

Faith, Power, and Authority

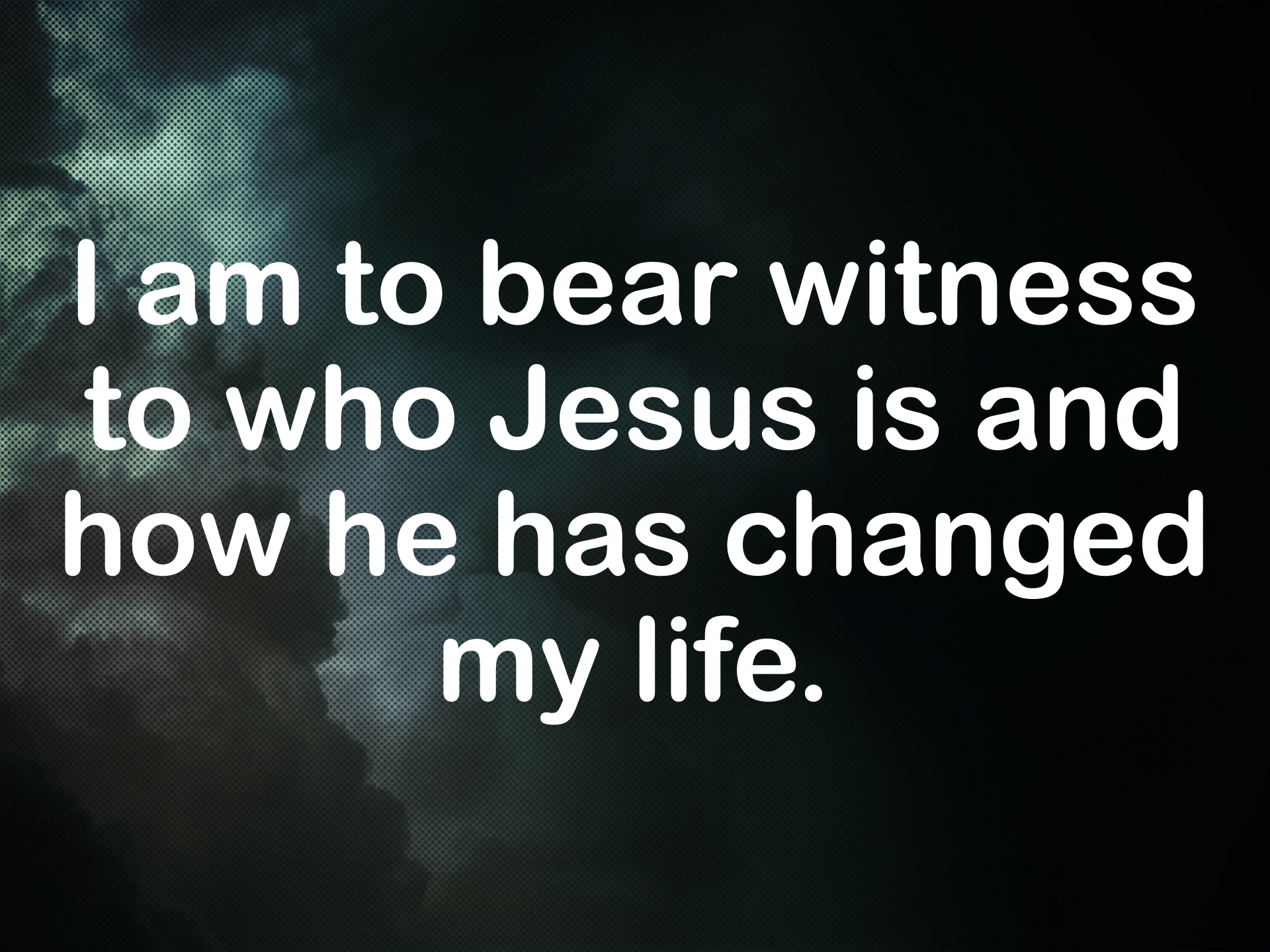
Luke 8:22-39



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Authority**

1. I am invited
to decide for
myself, or
believe, who
Jesus really is.

The miracles reveal to
the disciples and to me
that Jesus is God the
Son, God in the flesh,
God with us.



I am to bear witness
to who Jesus is and
how he has changed
my life.



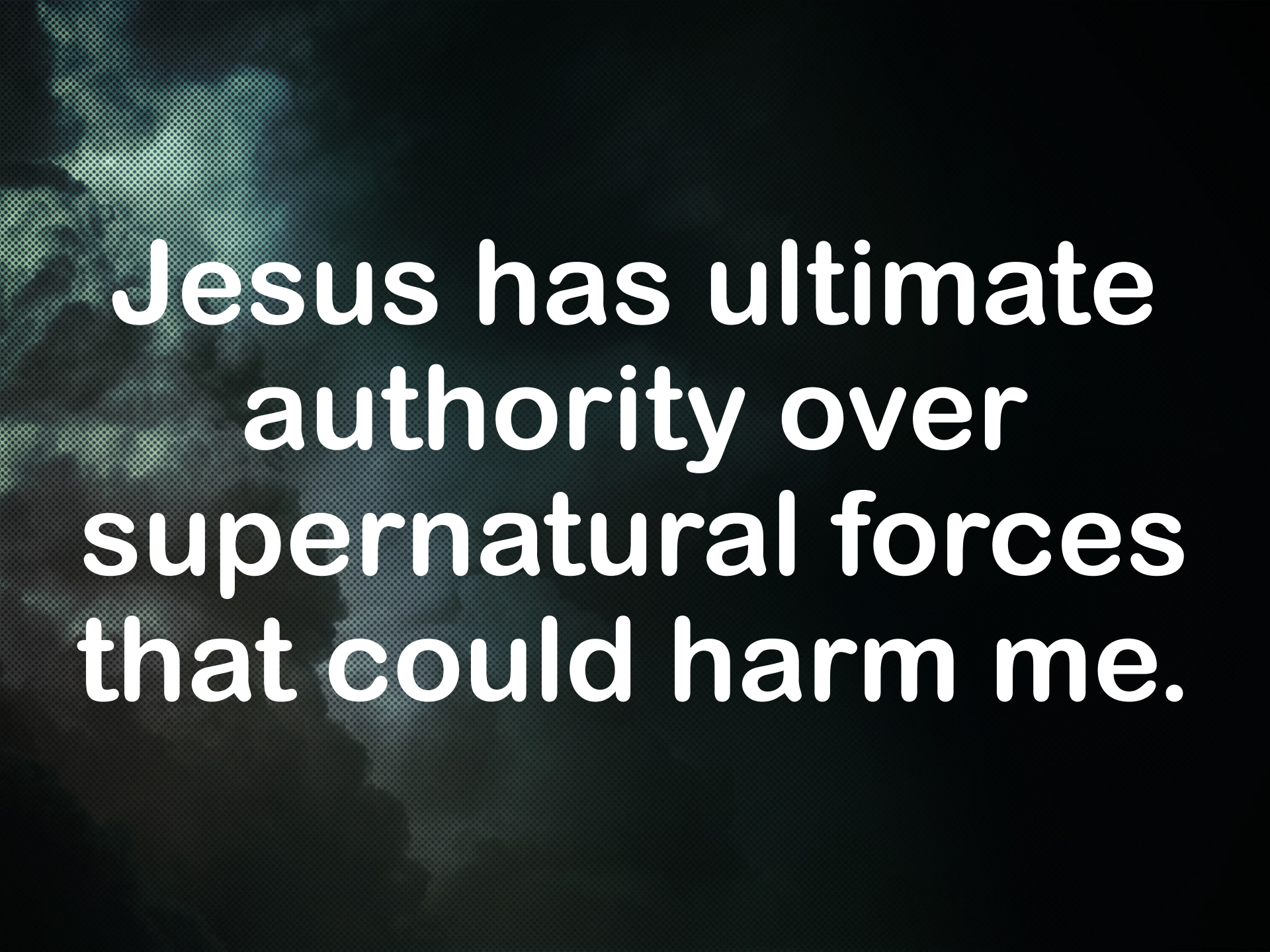
Do I really know
Jesus? What can I tell
others about who
Jesus is and what he
has done for me? Has
knowing Jesus
changed my life at all?

**2. Jesus has
authority over
forces that can
potentially
overcome me.
Jesus can deliver
me no matter how
great the peril.**

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Jesus has ultimate
authority over
natural forces that
could harm me.



Jesus has ultimate
authority over
supernatural forces
that could harm me.

Jesus can be
trusted, even when
he appears to be
absent and when I
feel powerless
against everything
working against me.

I am trusting Jesus
right now through
my present
difficulties?