



**LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND:
BE A BROTHERS' KEEPER**

“But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.”

Jn 1:12-13

“Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, ‘You must be born again.’”

Jn 3:5-7

**God asked him, "Where is your brother Abel?"
Cain responded, "Am I my brother's keeper?"**

Gen 4:9

A photograph of two hikers walking away from the camera on a dirt path through a forest. The hiker on the left is wearing a dark jacket and a backpack. The hiker on the right is wearing a dark jacket, a backpack, and has long hair. The forest is lush with green foliage and tall trees. The sun is shining brightly from behind the trees, creating a warm, golden light. The text is overlaid on a semi-transparent blue rectangle in the center of the image.

**I. FAITHFULLY
WALK ALONGSIDE
ONE ANOTHER**

A person's hands are shown holding a small sapling with soil. The sapling has two green leaves and a thin stem. The background is a blurred landscape of a field and sky. The text is overlaid on the image.

A. Encourage One Another To Grow in Faith

"And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching."

Heb 10: 24-25

Spur: *paroxusmos* (Greek)

to provoke or stir up

**B. Support and Strengthen
Each Other in Daily Life**

"Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor: If either of them falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up."

Ecc 4: 9-10

“if either of them falls down”:
stumbling/facing hardships is inevitable





“help them up”: our role in supporting each other

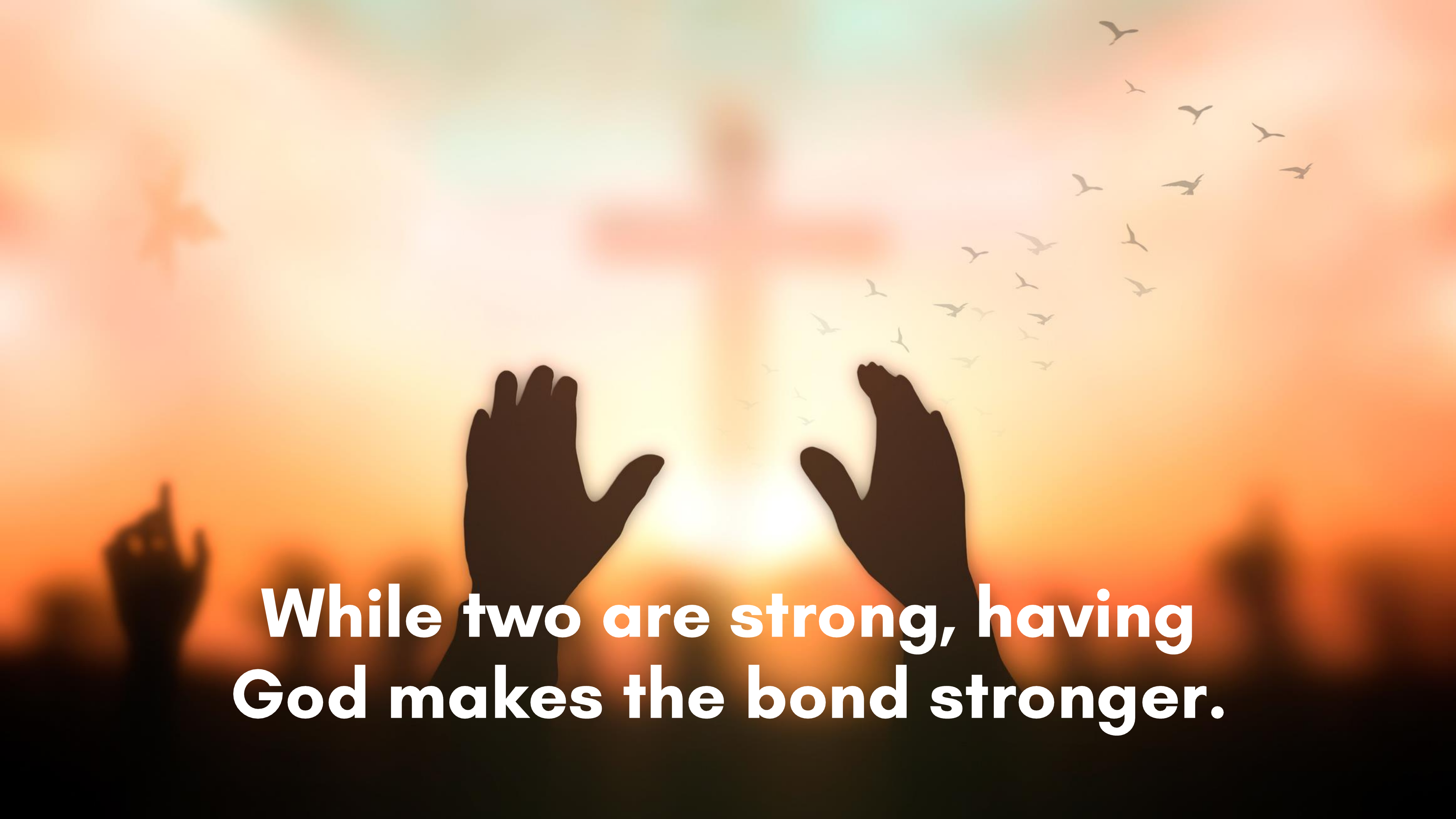
“If two lie down together, they will keep warm; but how can one be warm alone. Though one may be overpowered by another, two can defend themselves.”

(vv11-12a)

: comfort and strength



“A cord of three strands is not quickly broken.”



**While two are strong, having
God makes the bond stronger.**



**In this spiritual family in Elim,
no one should ever walk alone.**



**II. FAITHFULLY CARRY
ONE ANOTHER**

¹ “Brothers, if a man is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore such a one in the spirit of meekness, watching yourselves, lest you also be tempted. ² Bear one another’s burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. ³ For if someone thinks himself to be something when he is nothing, he deceives himself. ⁴ But let each one examine his own work, and then he will have rejoicing in himself alone, and not in another. ⁵ For each one shall bear his own burden.”

Gal 6:1-5 (MEV)



**A. Restore Gently When
Someone Falls**

B. Bear Each Other's Burdens



**“Carry each other’s burdens,
and in this way, you will fulfill
the law of Christ.”**

Gal 6:2



“For if someone thinks himself to be something when he is nothing, he deceives himself”

Gal 6:3



**“...each one should carry his
own burden.”**

Gal 6:5



“burdens” (v2)

“baros”: heavy weights/loads too much to
carry alone

“burden” (v5)

“phortion”: “loads”, the backpack carried
by soldier

“We who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the weak and not to please ourselves. Each of us should please our neighbours for their good, to build them up.”

Rom 15:1-2

"Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers."

Gal 6:10