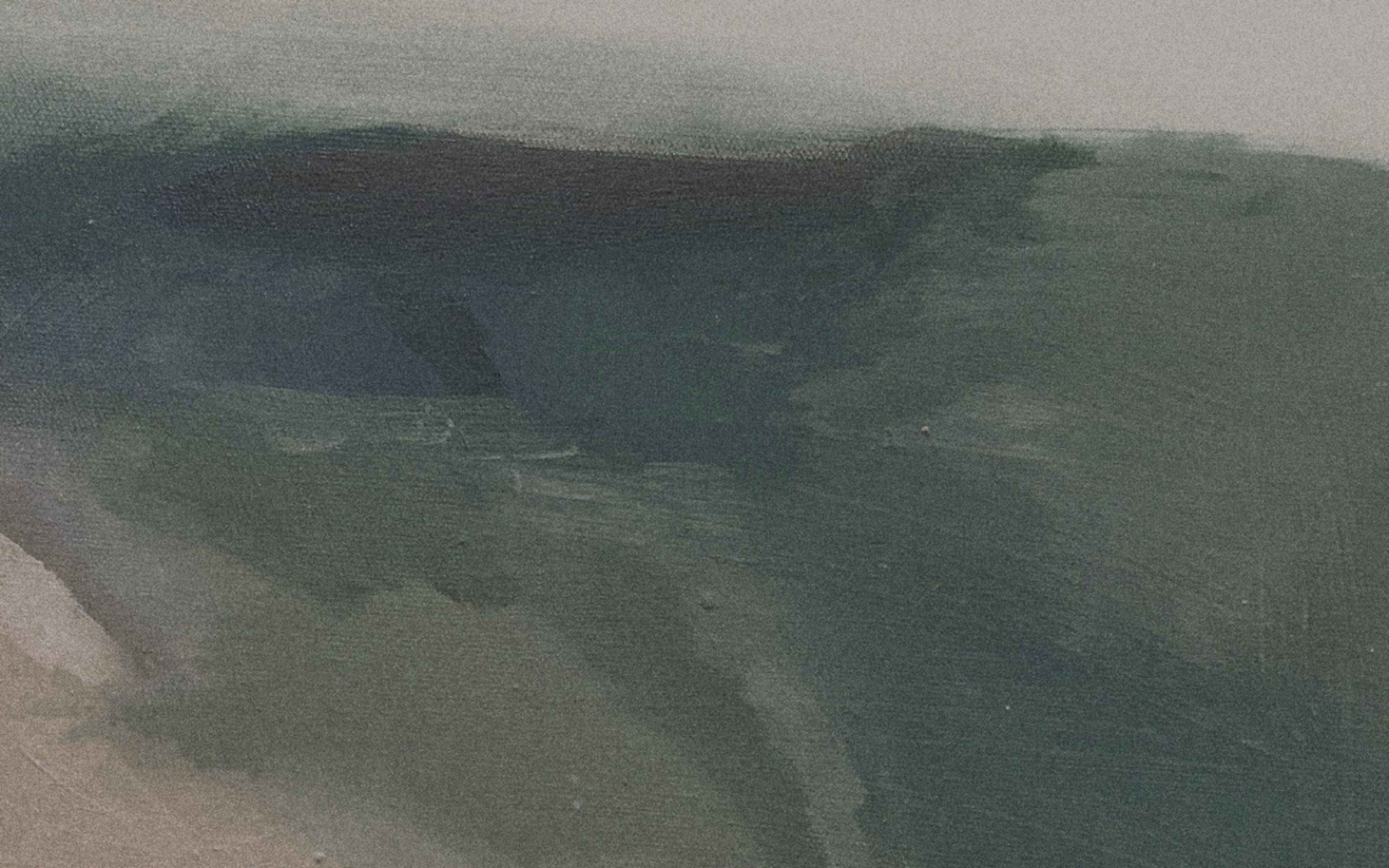


¹Unless the LORD builds the house, the builders labor in vain.
Unless the LORD watches over the city, the guards stand watch in
vain. ²In vain you rise early and stay up late, toiling for food to eat—
for he grants sleep to those he loves.

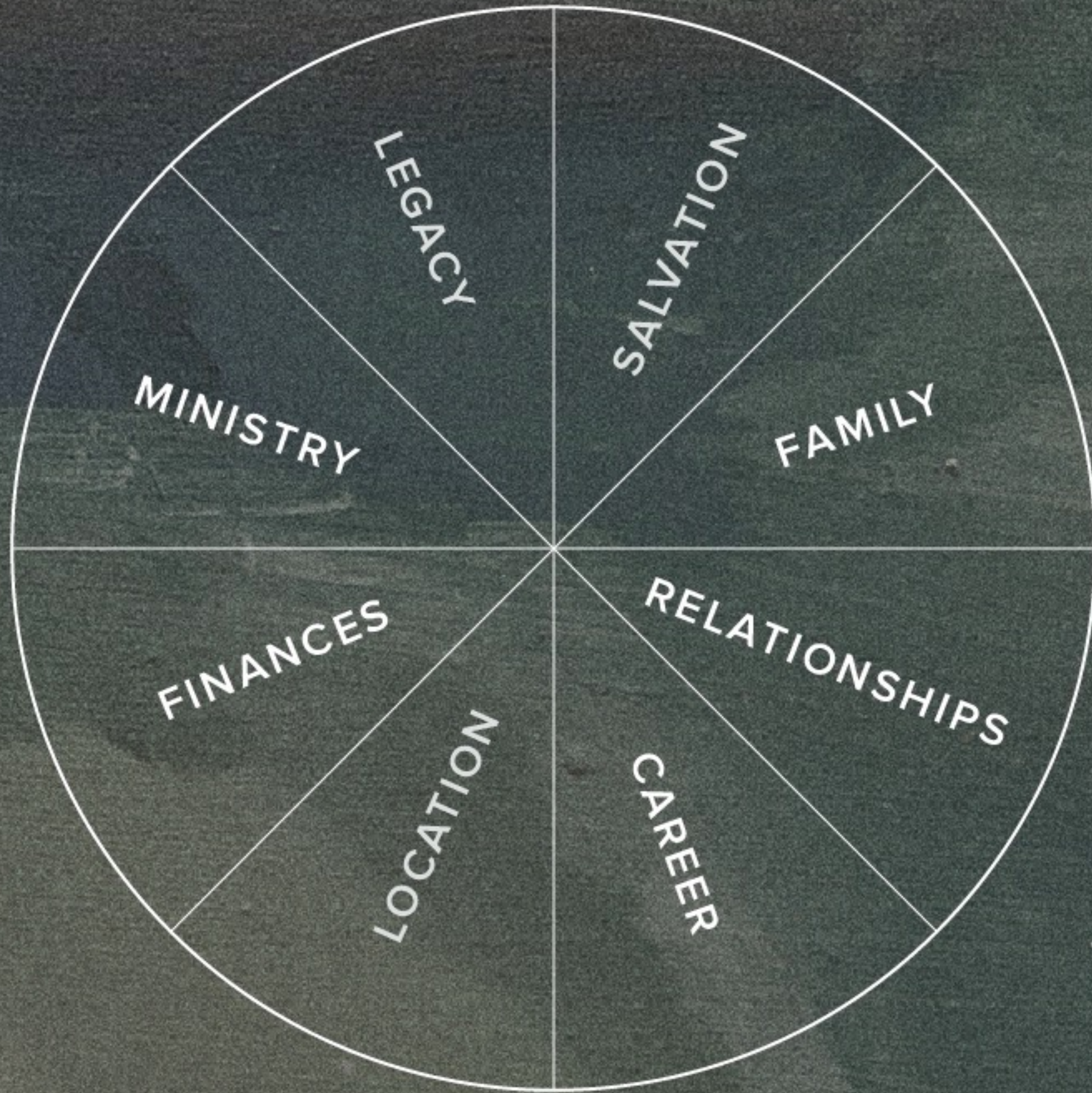
Psalm 127:1-2 (NIV)

²⁰ Our forerunner, Jesus, has entered on our behalf. He has become a high priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek.¹ This Melchizedek was king of Salem and priest of God Most High. He met Abraham returning from the defeat of the kings and blessed him,² and **Abraham gave him a tenth of everything.** First, the name Melchizedek means “**king of righteousness**”; then also, “king of Salem” means “**king of peace.**”³ Without father or mother, without genealogy, without beginning of days or end of life, resembling the Son of God, he remains a priest forever.

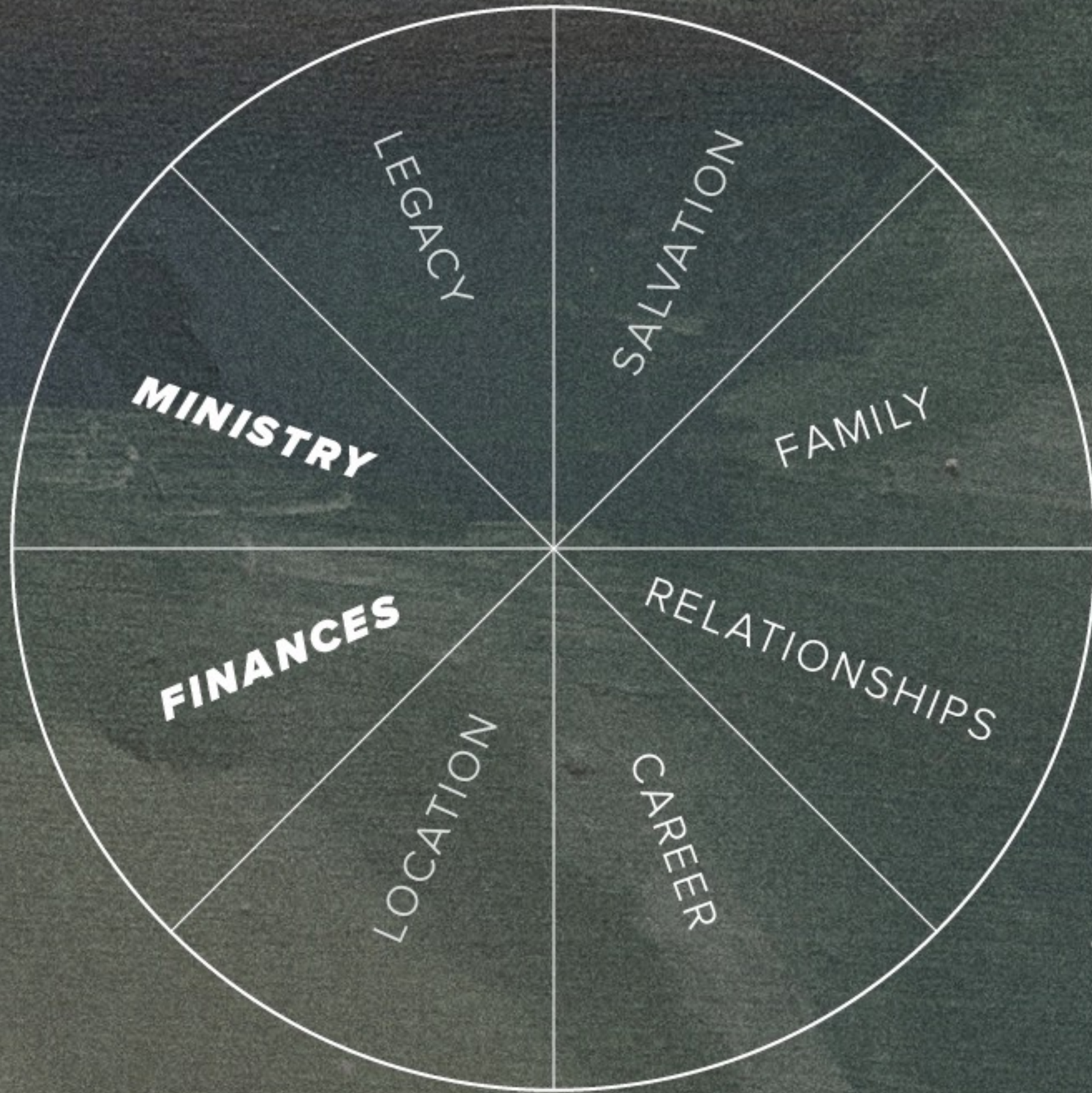
Hebrews 6:20, 7:1-3 (NIV)



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²⁶“No one, however, may dedicate the firstborn of an animal, since the firstborn already belongs to the LORD; whether an ox or a sheep, it is the LORD’s . . . ³⁰‘A tithe of everything from the land.’”

Leviticus 27:26, 30 (NIV)

Tithe: a tenth of the plunder, taken from the top of the heap

**TITHING DECLARES,
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¹⁷For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking, but of righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.

Romans 14:17 (NIV)

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²⁴“No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.”

Matthew 6:24 (NIV)

TITHING DECLARES,
"YOU'RE MY SOURCE"

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, SR.

*Founder, American Standard Oil,
which became BP, Exxon-Mobil,
Conoco Phillips, and Chevron*

Founder, University of Chicago



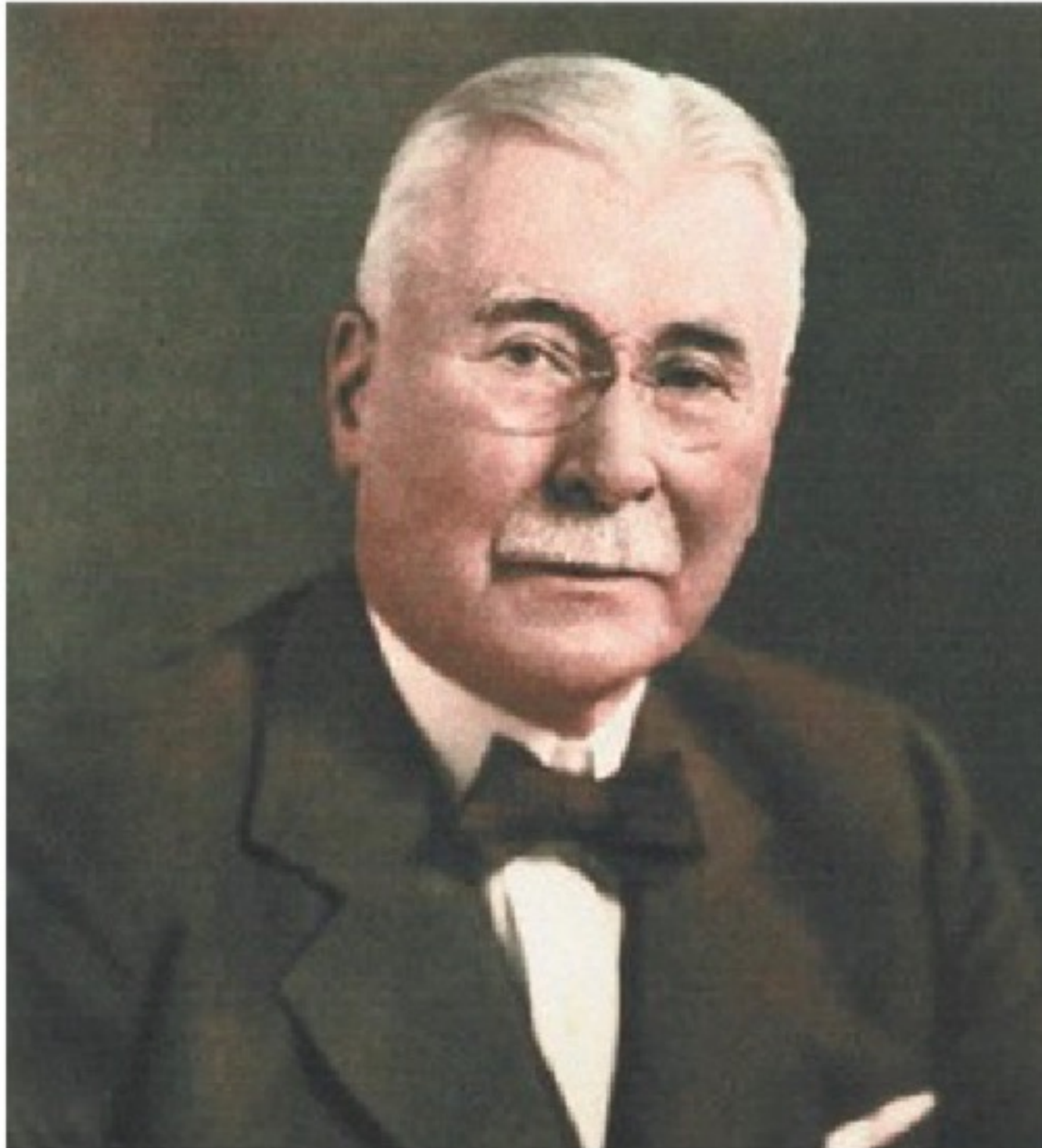
“My first wages amounted to \$1.50 per week. The first week after I went to work, I took the **\$1.50** home to my mother and she held the money in her lap and explained to me that she would be happy if I would give a tenth to the Lord.

“I did, and from that week until this day I have tithed every dollar God has entrusted to me. And I want to say, if I had not tithed the first dollar I made I would not have tithed the first million dollars I made.”

When he died in 1937, his assets equaled 1.5% of America's total economic output.

HENRY P. CROWELL

*Founder, Quaker Oats
Company, 1855-1944*



As a young boy he contracted tuberculosis and couldn't go to school.

After hearing a sermon by D.L. Moody as a boy, Crowell prayed, "I can't be a preacher, but I can be a good businessman. God, if you will let me make money, I will use it in your service."

Under the doctor's advice, Crowell worked outdoors for seven years and regained his health. He then bought a small, run-down quaker mill in Ravanna, Ohio.

Within ten years, Quaker Oats was a household name to millions. For over forty years, Crowell faithfully gave 60-70% of his income to God's causes, having advanced from an initial 10%.



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“YOU’RE MY SOURCE”

“The tithe is the acknowledgement of [God’s] right to all.”

- Andrew Murray