

THE MOST EXCELLENT WAY

LOVE



“IT DOES NOT DISHONOUR
OTHERS...”

1 COR.13:5 NIV

LOVE IS HONOURING



Jesus Honoured Others



Honour is humble and serves others.





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Honour has eyes to see, pays attention and gives quality time.





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Honour loves people at their worst and continues to see the gold inside of them.





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Honour brings hope and love to those who are rejected and despised.



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DISHONOUR

TO ACT ILL MANNERED

TO DISPLAY IMPROPER OR RUDE
CONDUCT.

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“Finally, all of you be of one mind, having compassion for one another; love as brothers, tenderhearted, **courteous.**”

1 Pet. 3:8 NKJV

“...show perfect **courtesy** to all people...”

Titus 3:2.

“...then peace-loving (**courteous, considerate**)...”

James 3:17 AMP

Courteous

MANNERS
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**Courtesy, is as
much a mark of
a gentleman as
courage.**

Teddy Roosevelt





We can be courteous to people by

- **listening actively**
- **using kind and polite language and words**
- **offering assistance**
- **being punctual**
- **apologising when necessary**
- **giving compliments**
- **respecting cultural customs**
- **showing gratitude**

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Really big people are, above everything else, courteous, considerate and generous — not just to some people in some circumstances — but to everyone all the time.

Thomas J. Watson



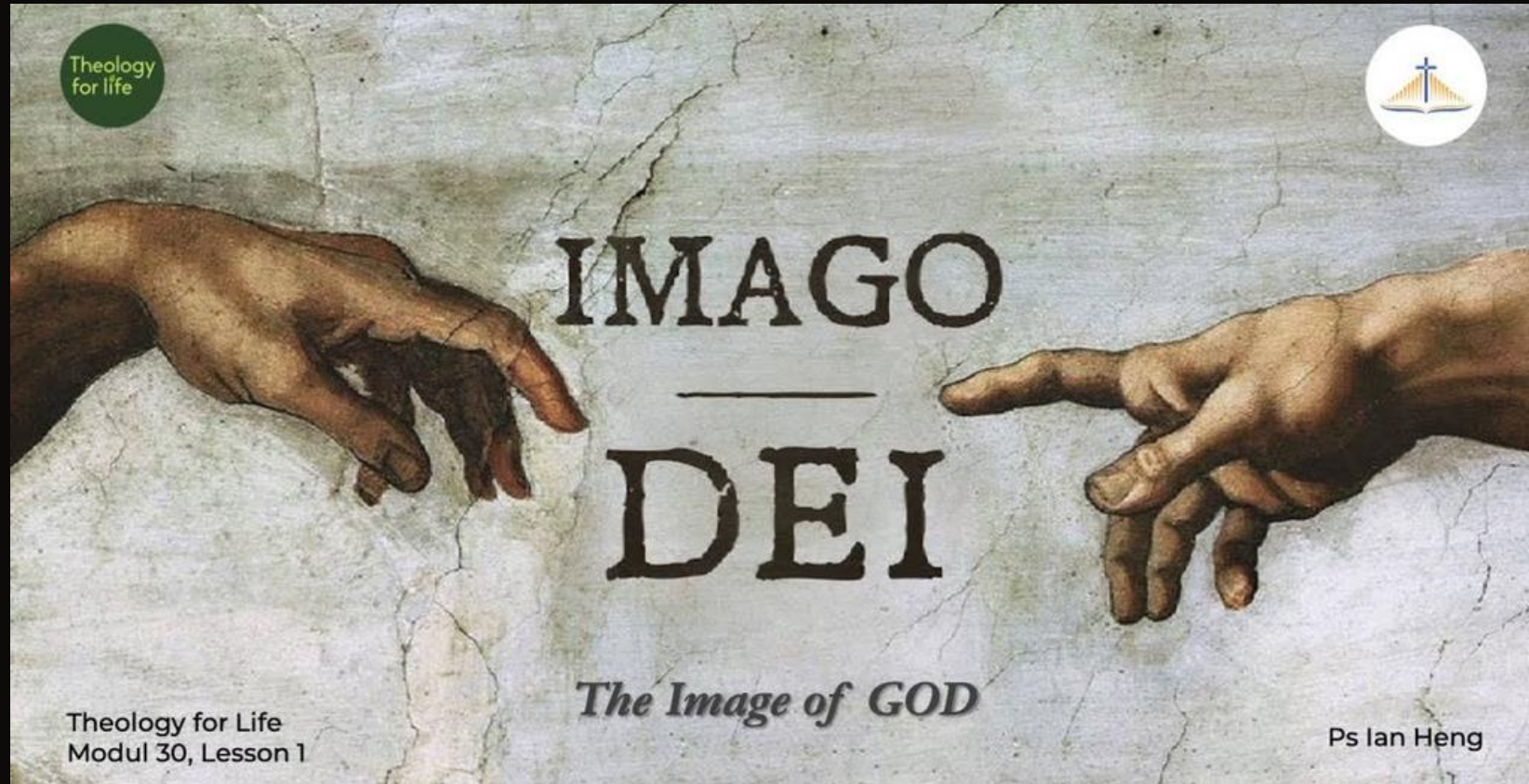


To honour is to place proper value and importance on something, to esteem something to the highest degree and to show dignity and respect.

Honour recognises others as valuable creations of God, deserving of dignity and respect and courtesy.

DIGNITY





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Genesis 1:26 (NIV)

“Then God said, “Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness...”

“you have crowned him with glory and **honor**, putting everything in subjection under his feet.”

Hebrews 2:6-8 ESV

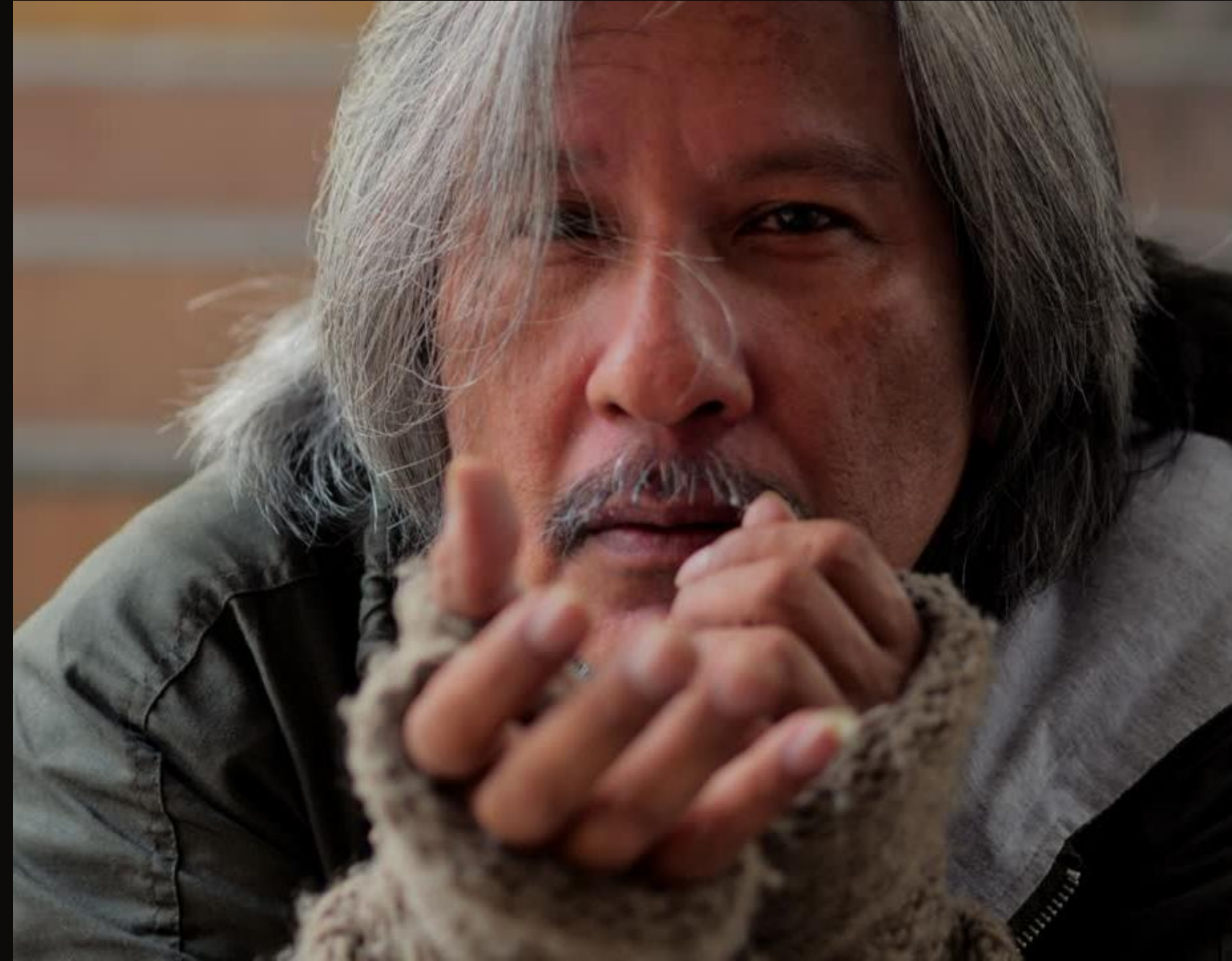
Imago Dei - Image of God





**Your calling is to fulfill the royal law of love as given to us in this Scripture:
“You must love and value your neighbor as you love and value yourself!”**

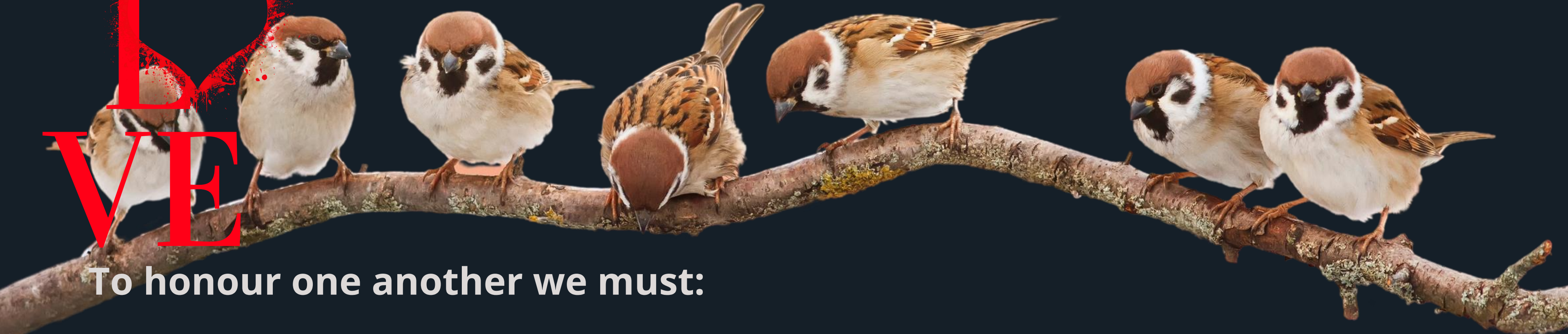
For keeping this law is the noble way to live. But when you show prejudice you commit sin and you violate this royal law of love!



James 2:1-9



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To honour one another we must:

1. Value One Another

'What is the price of two sparrows—one copper coin? But not a single sparrow can fall to the ground without your Father knowing it. And the very hairs on your head are all numbered. So don't be afraid; you are more valuable to God than a whole flock of sparrows.'

Matthew 10:29-31



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To honour one another we must:

2. Show Humility

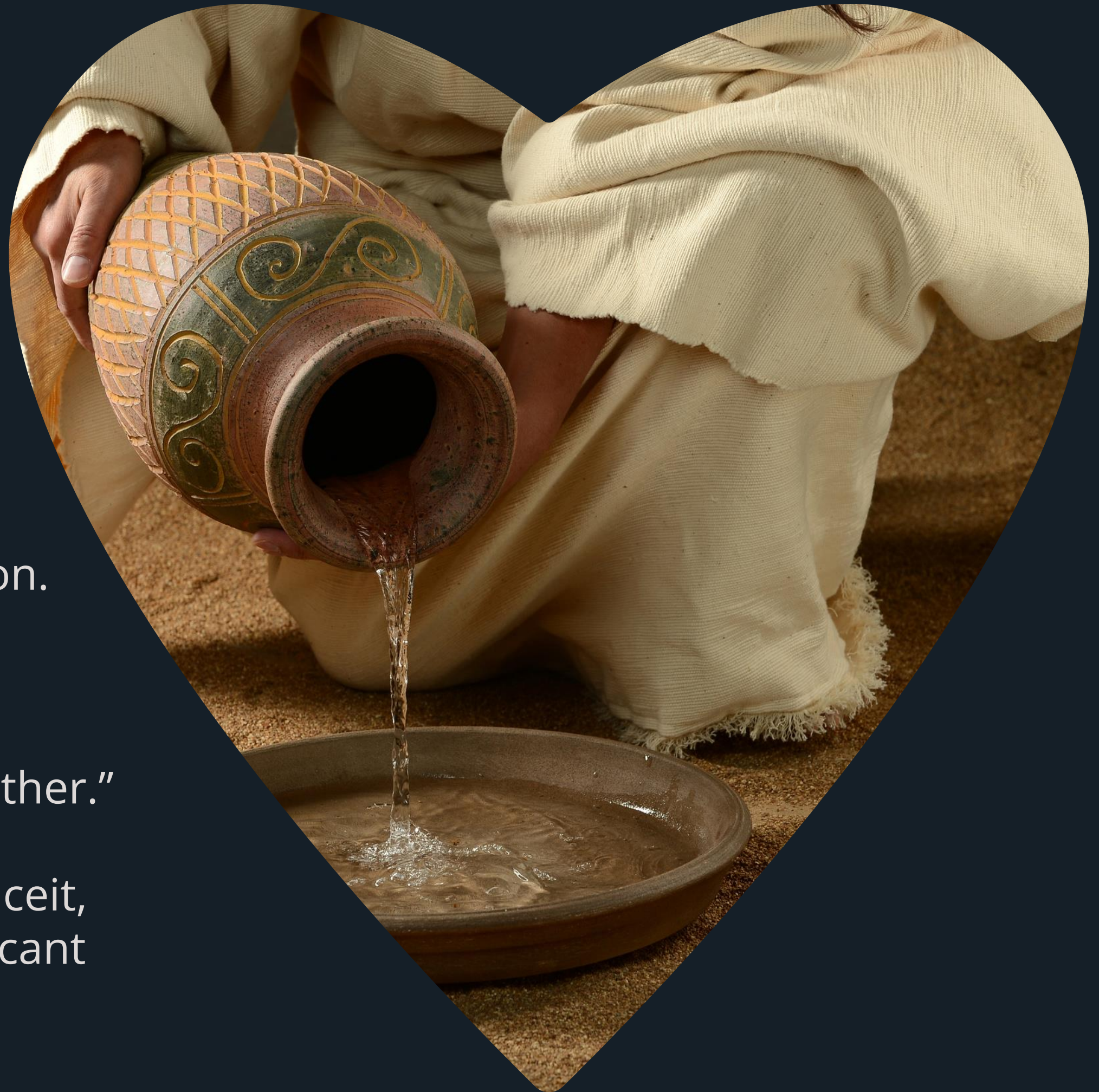
'Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor.'

Romans 12:10 ESV

NLT: "...take delight in honouring each other."

'Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.'

Philippians 2:3



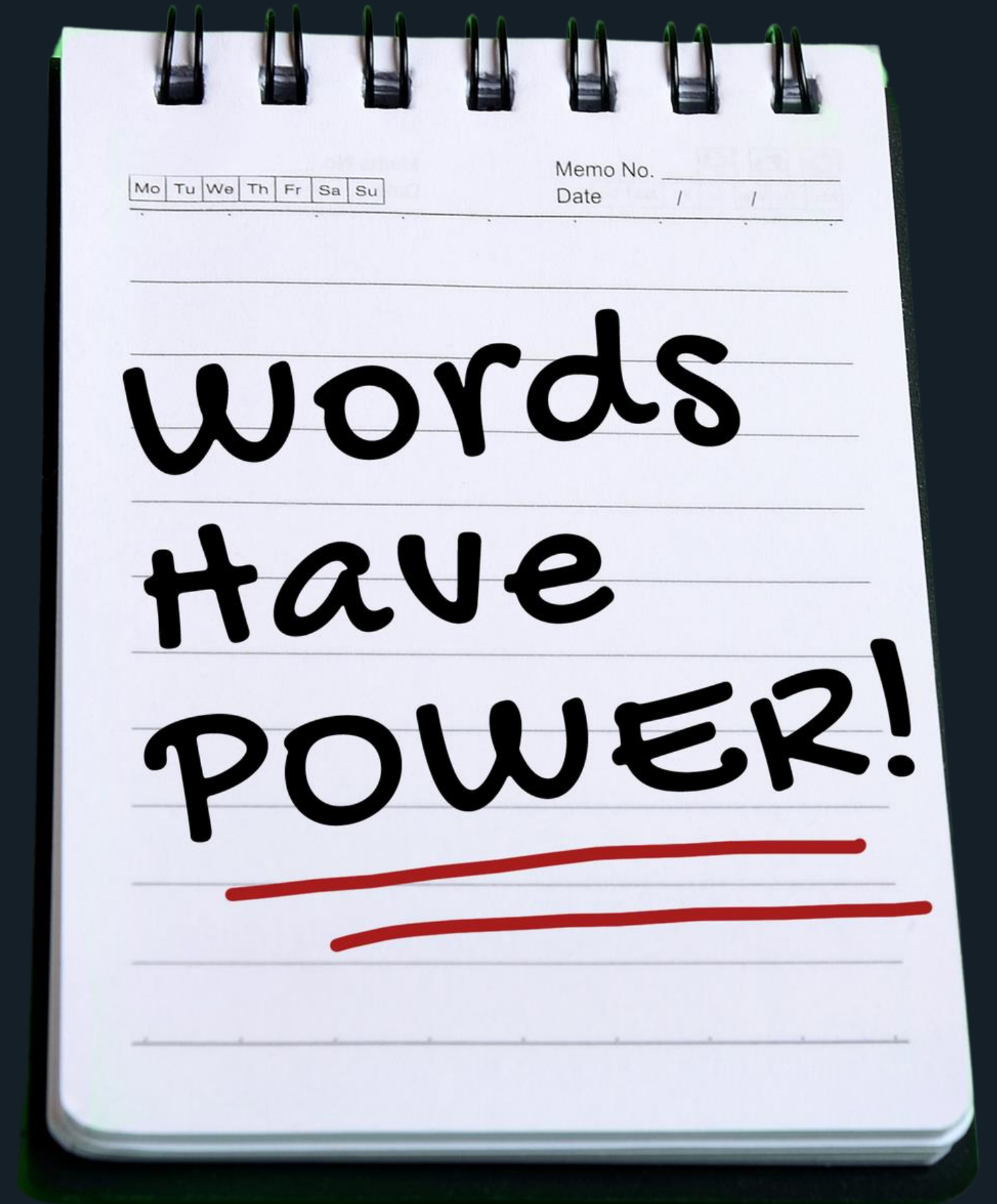
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To honour one another we must:

3. Show Respect

Honour and respect go hand in hand.

'Honor everyone. Love the brotherhood.
Fear God. Honor the emperor.' 1
Pet.2:17



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To honour one another we must:

4. Practice Grace and Kindness

The people we are called to honour have faults, weakness and sin as we do



THE BIBLE TEACHES SHOWING HONOUR TO THOSE IN AUTHORITY:

- Honour God
- Honour parents. Matt. 19:19, Eph. 6:2
- Honour spouse – Heb.13:4, 1 Pet.3:7
- Honour governing authorities – Rom.13:1-7
- Honour spiritual leaders – 1 Thess. 5:12
- Honour everyone

HONOR

