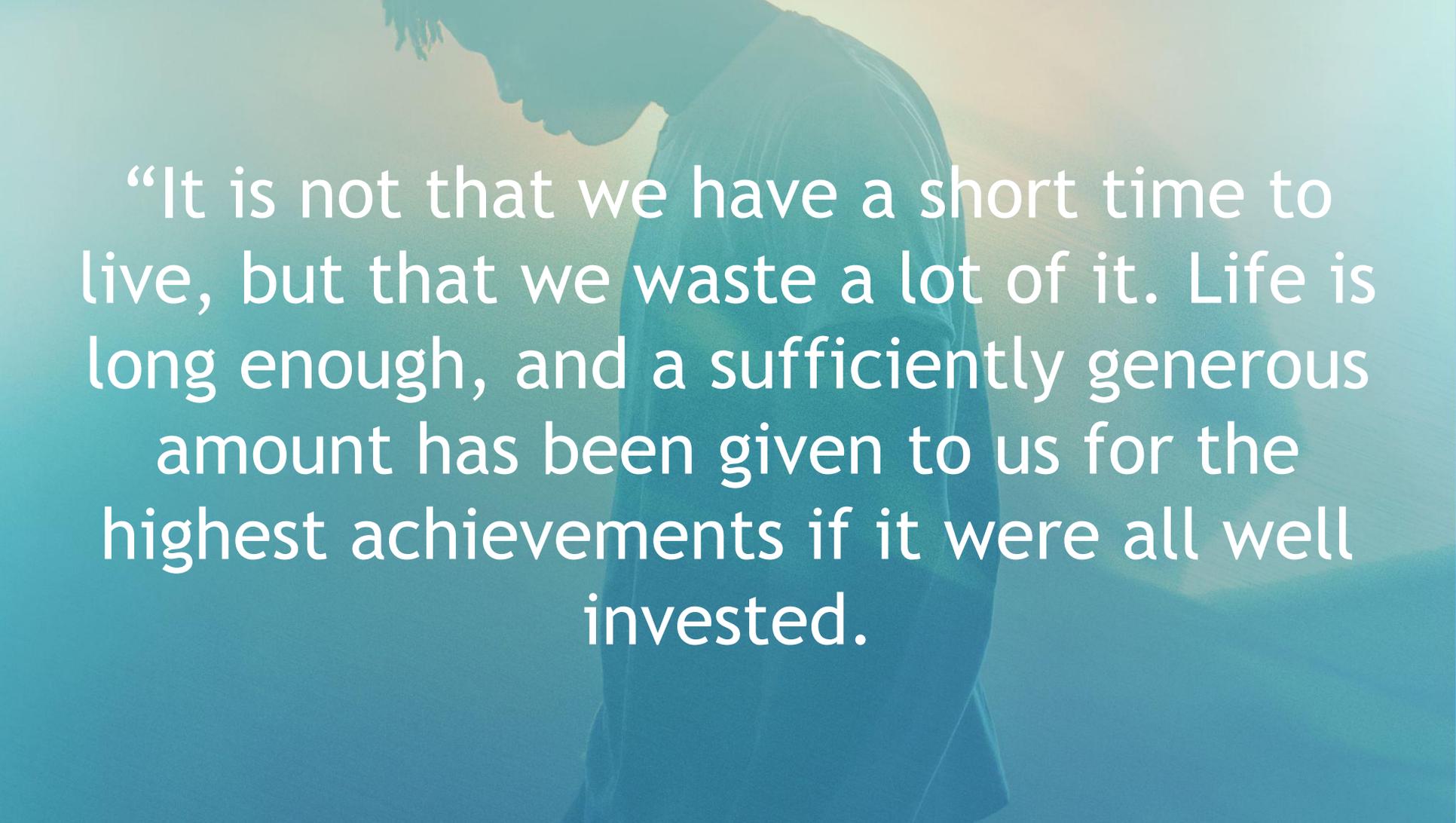
Whose kingdom are you building? If you are building your own kingdom, do not expect God to bless it.

³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

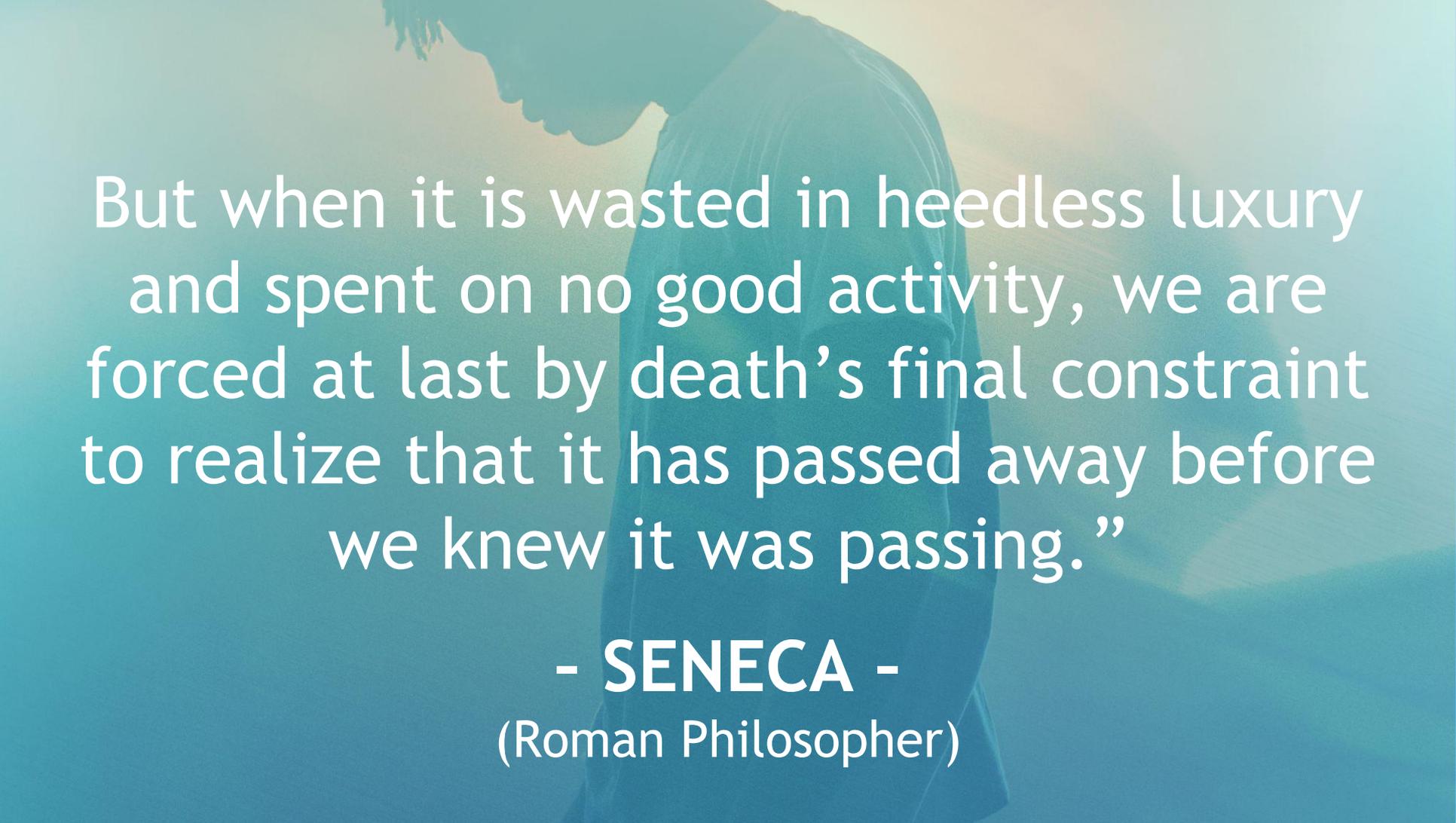
MATTHEW 6:33

¹² Teach us to number our days, that we
may gain a heart of wisdom.

PSALM 90:12

A person in a dark suit is shown from the chest up, looking down. The image is overlaid with a teal gradient. A quote is centered over the image in white text.

“It is not that we have a short time to live, but that we waste a lot of it. Life is long enough, and a sufficiently generous amount has been given to us for the highest achievements if it were all well invested.



But when it is wasted in heedless luxury
and spent on no good activity, we are
forced at last by death's final constraint
to realize that it has passed away before
we knew it was passing.”

- **SENECA** -
(Roman Philosopher)

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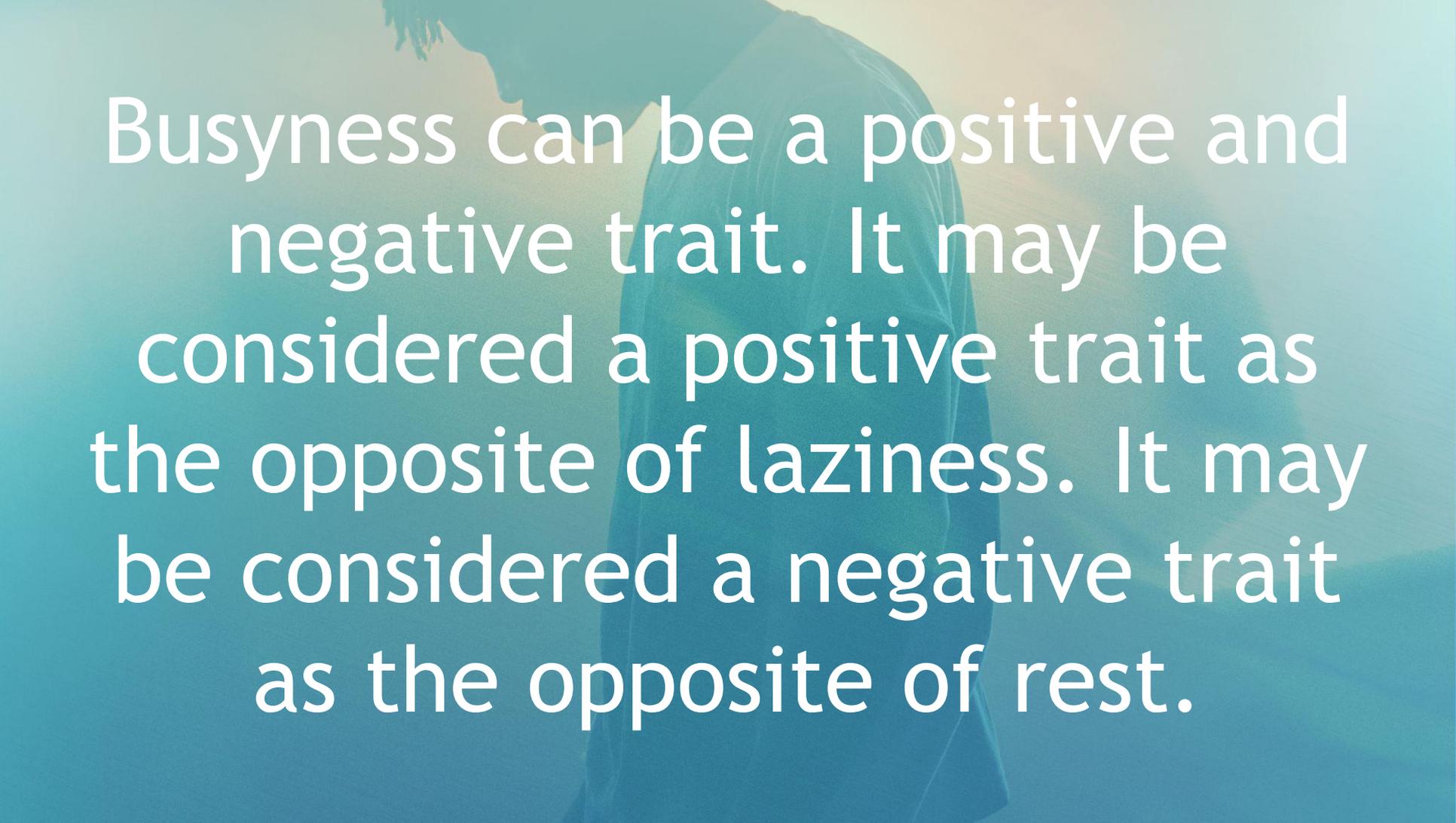
**“BUSY WITH
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grain, the new wine, the olive oil and
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on people and livestock, and on all the
labour of your hands.”

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A person in a dark suit is walking, their figure partially obscured by a teal gradient overlay. The text is centered over the image in a white, sans-serif font.

Busyness can be a positive and negative trait. It may be considered a positive trait as the opposite of laziness. It may be considered a negative trait as the opposite of rest.

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Busyness often prioritizes what you want to do and reprioritizes what you ought to do.

“[God] does not live in temples made
of human hands.”

ACTS 7:48 & 17:24

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On a personal level, we need to busy ourselves with what is happening inside of us by caring for our own souls.

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On a corporate level, we need
to busy ourselves with the
gathering of believers and the
mission of the church.

²⁴ And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, ²⁵ not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another.

HEBREWS 10:24-25

¹ Now about the collection for the Lord's people: Do what I told the Galatian churches to do. ² On the first day of every week, each one of you should set aside a sum of money in keeping with your income, saving it up, so that when I come no collections will have to be made.

1 CORINTHIANS 16:1-2

⁷ On the first day of the week we came together to break bread. Paul spoke to the people and, because he intended to leave the next day, kept on talking until midnight.

ACTS 20:7

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**“STIRRED UP
THE SPIRIT”**

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And the people feared the LORD. ¹³ Then Haggai, the LORD's messenger, gave this message of the LORD to the people: "I am with you," declares the LORD. ¹⁴ So the LORD stirred up the spirit of Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah,

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and the spirit of Joshua son of Jozadak,
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and began to work on the house of the
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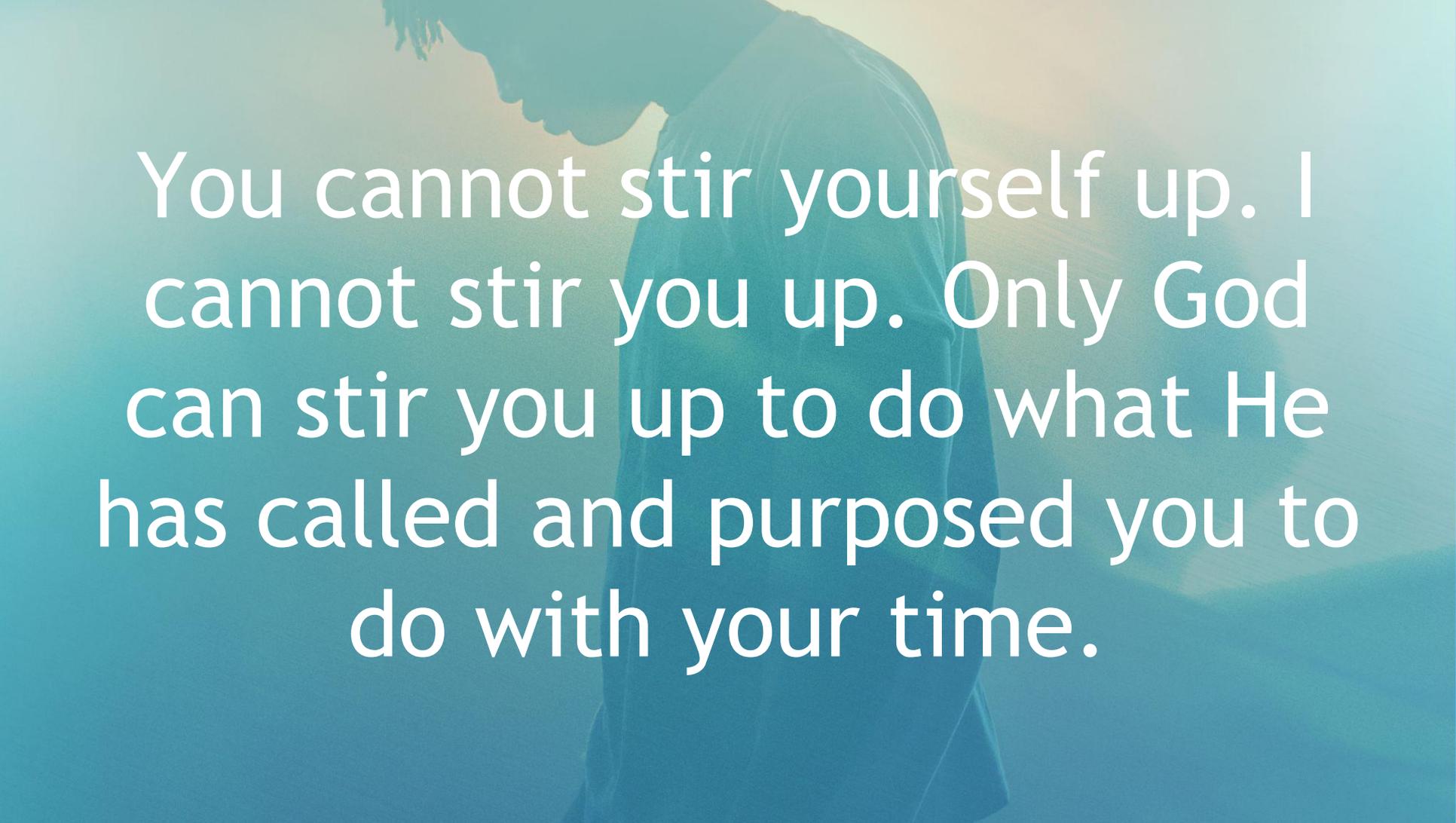
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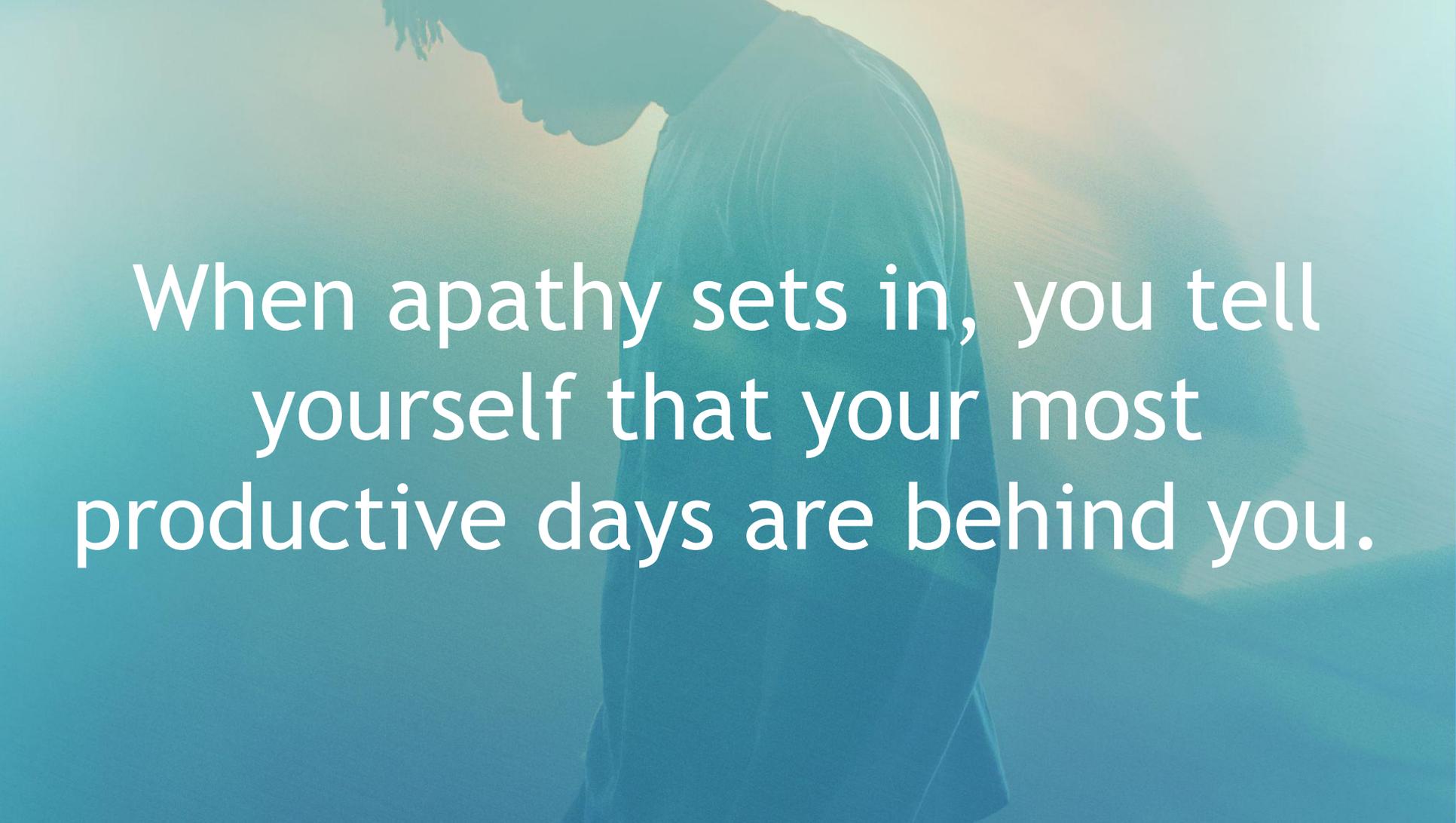
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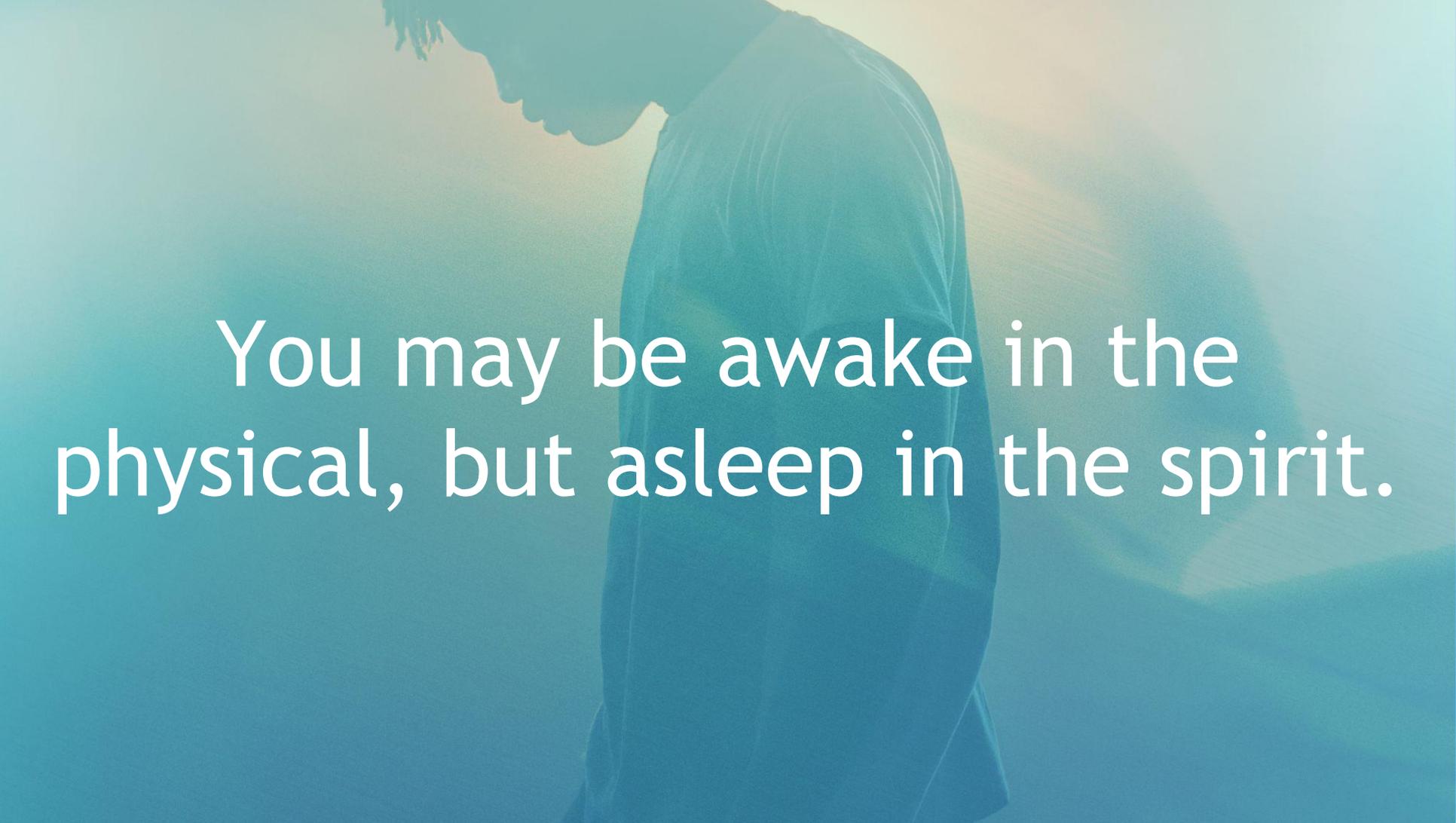
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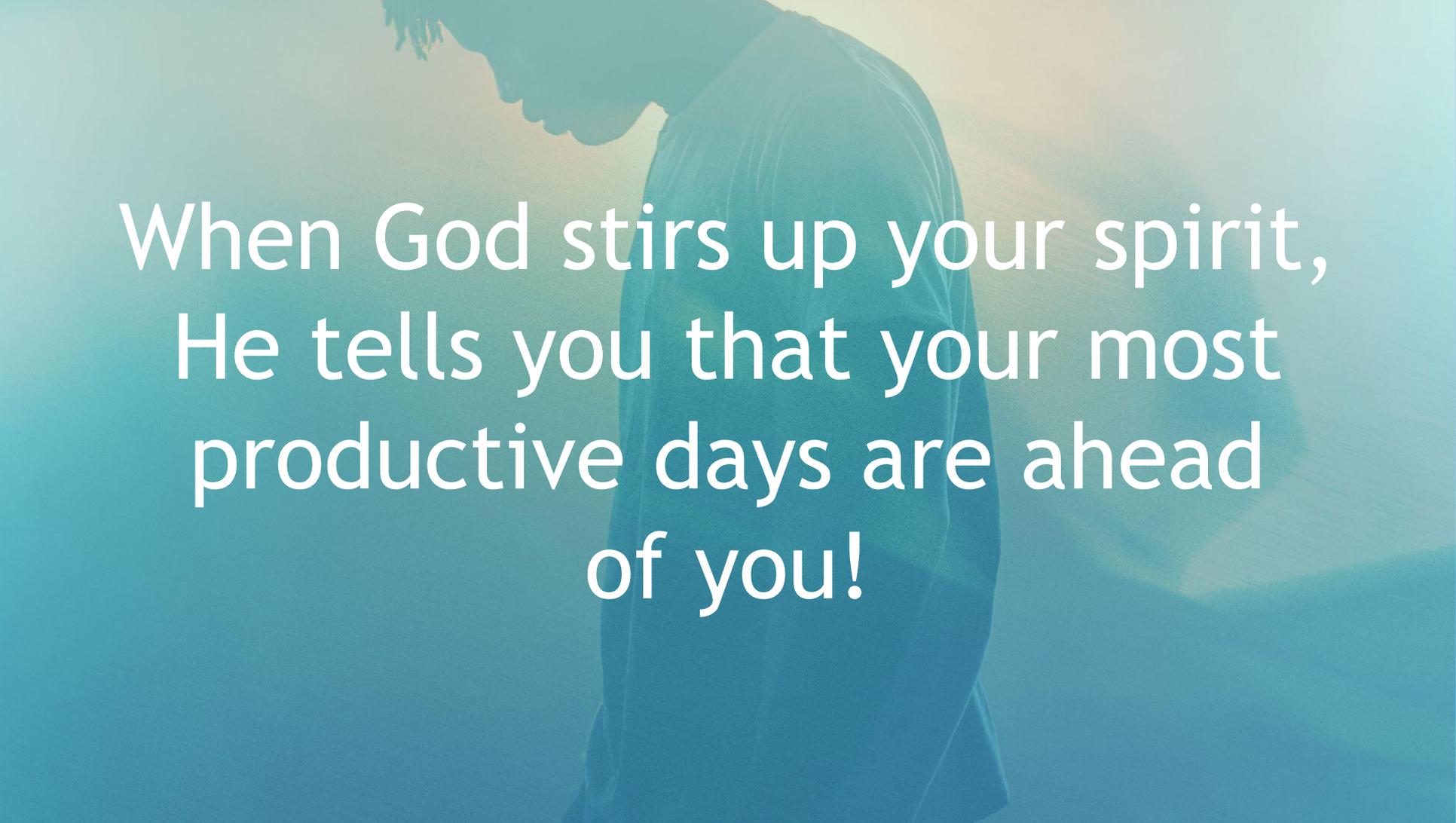
You cannot stir yourself up. I cannot stir you up. Only God can stir you up to do what He has called and purposed you to do with your time.

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When apathy sets in, you tell
yourself that your most
productive days are behind you.

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When God stirs up your spirit,
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productive days are ahead
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YEARS || MONTHS || DAYS

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