

**RADICALLY**

**DIFFERENT**



**THE LAW ADDRESSES  
HEART LEVEL SIN ISSUES**






**MATTHEW 5:21-22**

**MATTHEW 5:27-28**

**MATTHEW 5:31-33**





**MATTHEW 5:33-36**

**MATTHEW 5:38-39**

**MATTHEW 5:43-45**





**THE SCRIBES AND PHARISEES**

**HAD TWISTED AND ADJUSTED**

**THE MOSAIC LAW, SO THAT,**

**OUTWARDLY TO SOME**

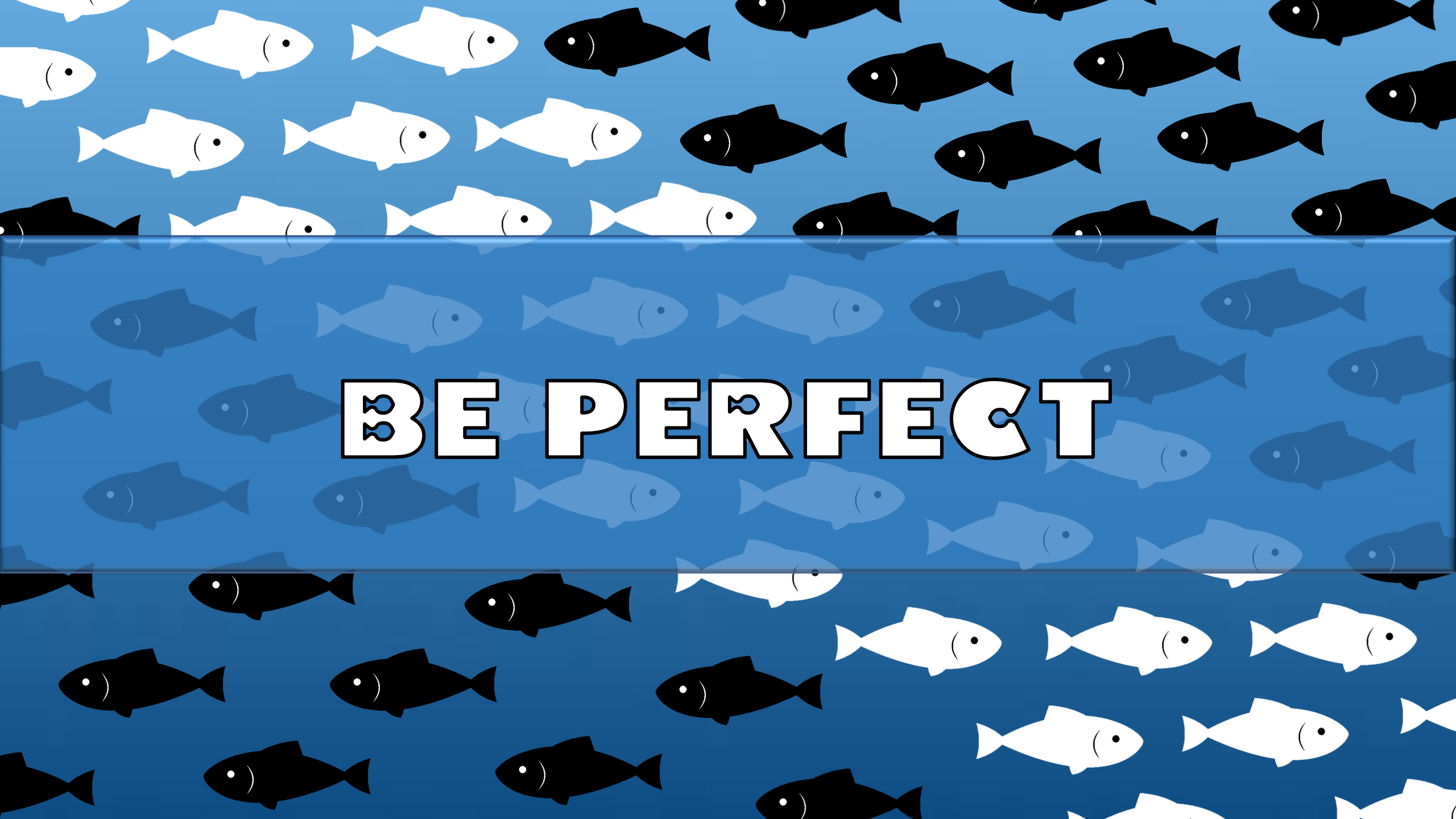
**DEGREE THEY COULD KEEP IT**

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**ANY ATTEMPT IN OUR OWN  
STRENGTH TO FOLLOW THE  
RULES, LEAVES US EXPOSED  
TO THE PRESSURE AND  
WEIGHT OF THE ENTIRE LAW**

**MATTHEW 5:48**





**BE PERFECT**



# I. THE **CONTEXT**

**THE SCRIBES AND PHARISEES  
OVER TIME, HAD REDUCED THE  
MOSAIC LAW TO A **HUMANLY  
ATTAINABLE** STANDARD OF  
OUTWARD CONFORMITY**



**“PERFECT” IS NOT A VERB, IT’S  
AN ADJECTIVE. WHAT THAT  
MEANS IS PERFECT IS NOT AN  
ACTION, IT’S A STATE OF BEING  
(PERFECT IS A DESCRIPTOR  
OF WHO WE ARE)  
EPHESIANS 2:1-10**



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**AS FOLLOWERS OF JESUS,  
WE SHOULD BE RESEMBLING  
HIM MORE IN EVERYTHING  
WE PARTICIPATE IN  
CHRISTLIKENESS**

## II. THE **COMPARISON**

**MATTHEW 5:48**

**OUR GOD, WHO SITS ON HIS**

**THRONE IN HEAVEN IS **FLAWLESS****

**(HE'S HOLY AND PERFECT)**

**AS **REPRESENTATIONS** OF CHRIST,**

**WE ARE TO **WALK** LIKE CHRIST**

**I JOHN 2:1-6**

**PRESENTLY & POSITIONALLY**

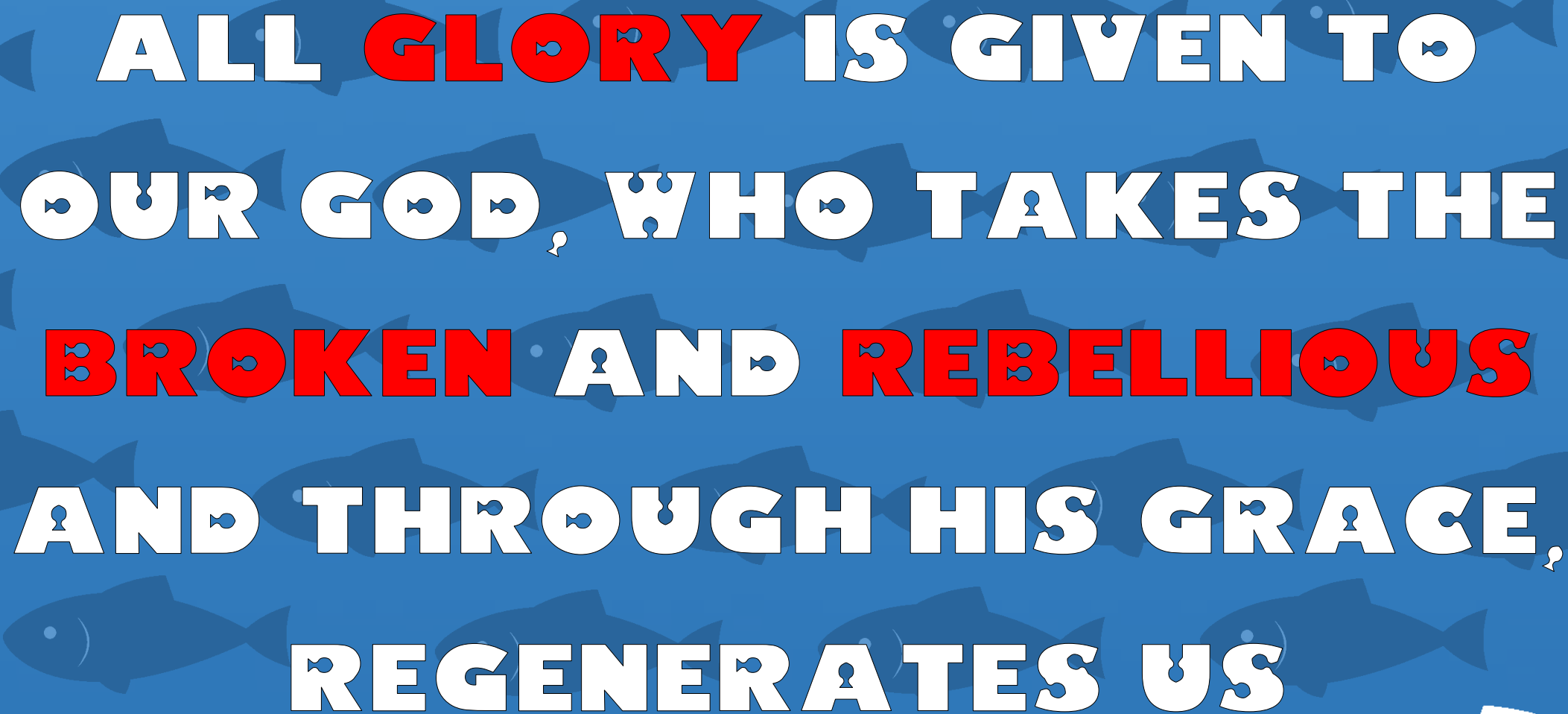
**SPEAKING, FOLLOWERS OF**

**CHRIST ARE COMPLETE**

**& WE LACK NOTHING, OUR**

**FUTURE IS SECURE IN CHRIST**





**ALL GLORY IS GIVEN TO  
OUR GOD, WHO TAKES THE  
BROKEN AND REBELLIOUS  
AND THROUGH HIS GRACE,  
REGENERATES US**



**PHILIPPIANS 3:4-17**

**MATTHEW 5:48**

