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THE  
**GOSPEL** *of* **JOHN**

THAT YOU MAY BELIEVE

## John 1:19-37

<sup>19</sup> And this is the testimony of John, when the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, “Who are you?” <sup>20</sup> He confessed, and did not deny, but confessed, “I am not the Christ.”

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<sup>21</sup> And they asked him, “What then? Are you Elijah?” He said, “I am not.” “Are you the Prophet?” And he answered, “No.” <sup>22</sup> So they said to him, “Who are you? We need to give an answer to those who sent us. What do you say about yourself?”

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<sup>23</sup> He said, “I am the voice of one crying out in the wilderness, ‘Make straight the way of the Lord,’ as the prophet Isaiah said.”

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<sup>24</sup> (Now they had been sent from the Pharisees.) <sup>25</sup> They asked him, “Then why are you baptizing, if you are neither the Christ, nor Elijah, nor the Prophet?” <sup>26</sup> John answered them, “I baptize with water, but among you stands one you do not know,

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<sup>27</sup> even he who comes after me, the strap of whose sandal I am not worthy to untie.” <sup>28</sup> These things took place in Bethany across the Jordan, where John was baptizing.

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<sup>29</sup> The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!” <sup>30</sup> This is he of whom I said, ‘After me comes a man who ranks before me, because he was before me.’

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<sup>31</sup> I myself did not know him, but for this purpose I came baptizing with water, that he might be revealed to Israel.”

<sup>32</sup> And John bore witness: “I saw the Spirit descend from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him.

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<sup>33</sup> I myself did not know him, but he who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain, this is he who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' <sup>34</sup> And I have seen and have borne witness that this is the Son of God.

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<sup>35</sup> The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, <sup>36</sup> and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God!” <sup>37</sup> The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus.

# John 1:29

Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!”

# 1 Peter 1:19

but with the precious blood of Christ,  
like that of a lamb without blemish or  
spot.

## Isaiah 53:4-7

4 Surely he has *borne our griefs and carried our sorrows*; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

5 But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.

## Isaiah 53:4-7

6 All we like sheep have gone astray;  
we have turned—every one—to his own  
way; and the Lord has laid on him the  
iniquity of us all.

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7 He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he opened not his mouth.

## Genesis 3:1-6

He said to the woman, “Did God actually say, ‘You shall not eat of any tree in the garden’?” 2 And the woman said to the serpent, “We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden,

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3 but God said, ‘You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, neither shall you touch it, lest you die.’” 4 But the serpent said to the woman, “You will not surely die.

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5 For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.”

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6 So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate.

## **Romans 5:12**

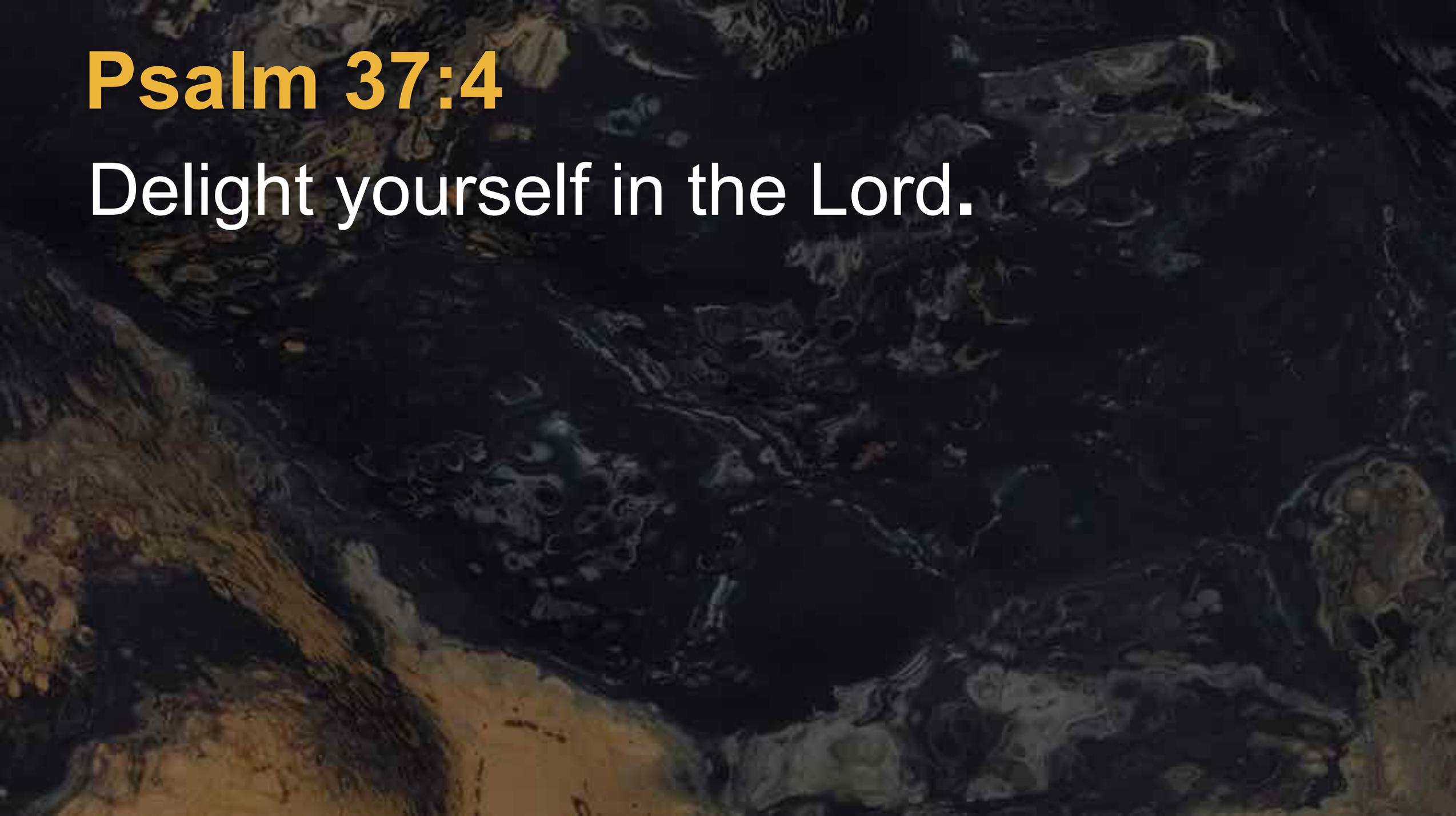
Sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned.

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**Psalm 37:4**

Delight yourself in the Lord.

# Exodus 20:3

You shall have no other gods before me.

## **Matthew 10:37**

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me.

# 1 Peter 3:18

Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, *that he might bring us to God*

# Romans 14:23

Whatever does not proceed from faith is sin.

# Hebrews 11:6

Without faith it is impossible to please  
God.