

**HOPE for the JOURNEY
ENDURING the TRIALS of LIFE**



Genesis 2:5-6

5 For I, the Lord God, created all things of which I have spoken spiritually, before they were naturally upon the face of the earth;

6 And I, the Lord God, had created **all** the children of men, and not yet a man to till the ground, **for in heaven created I them**, and there was not yet flesh upon the earth, neither in the water, neither in the air;

Genesis 3:1-5

1 And I, the Lord God, spake unto Moses, saying, That Satan whom thou hast commanded in the name of mine Only Begotten, is the same which was from the beginning;

2 And he came before me, saying, Behold I, send me, I will be thy Son, and I will redeem all mankind, that one soul shall not be lost, and surely I will do it; wherefore, give me thine honor.

3 But behold, my beloved Son, which was my beloved and chosen from the beginning, said unto me: Father, thy will be done, and the glory be thine forever.

*4 Wherefore, because that Satan rebelled against me, and sought to destroy the agency of man, which I, the Lord God, had given him; and also that I should give unto him mine own power; by the power of mine Only Begotten I caused that he should be cast down; and he became Satan.

5 Yea, even the devil, the father of all lies, to deceive, and to blind men, and to lead them captive at his will, even as many as would not hearken unto my voice.

D&C 28:10a-c for, behold, the Devil was before Adam, for he rebelled against me, saying,

10b Give me thine honor, which is my power; and also a third part of the hosts of heaven turned he away from me because of their agency;

10c and they were thrust down, and thus became the Devil and his angels; and, behold, there is a place prepared for them from the beginning, which place is hell;

D&C 28:12a-c

12a But, behold, I say unto you, that I, the Lord God, gave unto Adam and unto his seed, that they should not die as to the temporal death, until I, the Lord God, should send forth angels to declare unto them repentance and redemption through faith on the name of mine only begotten Son;

12b and thus did I, the Lord God, appoint unto man the days of his probation;

12c that by his natural death, he might be raised in immortality unto eternal life, even as many as would believe

Genesis 3:3

**But behold, my beloved Son,
which was my beloved and
chosen from the beginning, said
unto me: Father, thy will be done,
and the glory be thine forever.**

John 3:16

**For God so loved the world,
that he gave his Only
Begotten Son, that
whosoever believeth on him
should not perish; but have
everlasting life.**



Alma 13:45-46 And Aaron did expound unto him the scriptures, from the creation of Adam, laying the fall of man before him, and their carnal state, and also the plan of redemption, which was prepared from the foundation of the world, through Christ, for all whosoever would believe on his name. 46 And since man had fallen, he could not merit anything of himself; but the sufferings and death of Christ atoneth for their sins, through faith and repentance,

2 Nephi 1:71-72 Wherefore, redemption cometh in and through the holy Messiah: for he is full of grace and truth. 72 Behold, he offereth himself a sacrifice for sin, to answer the ends of the law, unto all those who have a broken heart and a contrite spirit; and unto none else can the ends of the law be answered.

Alma 19:71 Now the decrees of God are unalterable; therefore the way is prepared, that whosoever will, may walk therein and be saved.

Alma 18:11-12 Alma talking to his son, Shiblon said: And now my son, I have told you this, that ye may learn wisdom, that ye may learn of me that there is no other way nor means whereby man can be saved, only in and through Christ. 12 Behold, he is the life and the **light** of the world. Behold, he is the word of truth and righteousness.

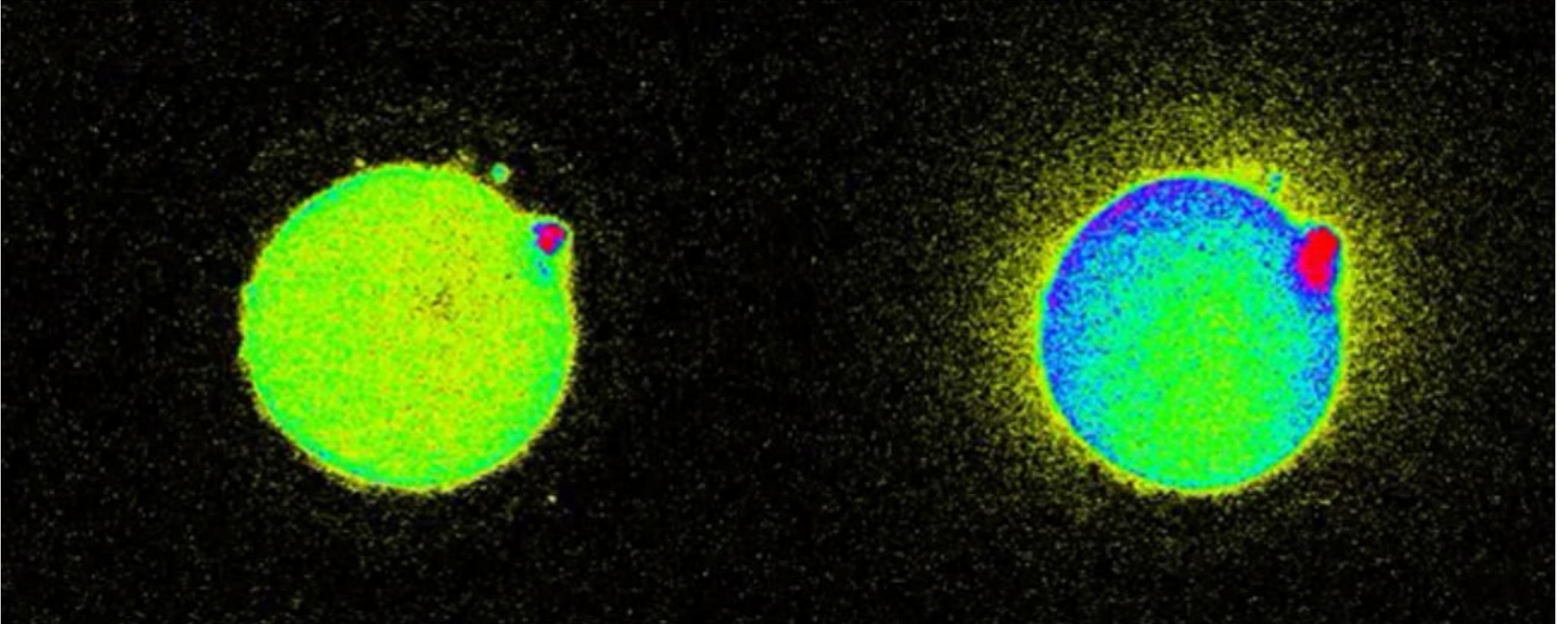
Jeremiah 31:34

34 And they shall teach no more every man his neighbor, and every man his brother, saying, Know the Lord; for they shall all know me, from the least of them unto the greatest of them, saith the Lord; for I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.

In **D&C 83:7b-e**

7b For the word of the Lord is truth, and whatsoever is truth is light, and **whatsoever is light is Spirit**, even the Spirit of Jesus Christ;

7c and the Spirit **giveth light to every man that cometh into the world**; and the Spirit **enlighteneth every man** through the world, that **hearkeneth** to the voice of the Spirit;



Continuing in section 83,
7d and everyone that hearkeneth to the voice of
the Spirit, cometh unto God, even the Father;
7e and the Father teacheth him of the covenant
which he has renewed and confirmed upon you,
which is **confirmed upon you for your sakes,**
and not for your sakes only, but for **the sake of**
the whole world:

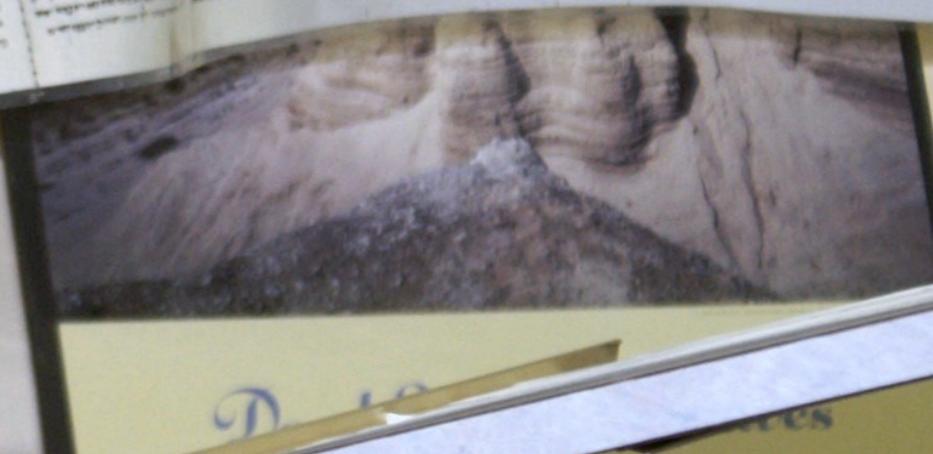
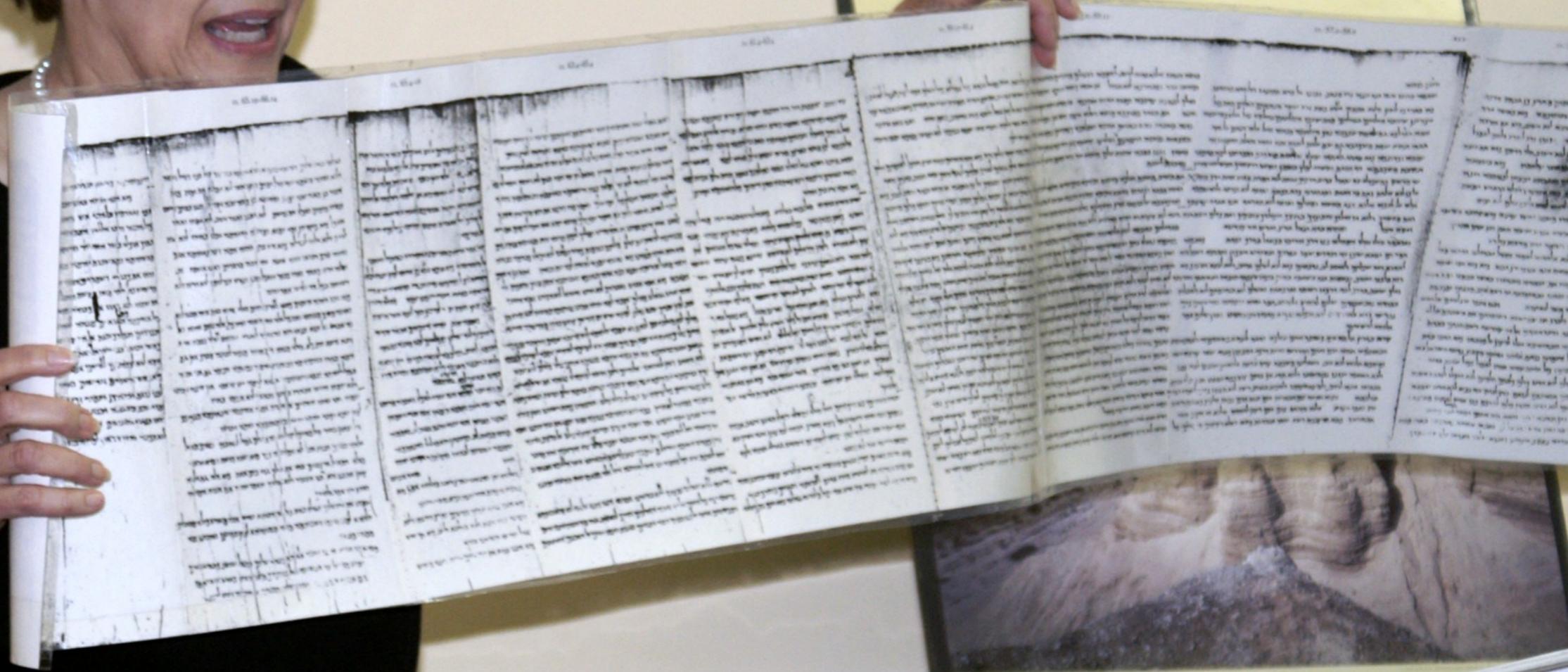
Mosiah 9:41

41 Now I say unto you, If this be the desire of your hearts, what have you against being baptized in the name of the Lord, as a witness before him that ye have entered into a covenant with him that ye will serve him and keep his commandments, that he **may pour out his Spirit more abundantly upon you?**

DC 39:2b And this is my gospel: repentance and baptism by water, and then cometh the baptism of fire and the Holy Ghost, even the Comforter, which showeth all things, and teacheth the peaceable things of the kingdom.

2 Nephi 14:6

6 For behold, again I say unto you, that if ye will enter in by the way and receive the Holy Ghost, it will shew unto you all things what ye should do.





Mosiah 12:5-11

*5 Now they were desirous that salvation should be declared to every creature, for they could not bear that any human soul should perish; 6 Yea, even the very thoughts that any soul should endure endless torment, did cause them to quake and tremble.

7 And thus did the Spirit of the Lord work upon them, for they were the very vilest of sinners.

8 And the Lord saw fit in his infinite mercy to spare them; nevertheless they suffered much anguish of soul, because of their iniquities; and suffering much, fearing that they should be cast off for ever.

*9 And it came to pass that they did plead with their father many days, that they might go up to the land of Nephi. 10 And King Mosiah went and inquired of the Lord, if he should let his sons go up among the Lamanites to preach the word.

*11 And the Lord said unto Mosiah, Let them go up, for many shall believe on their words, and they shall have eternal life; and I will deliver thy sons out of the hands of the Lamanites.

Jonah 3:4-5, 9-10

*4 And Jonah began to enter into the city a day's journey and he cried, and said, Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown. 5 So the people of Nineveh believed God, and proclaimed a fast, and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them even to the least of them.

*9 Who can tell, if we will repent, and turn unto God, but he will turn away from us his fierce anger, that we perish not? 10 And God saw their works that they turned from their evil way and repented; and God turned away the evil that he had said he would bring upon them.

Jonah 4:1-3

1 But it displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was very angry. *2 And he prayed unto the lord, and said, I pray thee, O Lord, was not this my saying, when I was yet in my country? Therefore I fled before unto Tarshish; for I knew that thou art a gracious God, and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, *3 Therefore now, O Lord, take, I beseech thee, my life from me; for it is better for me to die than to live.

Jonah 4:10-11

10 Then said the Lord, Thou hast had pity on the gourd, for the which thou hast not labored, neither madest it grow; which came up in a night, and perished in a night; *11 And should not I spare Nineveh, that great city, wherein are more than sixscore thousand persons that cannot discern between their right hand and their left hand;

Genesis 5:44-45

44 And thus the gospel began to be preached from the beginning, being **declared by holy angels, sent forth from the presence of God; and by his own voice,** and by the gift of the **Holy Ghost.** 45 And thus all things were confirmed unto Adam by an holy ordinance; and the gospel preached; and a decree sent forth that it should be in the world until the end thereof; and thus it was. Amen.

John 10:3-4, 27-28

3 and the sheep hear his voice; and he calleth his own sheep by name, and leadeth them out. 4 And when he putteth forth his own sheep, he goeth before them, and the sheep follow him; for they know his voice.

27 My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me; 28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.



D&C 43:6a,c

6a And again, the Lord shall utter his voice out of heaven, saying: Hearken, O ye nations of the earth, and hear the words of that God who made you.

6c How oft have **I called** upon you

by the **mouth of my servants,**

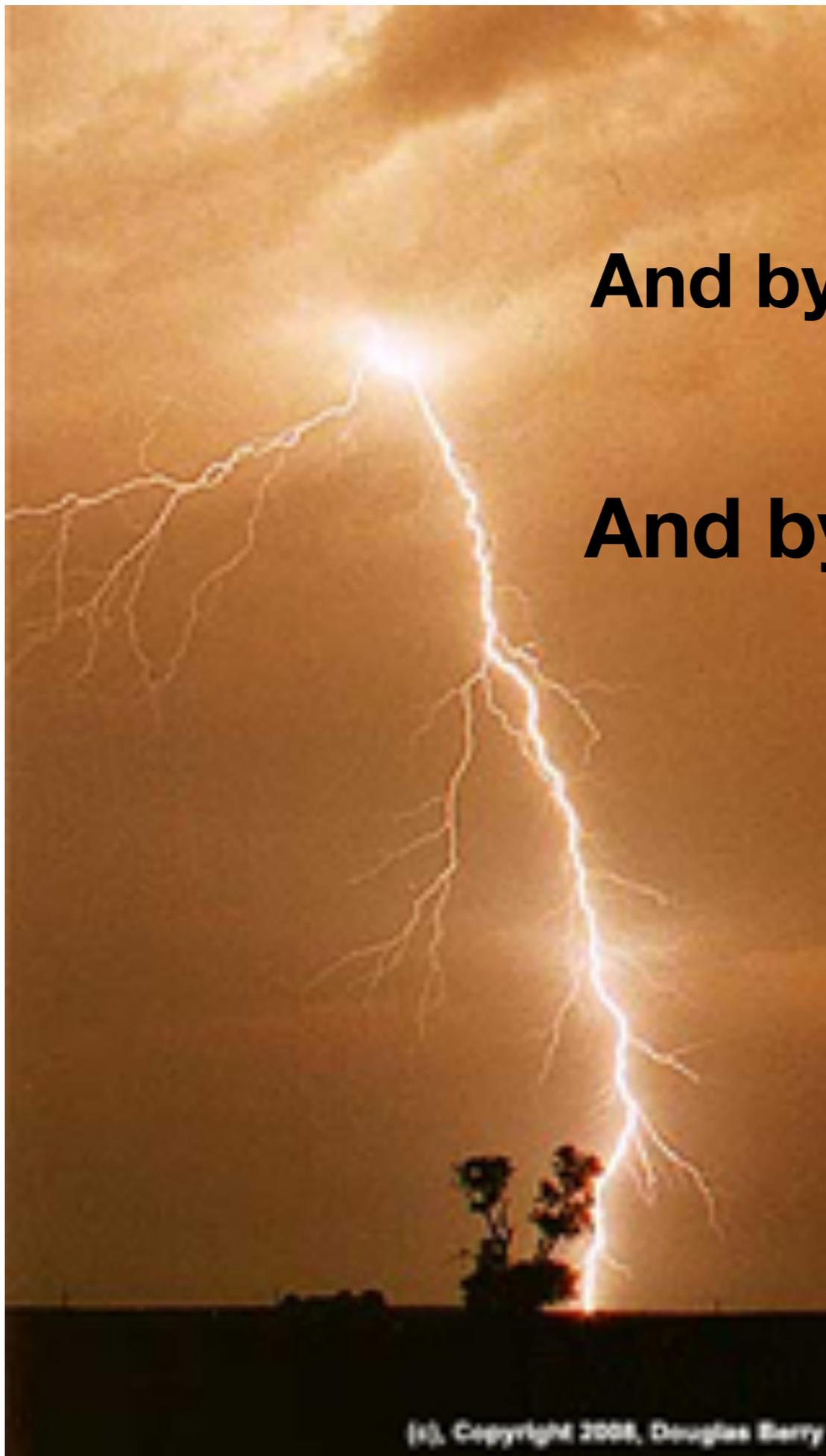
and by the ministering of **angels,**

and by **mine own voice,**

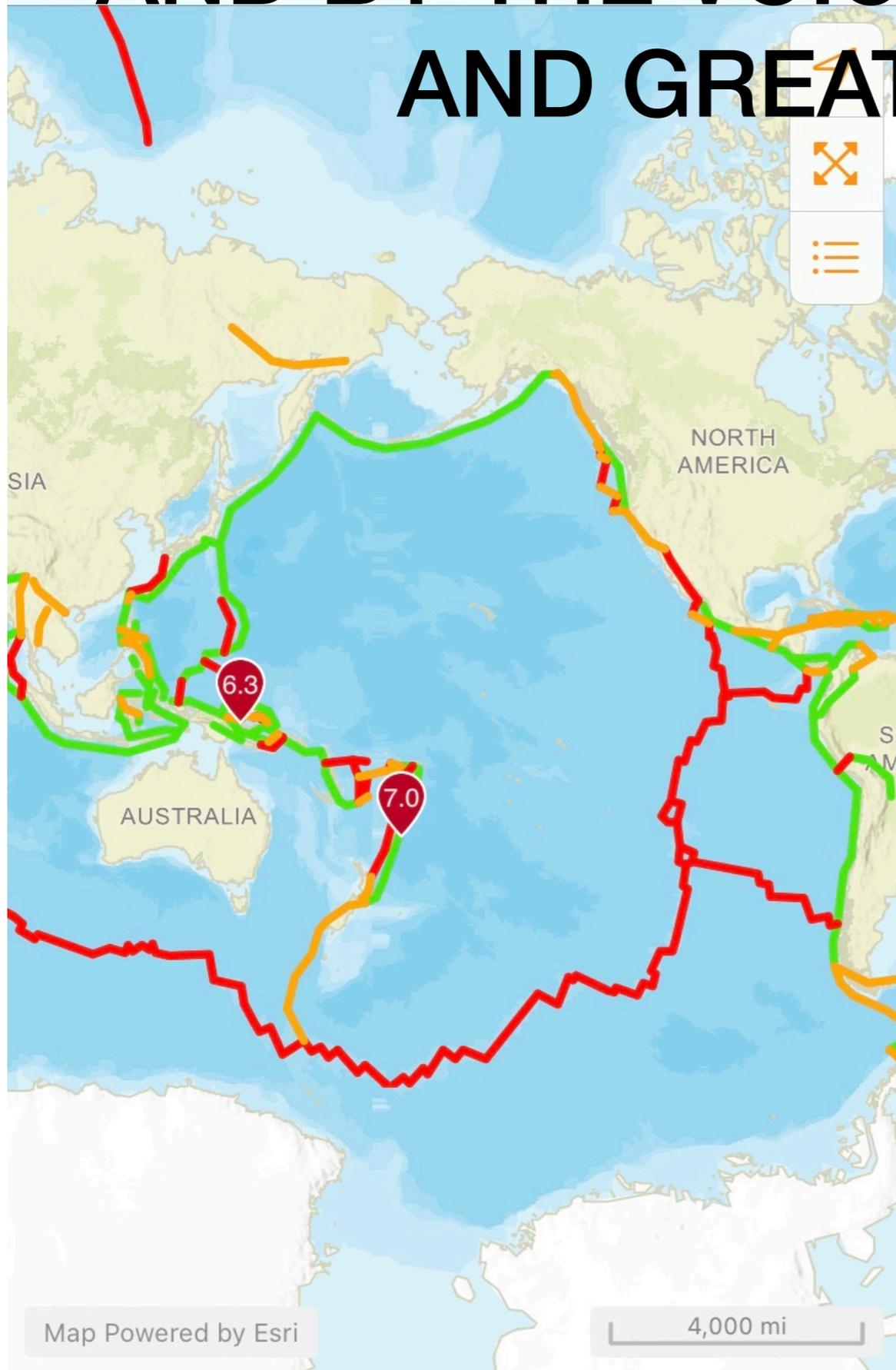
And by the voice of thunderings,

And by the voice of lightnings

and by the voice of tempests



AND BY THE VOICE OF EARTHQUAKES, AND GREAT HAILSTORMS



and by the **voice** of famines and pestilences of every kind,

and by the great sound of a trump,

and by the **voice** of judgment,

and by the **voice** of mercy all the day long,

and by the **voice** of glory and honor, and the riches of eternal life,

Romans 15: 4, 13

For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope.

Now the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that ye may **abound** in hope, through the power of the Holy Ghost.

Romans 8:24-25

For we are saved by hope; but hope that is seen is not hope; for what a man seeth, why doth he yet hope for?

25 But if we hope for that we see not, then with **patience** we do wait for it.



Hebrews 11:36-40

36 And others had trial of cruel mockings and scourgings, yea, moreover of bonds and imprisonment; 37 They were stoned, they were sawn asunder, were tempted, were slain with the sword; they wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins; being destitute, afflicted, tormented; 38 Of whom the world was not worthy; they wandered in deserts, and in mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

***39 And these all, having obtained a good report through faith, received not the promises;**

***40 God having provided some better things for them through their sufferings, for without sufferings they could not be made perfect.**

D&C 42:12d, 13a

12d And the elders of the church, two or more, shall be called, and shall pray for, and lay their hands upon them in my name; and if they die, they shall die unto me, and if they live, they shall live unto me.

13a And again, it shall come to pass, that he that has faith in me to be healed, and is **not appointed unto death**, shall be healed;



Jesus didn't come to calm storms
He came to save souls
He didn't come to give me a
comfortable life
He came to defeat death

The storm is not where you face
the enemy. It's where
you meet your God

Joel Stocki

If God doesn't move your
Mountain
He can equip you to
Climb over it!

1 Nephi 1:1

1 I, Nephi, ... having seen many afflictions in the course of my days -- nevertheless, having been highly favored of the Lord in all my days; yea, having had a great knowledge of the goodness ...of God,

2 Nephi 13:29

Wherefore, ye must press forward with a
steadfastness in Christ,
having
a perfect brightness of hope,
a love of God and
of all men.