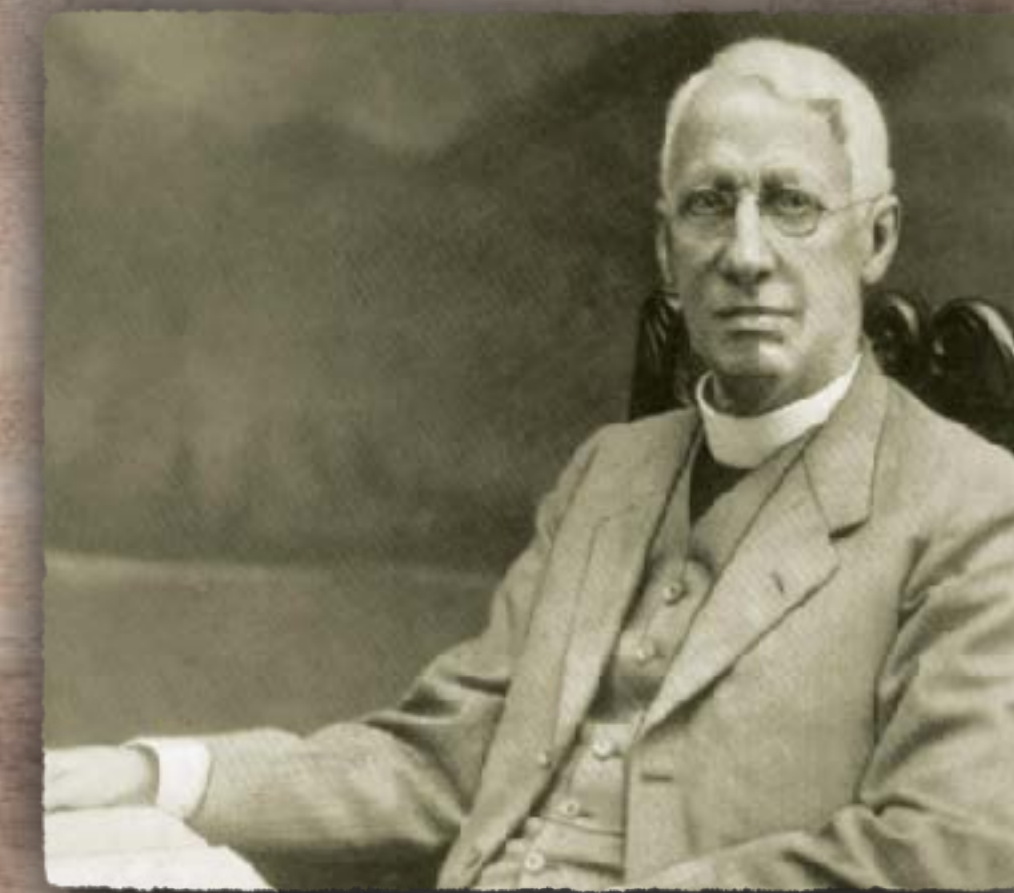






G. Campbell Morgan
1863 - 1945

“Waiting for God is not laziness. Waiting for God is not going to sleep. Waiting for God is not the abandonment of effort. Waiting for God means, first, activity under command; second, readiness for any new command that may come; third, the ability to do nothing until the command is given.”

ATHEY CREEK

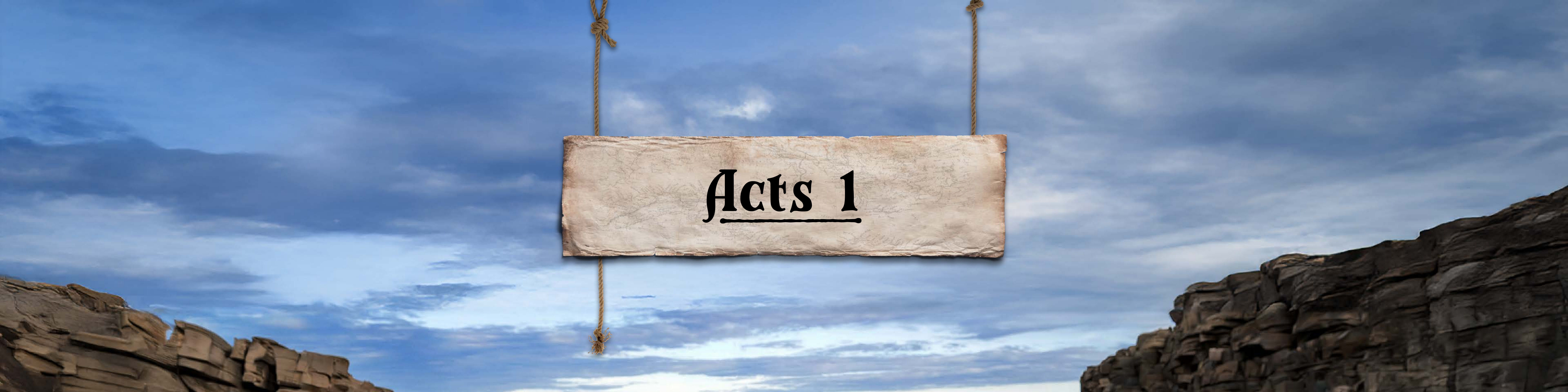
ACTS

OF THE APOSTLES



***“In my opinion the
proper title for the
Book of Acts would be:
The Lord Jesus Christ
at Work by the
Holy Spirit through
the Apostles.”***

J. Vernon McGee
1904 - 1988

A title card for the book of Acts, chapter 1. The text "Acts 1" is written in a black, serif font on a rectangular, aged parchment sign. The sign is suspended by two thick, brown ropes that are knotted at the top and bottom. The background consists of a bright blue sky with wispy white clouds, and dark, layered rock formations are visible at the bottom left and right corners.

Acts 1

¹Forasmuch as many have taken in hand to set forth in order a declaration of those things which are most surely believed among us, ²even as they delivered them unto us, which from the beginning were eyewitnesses, and ministers of the word; ³it seemed good to me also, having had perfect understanding of all things from the very first, to write unto thee in order, most excellent Theophilus, ⁴that thou mightest know the certainty of those things, wherein thou hast been instructed.

❖ **Luke 1:1-4**

EYEWITNESS

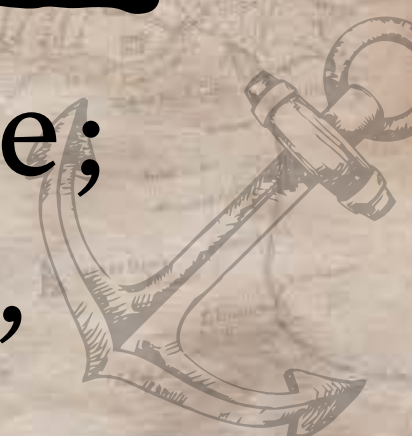
Luke 1:2

- Greek -

αὐτόπτης

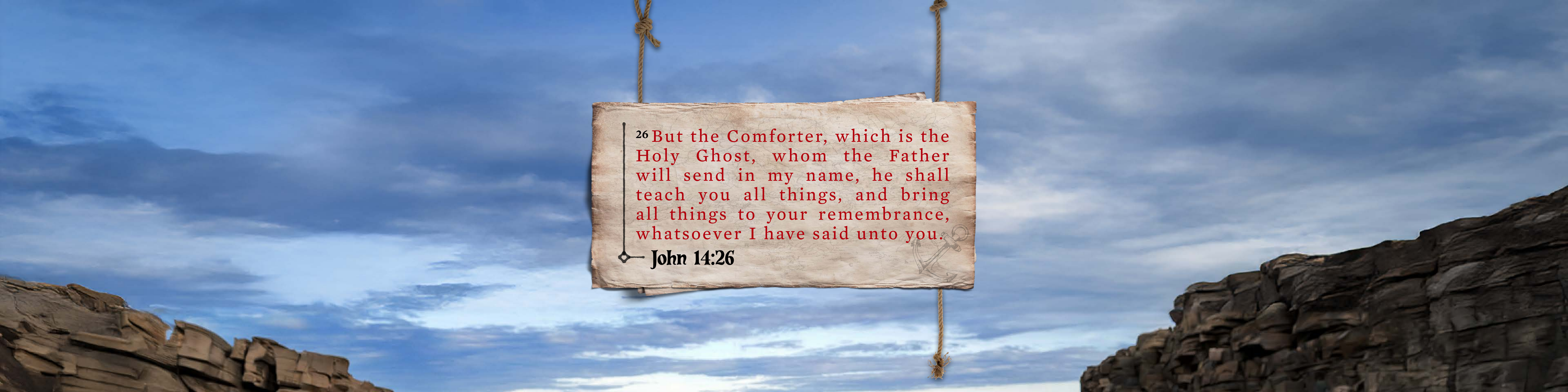
AUTÓPTĒS

seeing with one's own eye;
a medical term: autopsy,
a detailed examination



17 And from Miletus he sent to Ephesus, and called the elders of the church. 18 And when they were come to him, he said unto them, Ye know, from the first day that I came into Asia, after what manner I have been with you at all seasons, 19 serving the Lord with all humility of mind, and with many tears, and temptations, which befell me by the lying in wait of the Jews: 20 and how I kept back nothing that was profitable unto you, but have shewed you, and have taught you publickly, and from house to house,

— Acts 20:17-20

A parchment scroll is suspended by a thick rope from above, hanging in the center of the frame. The background consists of a vast blue sky filled with soft, white clouds. On either side of the scroll, dark, layered rock formations or cliffs are visible, suggesting a coastal or mountainous setting. The scroll itself is aged and slightly wrinkled, with a small anchor illustration in the bottom right corner. The text on the scroll is written in a red, serif font.

²⁶ But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you.

— John 14:26

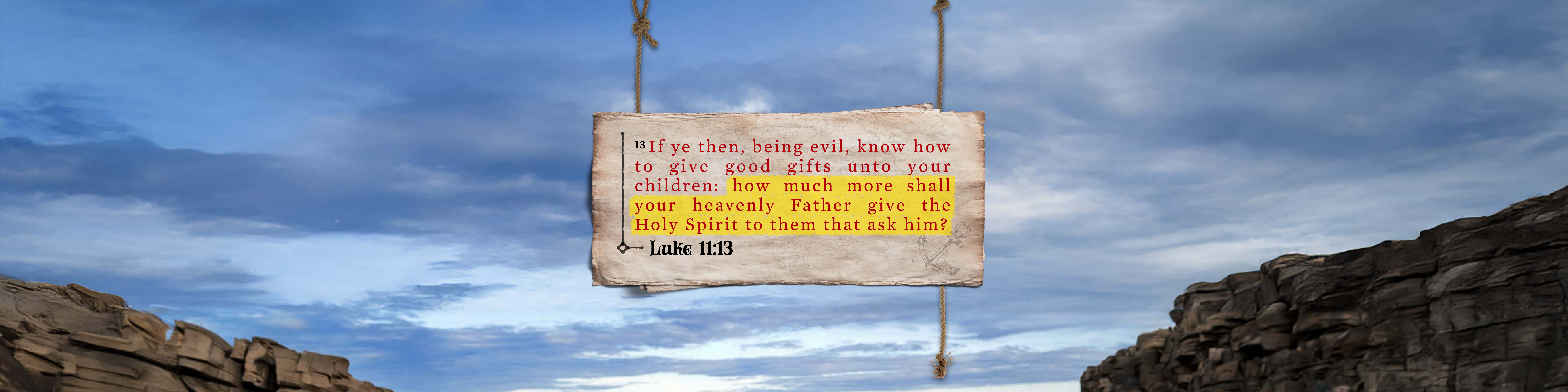
⁷ Nevertheless I tell you the truth; It is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send him unto you. ⁸ And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: ⁹ of sin, because they believe not on me; ¹⁰ of righteousness, because I go to my Father, and ye see me no more; ¹¹ of judgment, because the prince of this world is judged. ¹² I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now.

— John 16:7-12

¹⁶ And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; ¹⁷ even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.

— John 14:16-17





¹³ If ye then, being evil, know how
to give good gifts unto your
children: how much more shall
your heavenly Father give the
Holy Spirit to them that ask him?

— Luke 11:13

¹Behold, the day of the LORD cometh,
and thy spoil shall be divided in the
midst of thee. ²For I will gather all
nations against Jerusalem to battle;
and the city shall be taken, and the
houses rifled, and the women ravished;
and half of the city shall go forth into
captivity, and the residue of the people
shall not be cut off from the city.
³Then shall the LORD go forth, and
fight against those nations, as when he
fought in the day of battle...

◆ Zechariah 14:1-5



...⁴And his feet shall stand in that day upon the mount of Olives, which is before Jerusalem on the east, and the mount of Olives shall cleave in the midst thereof toward the east and toward the west, and there shall be a very great valley; and half of the mountain shall remove toward the north, and half of it toward the south. ⁵And ye shall flee to the valley of the mountains...

❖ **Zechariah 14:1-5**



PRAYER

Acts 1:14

- Greek -

προσευχή

PROSEUCHĒ

prayer addressed to God

SUPPLICATION

Acts 1:14

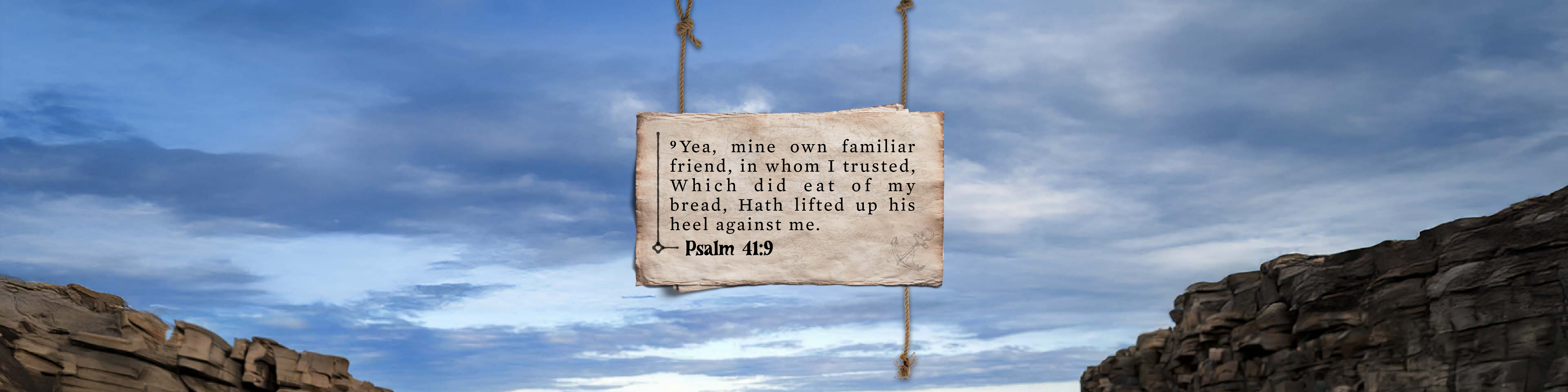
- Greek -

δέησις

DÉĒSIS

need, want;
a seeking, asking,
entreaty, request





⁹Yea, mine own familiar
friend, in whom I trusted,
Which did eat of my
bread, Hath lifted up his
heel against me.

— Psalm 41:9



27 Then answered Peter and said unto him, Behold, we have forsaken all, and followed thee; what shall we have therefore? 28 And Jesus said unto them, Verily I say unto you, That ye which have followed me, in the regeneration when the Son of man shall sit in the throne of his glory, ye also shall sit upon twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

— Matthew 19:27-28



