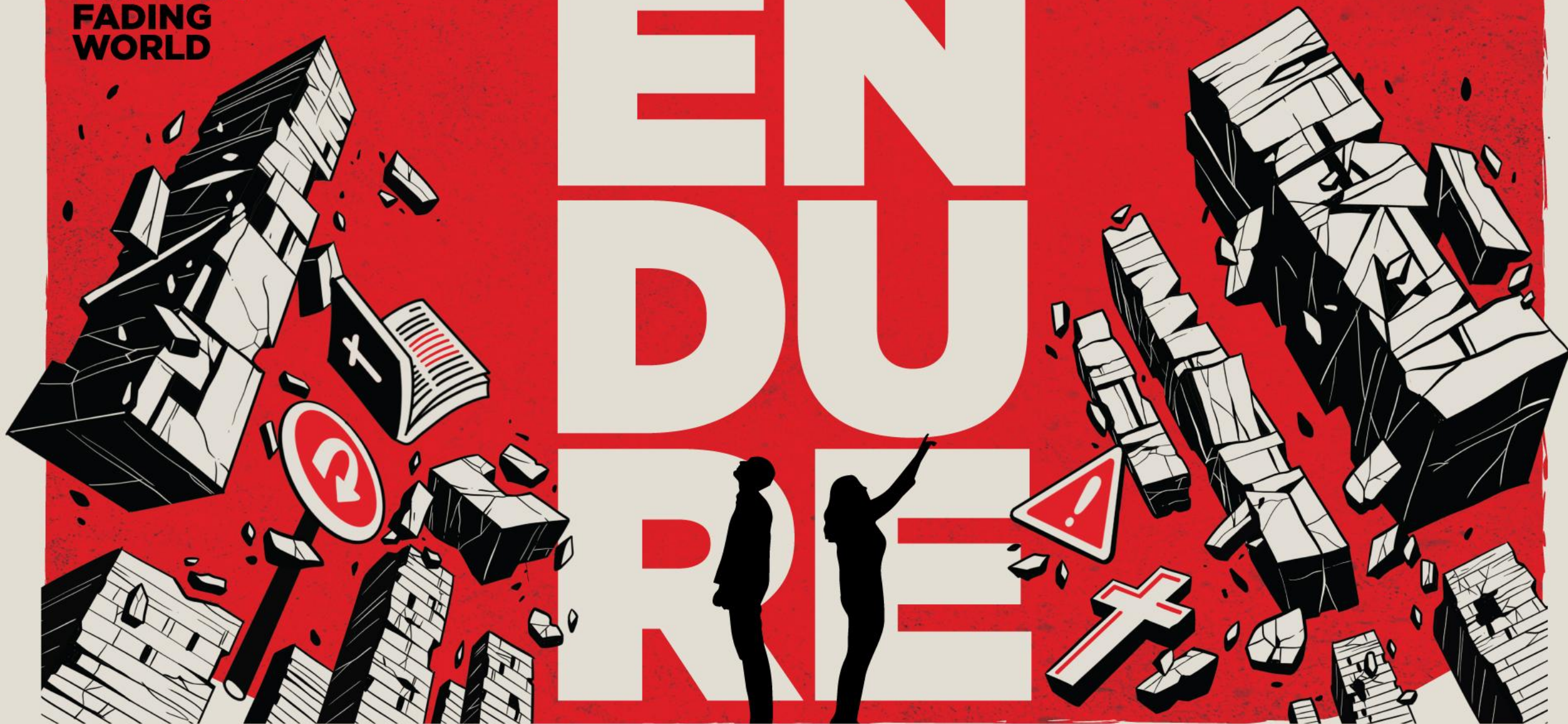


**STANDING
FIRM IN A
FADING
WORLD**

ENDURE



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2 Timothy 4:1-5

**THE
WORLD**



**THE
WORD**



**THE
WATCH**



**THE
WORK**





- 1 The Coming Judgement**
- 2 Rejection of Truth**
- 3 Love for Myths**

NEW SOCIAL COMPACT

The Truth in Crisis: Navigating the Post-Truth Age

In an age where information is available at the touch of a button, the world finds itself facing a crisis of truth.



BY WALEED SAMI DECEMBER 31, 2024

In an age where information is available at the touch of a button, the world finds itself facing a crisis of truth. The rise of post-truth politics has blurred the line between fact and fiction, leaving citizens, governments, and institutions struggling to navigate a landscape where emotions often outweigh reason and misinformation is rampant. Across the globe, from developed democracies to nations like Pakistan, this phenomenon is reshaping how we understand reality, engage in politics, and maintain trust in our leaders and systems.

In the heart of the post-truth era lies a fundamental shift in how people form their beliefs. Facts, once the cornerstone of informed decision-making, have become secondary to personal beliefs and emotions. The digital



DO YOU SUFFER FROM

INFOBESITY?

Information Overload (a.k.a. infobesity or infoxication)

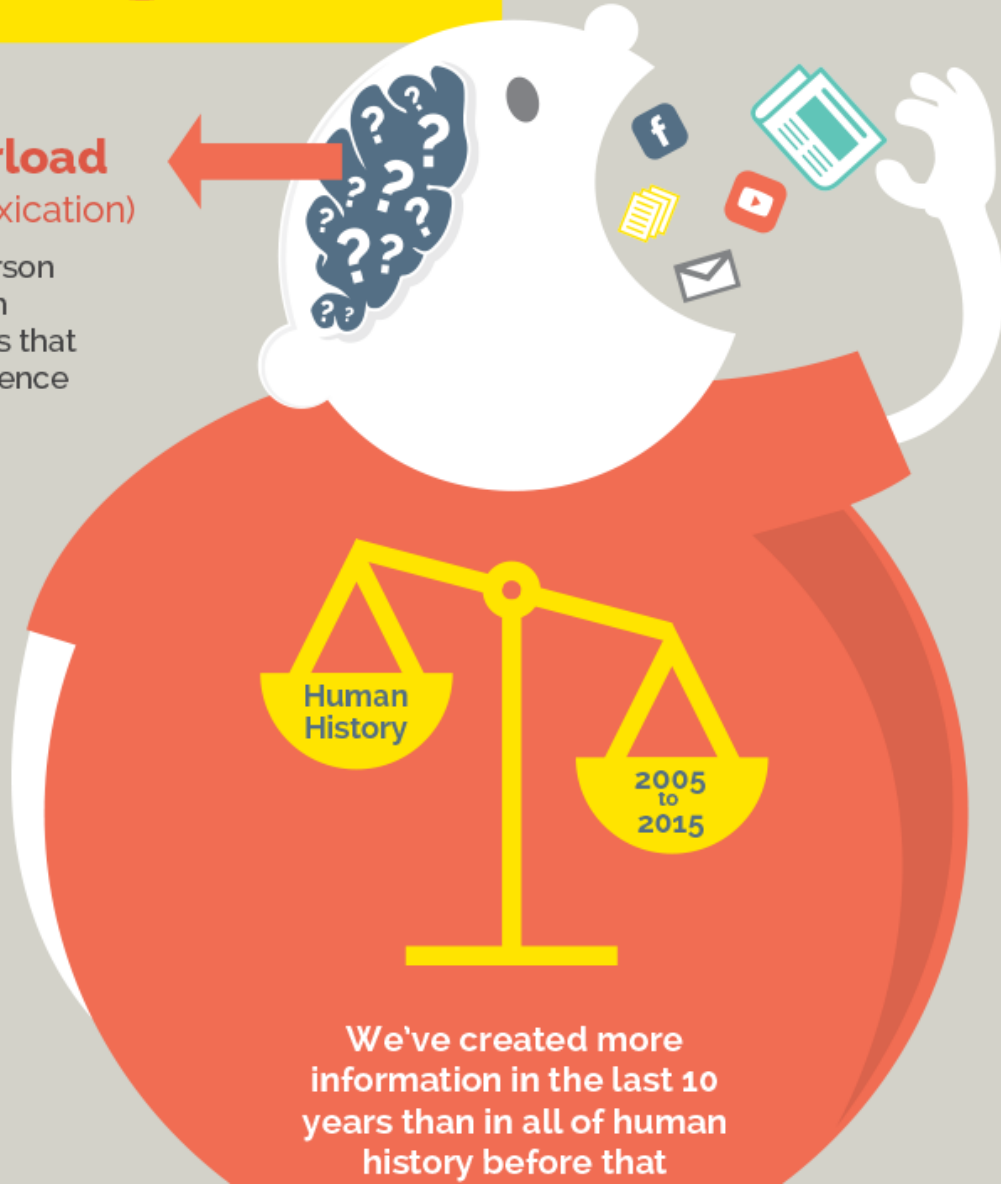
refers to the difficulty a person can have understanding an issue and making decisions that can be caused by the presence of too much information.



The conscious mind can pay attention to three, maybe four, things at once.



If you get much beyond that, you begin to exercise poorer judgment, you lose track of things and you lose your focus.



We've created more information in the last 10 years than in all of human history before that

Infobesity can lead to:



Information Anxiety

the gap between the information we understand and the information that we think that we must understand.
Is our attitude toward the volume of information in general and our limitations in processing it.



Information Pollution

the "contamination" of useful information with information that might not be entirely accurate.

EVERY DAY WE CREATE

2,500,000,
000,000,
000,000

(2.5 QUINTILLION) BYTES OF DATA

*This would fill 10 million blu-ray discs,
the height of which stacked, would measure
the height of 4 Eiffel Towers on top of one another.*



GOOGLE AI'S GEMINI

RECEIVES
8,574 VISITORS

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PEOPLE DO
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Trump nominated for Nobel Peace Prize for 'extraordinary and historic role' in Iran-Israel ceasefire deal

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Synopsis

Donald Trump has been nominated for the 2025 Nobel Peace Prize following his role in brokering a ceasefire between Israel and Iran, according to reports. Representative Buddy Carter praised Trump's leadership in ending the conflict and preventing further escalation. Trump also received another nomination earlier this year, while tensions remain high in the Middle East despite the truce.



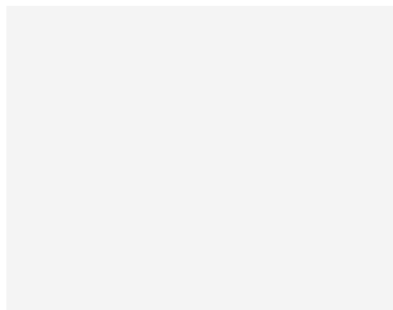
Agencies

U.S. President Donald Trump has reportedly been nominated for the 2025 Nobel Peace Prize for his “extraordinary and historic role” in brokering a ceasefire between Israel and Iran

According to a report of Fox News, U.S. House Representative Buddy Carter has nominated him. In a letter to the Nobel

Peace Prize Committee, Carter credited Trump with bringing an end to the so-called “12-Day War” and helping avert a broader regional conflict. “President Trump’s leadership helped end the armed conflict between Israel and Iran and prevented the world’s largest state sponsor of terrorism from obtaining the most lethal weapon on the planet,” Carter wrote, referencing Iran’s suspected pursuit of nuclear weapons.

The ceasefire agreement, which Trump announced late Monday, was set to take effect overnight. It followed a dramatic escalation that began with an



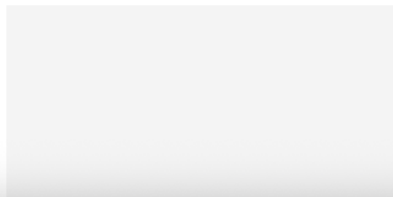
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Kash Patel reveals China's 'drug cartel' link



POLITICS

Trump's moves test the limits of presidential power and the resilience of US democracy



1 of 71 People demonstrate during the President's first visit Monday Feb. 17, 2025, in Irvine, Calif. (Justin Worland/Irvin Journal Star via AP)

BY NICHOLAS RICCARDI

Updated 2:49 AM GMT+8, March 2, 2025

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During his first six weeks in office, [President Donald Trump](#) has embarked on a dizzying teardown of the federal government and attacks on long-standing institutions in an attempt to increase his own authority.

He has [pardoned](#) those who [attacked the U.S. Capitol](#) to overturn his 2020 [election loss](#), placed loyalists atop the [FBI](#) and [military](#), and purged the [Department of Justice](#), which [dropped investigations](#) against Trump [allies](#). He [declared control](#) over independent agencies such as the Federal Election Commission, [punished](#) media outlets for [coverage](#) he dislikes and his [allies suggested](#) he could [defy court orders](#).

Those who monitor democracy across the globe had warned that a second Trump term could endanger America's 240-year experiment with democracy. His opening weeks in office have done nothing to dispel those concerns.

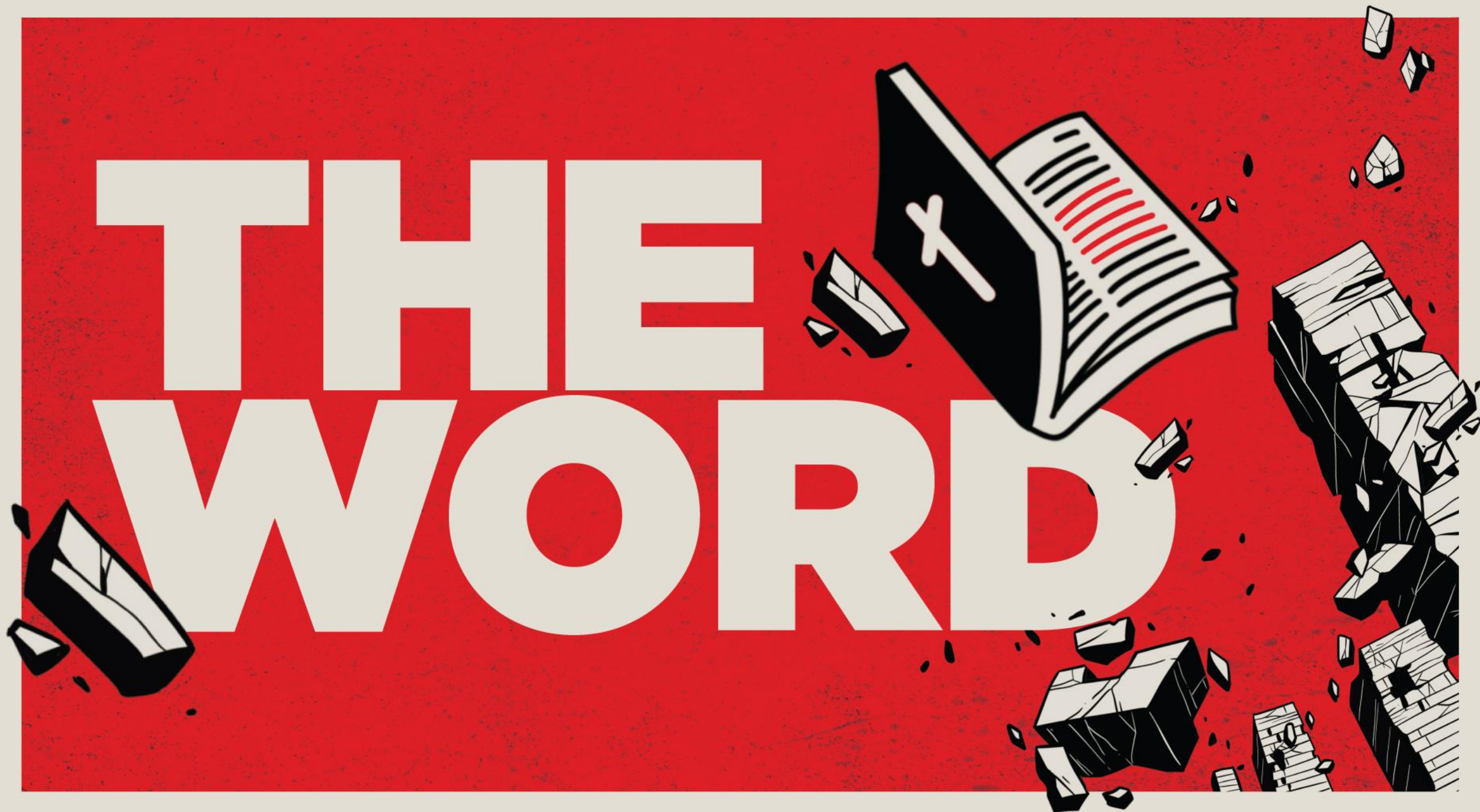
"Trump is using the classic elected authoritarian playbook," said Brendan Nyhan of Dartmouth College, who joined more than 800 other political scientists in signing a letter warning that Trump is undermining the rule of law and the basic constitutional principle of checks and balances. "It's almost embarrassing how crude it is."

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THE WORD



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2 Timothy 4:1

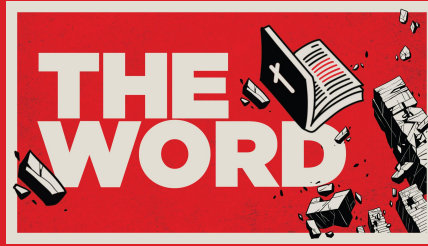
charge

διακαρτέρομαι [diamarturomai]

solemnly charge

² preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching.

2 Timothy 4:2



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MANDATE

Preach the Word

2 Timothy 4:2

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METHOD

Preach with Clarity

2 Timothy 4:2



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Preach at All Times

2 Timothy 4:2



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preach

κηρυξον [caruso]

*"to be a herald," "to proclaim,"
"to publish," "to preach;"*



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DISCOURAGEMENT,
DESPAIR,
AND A VOW

By the summer of 1959, Joyce was only one year away from leaving home, and I was entering high school. In Africa, something took place that had its own quiet impact on the work in Québec.

Sunday, Mar. 5, 1961

Rose 6:50 A.M. Prayer and study. Preached (poorly) from 2 Cor. 2. Twenty-four present. . . . Rested. Studied. Evening 19 present. Preached from Rom 1:1–17 (poorly). Saw Mr. F. to his home. Went to Mother's, watched TV with her until 11:30, and was not edified. Home. Went to bed reading my Bible. How much better that is for my soul!

French churches were holding their own, but not much more. It was a time of slogging perseverance rather than advance or even the frisson of

What Preaching is NOT

A Motivational Speaker

tells you what you can do

Opinion

reflects the speaker

Entertainment

draws attention to the speaker

Self-help

empowers the ego

Self-help says, 'Believe in yourself.'

A Preacher

tells you what God has done.

Revelation

reflects the Speaker behind the speaker

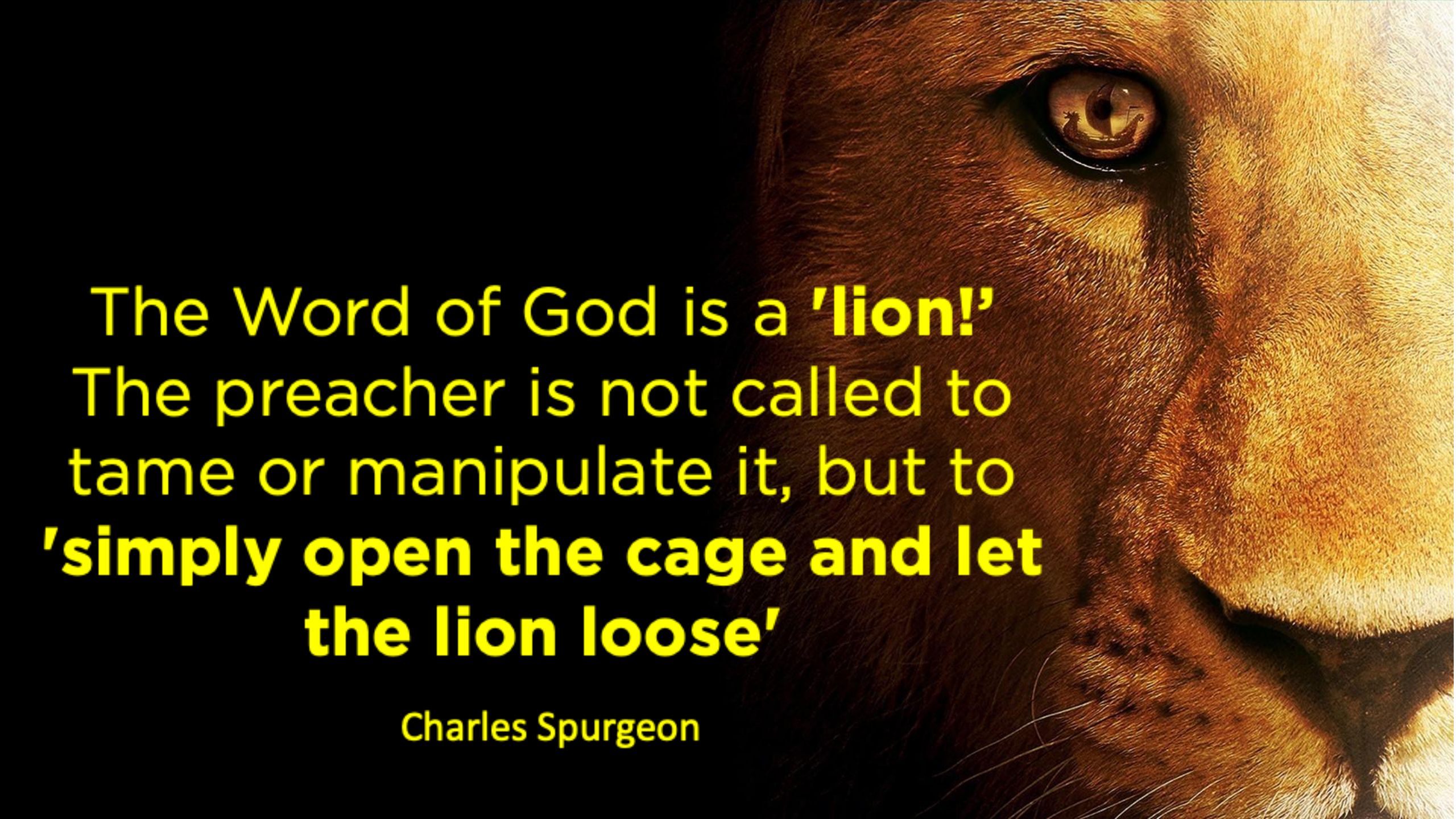
Edification

points the hearer to Christ

Soul-help

humbles the heart before God

The gospel says, 'Believe in the One who was crucified and raised for you.'

A close-up, high-contrast photograph of a lion's face, focusing on its right eye. The lion's fur is a rich golden-brown color. In the reflection of the lion's eye, a small, detailed image of a boat with a single sail is visible, set against a dark background. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

The Word of God is a '**lion!**'
The preacher is not called to
tame or manipulate it, but to
'**simply open the cage and let
the lion loose**'

Charles Spurgeon

**¹ In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God,
and the Word was God.**

John 1:1

What to Proclaim?

**The accomplished fact of Grace
Share what he has done!**



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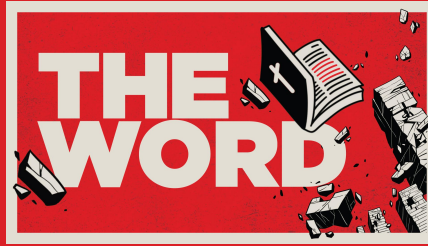
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IN ESSENTIALS, **UNITY**

IN NON-ESSENTIALS, **LIBERTY**

IN ALL THINGS, **CHARITY**



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² preach the word; be ready in season and out of season;

2 Timothy 4:2b



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MISSION

Preach at All Times

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**My lord, I preach
only at two times
in season and
out of season!**

John Berridge (1716-1793)

Anglican evangelical revivalist and hymnist
Everton, United Kingdom

¹² I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel, ¹³ so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ. ¹⁴ And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear.

Philippians 1:12-14



¹¹ so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

Isaiah 55:11

"It's your job to sow the seed; it's God's job to bring the harvest."

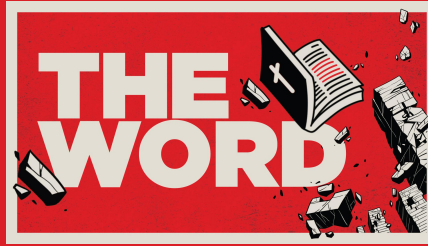


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Crystal Palace Building, London (1855)

**"Behold the Lamb of God
Who takes away the sin of
the world".**

Charles Spurgeon



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2 Timothy 4:2c



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reprove

ἐλέγχω [elegchō]

"correct", "convince", "convict"

"convict of wrong and sin by the searching light and power of the Scriptures."

change mind

3

METHOD

Preach with Clarity

2 Timothy 4:2



¹¹ Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. ¹² For it is shameful even to speak of the things that they do in secret. ¹³ But when anything is exposed by the light, it becomes visible,

Ephesians 5:11-13

**doesn't just inform; it transforms
exposes errors, reveal truth,
not to condemn but to heal**

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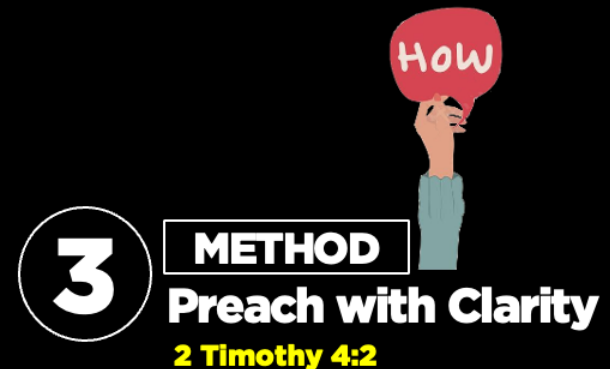
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⁸ See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ.

Colossians 2:8



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2 Timothy 4:2c

rebuke

ἐπιτιμία [epitimaō]

"censure"
"stop it"

change heart

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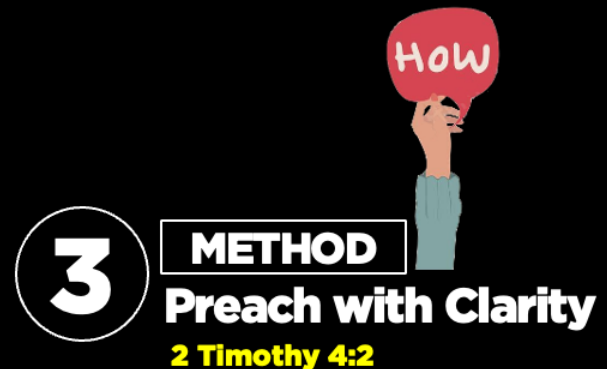
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³⁸ saying, “Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!” ³⁹ And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, “Teacher, rebuke your disciples.”

Luke 19:38-39



**⁵ Better is open rebuke
than hidden love.**

**⁶ Faithful are the wounds of a friend;
profuse are the kisses of an enemy.**

Proverbs 27:5-6

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**"NOT ONLY DO I THINK BEING NICE
AND KIND IS EASY, BUT BEING KIND,
IN MY OPINION IS IMPORTANT."**

DWAYNE "THE ROCK" JOHNSON

ARE YOU KIND OR NICE?

NICE KEEPS THE PEACE, KIND BUILDS TRUST

Kind Leader

VS

Nice Leader

Holds team members accountable



VS

Avoids confrontation to keep peace



Gives honest feedback with empathy



VS

Gives vague or sugarcoated feedback



Respects personal boundaries



VS

Overextends themselves to be liked



Supports professional growth, even if it's uncomfortable



VS

Focuses only on comfort, avoiding challenges



Addresses conflicts head-on to find solutions



VS

Ignores conflicts, hoping they'll resolve on their own



Makes fair decisions, even when difficult



VS

Makes decisions to avoid upsetting anyone



Celebrates genuine achievements



VS

Gives compliments to be popular



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2 Timothy 4:2c

exhort

παρακαλέω [parakaleō]

"encourage"

"afflict the comfortable and comfort the afflicted".

change will

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¹² we exhorted each one of you and encouraged you and charged you to walk in a manner worthy of God, who calls you into his own kingdom and glory.

1 Thessalonians 2:12

**Encouragement gives hope while pointing to truth.
Enablement affirms people while ignoring sin or weakness.**

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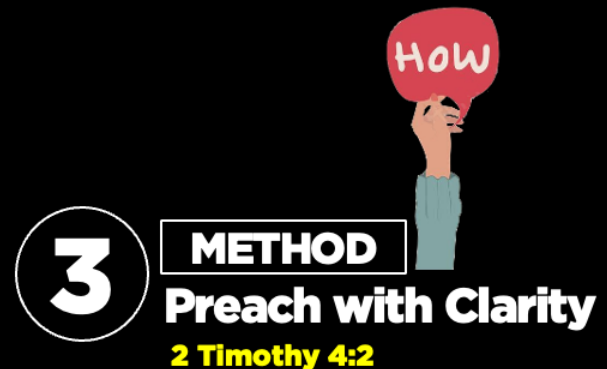
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¹⁶ All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17



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2 Timothy 4:2c

Patience :

It takes time.

It takes repetition.

It is difficult

*It's one thing to love to preach,
it is "quite another thing to love those to whom you preach".*

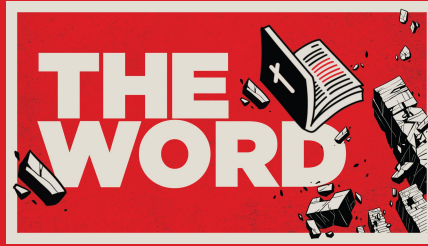


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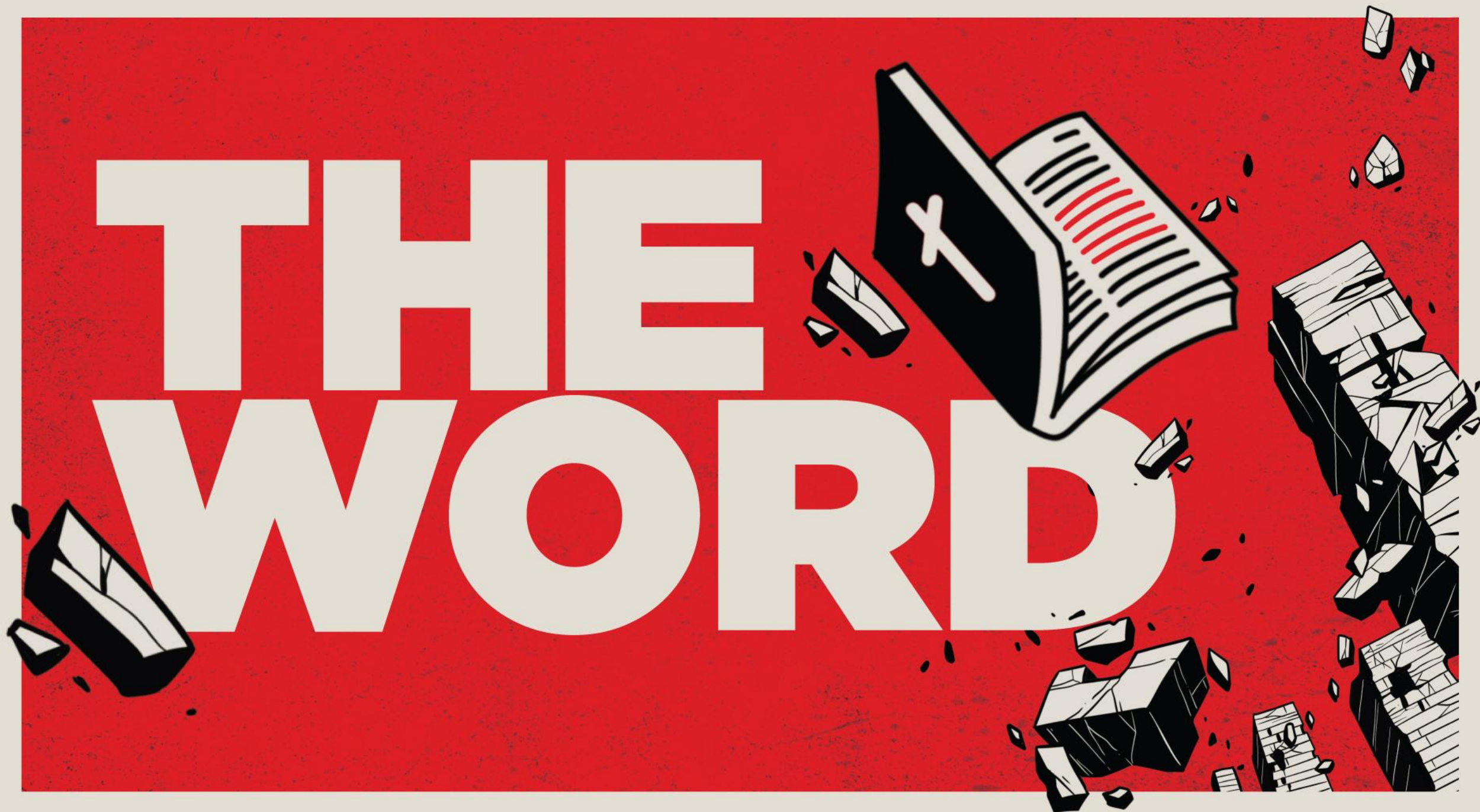


²⁴ But the word of God increased and multiplied.

Acts 12:24



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