



"The Song of Hope"

Isaiah 42:1-9 & Matthew 12:15-21



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Isaiah 42:1-2 NIV84 (Matthew 12:18-19)



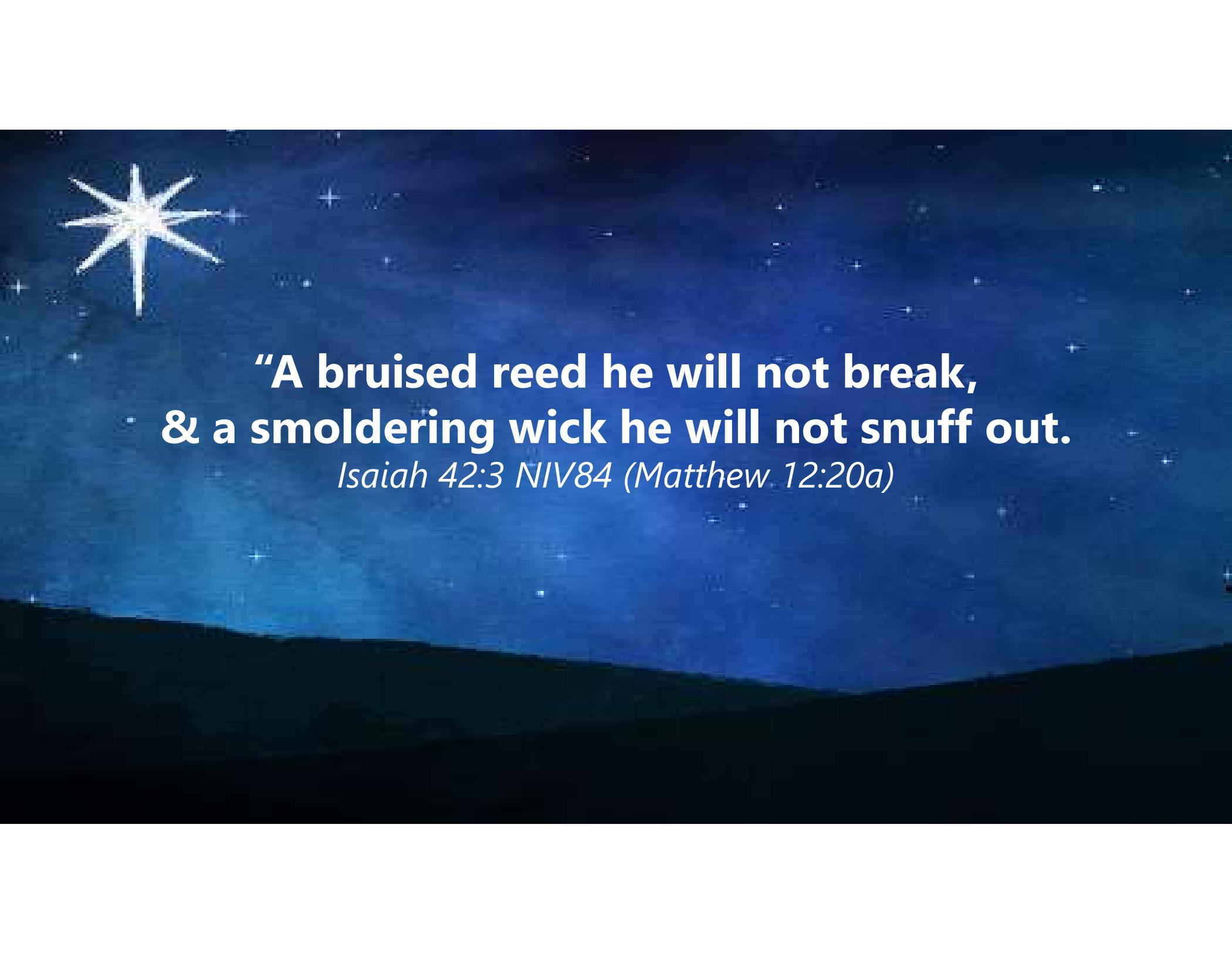
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the coming of hope

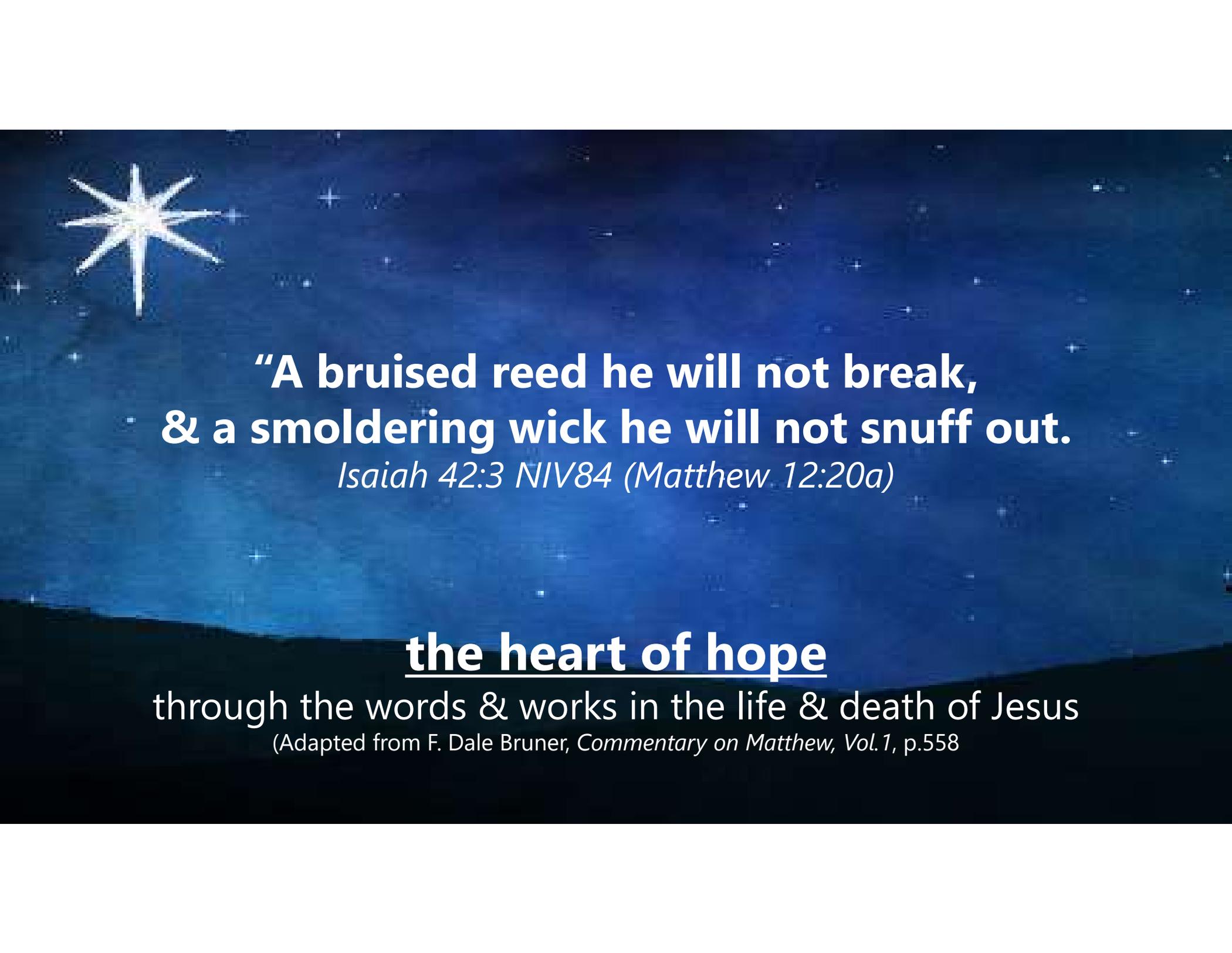
in the conception, birth, & baptism of Jesus

(Adapted from F. Dale Bruner, Commentary on Matthew, Vol.1, p.558)



**"A bruised reed he will not break,
& a smoldering wick he will not snuff out.**

Isaiah 42:3 NIV84 (Matthew 12:20a)

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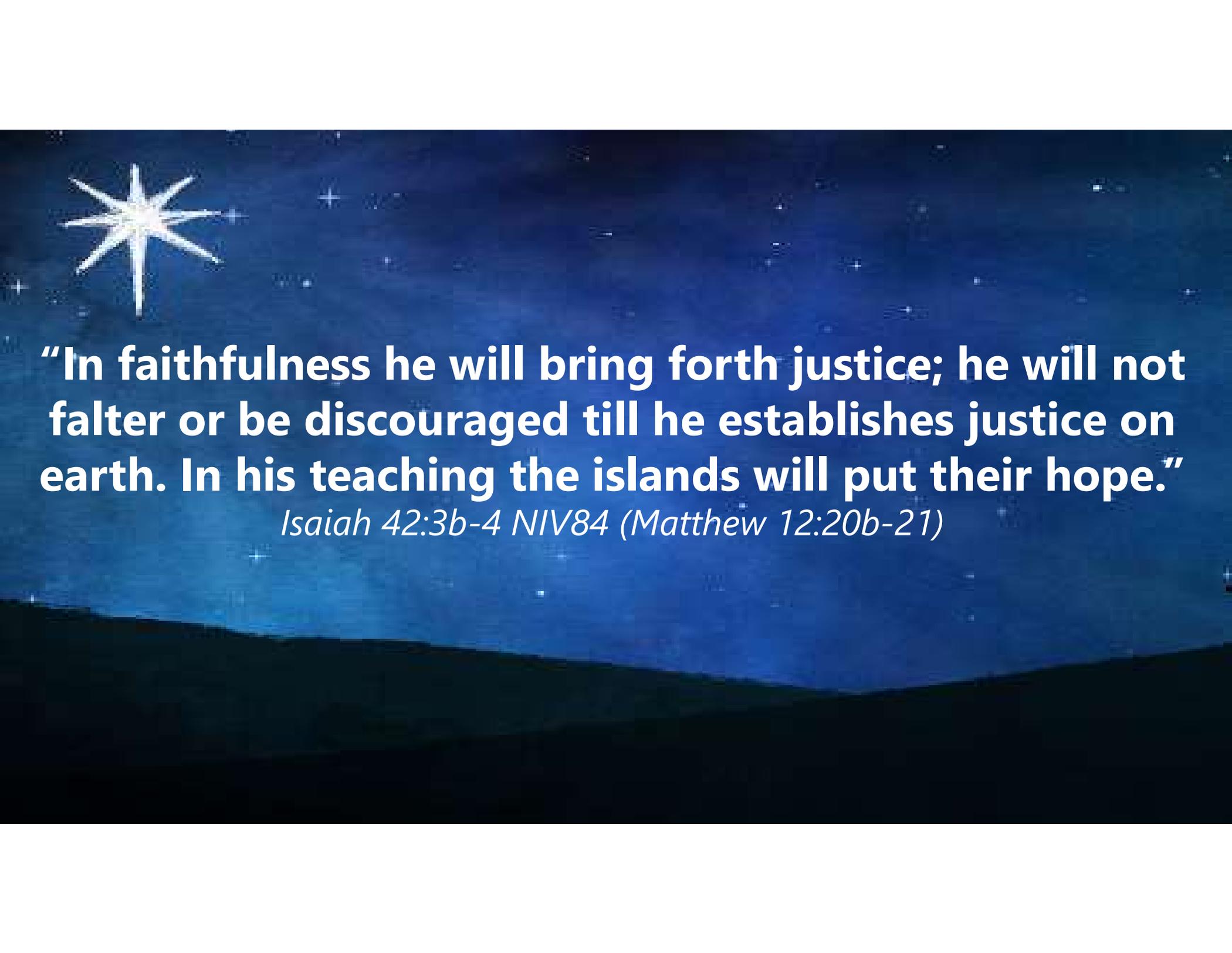
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Isaiah 42:3 NIV84 (Matthew 12:20a)

the heart of hope

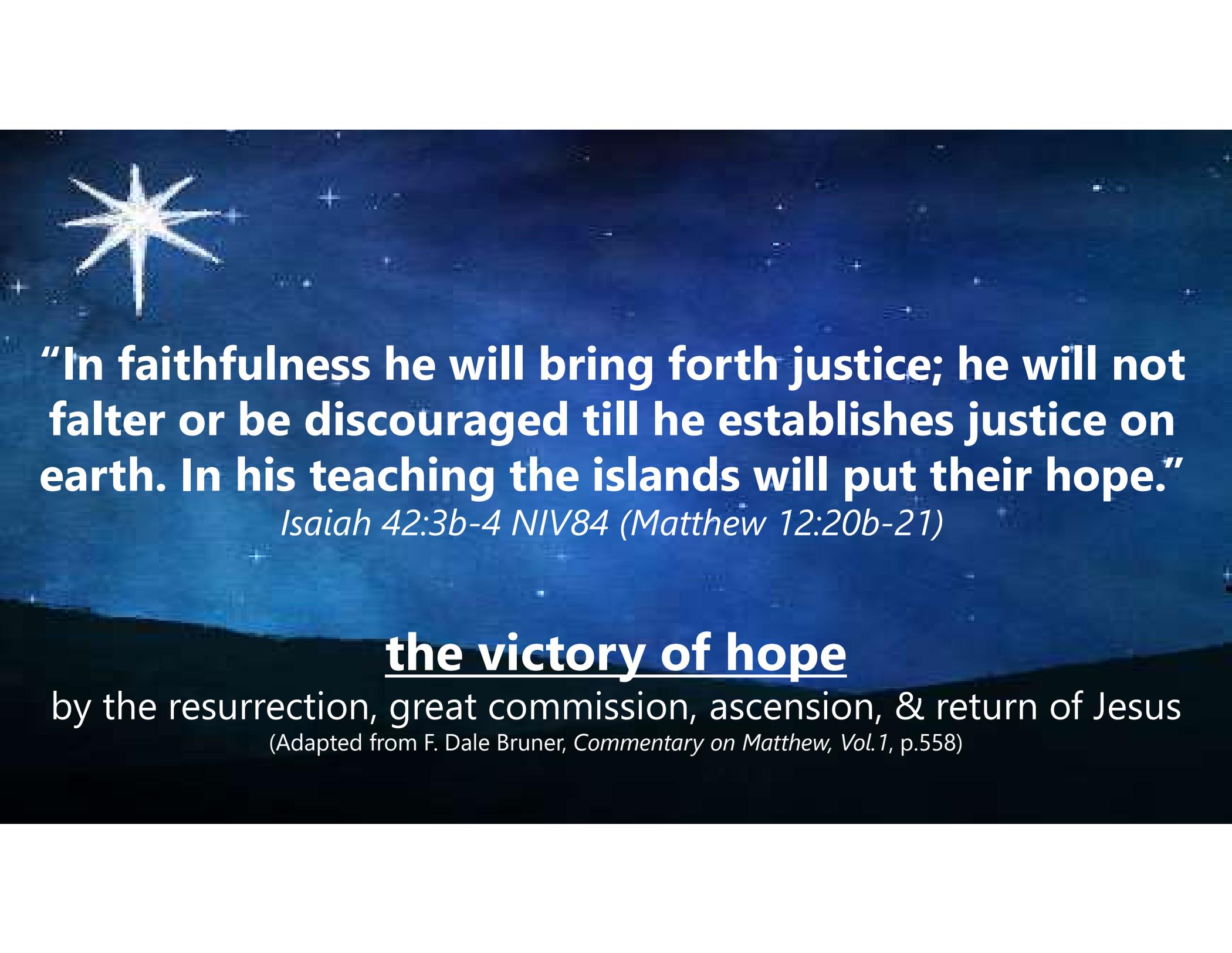
through the words & works in the life & death of Jesus

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“In faithfulness he will bring forth justice; he will not falter or be discouraged till he establishes justice on earth. In his teaching the islands will put their hope.”

Isaiah 42:3b-4 NIV84 (Matthew 12:20b-21)

A night sky with a bright star and a dark horizon. The star is a multi-pointed star with a bright yellow center and white points. The sky is a deep blue with many smaller stars. The horizon is a dark silhouette of land or hills.

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the victory of hope

by the resurrection, great commission, ascension, & return of Jesus

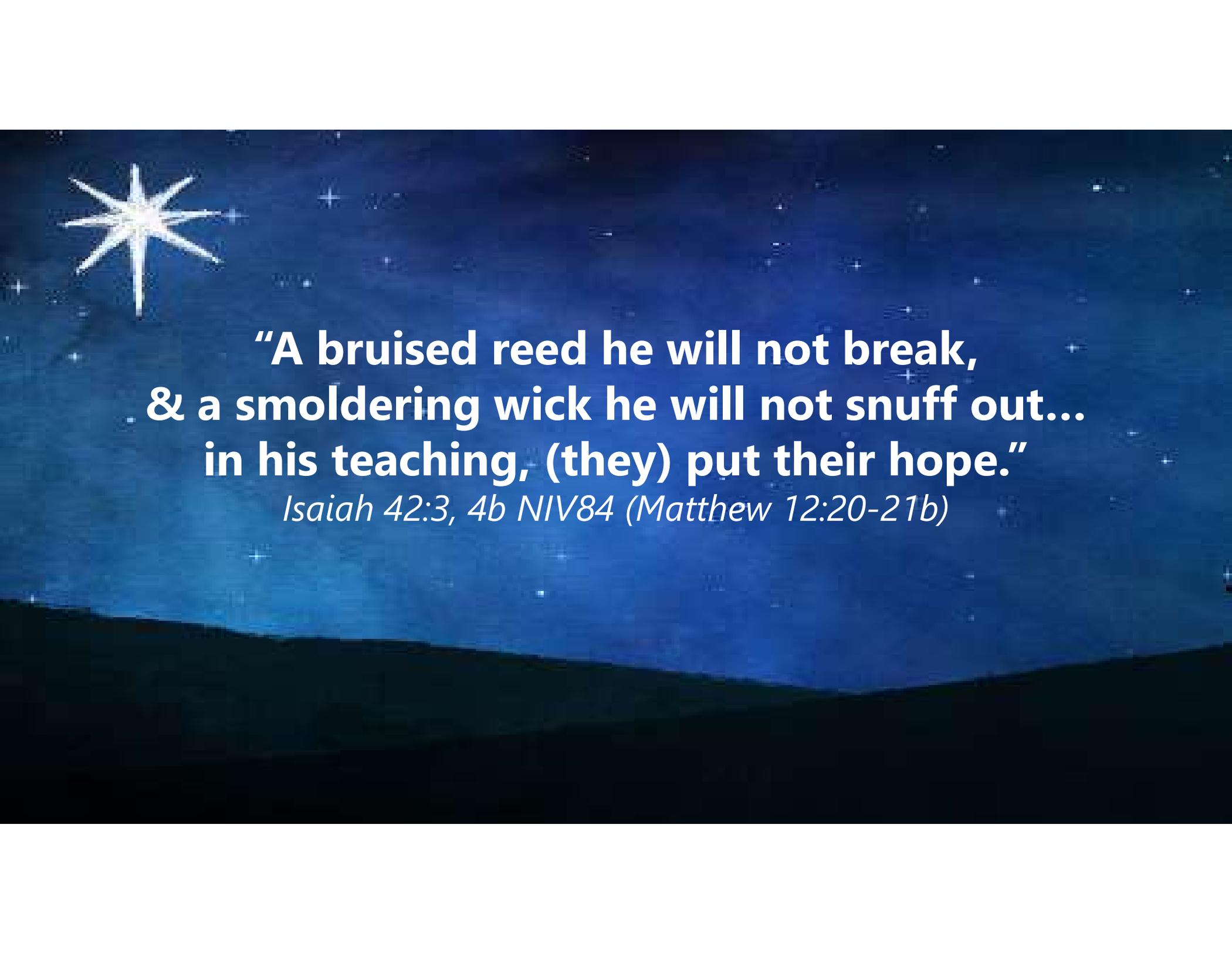
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**"This is what God the LORD says... I, the LORD...
I am the LORD; that is my name!"**

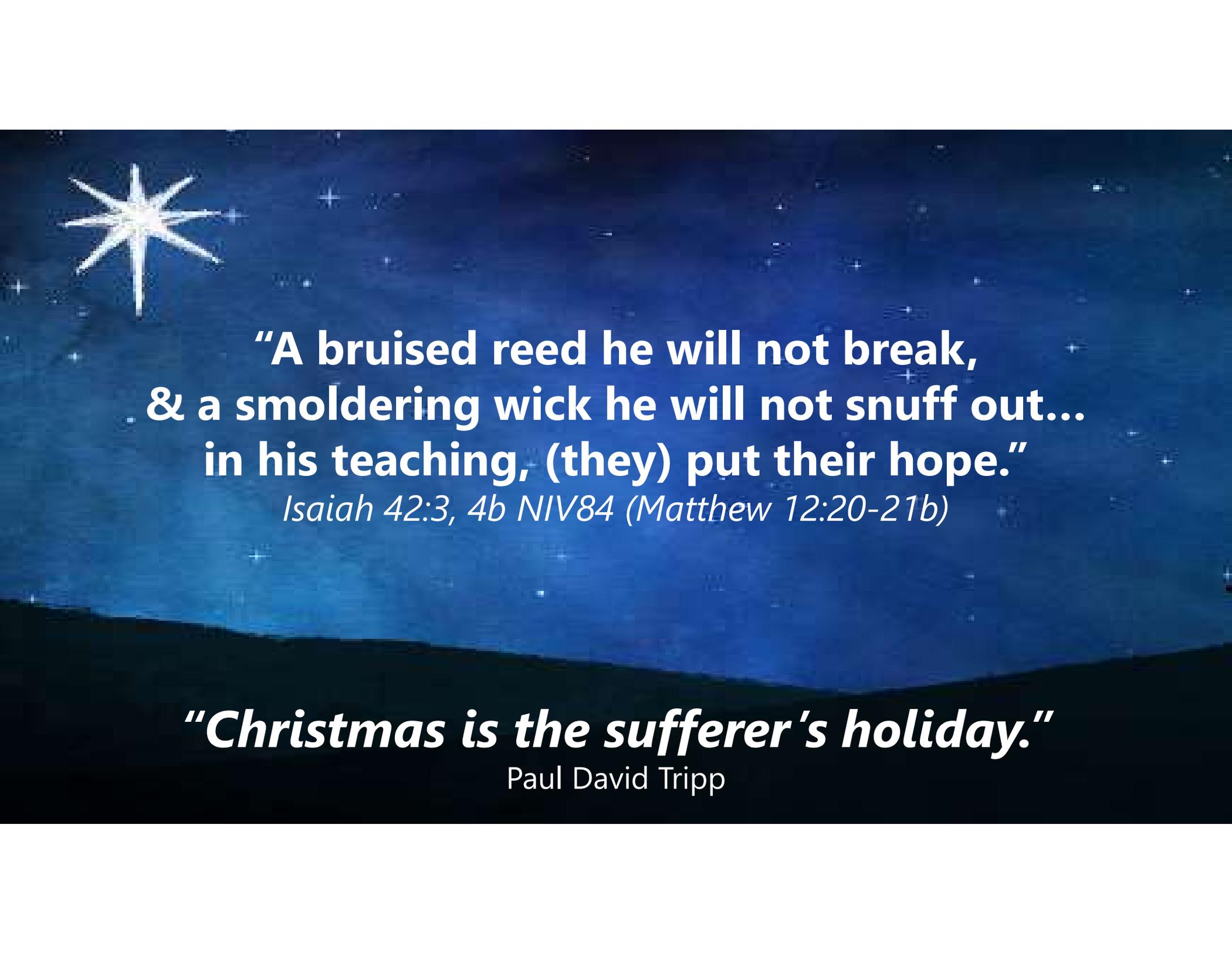
**"See, the former things have taken place,
& new things I declare; before they spring
into being I announce them to you."**

From Isaiah 42:5-9 NIV84



**“A bruised reed he will not break,
& a smoldering wick he will not snuff out...
in his teaching, (they) put their hope.”**

Isaiah 42:3, 4b NIV84 (Matthew 12:20-21b)

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"Christmas is the sufferer's holiday."

Paul David Tripp