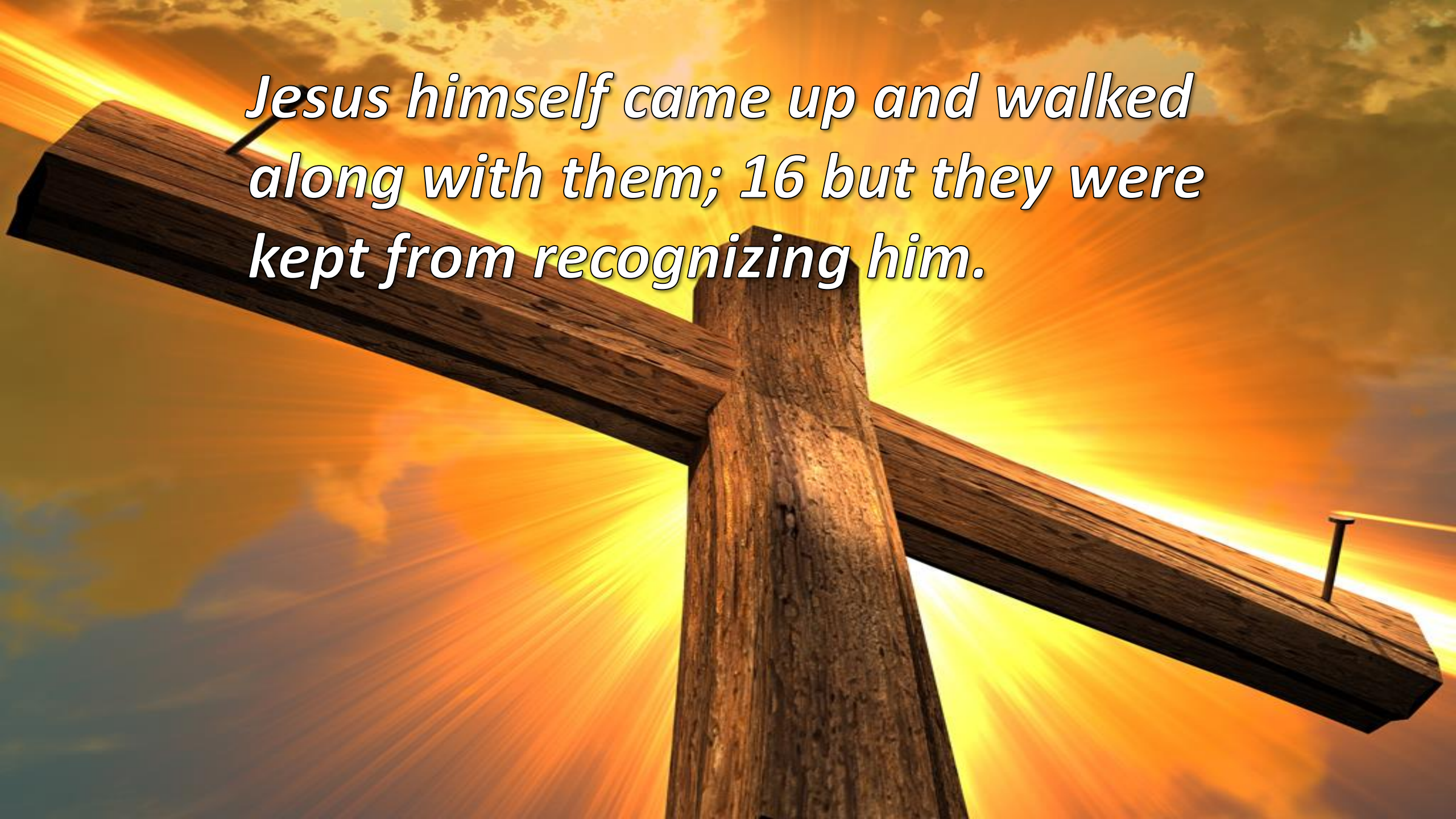
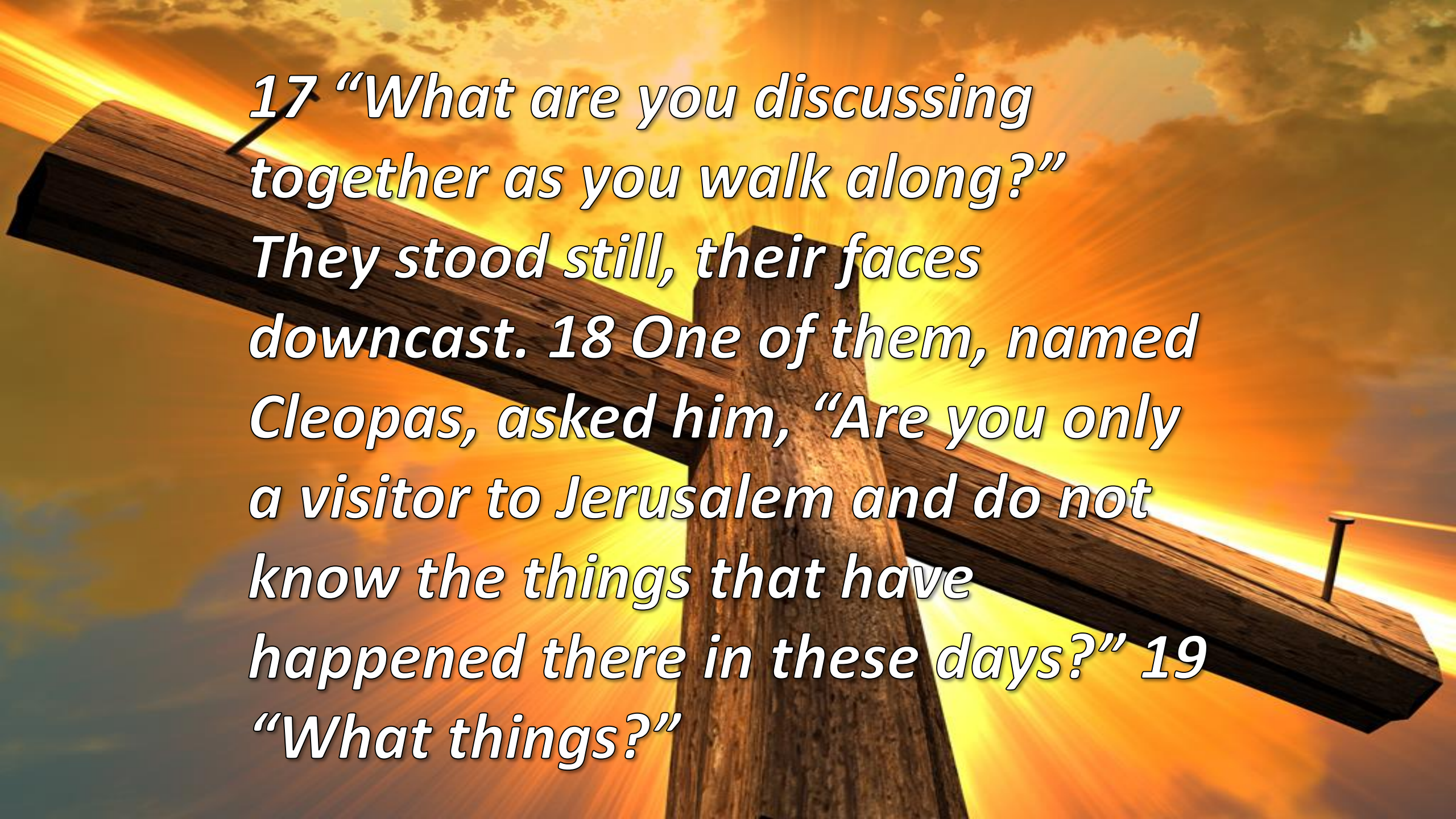
A wooden cross is the central focus, set against a dramatic sunset sky. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and long, radiating rays of light that fill the scene. The cross is made of dark, weathered wood. The text is overlaid on the image in a white, outlined font.

Luke 24:13-34

Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem. ¹⁴ They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. ¹⁵ As they talked and discussed these things with each other

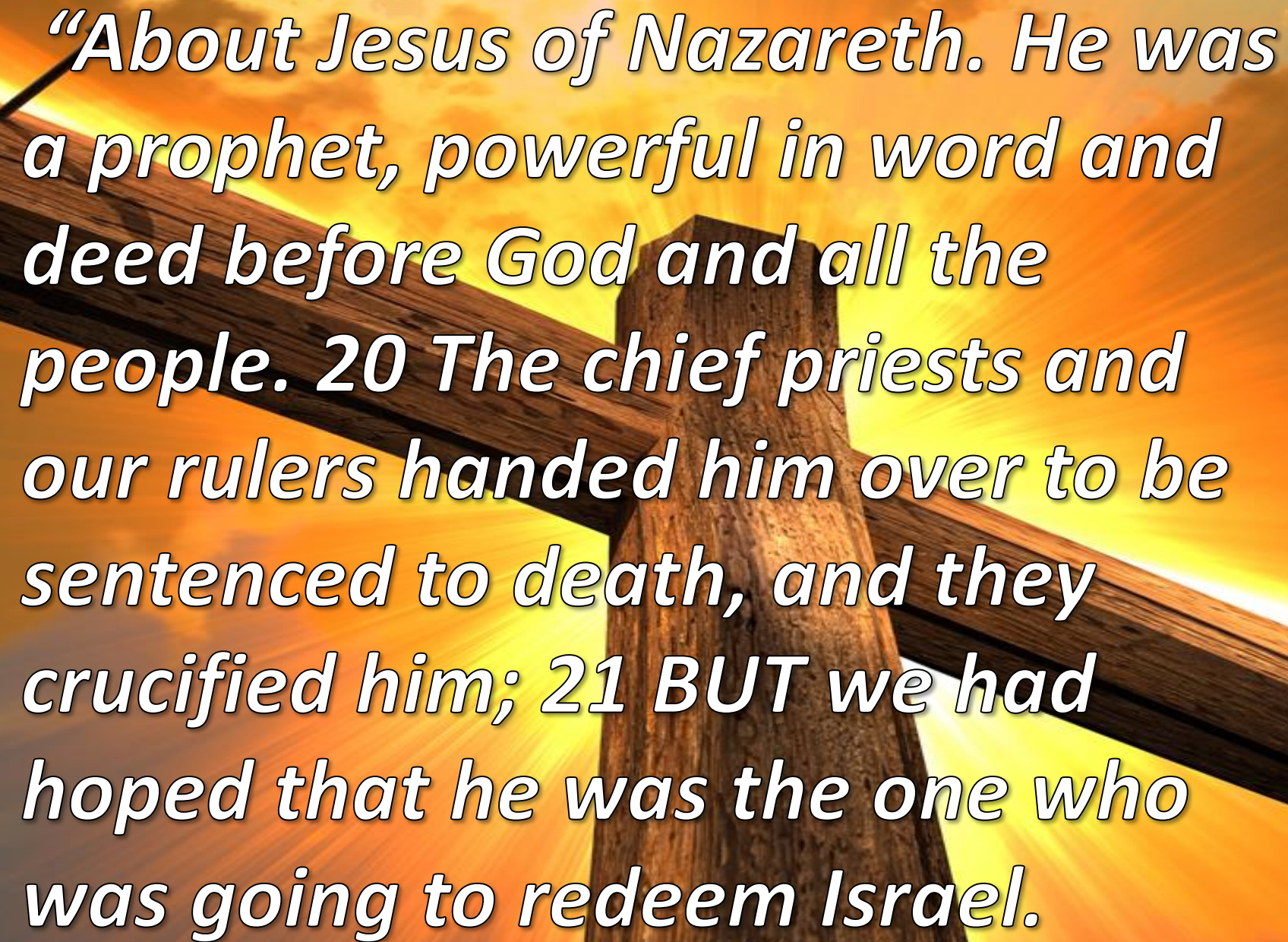


*Jesus himself came up and walked
along with them; 16 but they were
kept from recognizing him.*

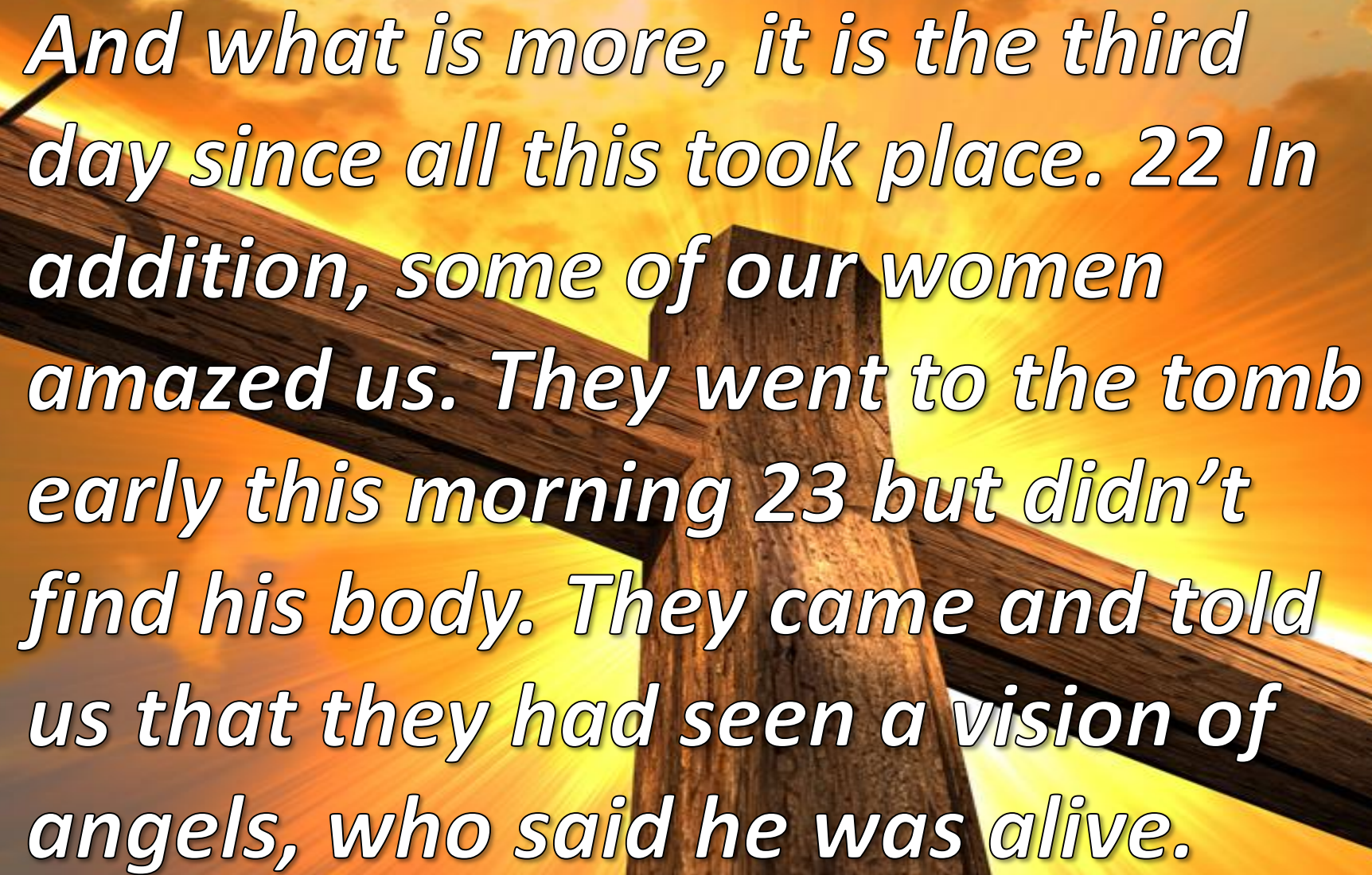
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17 "What are you discussing together as you walk along?"

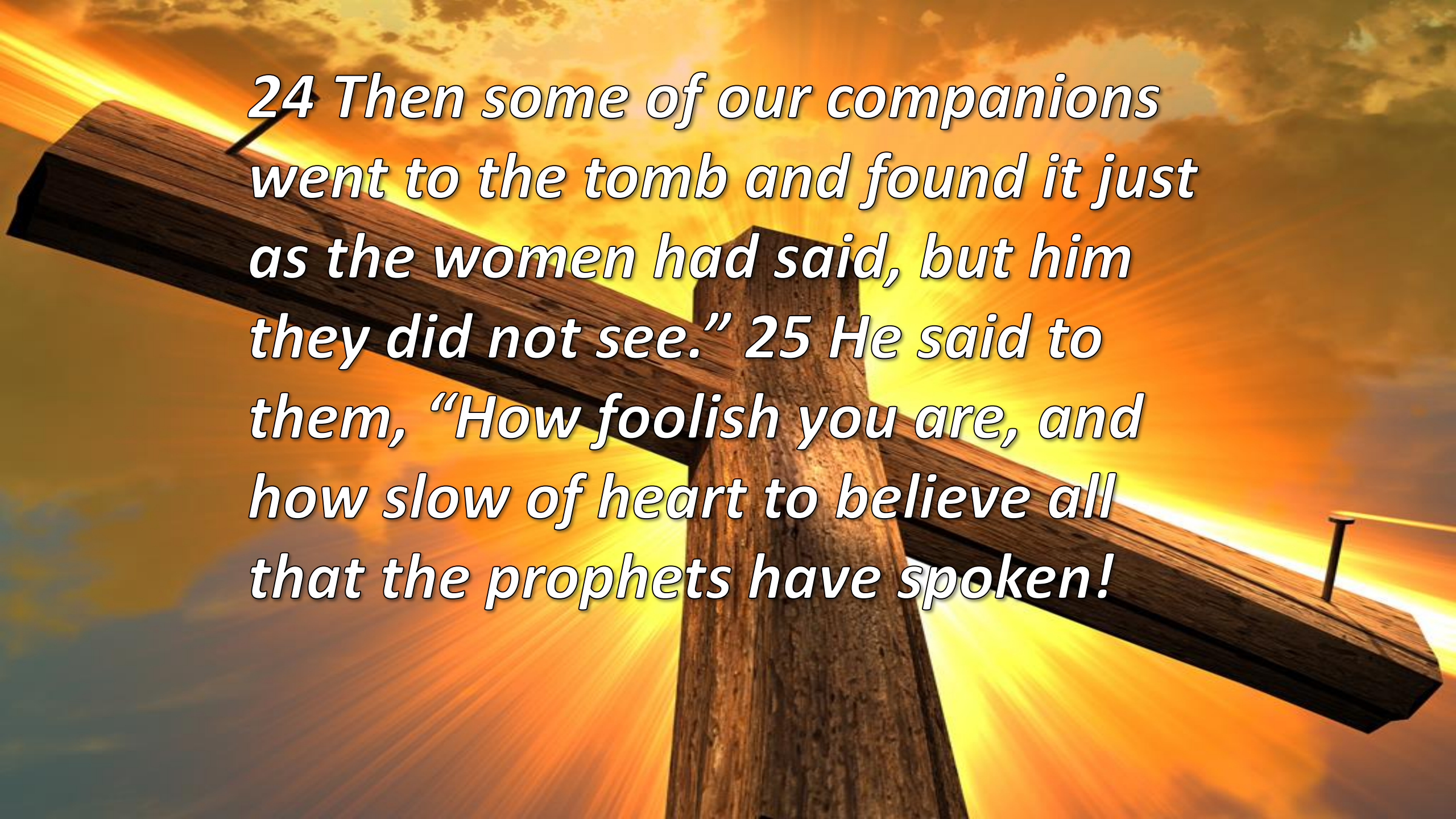
They stood still, their faces downcast. 18 One of them, named Cleopas, asked him, "Are you only a visitor to Jerusalem and do not know the things that have happened there in these days?" 19 "What things?"

A wooden cross is the central focus, set against a dramatic, orange and yellow sunset sky. The cross is made of thick, weathered wooden beams. The background features a bright sun low on the horizon, creating a lens flare effect with rays of light. The overall mood is solemn and reflective.

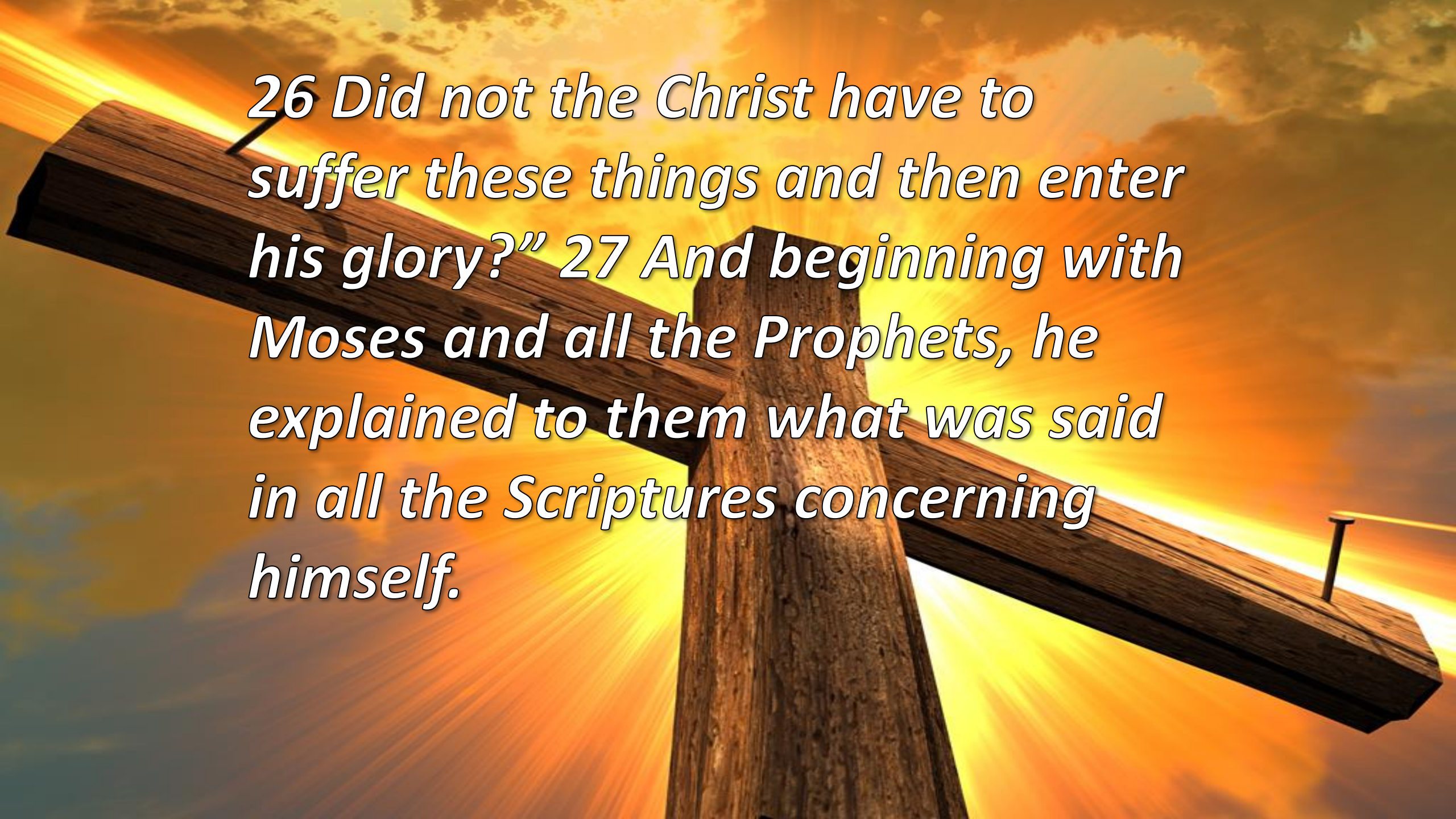
“About Jesus of Nazareth. He was a prophet, powerful in word and deed before God and all the people. 20 The chief priests and our rulers handed him over to be sentenced to death, and they crucified him; 21 BUT we had hoped that he was the one who was going to redeem Israel.”

A wooden cross is the central focus, set against a dramatic sky of orange and yellow light, suggesting a sunrise or sunset. The cross is made of thick, weathered wooden beams. The text is overlaid on the cross, written in a white, bold, sans-serif font with a black outline and a slight drop shadow, making it stand out against the background.

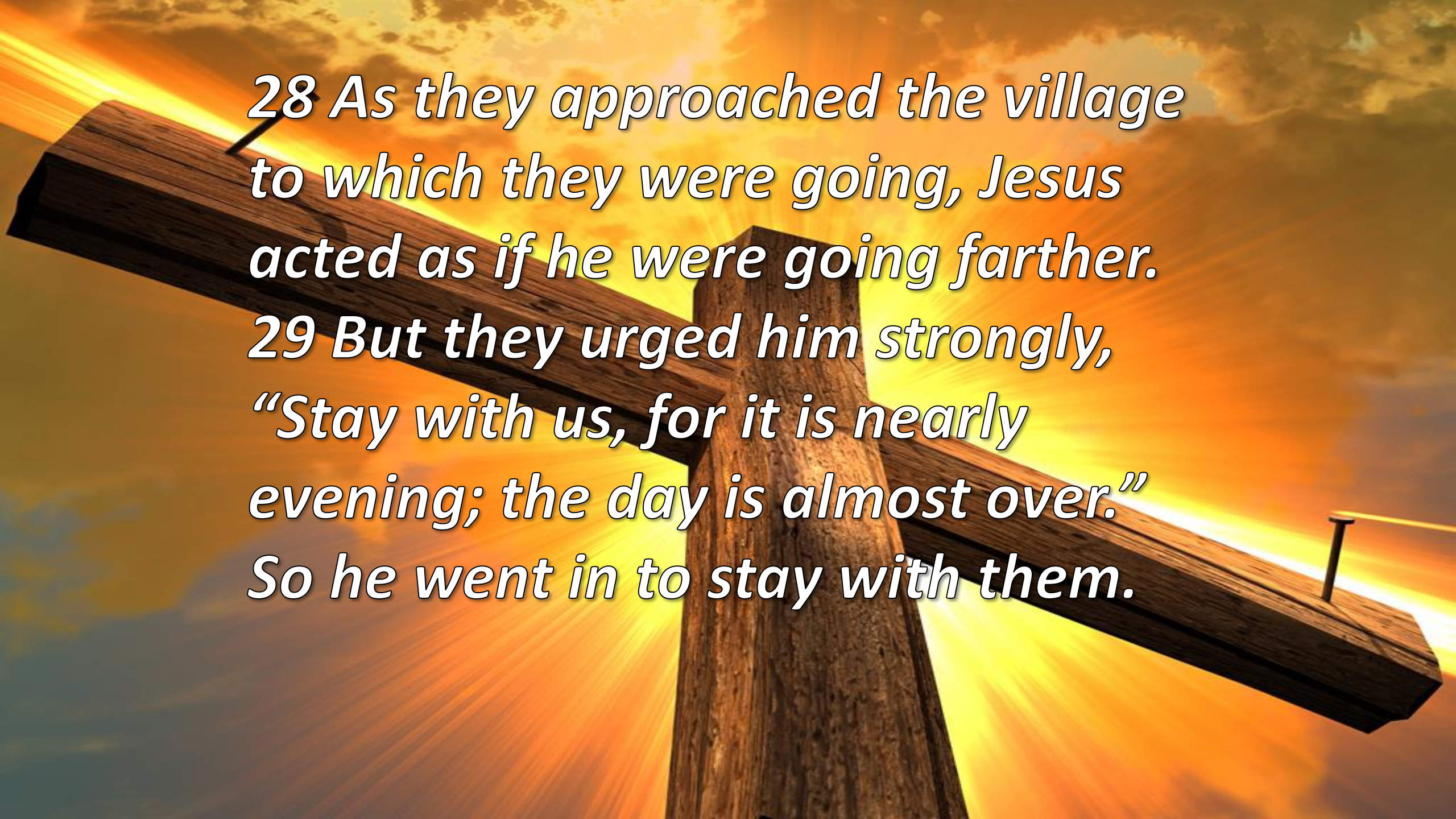
And what is more, it is the third day since all this took place. 22 In addition, some of our women amazed us. They went to the tomb early this morning 23 but didn't find his body. They came and told us that they had seen a vision of angels, who said he was alive.

A wooden cross is the central focus, set against a dramatic, glowing sunset sky. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright orange and yellow glow with rays of light. The cross is made of dark, weathered wood. The text is overlaid on the cross and sky, written in a white, italicized font with a black outline.

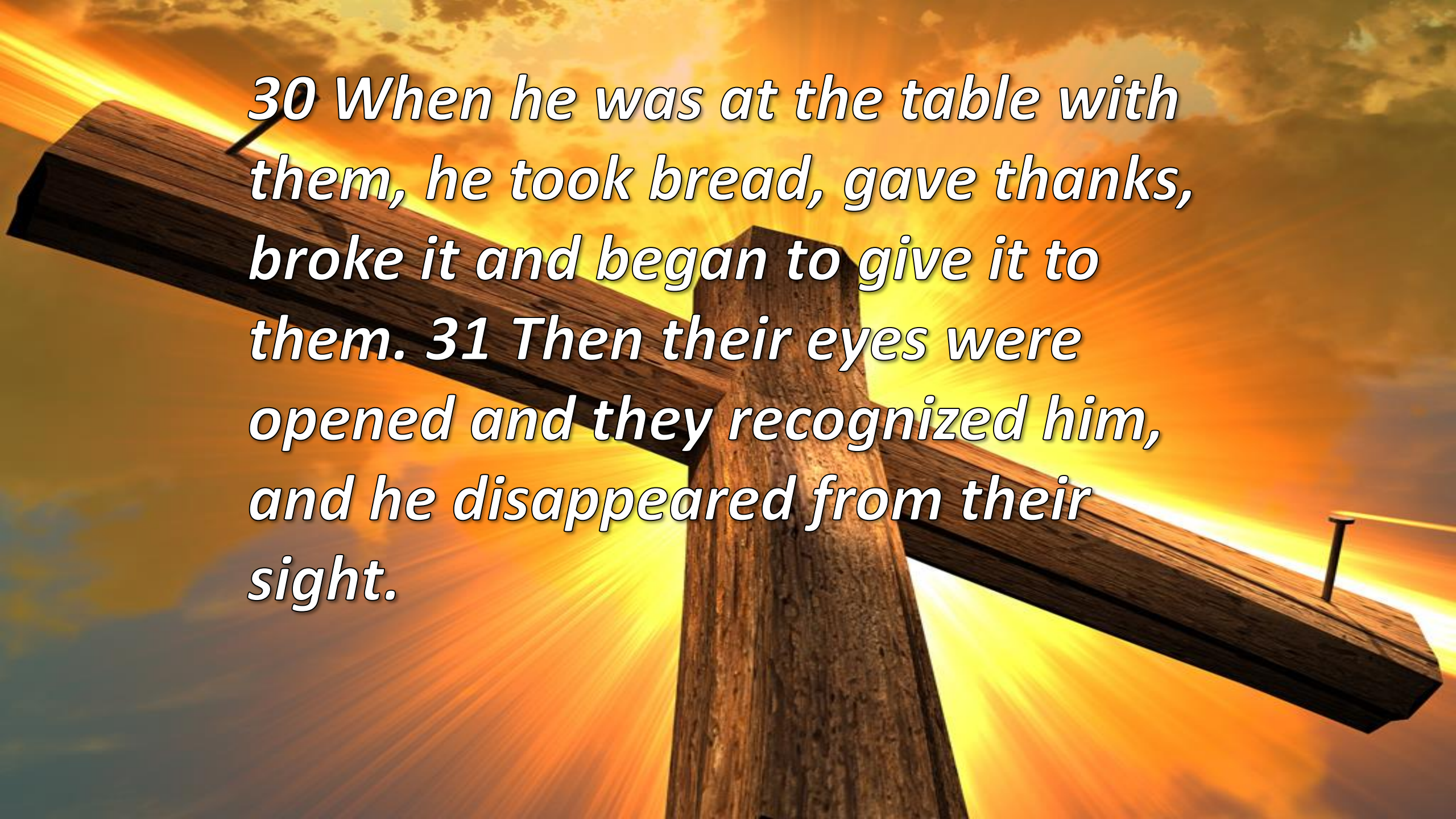
24 Then some of our companions went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but him they did not see.” 25 He said to them, “How foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken!

A wooden cross is the central focus, set against a dramatic, glowing sunset sky. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright, golden light that radiates across the scene. The sky is filled with soft, orange and yellow clouds, and the overall atmosphere is one of hope and redemption. The cross is made of dark, weathered wood, and its vertical post is the most prominent feature. The horizontal beams are also visible, extending outwards. The text is overlaid on the cross and the sky, written in a white, serif font with a slight shadow effect.

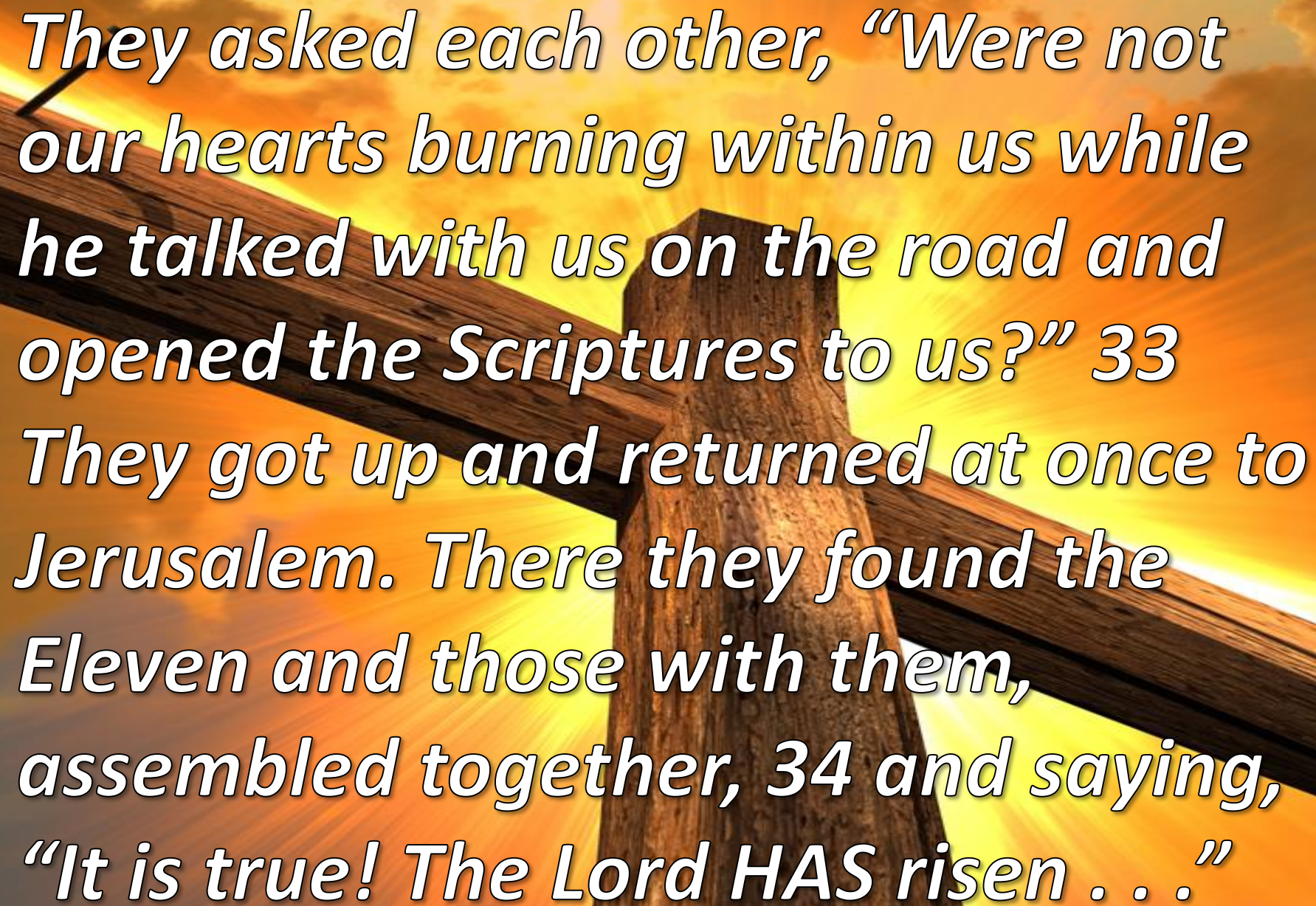
26 Did not the Christ have to suffer these things and then enter his glory?" 27 And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself.

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28 As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus acted as if he were going farther.
29 But they urged him strongly, "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them.



30 When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. 31 Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight.

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They asked each other, “Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?” 33 They got up and returned at once to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven and those with them, assembled together, 34 and saying, “It is true! The Lord HAS risen . . .”

A white, hand-painted cross is positioned on the left side of the image. The background is a dark blue gradient with faint, glowing binary code (0s and 1s) scattered across it. The text "Resurrecting Hope" is written in a clean, white, sans-serif font, centered horizontally and partially overlapping the right side of the cross.

Resurrecting Hope

God Is Faithful!



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We Are Never Alone!

Luke 24:15

As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them;

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We Are Never Alone!

Luke 24:46-47

He told them, "This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day,⁴⁷ and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations."

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We Are Never Alone!

2 Corinthians 5:21

*God made him who had no sin to
be(come) sin for us, so that in him we
might become the righteousness of
God.*



We Are Empowered to Grow
and Change

Matthew 28:19

*Go and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the
Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,
teaching them to obey everything I
have commanded you.*