

Unshakable Confidence

Psalm 16



¹Protect me, God, for I take refuge in you. ²I said to the LORD, "You are my Lord; I have nothing good besides you." ³As for the holy people who are in the land, they are the noble ones. All my delight is in them. ⁴The sorrows of those who take another god for themselves will multiply;



**I will not pour out their drink offerings of blood,
and I will not speak their names with my lips.**

**⁵LORD, you are my portion and my cup of
blessing; you hold my future. ⁶The boundary
lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;
indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.**



**⁷I will bless the LORD who counsels me—even
at night when my thoughts trouble me. ⁸I
always let the LORD guide me. Because he is at
my right hand, I will not be shaken. ⁹Therefore
my heart is glad and my whole being rejoices;
my body also rests securely.**



¹⁰For you will not abandon me to Sheol; you will not allow your faithful one to see decay.

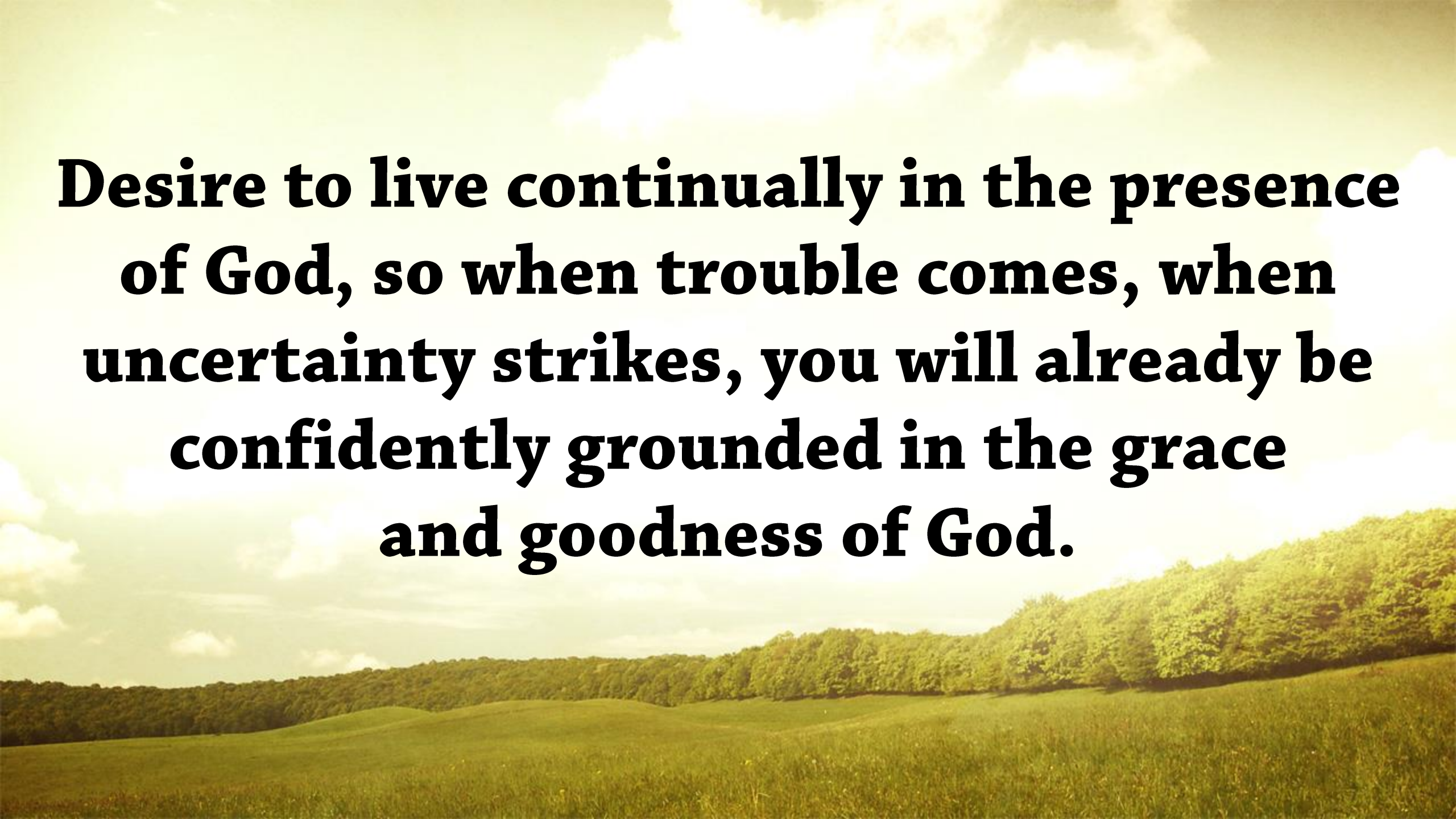
¹¹You reveal the path of life to me; in your presence is abundant joy; at your right hand are eternal pleasures.

Psalm 16:1-11 (CSB)



A landscape photograph featuring rolling green hills in the foreground and middle ground. A dense line of trees runs across the horizon. The sky is bright with scattered white clouds, suggesting a sunny day. The overall color palette is dominated by greens and yellows, with a warm, golden light.

**Confidence grows through our
commitment to worship God alone.**

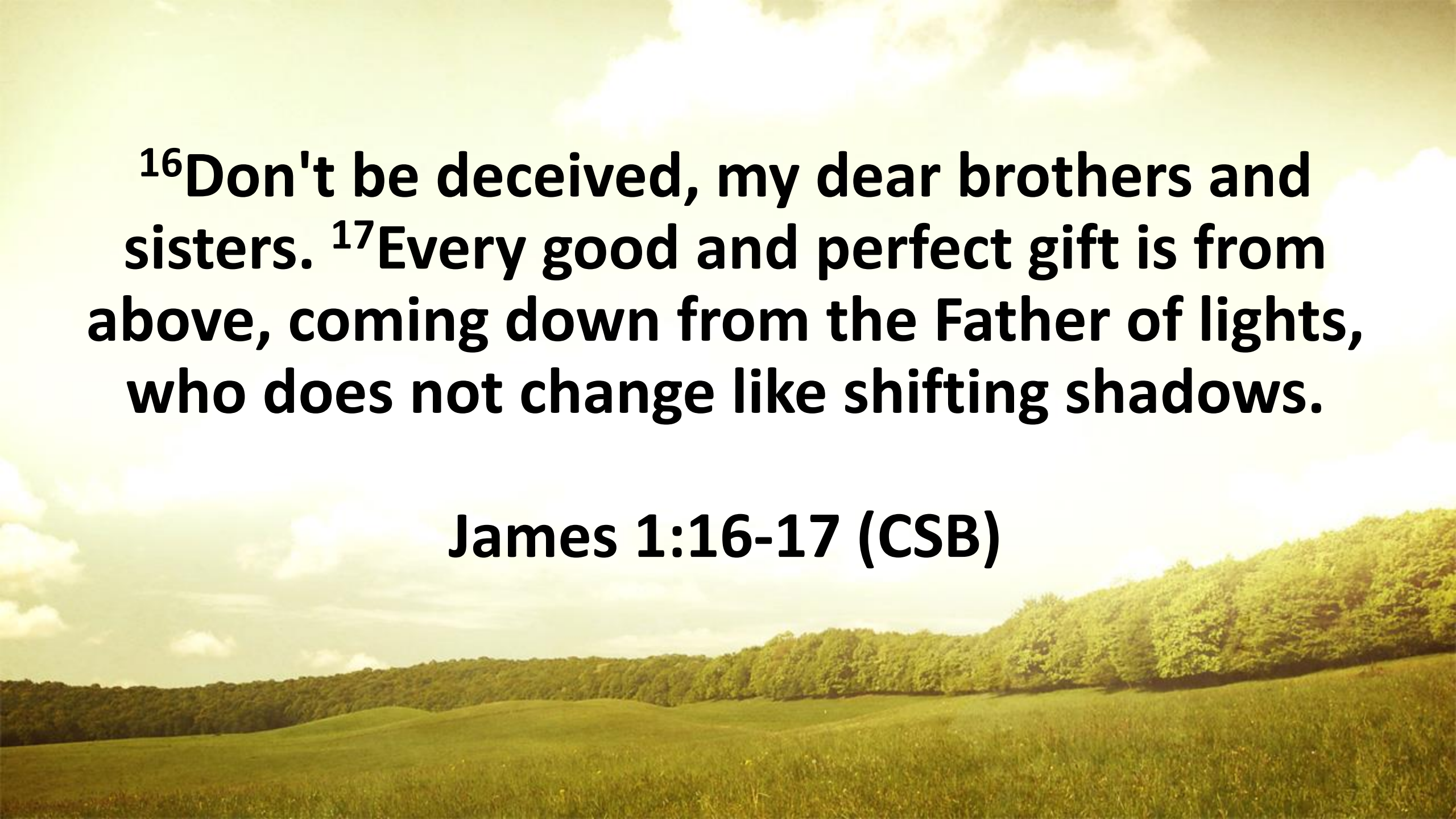
A landscape photograph showing rolling green hills in the foreground and a dense forest of trees in the background. The sky is bright with soft, white clouds. The overall tone is warm and peaceful.

Desire to live continually in the presence of God, so when trouble comes, when uncertainty strikes, you will already be confidently grounded in the grace and goodness of God.

25 Who do I have in heaven but you? And I desire nothing on earth but you. 26 My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart, my portion forever. 27 Those far from you will certainly perish; you destroy all who are unfaithful to you. 28 But as for me, God's presence is my good. I have made the Lord GOD my refuge, so I can tell about all you do.

Psalm 73:25-28 (CSB)





¹⁶Don't be deceived, my dear brothers and sisters. ¹⁷Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.

James 1:16-17 (CSB)

**Following false gods leads to
failed provision and future sorrows.**

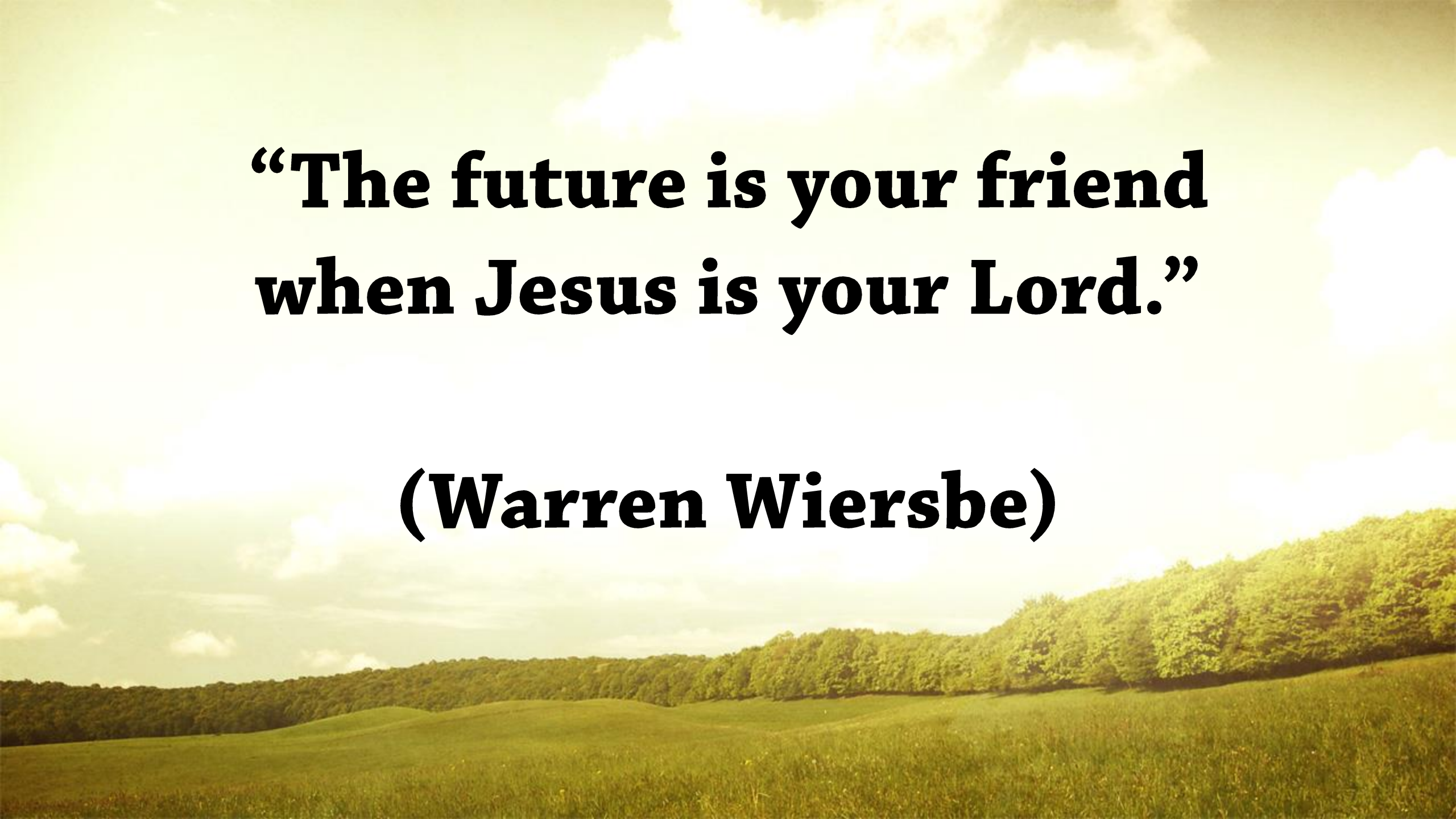
**Following Jesus Christ leads to
fruitful provision and future security.**





**¹⁹And my God will supply all your needs
according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus.**

Philippians 4:19 (CSB)

A landscape photograph showing rolling green hills in the foreground and a dense forest of trees in the background. The sky is bright with scattered white clouds, suggesting a sunny day. The overall tone is warm and hopeful.

**“The future is your friend
when Jesus is your Lord.”**

(Warren Wiersbe)

**Confidence is the result
of a life entrusted to Jesus.**



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