



# **THE CONVENIENT JESUS**

**PS. JAMES CHIA**

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<sup>28</sup> After Jesus had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. <sup>29</sup> As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, <sup>30</sup> "Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. <sup>31</sup> If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' say, 'The Lord needs it.'"

# Luke 19:28-42

<sup>32</sup> Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as he had told them. <sup>33</sup> As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?"

<sup>34</sup> They replied, "The Lord needs it."

<sup>35</sup> They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup> As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road.

# Luke 19:28-42

<sup>37</sup> When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen:

<sup>38</sup> "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!"

"Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

# Luke 19:28-42

<sup>39</sup> Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples!"

<sup>40</sup> "I tell you," he replied, "if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out."

<sup>41</sup> As he approached Jerusalem and saw the city, he wept over it <sup>42</sup> and said, "If you, even you, had only known on this day what would bring you peace—but now it is hidden from your eyes."

# Luke 19:30

"Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here.

# Zechariah 9:9

Rejoice greatly, Daughter Zion!

Shout, Daughter Jerusalem!

See, your king comes to you,

righteous and victorious,

lowly and riding on a donkey,

on a colt, the foal of a donkey.



## Luke 19:35-36

<sup>35</sup> "They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup> As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road."

A scenic landscape featuring a range of mountains under a soft, hazy sky. The foreground is dominated by a dense forest of trees, some of which are illuminated by the warm light of the setting or rising sun. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and majestic.

# Luke 19:38

“Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!”

“Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!”

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# 1. Know who Jesus is



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A scenic landscape featuring a range of mountains in the background, partially shrouded in mist or low clouds. The foreground is dominated by a dense forest of trees, some of which are illuminated by the warm, golden light of a low sun, creating a soft glow. The sky is a mix of blue and orange, suggesting either dawn or dusk. The overall atmosphere is serene and majestic.

# John 3:16

**“For God so loved the world, that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”**

# 1 Peter 3:18 NLT

“Christ suffered for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God. He suffered physical death, but he was raised to life in the Spirit.”

# Galatians 2:20 NLT

“My old self has been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me. So I live in this earthly body by trusting in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.”

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# 1. Know who Jesus is



A scenic landscape featuring a dense forest in the foreground, a layer of mist or fog in the middle ground, and a range of mountains in the background under a soft, hazy sky. The text "2. Proclaim who Jesus is" is overlaid in a bold, yellow font.

## 2. Proclaim who Jesus is

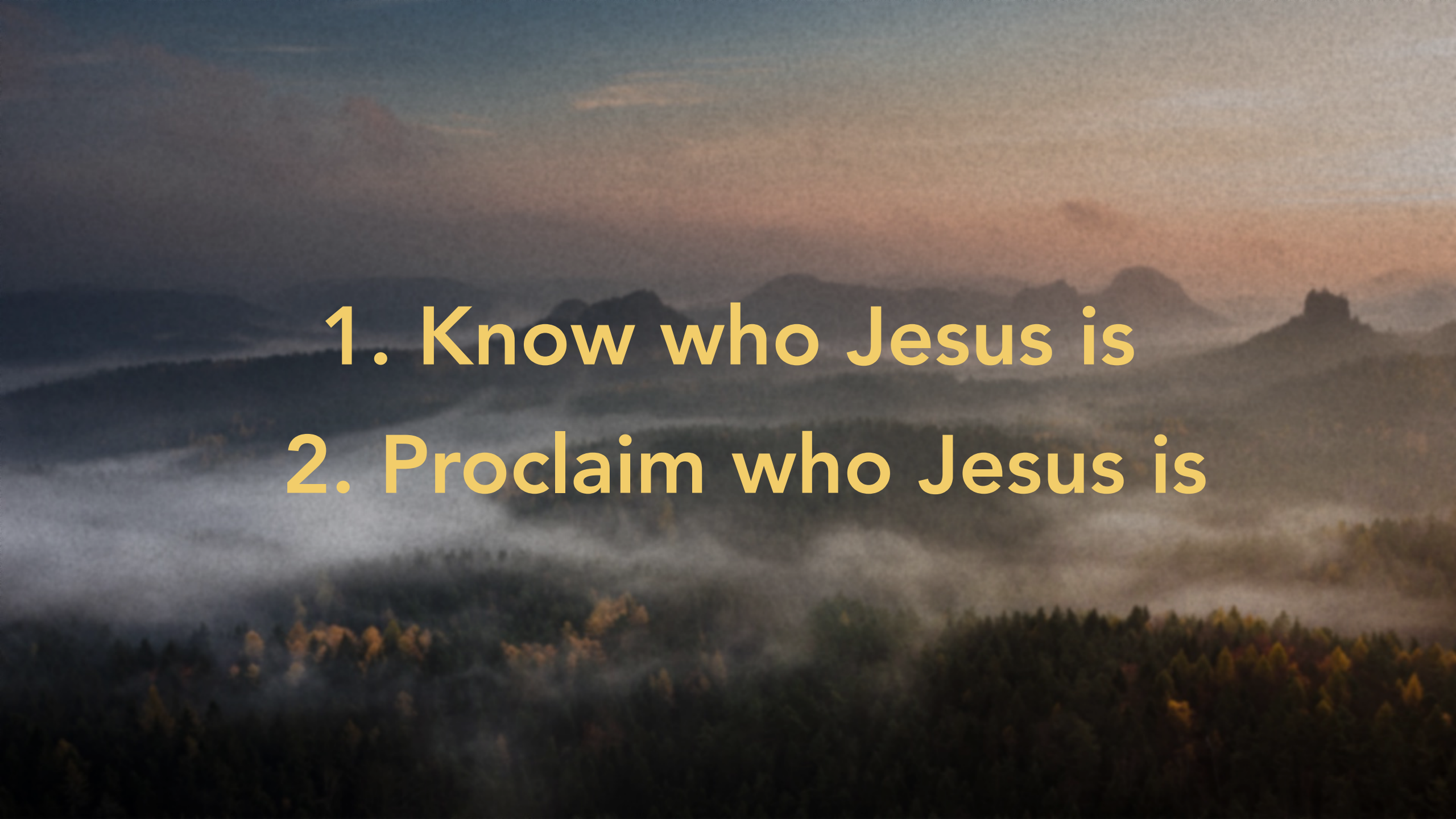
A scenic landscape featuring a dense forest in the foreground, misty valleys, and a range of mountains in the background under a soft, hazy sky. The lighting suggests either dawn or dusk, with warm tones in the sky and cooler tones in the shadows.

# Luke 19:40

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"if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out."

# Luke 19:41-42

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- 1. Know who Jesus is**
  - 2. Proclaim who Jesus is**

A scenic landscape featuring a dense forest in the foreground, a valley filled with mist or low clouds, and a range of mountains in the background under a soft, hazy sky. The text "3. Act in honour of who Jesus is" is overlaid in a bold, yellow font across the middle of the image.

**3. Act in honour of who Jesus is**

A scenic landscape photograph of a mountain range at dawn or dusk. The sky is a mix of soft blues and oranges. Mist or low clouds fill the valleys between the mountains. The foreground shows a dense forest of trees, some with autumn-colored foliage. The text "3a. It begins in our hearts" is overlaid in a bold, yellow font in the upper center of the image.

**3a. It begins in our hearts**



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Matthew 15:8

“These people honour me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me.”

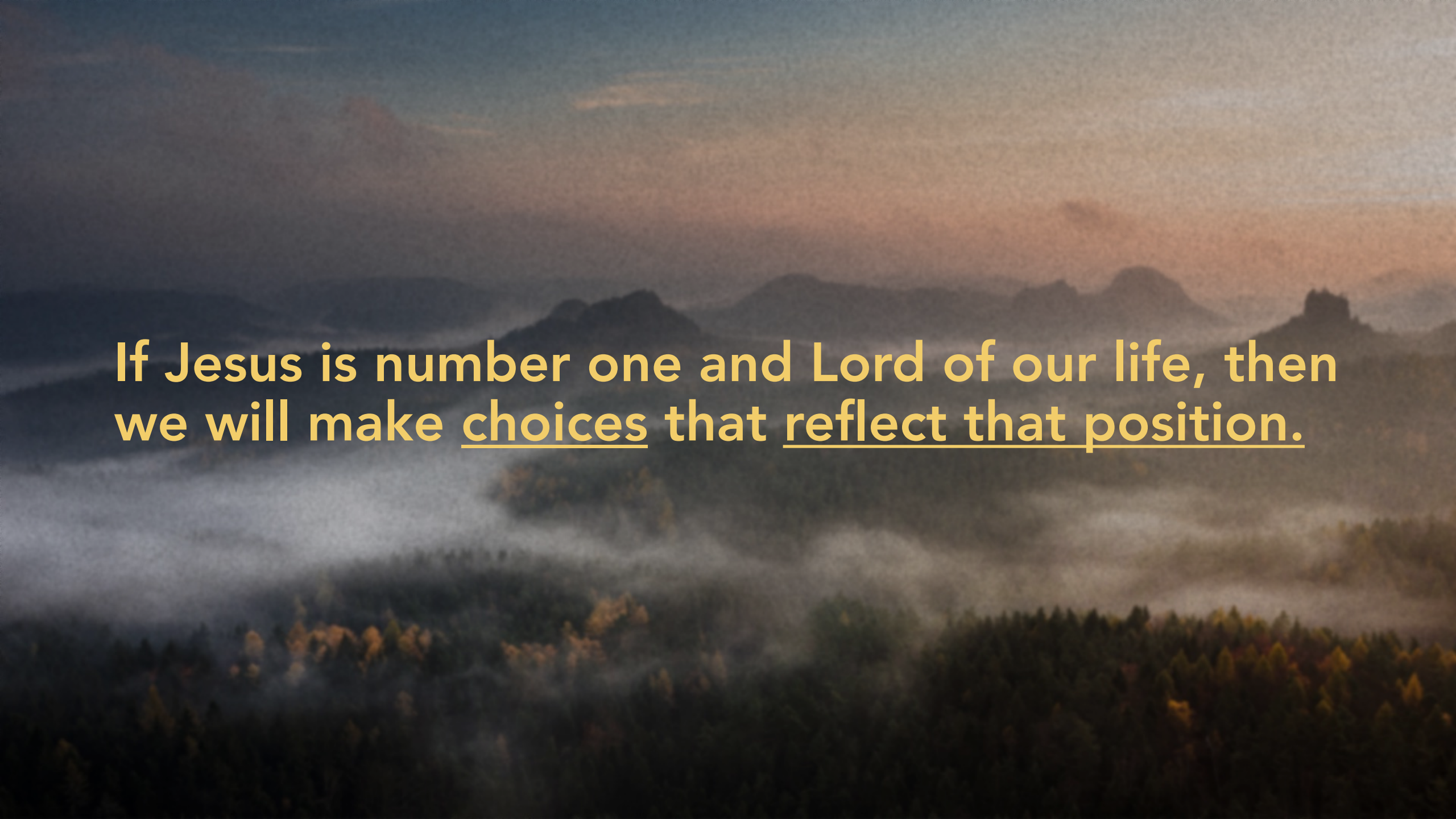
A scenic landscape photograph showing a dense forest in the foreground, with mist or low clouds filling the valleys between rolling hills and mountains. The sky is a mix of soft blues and warm oranges, suggesting a sunrise or sunset. The overall mood is serene and atmospheric.

**3b. It flows to our actions**



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If Jesus is number one and Lord of our life, then we will make choices that reflect that position.

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If Jesus is number one and Lord of our life, then we will make choices that reflect that position.

A scenic landscape featuring a dense forest in the foreground, a valley with a river or stream, and a range of mountains in the background under a soft, hazy sky. The text is overlaid in a bold, yellow font.

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**2. Proclaim who Jesus is**

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