



The Curse of Sin

Lesson 2 (3:1 – 5:32)

4. List the curses/judgements pronounced as a result of man's sin (v. 14-19).

- Serpent

- Cursed more than cattle or beast
- Crawl and eat dust
- Enmity with mankind
- Enmity between seeds
- Bruise heel/head
- Mystery to be revealed in Christ (1 Cor. 2:6-9; Isa. 25:7-9; 1 Cor. 15:55-57)

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- Woman
 - Pain in childbirth
 - Desire for husband
 - Subjection to man
 - Constant reminder

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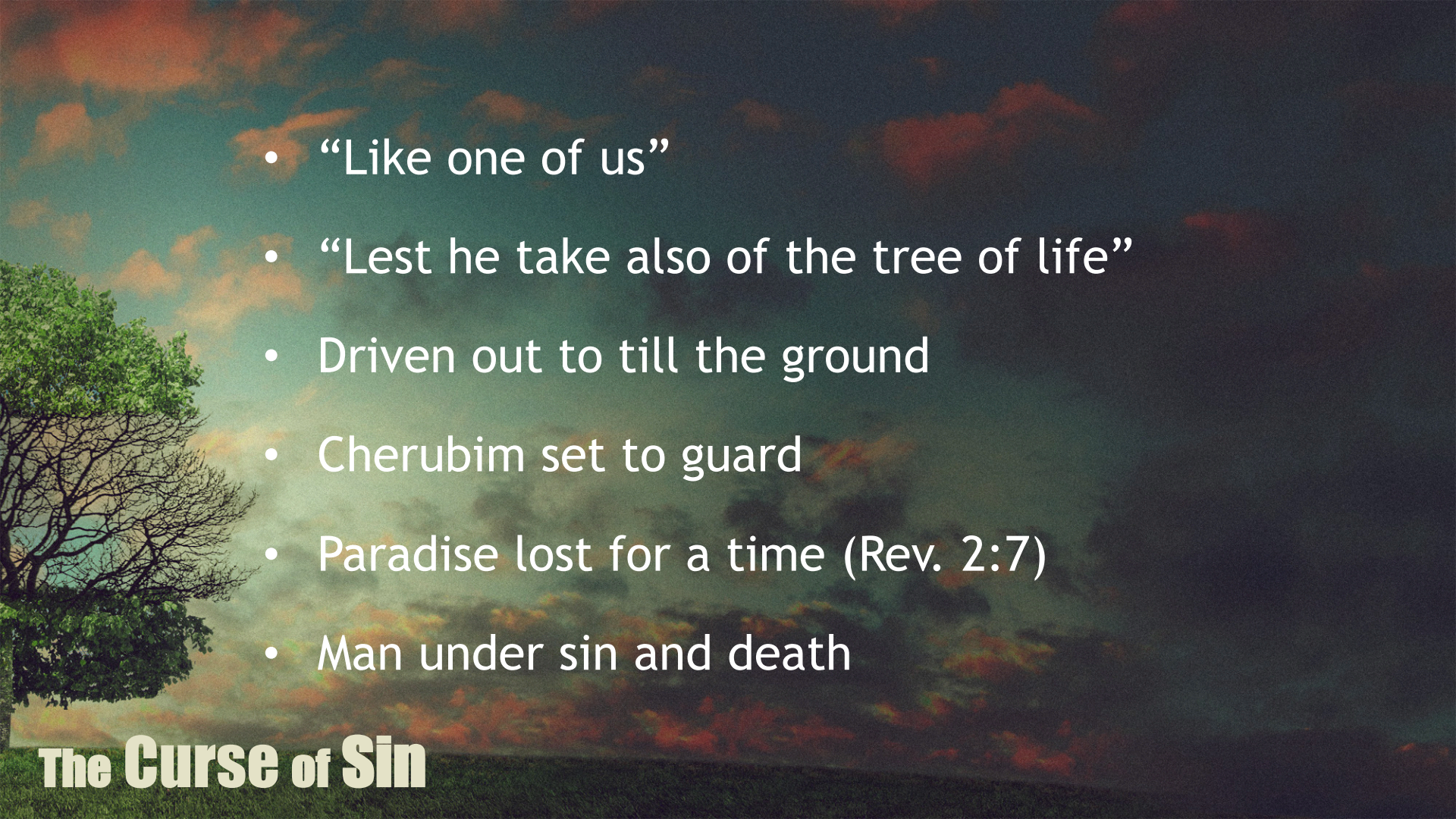
- Adam
 - Cursed is the ground
 - Thorns and thistles
 - Labor for food
 - Return to dust

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5. With what did God clothe Adam and Eve?

- Skin of an animal
- Significance of God clothing them after the attempted to do so.
- A death to atone for sin (Heb. 9:18-22)

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- “Like one of us”
 - “Lest he take also of the tree of life”
 - Driven out to till the ground
 - Cherubim set to guard
 - Paradise lost for a time (Rev. 2:7)
 - Man under sin and death

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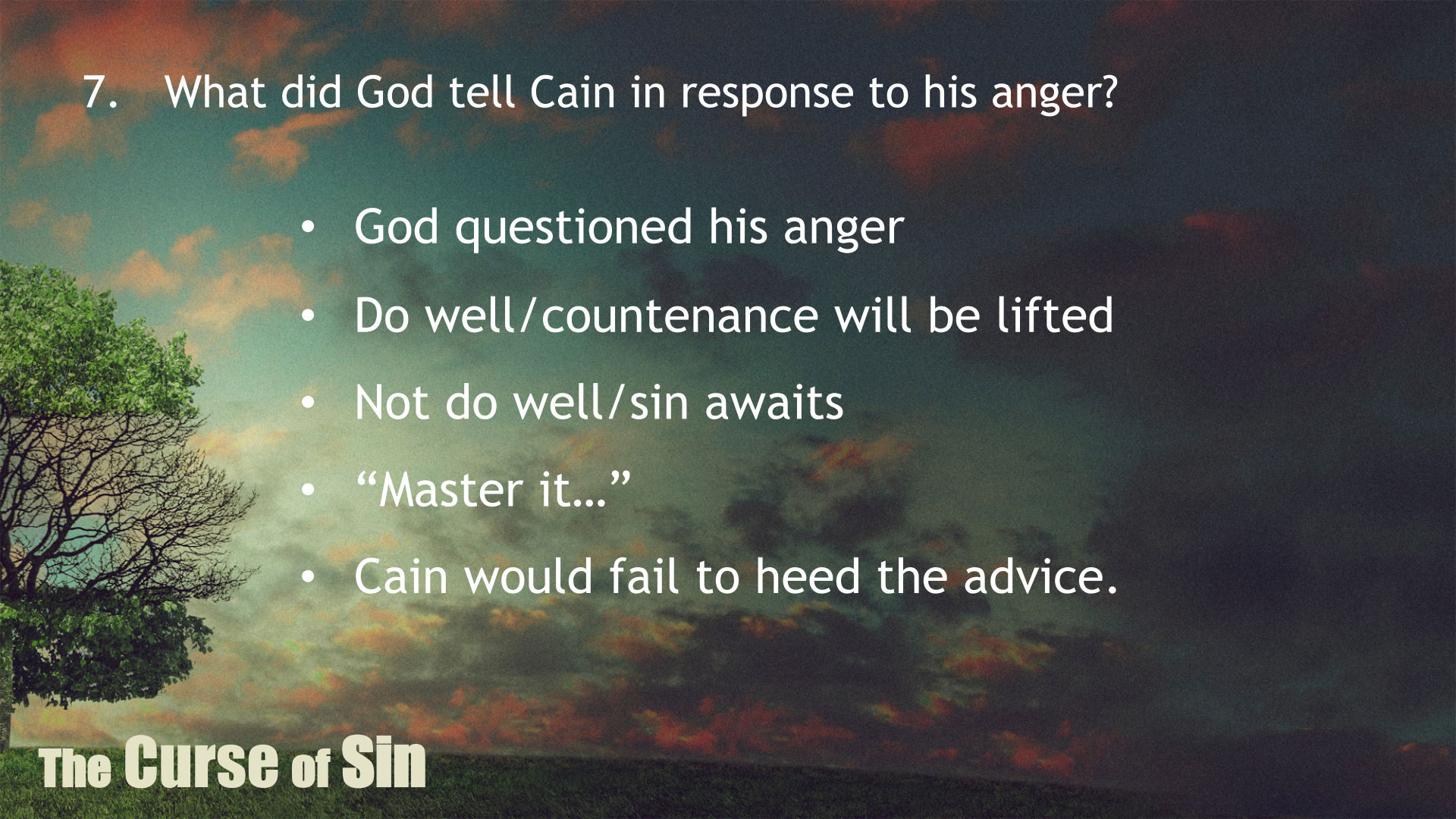
6. What sacrifices did Cain and Abel offer and why did God have “regard” for one and “no regard” for the other? (Heb. 11:4; 1 Jn. 3:12; Jude 11)

Abel

- Firstlings of flock
- “Regard”
- Did well
- Faithful
- Obedient
- Righteous

Cain

- Fruit of the ground
- “No regard”
- Did not
- Faithless
- Rebellious
- Evil



7. What did God tell Cain in response to his anger?

- God questioned his anger
- Do well/countenance will be lifted
- Not do well/sin awaits
- “Master it...”
- Cain would fail to heed the advice.

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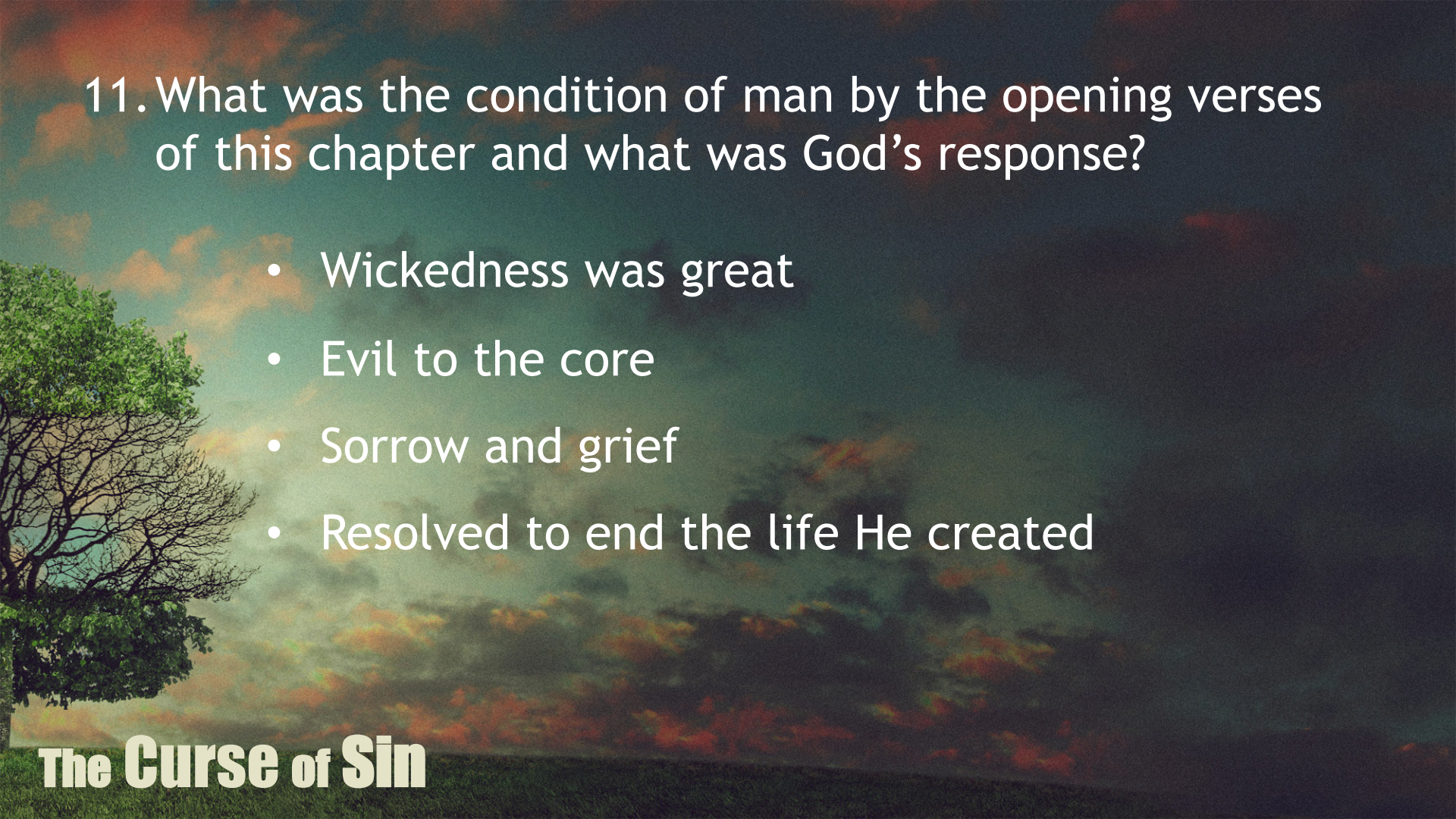
8. What lessons might we learn from God's admonition of Cain in our own struggle with sin?

- God's ways/man's ways (Isa. 55:8-9; Prov. 16:2)
- Constantly on guard (Job 1; Lk. 22:31; Rom. 7:8)
- Progression of sin (2 Sam. 11; Jas. 1:14-15)
- Nothing hidden (Jer. 23:24; Dan. 2:22; Heb. 4:13)
- We can overcome (1 Cor 10:13; Rom 6:12-14; Col 3:5-6)
- Consequences remain

9. From Adam until Noah. what repeated phrase is used of each man listed, with the exception of Enoch? How was he different?

- “And had other sons and daughters...”
- “... And he died”
- Enoch was different in that “God took him”
- Incredible life spans
- Proof of inspiration

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11. What was the condition of man by the opening verses of this chapter and what was God's response?

- Wickedness was great
- Evil to the core
- Sorrow and grief
- Resolved to end the life He created

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