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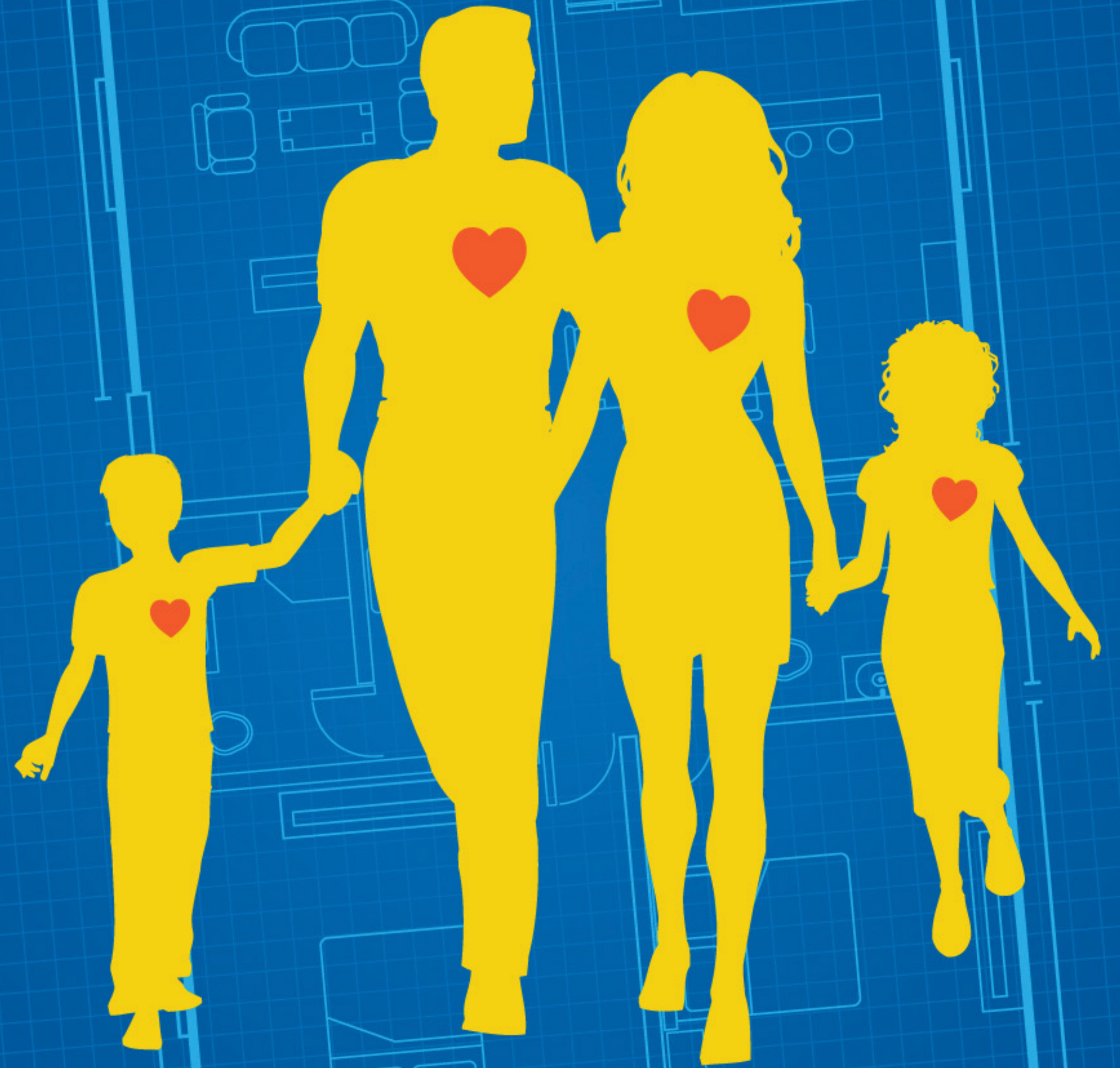


Every Nation Seminary



RECLAIMING GOD'S PATTERN
FOR RELATIONSHIPS IN OUR HOMES.

The Family **BLUEPRINT**



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Blueprint

Fundamentally, it is a detailed guide or set of instructions used to construct, develop, or achieve something.

Blueprint

- Deceived Blueprint

The World's Littlest Skyscraper
Newby-McMahon Building (1919)



Blueprint

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- **Distorted Blueprint**

Plywood Palace - John Hancock Tower (1976)
230 kg of windows falling off



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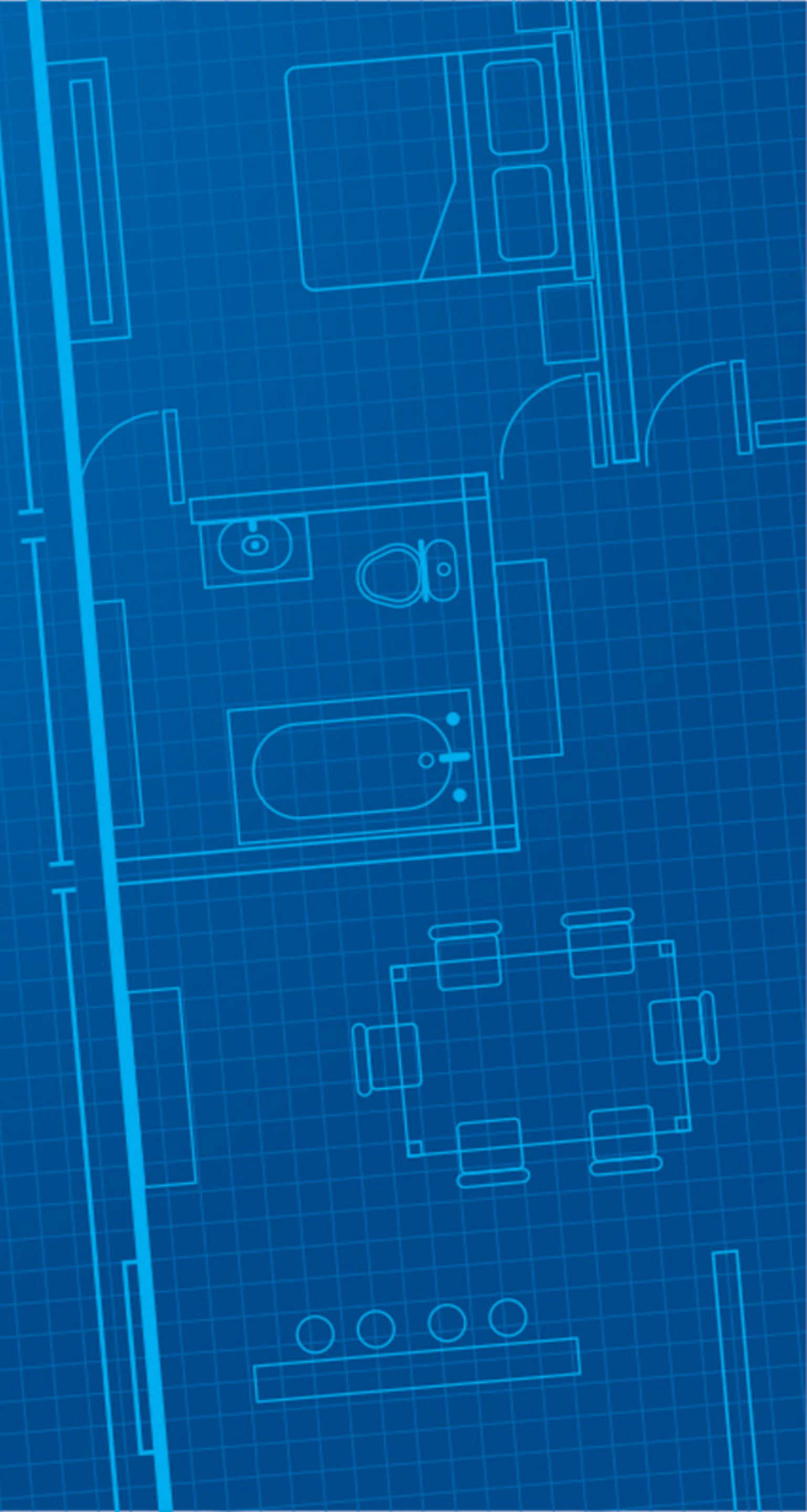
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Knowingly or unknowingly, we are all building our household on a blueprint.

God's Blueprint for Family

Ephesians 5-6:4



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Chapters 1-3: What Christ has done for us

Chapters 4-6: How we should live



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Ephesians 4:1

I **therefore**, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you **to walk in a manner worthy of the calling** to which you have been called

The Foundation - The Right Start

Ephesians 5:1-2

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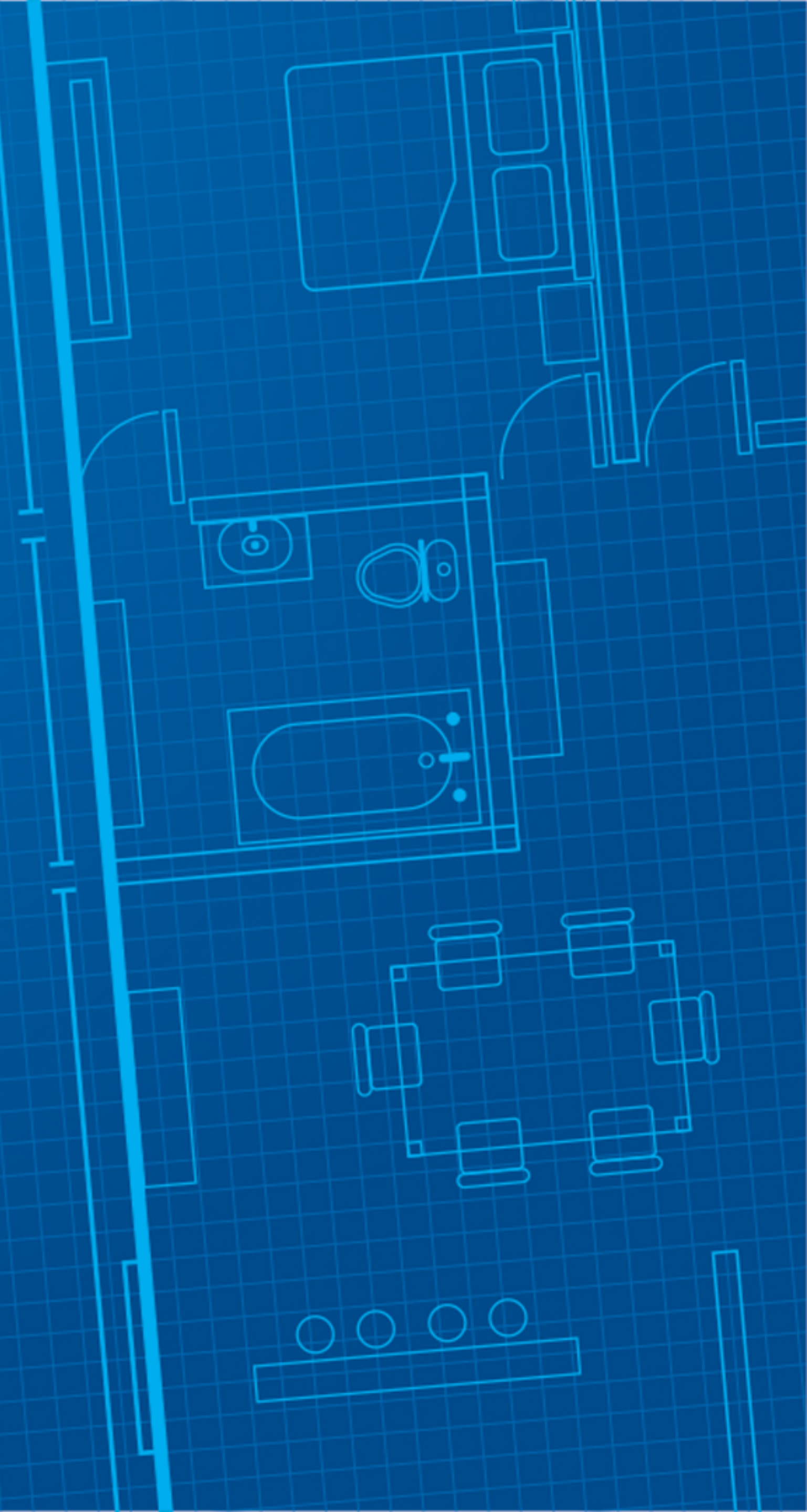
Ephesians 1

The Right Identity - Beloved child of God

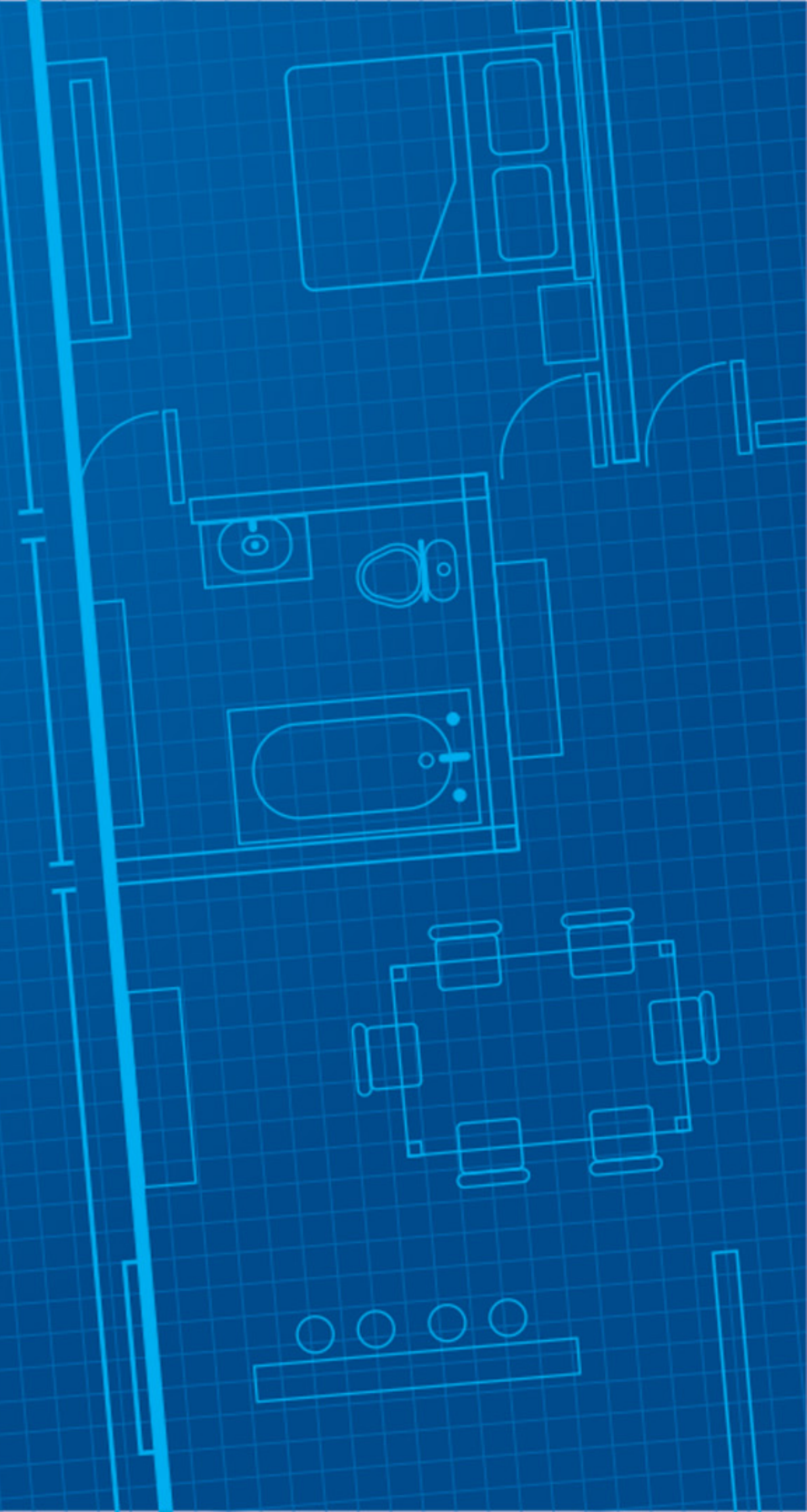
- Blessed (v.3)
- Chosen (v.4)
- Adopted (v.5)
- Redeemed (v.7)
- Forgiven (v.7)
- Graced (v.7-8)
- Granted inheritance (v.11)
- Saved (v.13)
- Given the Holy Spirit (v.13)

Right Identity:

*Because we are children of God,
we can imitate God.*



We imitate the
ways of the Lord
not the ways of the world



Ways of the Lord

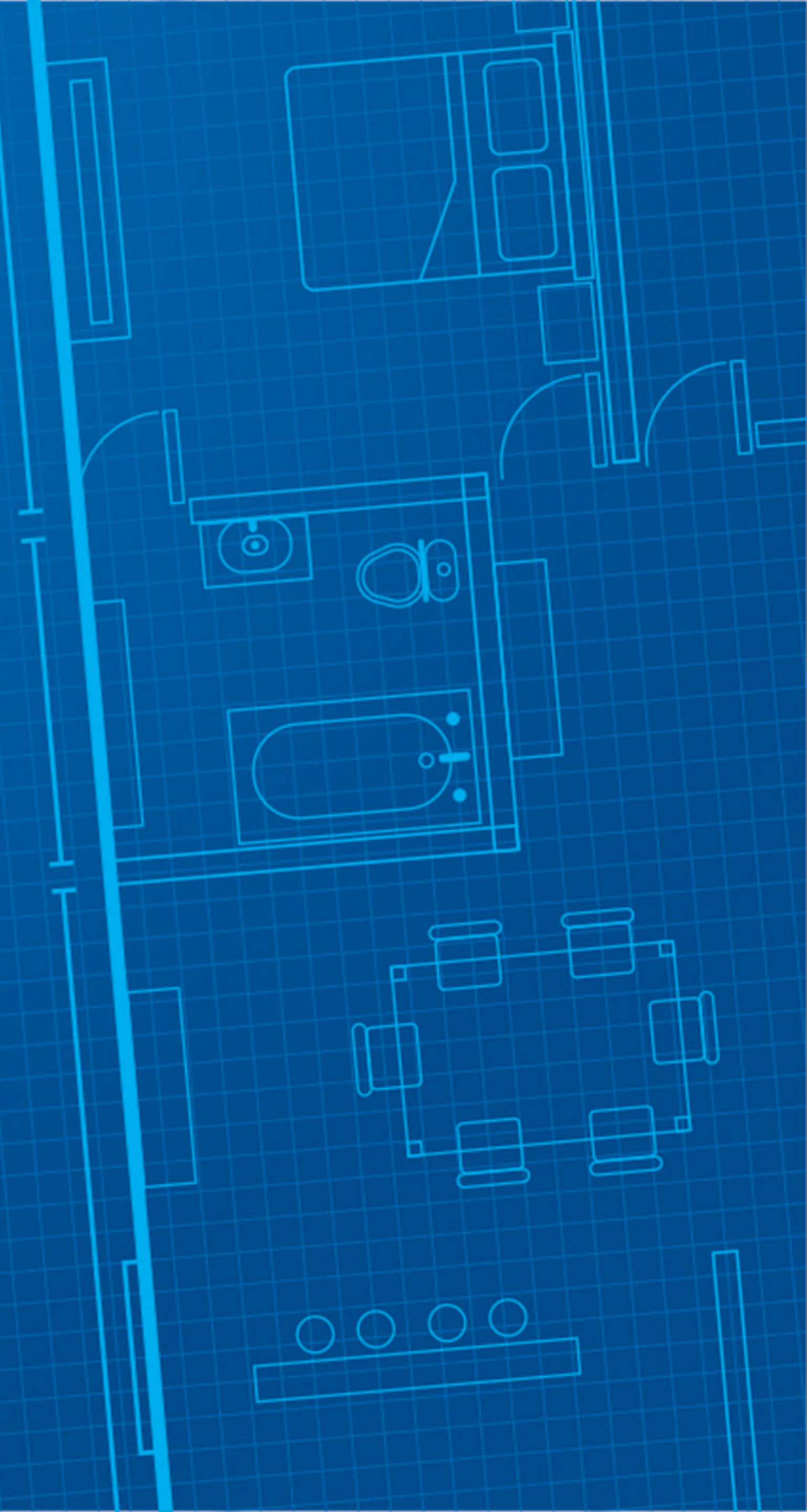
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1. Walk in Love (v2)

not in selfishness



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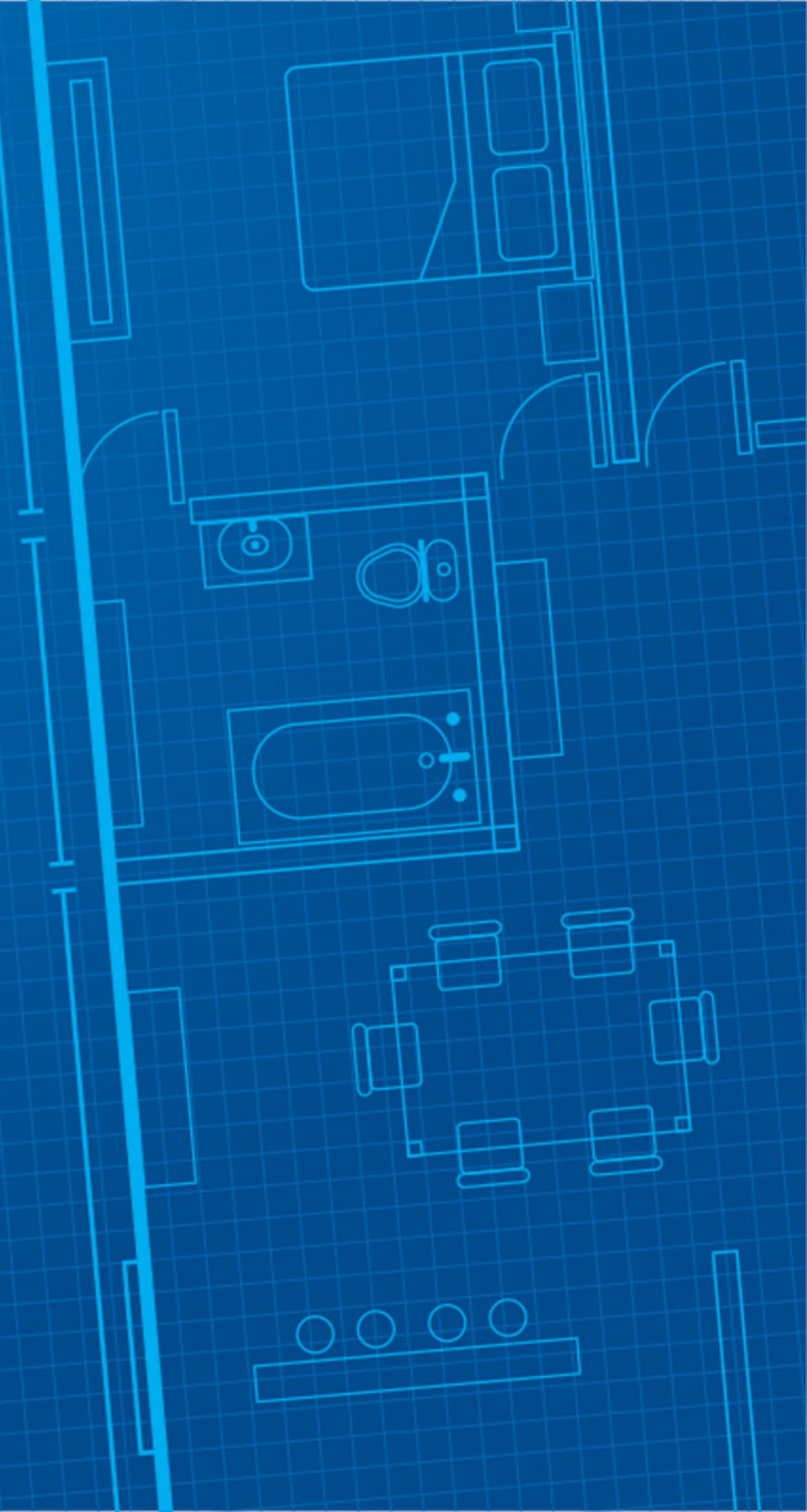
Ephesians 5:7-8, 10-11

⁷ Therefore do not become partners with them;

⁸ for at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. **Walk as children of light...**¹⁰ and try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord. ¹¹ Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them.

2. Walk in Light (v8)

not in darkness

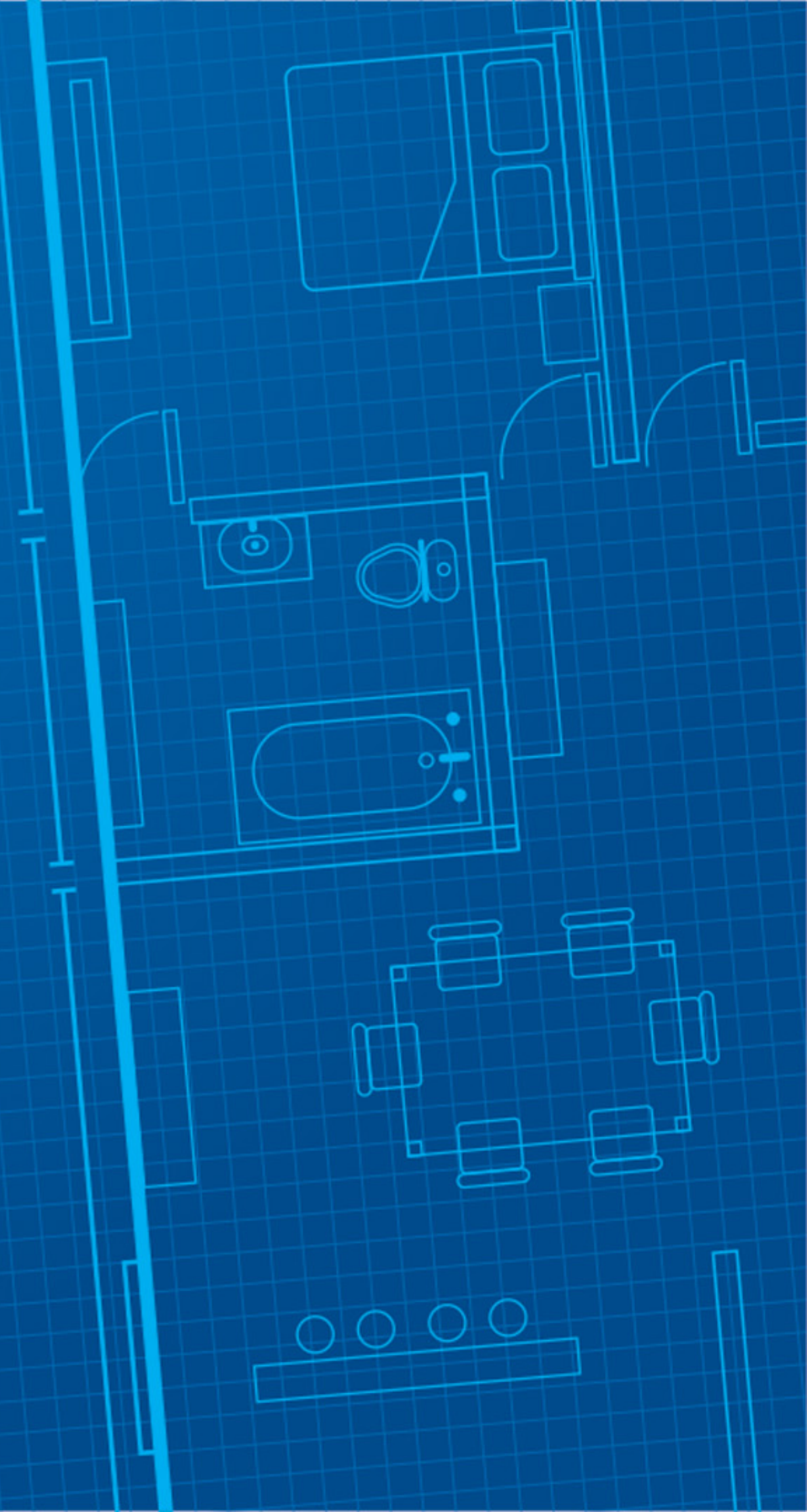


Ways of the Lord

Ephesians 5:15-17

¹⁵ Look carefully then **how you walk**, not as unwise but **as wise**, ¹⁶ making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.

**3. Walk in
Wisdom (v15)**
not in foolishness

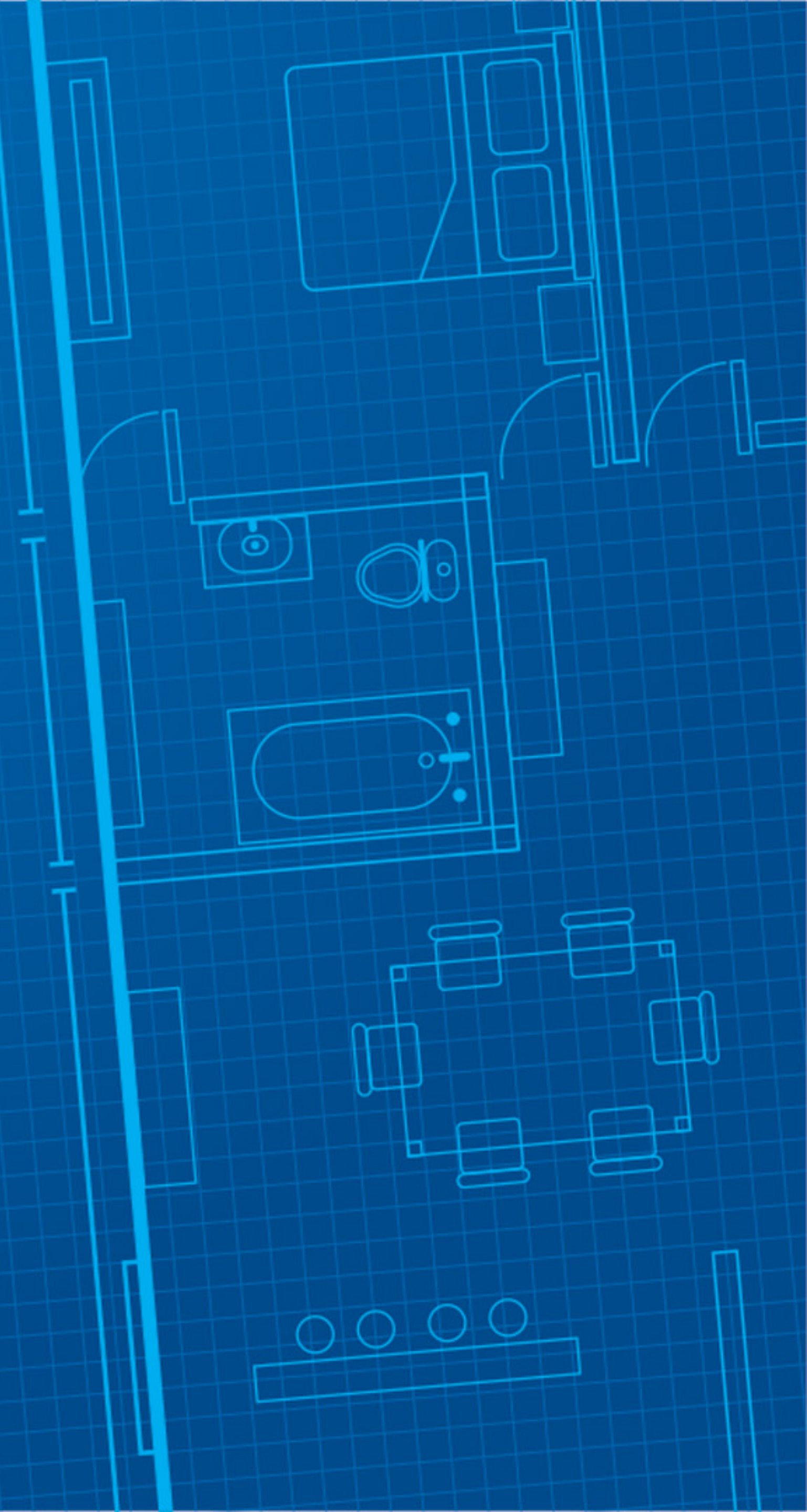


Ways of the Lord

Ephesians 5:18-21

¹⁸ And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, **but be filled with the Spirit,** ¹⁹ addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, ²⁰ giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ **submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.**

**4. Walk in the
Spirit (v18)
not in the flesh**



We imitate the ways of the Lord

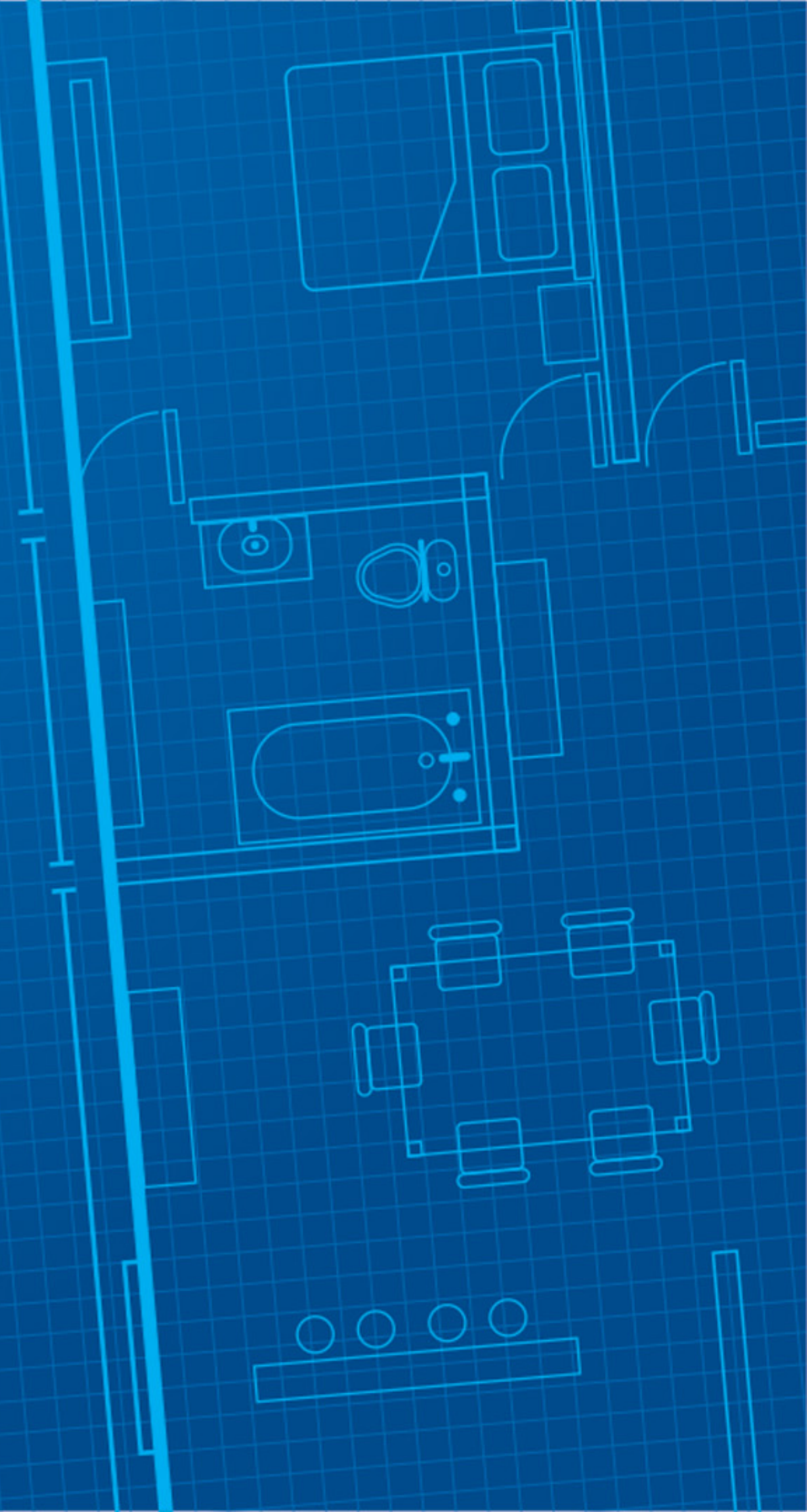
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#2 Walk in Light

#3 Walk in Wisdom

#4 Walk in the Spirit

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The Family Blueprint

Week 1: The Foundation

Week 2: The Marriage

Week 3: The Legacy



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