

To Enjoy and Express the Freeing Radical Love of Jesus

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The Gospel of  
**JOHN**  
"Come and See"

John 6:1-15  
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Exodus 2.0

## John 6:1-15

After this Jesus went away to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, which is the Sea of Tiberias. <sup>2</sup> And a large crowd was following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing on the sick. <sup>3</sup> Jesus went up on the mountain, and there he sat down with his disciples. <sup>4</sup> Now the Passover, the feast of the Jews, was at hand. <sup>5</sup> Lifting up his eyes, then, and seeing that a large crowd was coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread, so that these people may eat?" <sup>6</sup> He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he would do.

<sup>7</sup> Philip answered him, “Two hundred denarii worth of bread would not be enough for each of them to get a little.” <sup>8</sup> One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother, said to him, <sup>9</sup> “There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish, but what are they for so many?” <sup>10</sup> Jesus said, “Have the people sit down.” Now there was much grass in the place. So the men sat down, about five thousand in number. <sup>11</sup> Jesus then took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated. So also the fish, as much as they wanted.

<sup>12</sup> And when they had eaten their fill, he told his disciples, “Gather up the leftover fragments, that nothing may be lost.” <sup>13</sup> So they gathered them up and filled twelve baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves left by those who had eaten. <sup>14</sup> When the people saw the sign that he had done, they said, “This is indeed the Prophet who is to come into the world!”

<sup>15</sup> Perceiving then that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, Jesus withdrew again to the mountain by himself.





# Feeding of the 5000

Matthew 14

Mark 6

Luke 9

John 6



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*(Matthew 14 tells us that Jesus' friend and cousin John the Baptist had just been beheaded)*

## The Humanity and Exhaustion of Jesus

<sup>5</sup> Lifting up his eyes, then, and seeing that a large crowd was coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, “Where are we to buy bread, so that these people may eat?”

## The Compassion of Jesus

<sup>7</sup> Philip answered him, “Two hundred denarii worth (½ a year’s salary) of bread would not be enough for each of them to get a little.”

<sup>9</sup> “There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish, but what are they for so many?”

The Shocking Power  
of Jesus

<sup>11</sup> he distributed them to those who were seated.

## The Empowerment of Jesus

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The Satisfaction  
of Jesus

<sup>12</sup> And when they had eaten their fill, he told his disciples, “Gather up the leftover fragments, that nothing may be lost.” <sup>13</sup> So they gathered them up and filled twelve baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves left by those who had eaten.

## The Extravagance of Jesus

Give us this day our daily bread

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<sup>4</sup> Now the Passover, the feast of the Jews, was at hand



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**Passover**

Crossed Sea of Galilee



Red Sea

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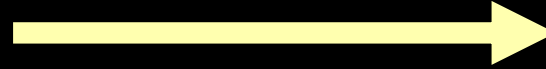
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Crossed Sea of Galilee



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On a Mountain



Moses on Sinai

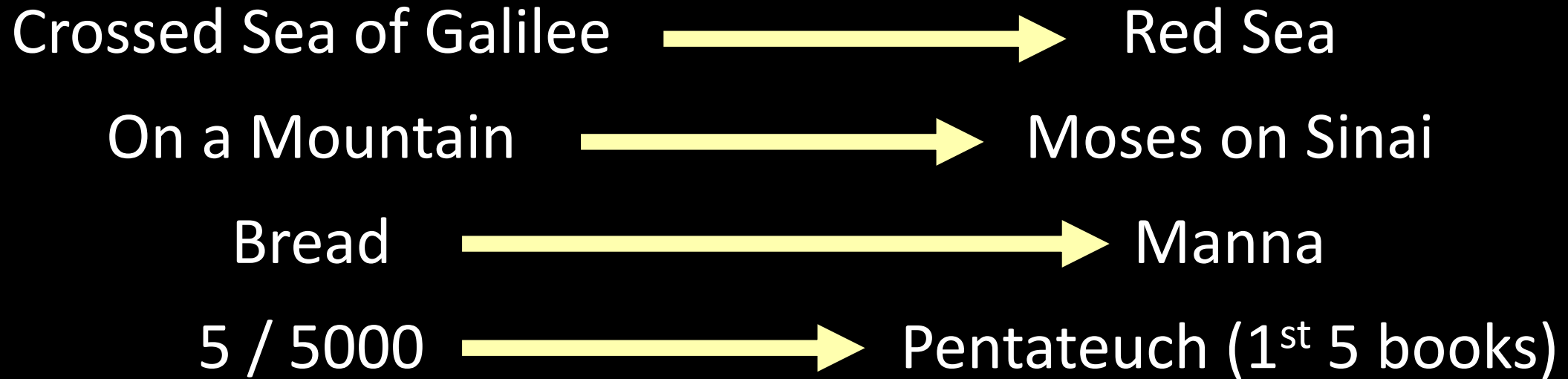
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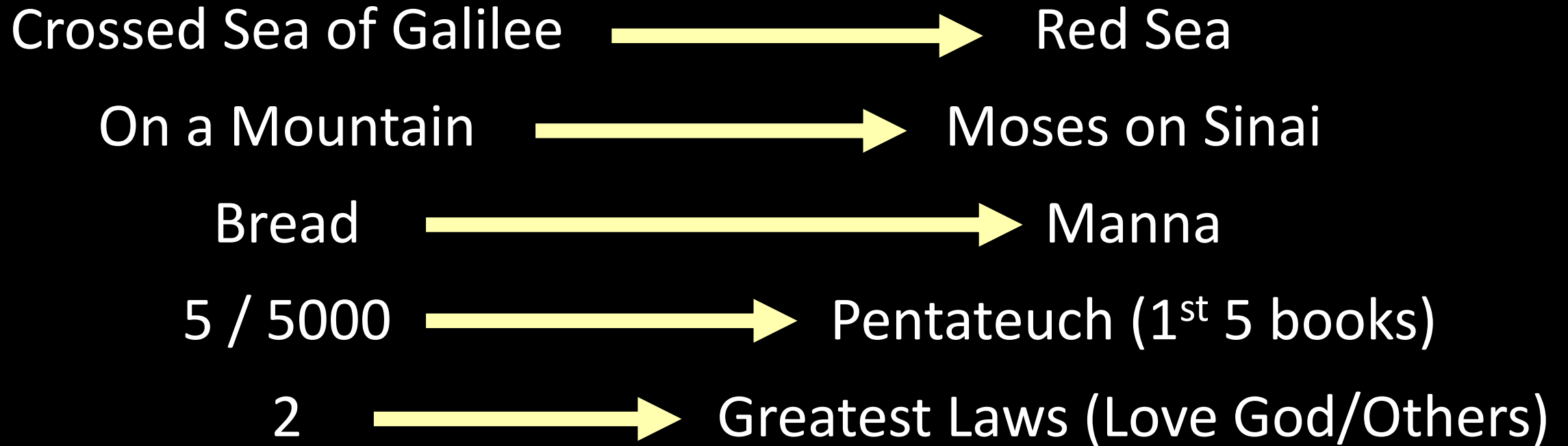
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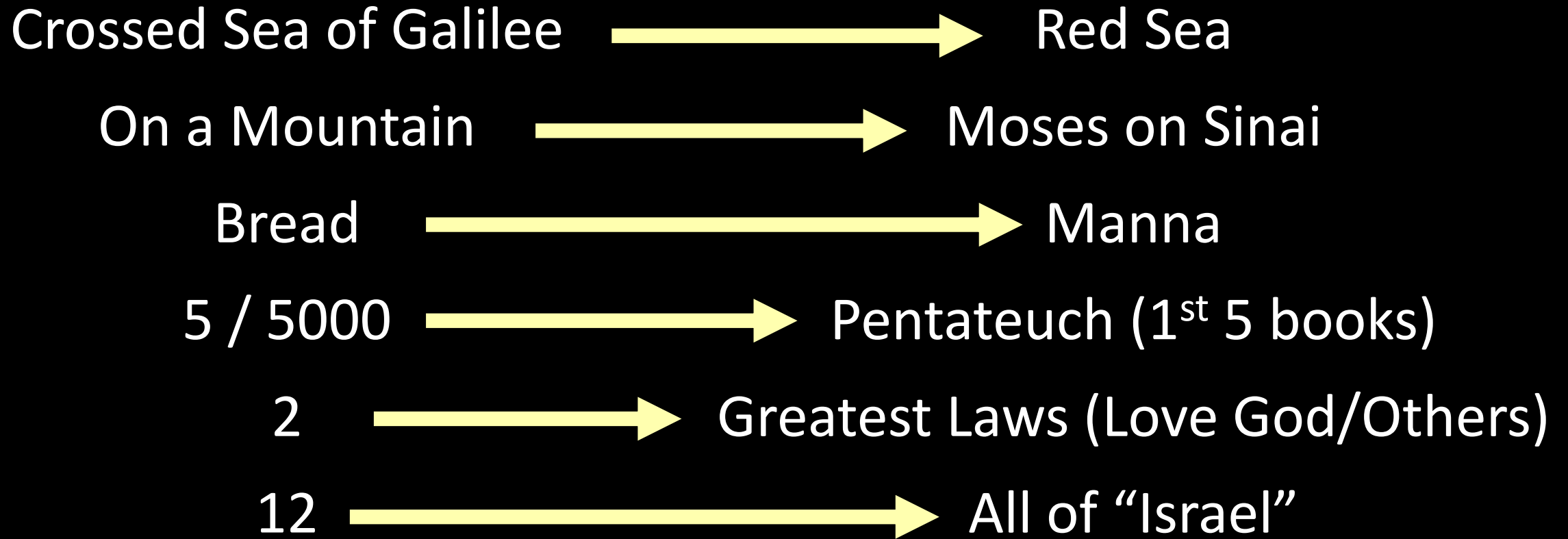
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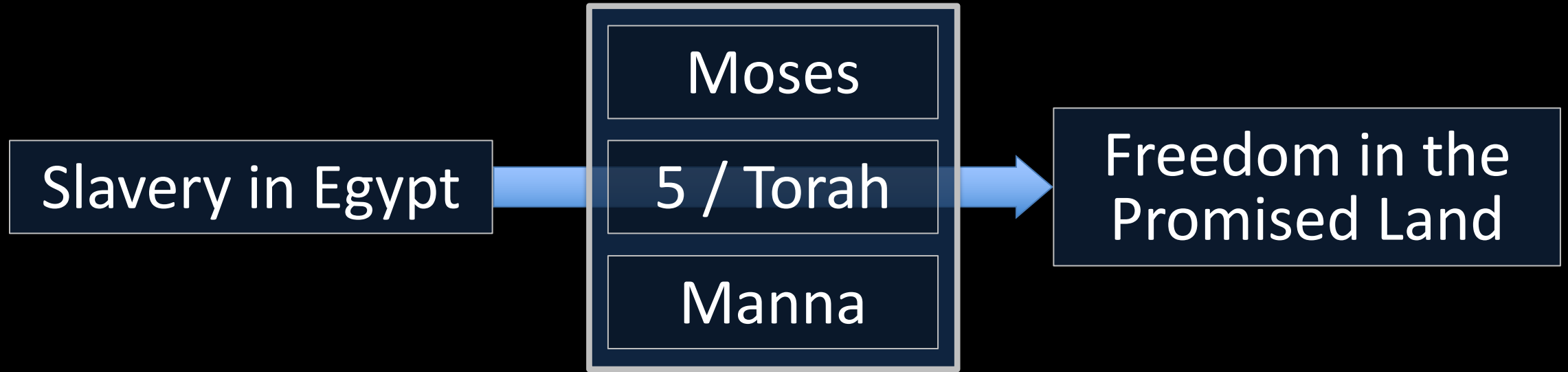


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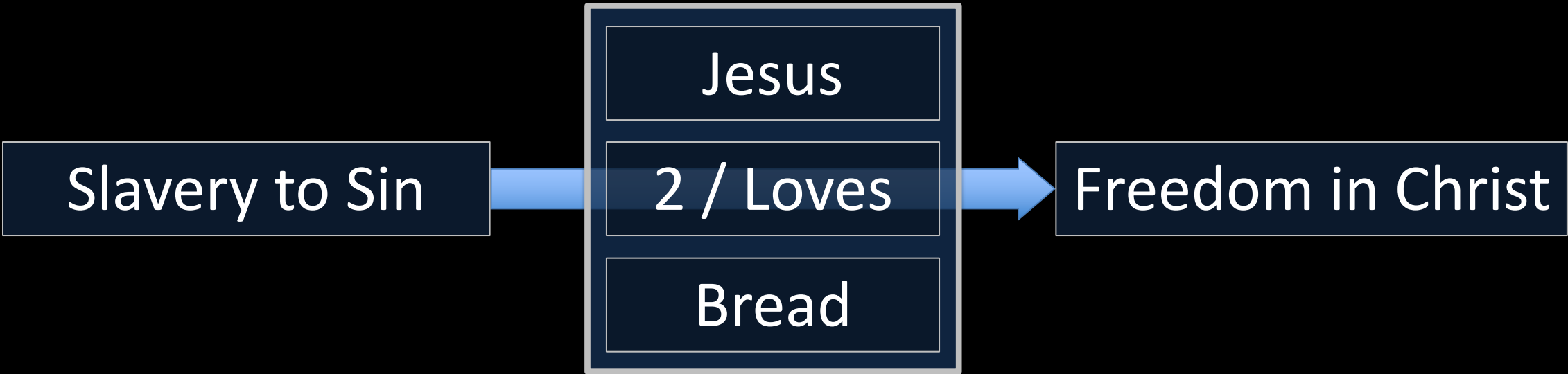
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Jesus physically healing the “invalid” at Bethesda showed his compassion and power for our broken bodies as well as our broken souls, ushering in a Genesis 2.0

In the same way, Jesus miraculously feeding shows his concern for our basic needs while also pointing the greater freedom: Exodus 2.0



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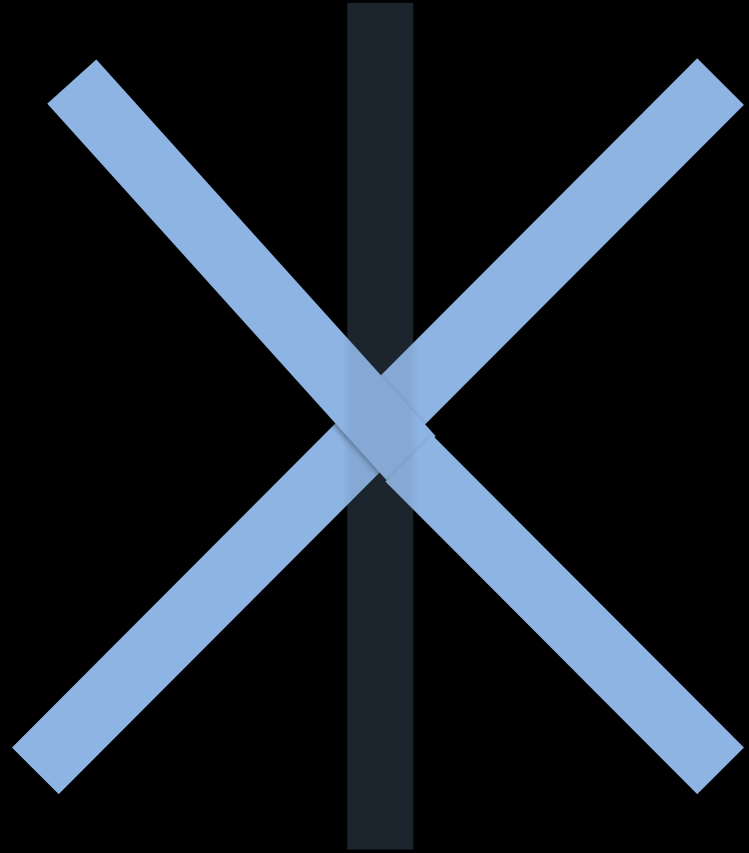


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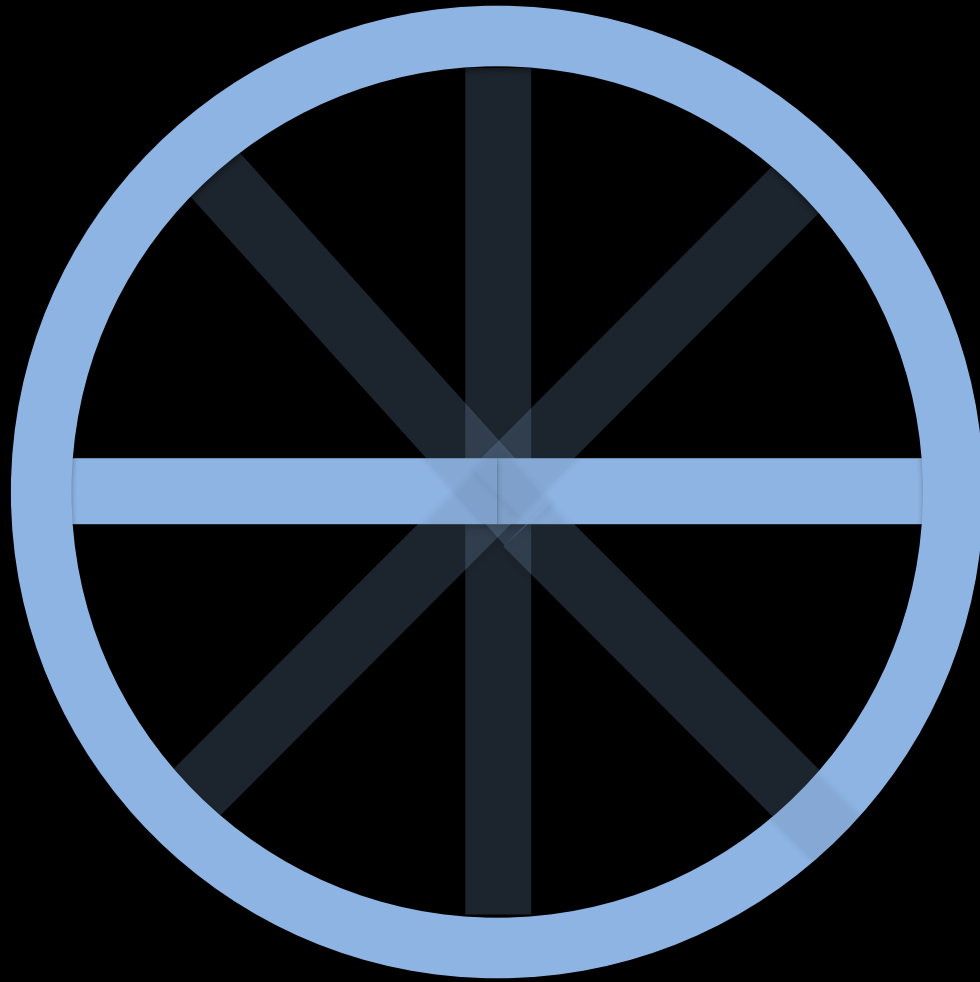
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6:11 So also the **FISH**, as much as they wanted

The Big Fish:  
Multiplied and Sufficient

John 12:24 (on Palm Sunday)

Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, ***it bears much fruit.***

1 John 2:2

He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the ***whole world.***



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The Little Fish:  
Multiplied and Sufficient

<sup>9</sup> “There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish, but what are they for so many?”

Matthew 4:19  
And he said to them,  
“Follow me, and I will  
make you fishers of men.”



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Jesus is multiplied  
extravagantly for you

2 Corinthians 12:9

But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.”

Jesus is multiplied  
extravagantly through you

Ephesians 3

<sup>20</sup> Now to him who is able to **do far more abundantly** than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us