

Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 28:18-20 (NIV)

# EARN THE GOSPEL

And I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective for the full knowledge of every good thing that is in us for the sake of Christ.

Philemon 1:6 (ESV)

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Romans 6:23 (ESV)

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**ROMANS 6:23 (ESV)** 

YOU



**WAGES** 

SIN

**DEATH** 

GOD



**GIFT** 

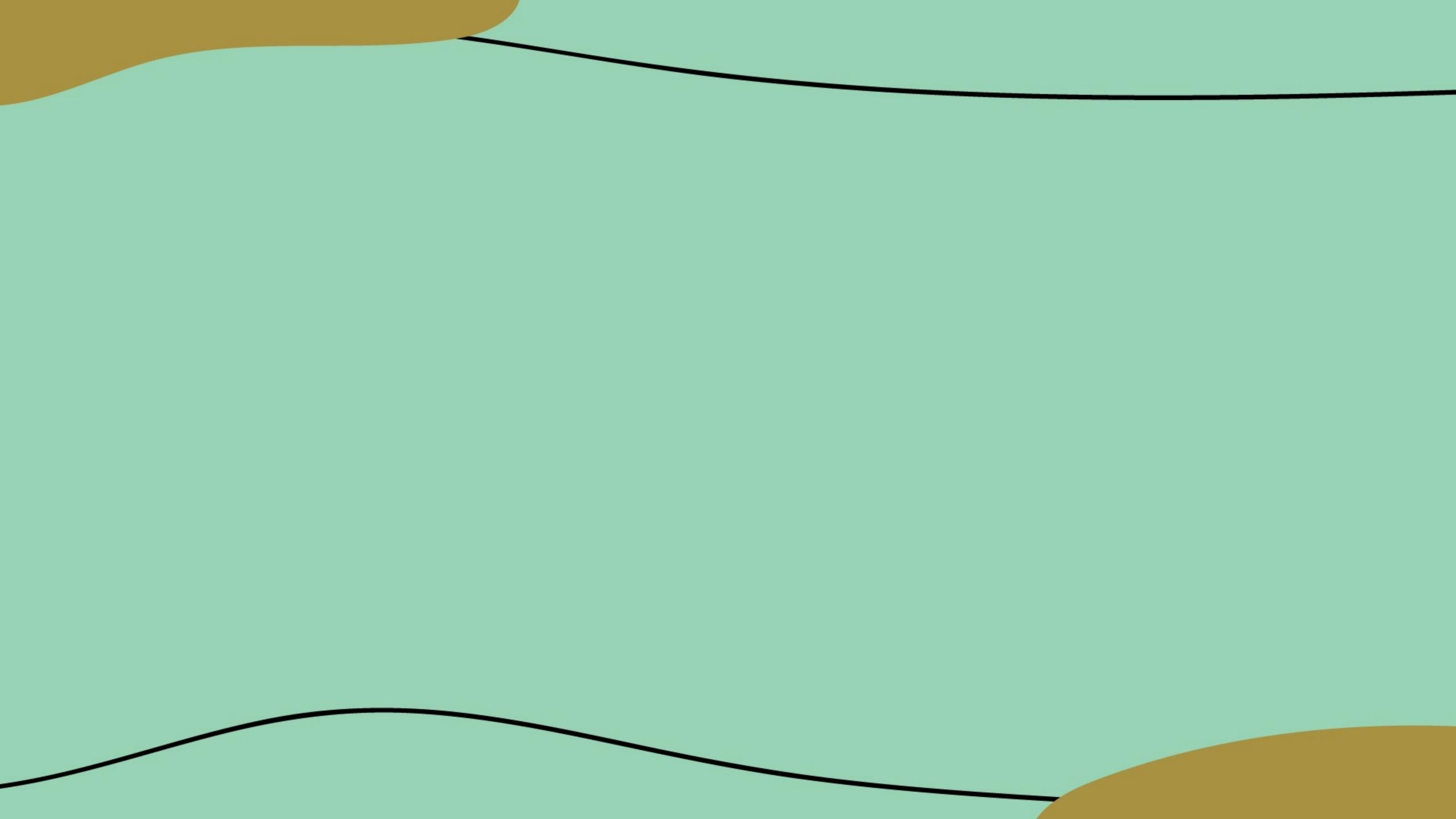
GOD

**ETERNAL LIFE** 

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## WAGES

Pay or Compensation.

All of our words, choices, and actions have consequences.

THE PICTURE OF DORIAN GRAY, OSCAR WILDE, 1890



# <u>SIN</u>

Wrongdoing, missing the mark, falling short, transgression.

"Sin is any thought, word, or deed against God (or His Word)."

St. Augustine

## DEATH

Eternal sentence of finality, the second death.

Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. The one who is victorious will not be hurt at all by the second death.

Revelation 2:11 (NIV)

## <u>GIFT</u>

The free gift of righteousness that is totally unearned.

For by one sacrifice he has made perfect forever those who are being made holy.

**Hebrews 10:14 (NIV)** 

#### <u>GOD</u>

Jesus is the Son of God and the only person in history worthy to purchase our freedom.

"A person who rejects Christ may choose to say that I do not accept it, he may not choose to say there is not enough evidence."

Simon Greenleaf

### ETERNALLEE

Abundant existence without end.

I came that they may have life and have it abundantly. John 10:10b (ESV)

## ETERNALLIFE

- 1. Pardon
- 2. Proof
- 3. Passport