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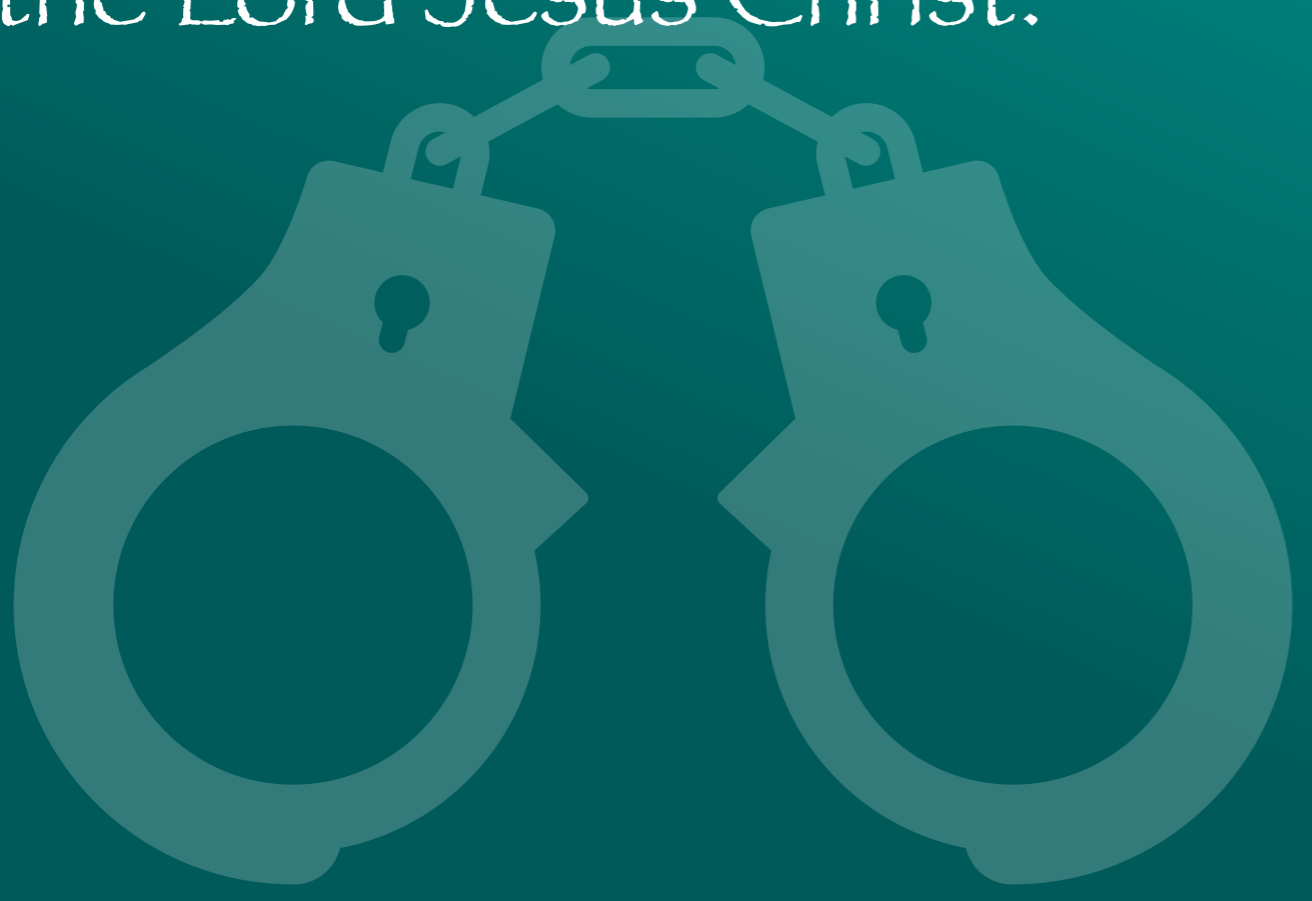
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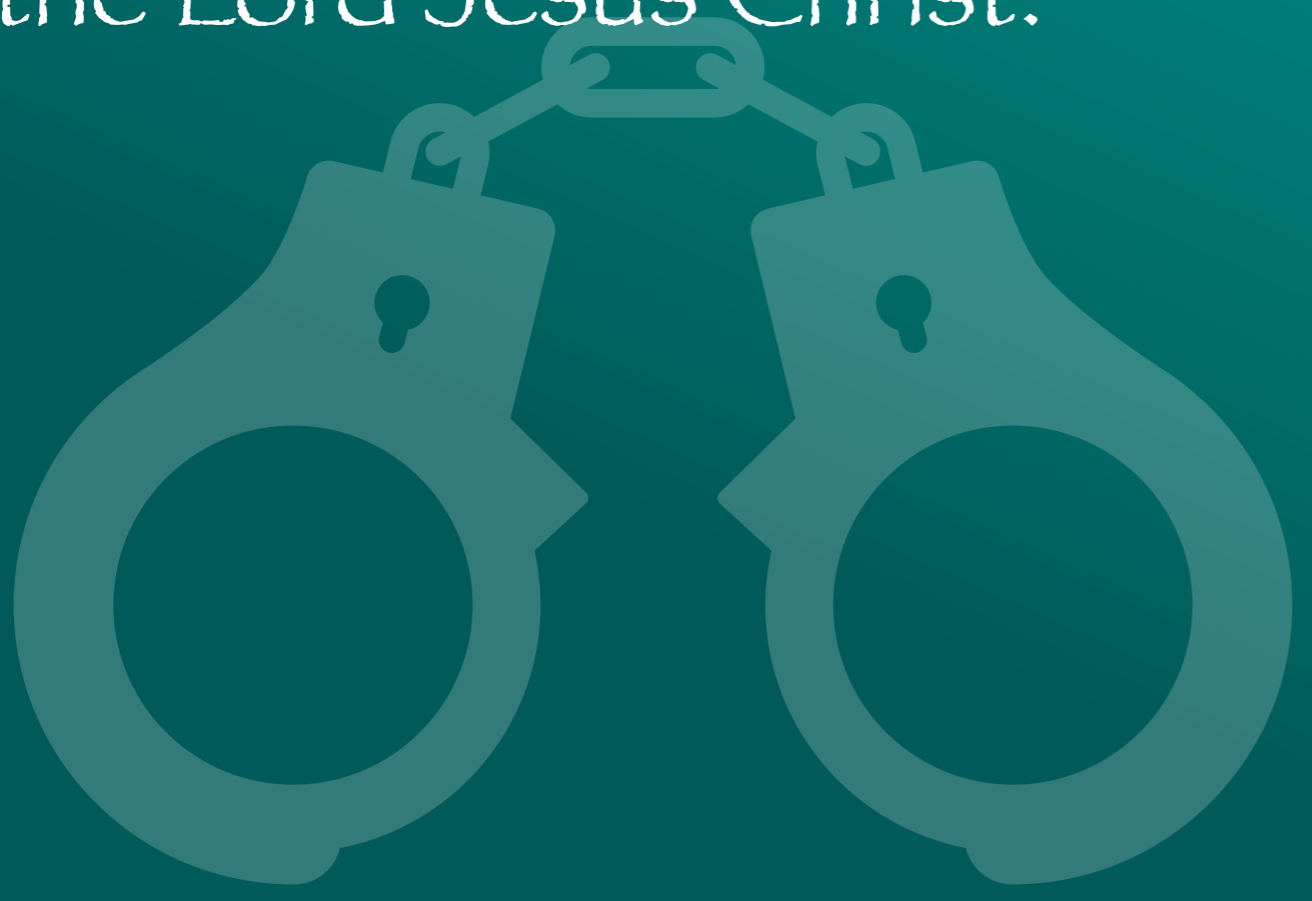
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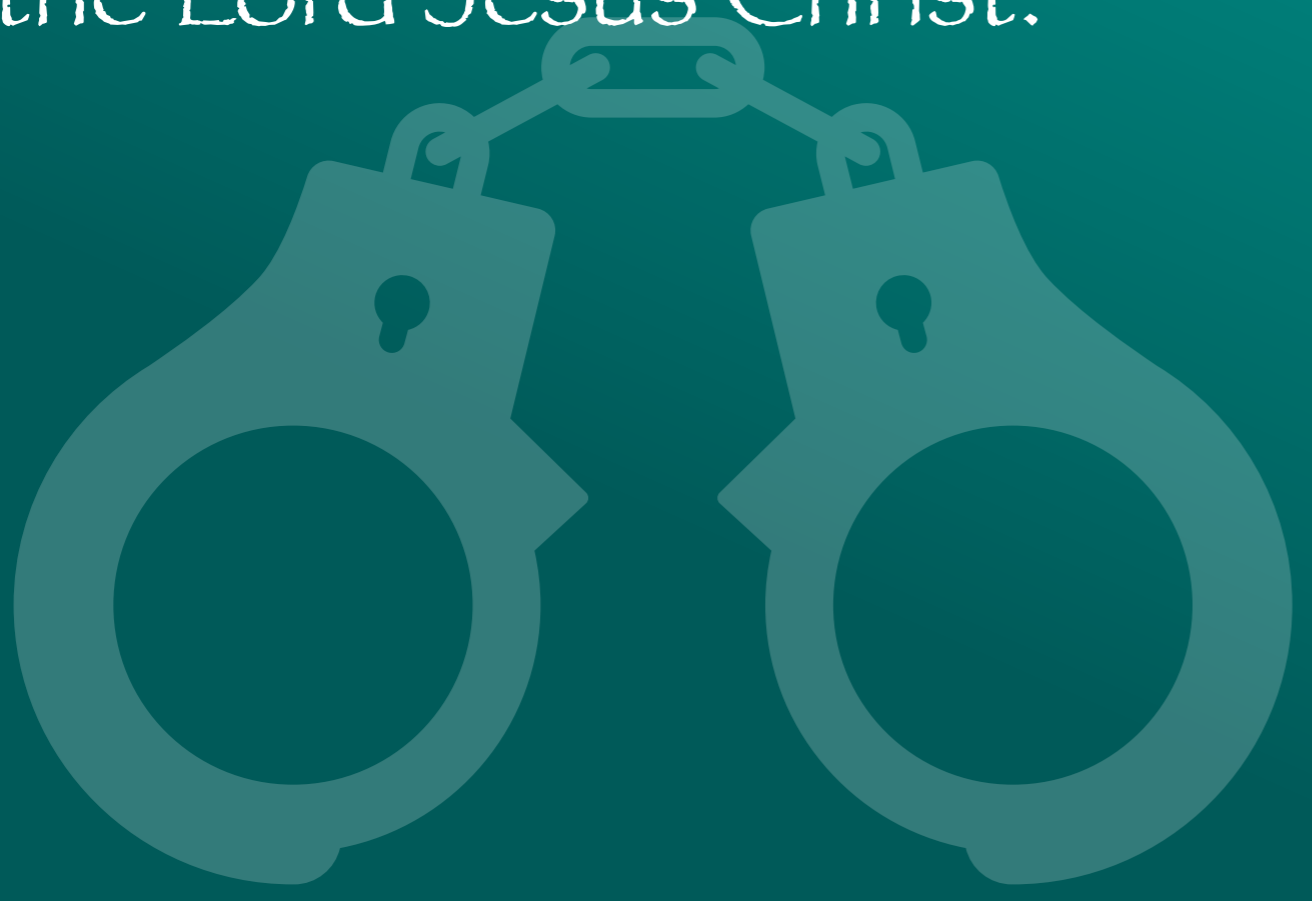
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OUTLINE OF 1:1-11

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“...when I set out from Macedonia,
not one church **shared (koinonía)** with me in the
matter of giving and receiving, except you only;
for even when I was in Thessalonica,
you sent me aid more than once when I was in need.”

Philippians 4:15b-16



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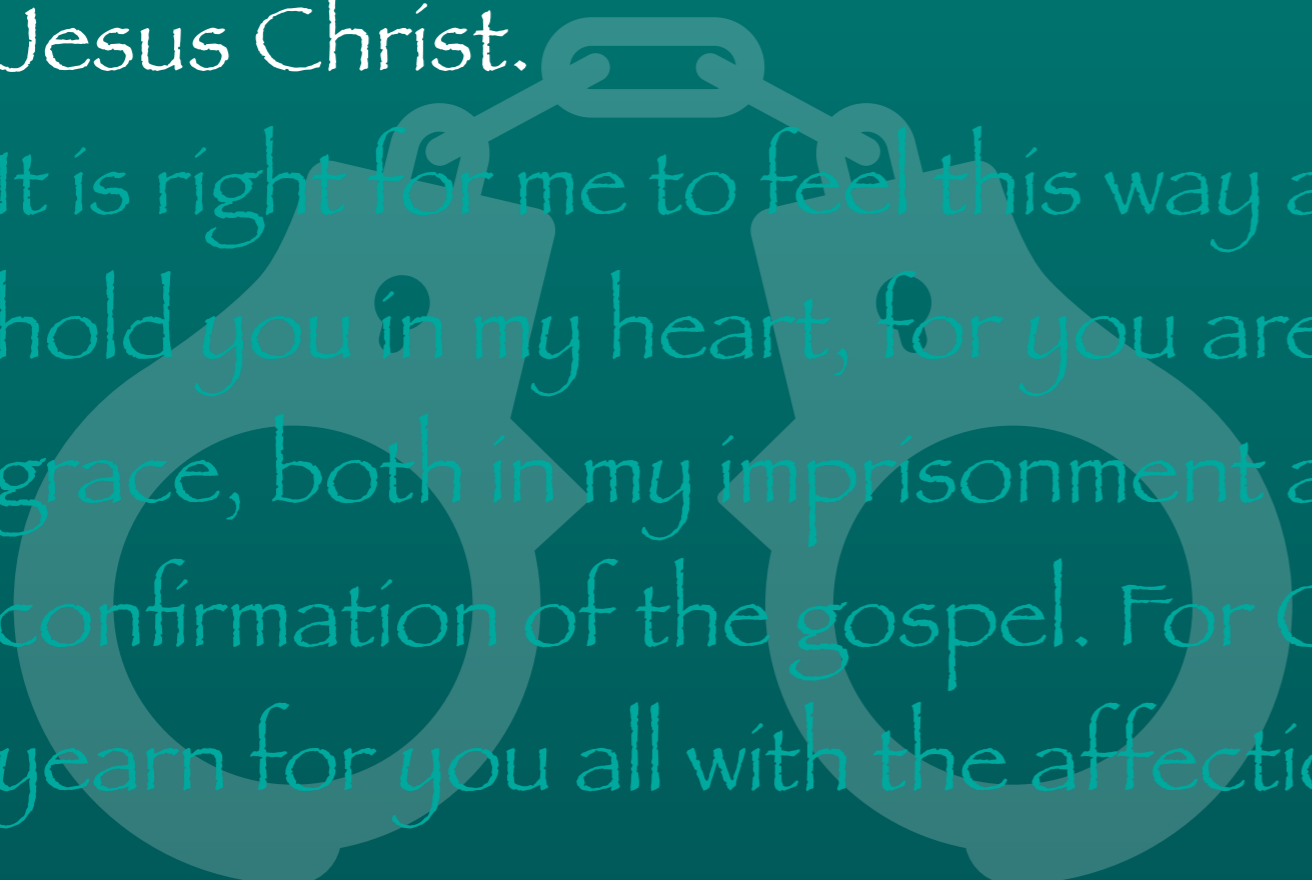
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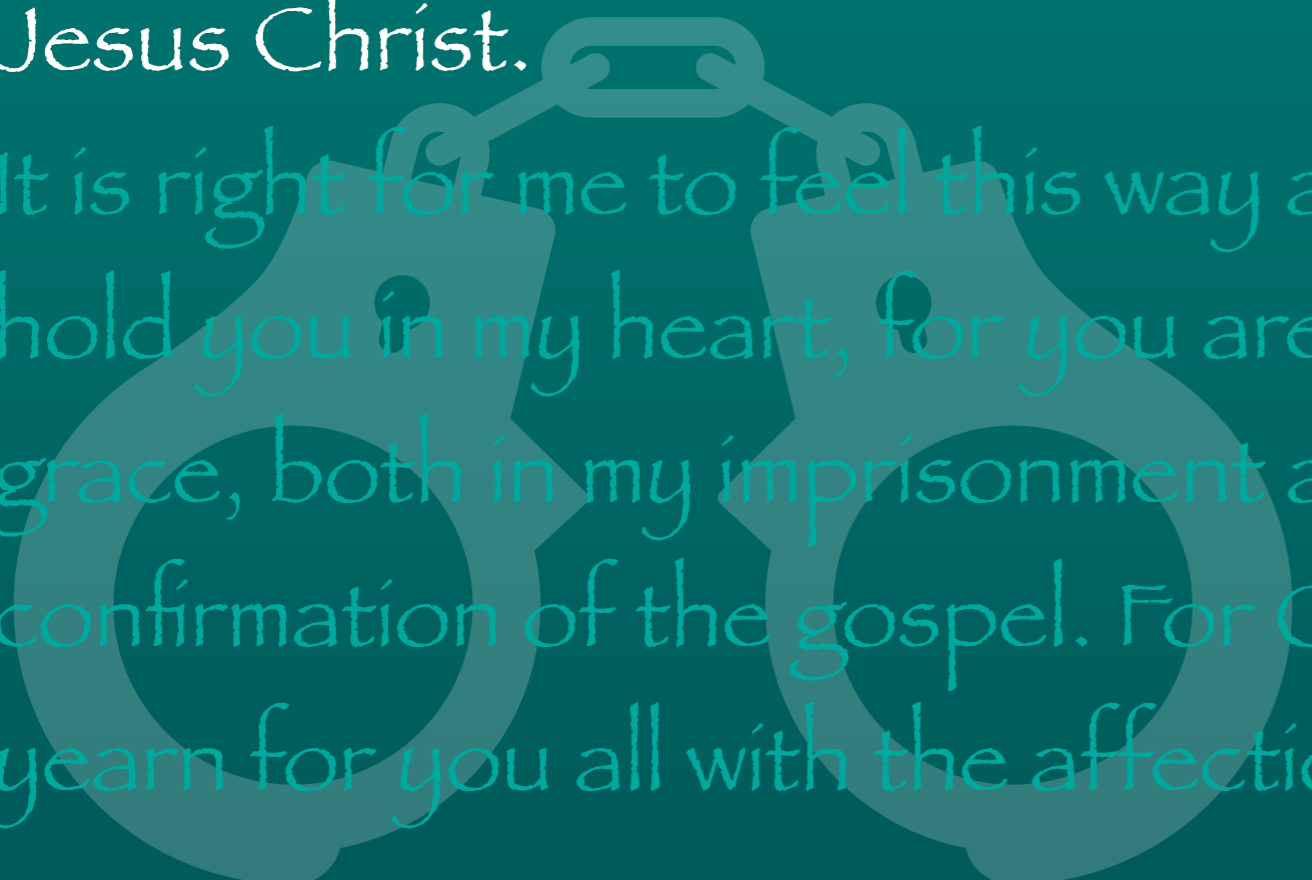
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UNITY IN LOVE

So if there is any encouragement in Christ,
any comfort from love (agape),
any participation (koinonía) in the Spirit,
any affection and sympathy,
complete my joy by being of the same mind,
having the same love (agape),
being in full accord and of one mind.

Philippians 2:1-2

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