



**Deep Calls to Deep
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Deep Calls to Deep - Practicing

- Evangelicalism has a 500 year old history of making Christianity mainly a rational and theological understanding about God, rather than an actual ongoing personal , experiential encounter with Him.
- A living encounter with the living God beats a theology about Him.

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- Mystic or mystical
- Ecstatic, ecstasy – negative - why?
- Euphoric, blissful, joyous, elated
- Trances, visions , out of body experiences – suspicion
- We must not try to induce trances etc. by using techniques
- We can be open to experience by looking for it

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- Mystic Mystical is difficult for many.
- Webster defines it as “the belief that direct knowledge of God, spiritual truth, or ultimate reality can be attained through subjective experience (as intuition or insight)”
- You can trust My voice in your heart more than you can trust the reasoned theology of your mind. – Mark Virkler

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- Mystic Mystical
- A person who tries to gain religious or spiritual knowledge through prayer and deep thought
- A person who claims to attain, or believes in the possibility of attaining, insight into mysteries transcending ordinary human knowledge, as by direct communication with God

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- A mystic is someone who has a direct experience of God.
- Many mystics are broad-thinking, intelligent and have a good grasp of the concepts of infinity and transcendence.
- I include myself in that category

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- “Imagination is more important than knowledge. For knowledge is limited to all we now know and understand, while imagination embraces the entire world, and all there ever will be to know and understand.”
- Albert Einstein

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- “The intuitive mind is a sacred gift and the rational mind is a faithful servant. We have created a society that honours the servant and has forgotten the gift.”
- Albert Einstein

**Logic will get you from A to B.
Imagination will take
you everywhere.**

~ Albert Einstein



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- God's language
- Flow of thoughts, pictures, words, impressions, perception
- Received and interpreted in our brains
- On the screen of our imagination

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- 2 Cor 4:18 So we **fix our eyes** not on what is seen, but **on what is unseen**, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.
- We look at the unseen with the eyes of our heart - Imagination

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- Heb 5:14 But solid food is for the mature, who because of **practice have their senses trained** to discern good and evil. (**spirit & soul**)
- Practice
- Desire – Discipline – Delight

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- Purpose?
- Fulfil our destinies – Royal Priesthood
- Manifest as sons of God on the earth
- Live a supernatural lifestyle as a gateway for heaven to invade earth
- Develop our ability to see and walk in the light
- Access the heavenly realms
- Access and develop the kingdom of God within us

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- Naturally supernatural
- See from a heavenly spiritual perspective
- Hear the voice of God and be led by the Spirit
- Rom 8:¹⁴ For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God.
- Live in dual realms

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- Developing spiritual senses
- Gateways spirit, soul & body
- See, Hear, Know, Feel, Perceive, Understand
- Tuning in and developing what is happening all the time
- Visual, audio, intuitive, impressions
- Gifts of the Spirit – prophecy, knowledge, wisdom, distinguishing
- 1 Cor 14:¹ Pursue love, yet desire earnestly spiritual gifts, but especially that you may prophesy.

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- 4 stages of experiences
- Faith engagement using words & actions
- Visions – snap shot pictures or moving pictures in the 3rd person
- Visitations – 1st person may involve trances or even translations - seeing
- Habitations living in the dual realms of heaven & earth simultaneously
- John 3:¹³ No one has ascended to heaven but He who came down from heaven, *that is*, the Son of Man **who is in heaven**. (dwells has His home)

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- Training programmes & exercises are scaffolding, tutors or helps until we are familiar and flowing
- Building our spirits, developing spiritual senses,
- Opening our spirit soul & body gates
- Cleansing soul gates removing blockages
- Activating our imaginations
- Learning to see

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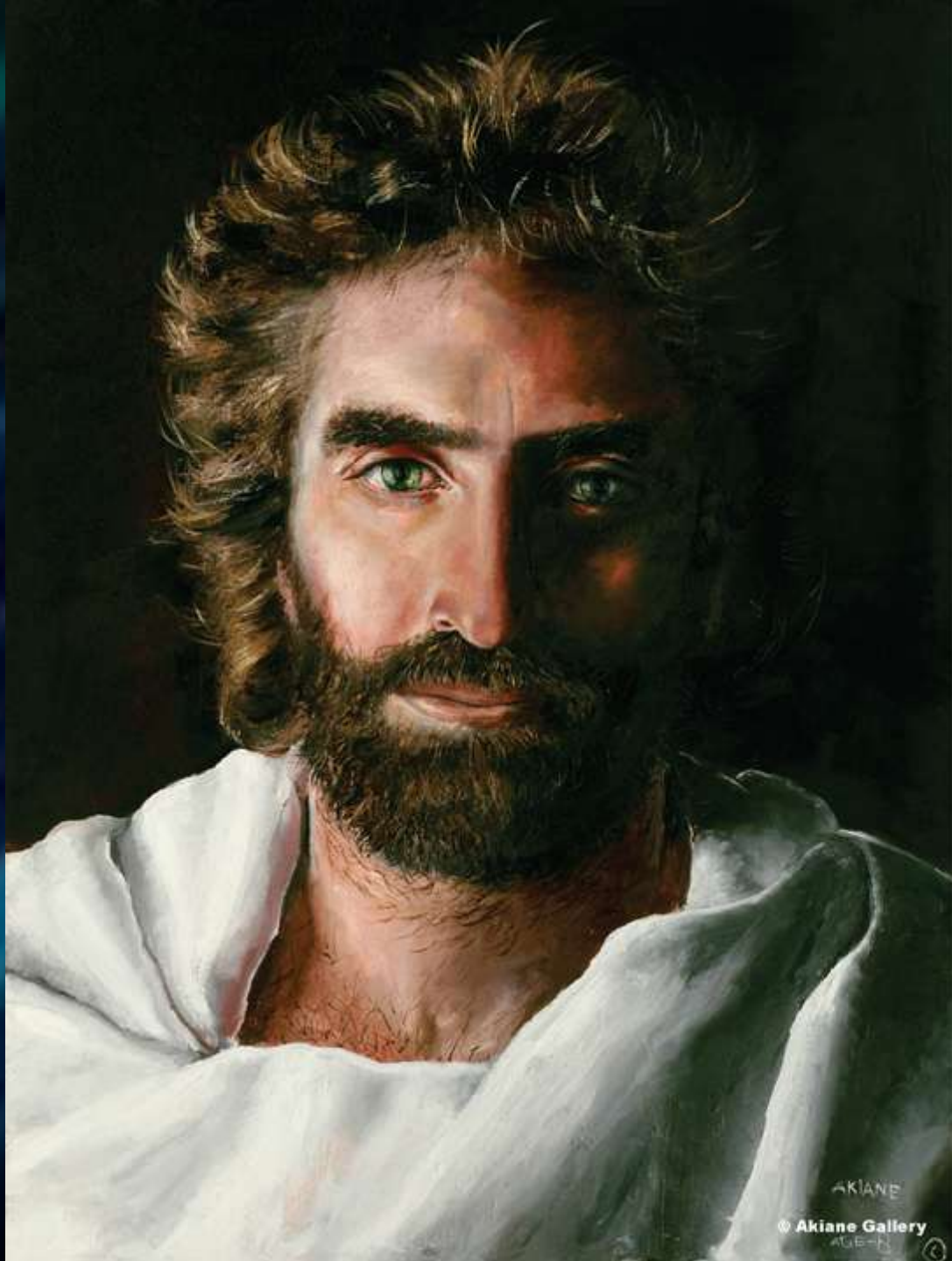
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- Speaking or singing in tongues is a key to activating and developing our spiritual senses
- Tongues is the language of the spirit
- Speaking in tongue out loud
- Speaking in tongue in your mind
- Speaking in tongues continuously in your spirit

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- Isa 40:31 But those who **wait on the Lord** shall change and renew their strength and power;
- Psa 46:10 Be still, and know that I am God
- Psa 46:10 Cease striving, Let be and be still and know that I am God;



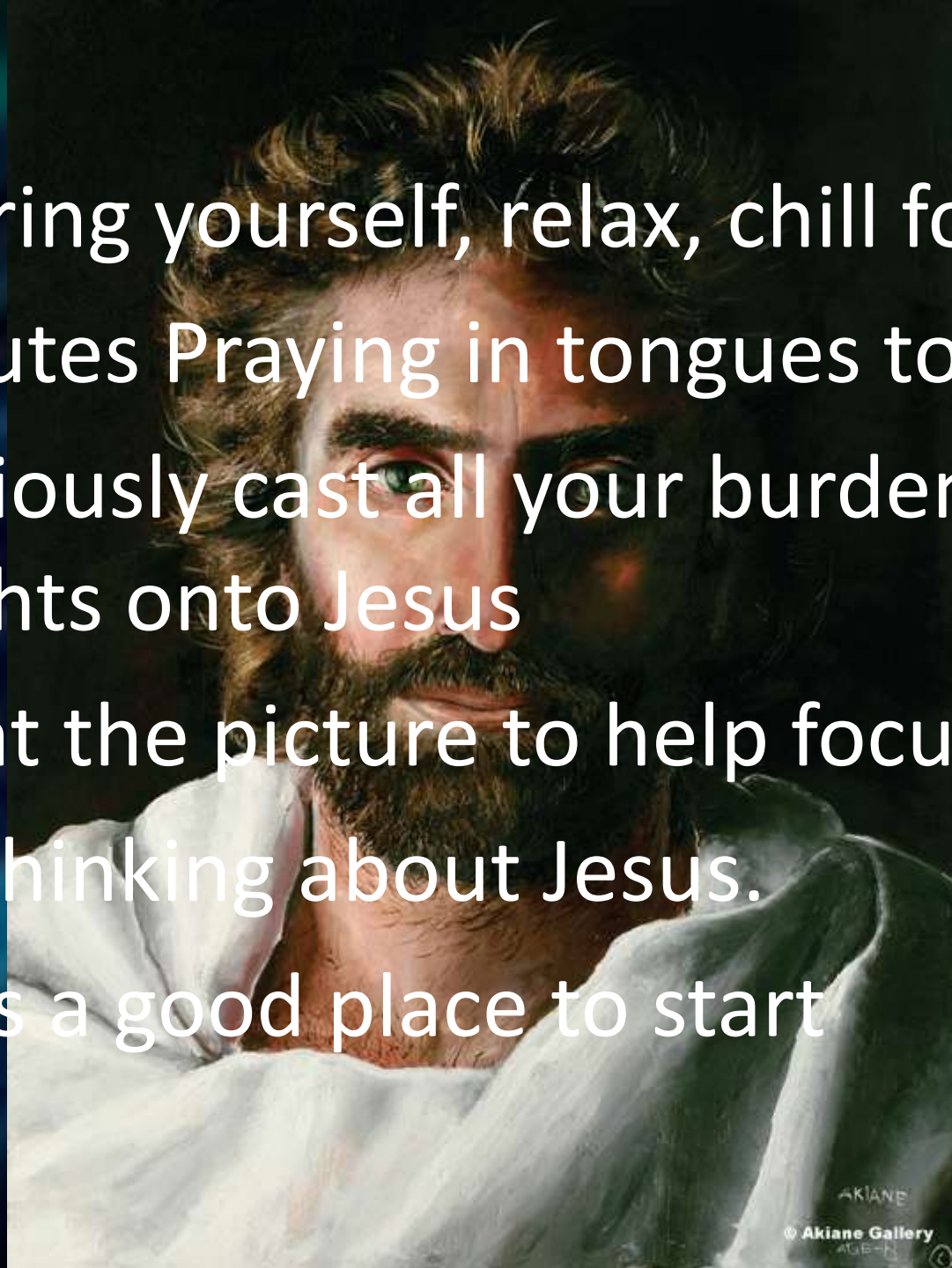
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- Preparing yourself, relax, chill focus
- 2 minutes Praying in tongues to tune out
- Consciously cast all your burdens and thoughts onto Jesus
- Look at the picture to help focus on Jesus
- Start thinking about Jesus.
- Always a good place to start



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- Meditation in the word
- While praying in tongues speak or think each word slowly don't study analyse it but let the thoughts of God dance across your mind with living revelation as the Holy Spirit discloses and unveils the truth or reality in a personal encounter and experience of the living active word of God.



*Worry does not empty tomorrow of its sorrow;
it empties today of its strength.*



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- Meditation by visualising
- Remember the significance of our spiritual language
- Use tongues in all the exercises either out loud, in your mind or from your spirit
- Don't empty our minds and chant but fill our minds with thoughts of God and engage our spirits through the spiritual language of tongues



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- Activate our imagination open the eyes of our heart and begin to look and visualise
- Think about an object, place, person etc. and begin to picture it
- You can use the natural to open the door for the spiritual – use the word of God, a natural image or previous experience as a doorway
- Use images that have a spiritual significance

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- Close your eyes and relax
- Think about a door
- Picture a Door in your mind
- Think about a River
- Picture a River in your mind
- Think about Jesus
- Picture Him in your mind

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- Relax and listen and begin to picture and enter into the scene
- Picture a Beach
- Use the image as a reference





You sit upright in your chair, you close your eyes, place your hands on your knees and start to relax each muscle, in your neck and shoulders and back and arms and legs you feel the tension easing away, you become aware of your breathing, you slowly take deep relaxing breaths. You picture yourself walking towards a beach, it's a warm sunny day, and the deep blue sea is shimmering in the distance there is a gentle breeze blowing through your hair. You kick off your shoes walk slowly across the sand; you feel the sand between your toes. You head for the waters edge dip your feet into the cool refreshing water as you look along the shore you see a man walking slowly towards you as he gets closer you know that this is Jesus.

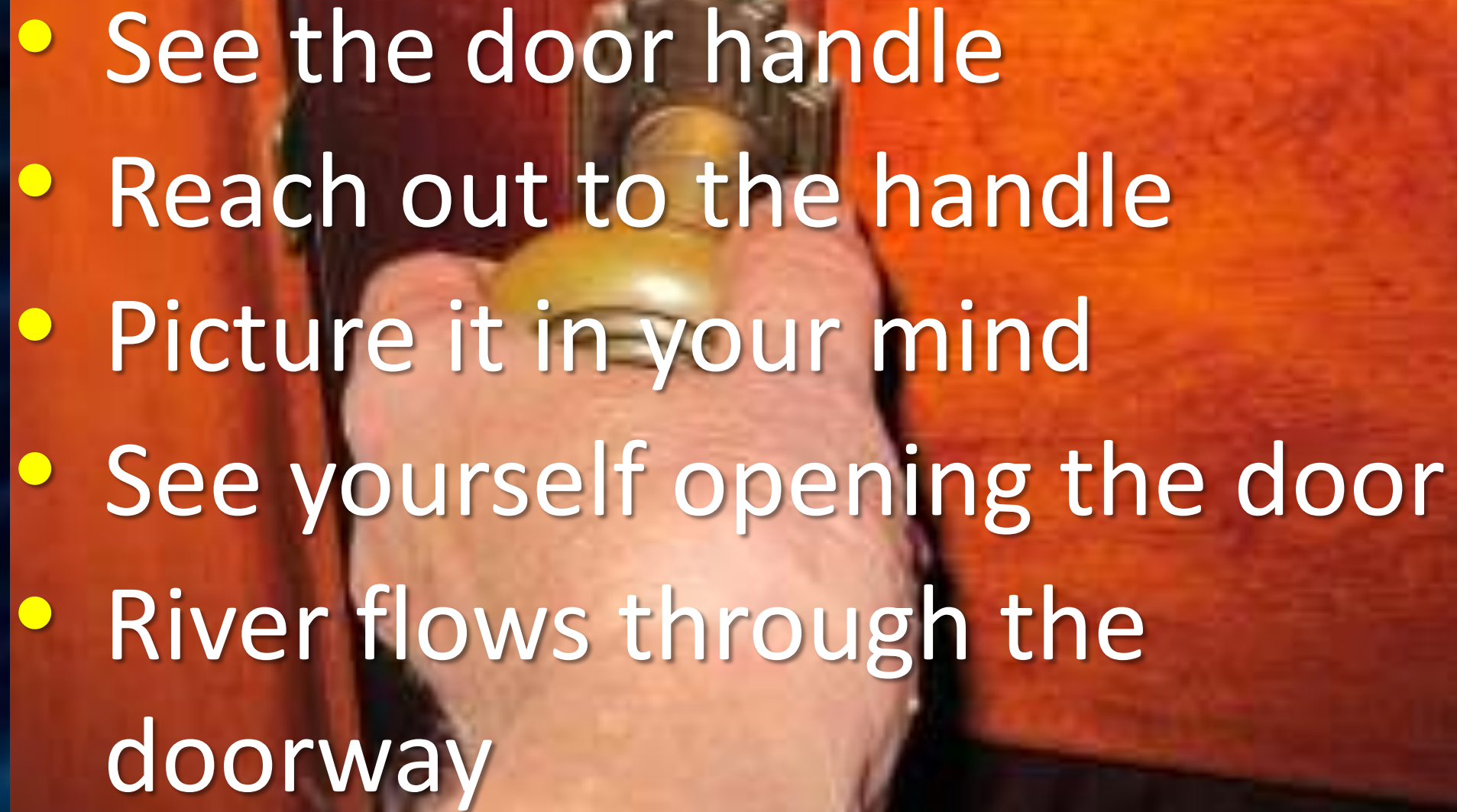
He joins you in paddling in the water you hang out together you feel strangely peaceful. He places his hand reassuringly on your shoulder and looks deep into your eyes, you feel his love and compassion, you know he is looking deep into your soul. He asks you how are you? How are you doing? You feel safe and secure and from deep within you unburden your self you tell him your deepest needs, longings and desires, you know he understands, you unlock the door to the deepest recesses of your heart. You begin to feel a deep sense of joy and peace flow into the depths of your soul. He kneels and slowly and purposefully draws a picture in the sand and starts to share His heart with you. You start to reflect on what He has drawn and said. It is time to go, you look into his eyes and slowly turn back to the beach but there is a strong feeling of His presence with you as you walk slowly away. You hear His words whispered gently to you

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- We can enter into a biblical scene to experience the revelation
- The word we visualise then becomes a doorway to step through
- We can use passages that talk about the heavenly realms as doorways to step into heaven

- Think about a Door, the colour, size, shape, handle etc.
- Picture it in your mind
- See your self standing in front of the door

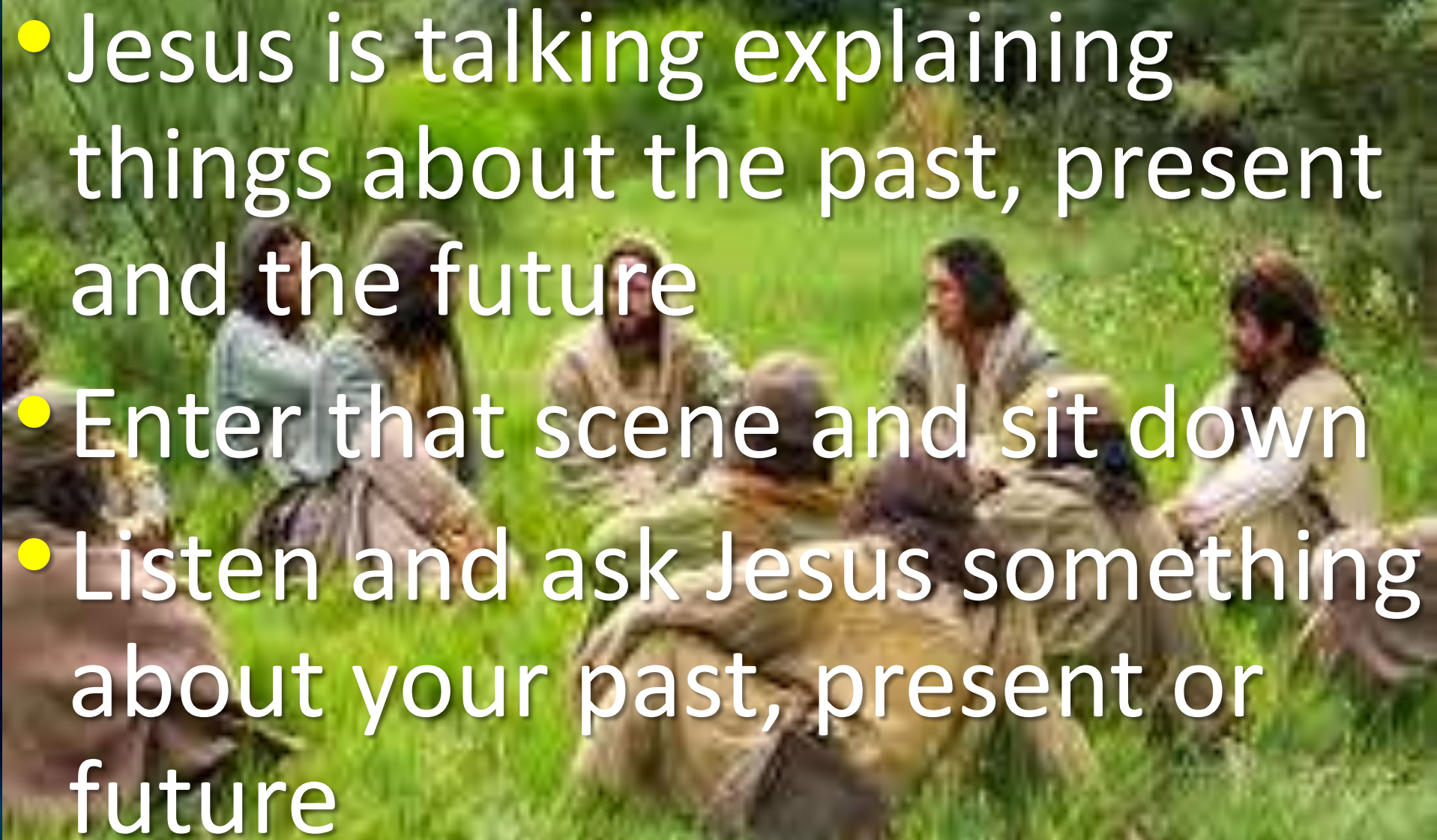


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- A close-up photograph of a hand reaching for a brass door handle on a dark wood door. The hand is positioned to grasp the handle, which is a classic round knob with a decorative top. The background is the textured surface of the door, showing the grain of the wood. The lighting is warm, highlighting the metallic sheen of the handle and the skin of the hand.
- See the door handle
 - Reach out to the handle
 - Picture it in your mind
 - See yourself opening the door
 - River flows through the doorway

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- Matt 24:3 As He was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, “Tell us,
- Jesus sitting talking to His disciples
- Think about that scene



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- A group of people in historical attire, including robes and head coverings, are sitting in a circle on a grassy field. They appear to be engaged in a conversation or a teaching session. The background is a lush green landscape with trees and bushes. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting a sunny day.
- Jesus is talking explaining things about the past, present and the future
 - Enter that scene and sit down
 - Listen and ask Jesus something about your past, present or future

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- The word of God becomes living and active to us as we learn to actually experience it by encounter
- All our senses can be engaged to experience His presence, healing, wholeness into our bodies, minds and emotions
- It is so important that we learn to come from a place of rest



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