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“Corrupt” <= *scolios* – twisted, crooked, perverse



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There has never been an ideal time for the Church

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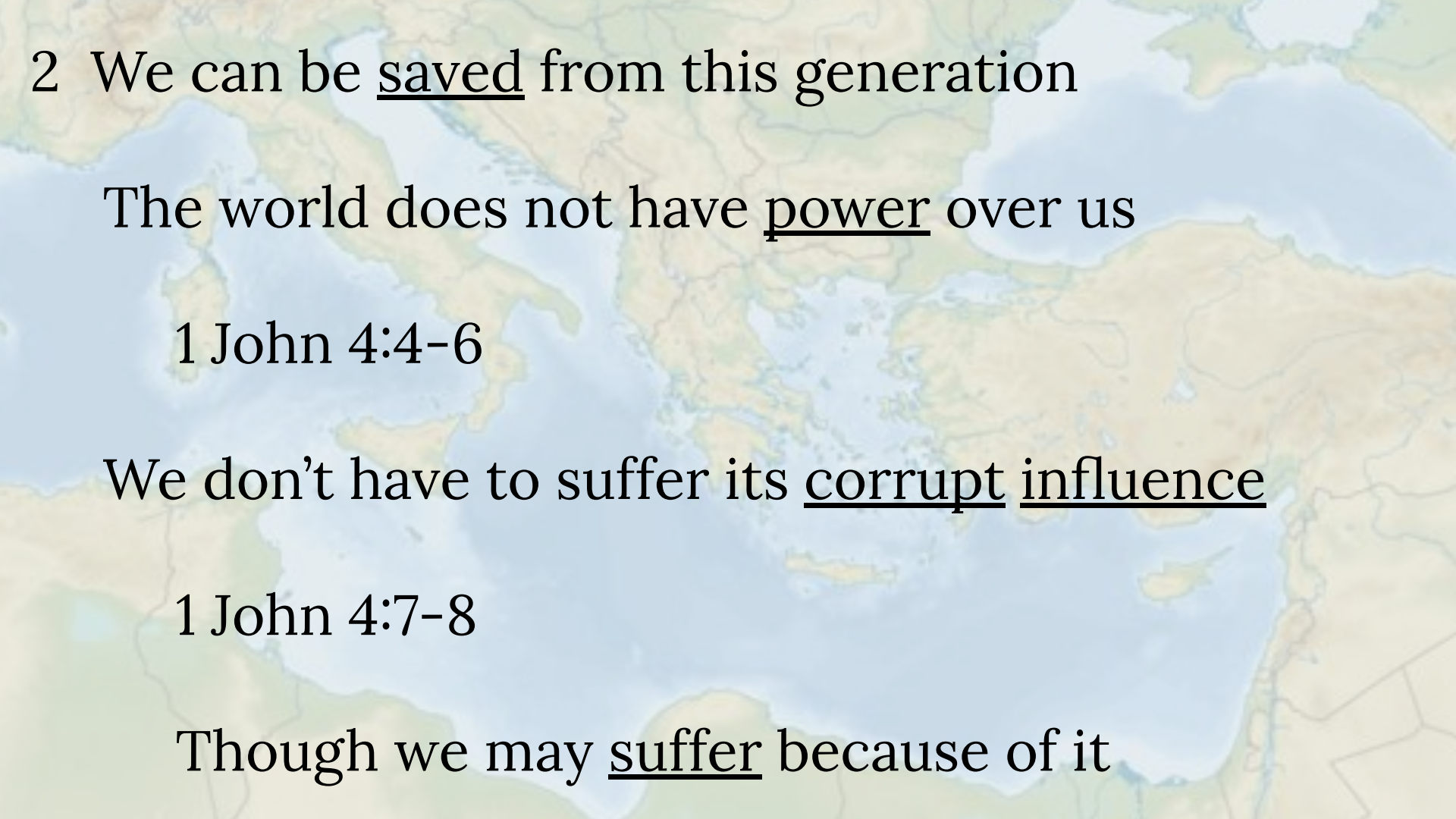
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Though we may suffer because of it

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Jesus came to save the lost, not condemn them

Luke 19:10; John 3:16-21

**IF GOD DIDN'T
SEND JESUS
TO CONDEMN
THE WORLD**

**I DOUBT HE
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Are you SHOCKED that the world didn't embrace Harrison Butker???



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All have sinned; all have turned away;
all are dead in sins (Eph 2)



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Know your stewardship: corporately/individually