



Walking in God's Purpose



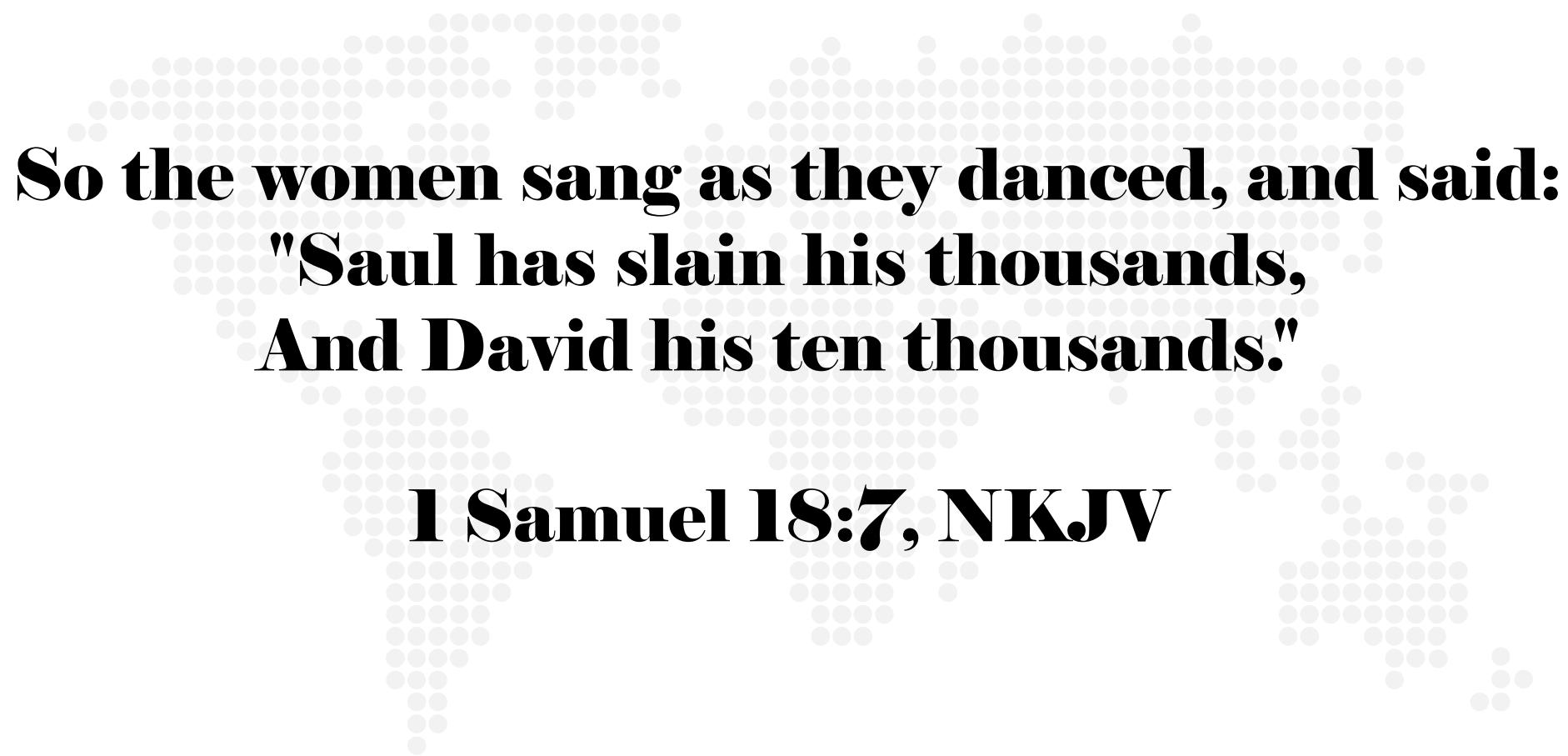


“Guard Your Purpose”



6 Now it had happened as they were coming home, when David was returning from the slaughter of the Philistine, that the women had come out of all the cities of Israel, singing and dancing, to meet King Saul, with tambourines, with joy, and with musical instruments.

1 Samuel 18:6, NKJV



**So the women sang as they danced, and said:
"Saul has slain his thousands,
And David his ten thousands."**

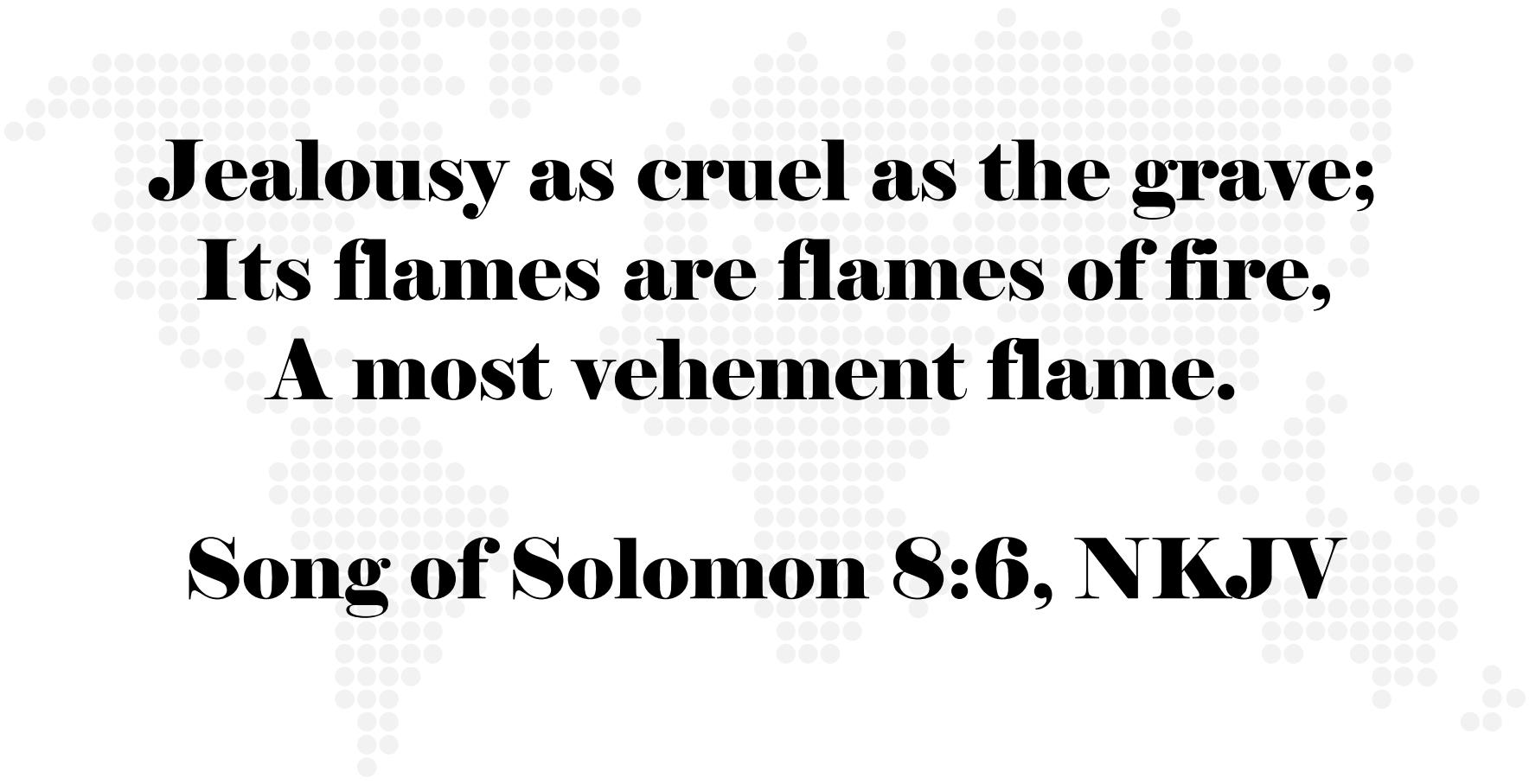
1 Samuel 18:7, NKJV

8 Then Saul was very angry, and the saying displeased him; and he said, "They have ascribed to David ten thousands, and to me they have ascribed only thousands.

Now what more can he have but the kingdom?"

9 So Saul eyed David from that day forward.

1 Samuel 18:8-9, NKJV



**Jealousy as cruel as the grave;
Its flames are flames of fire,
A most vehement flame.**

Song of Solomon 8:6, NKJV



**1. The devil hates purpose
driven people.**

**Now Saul spoke to Jonathan his son
and to all his servants, that they
should kill David; but Jonathan,
Saul's son, delighted greatly in David.**

1 Samuel 19:1, NKJV

So Jonathan told David, saying, “My father Saul seeks to kill you. Therefore please be on your guard until morning, and stay in a secret place and hide.”

1 Samuel 19:2, NKJV



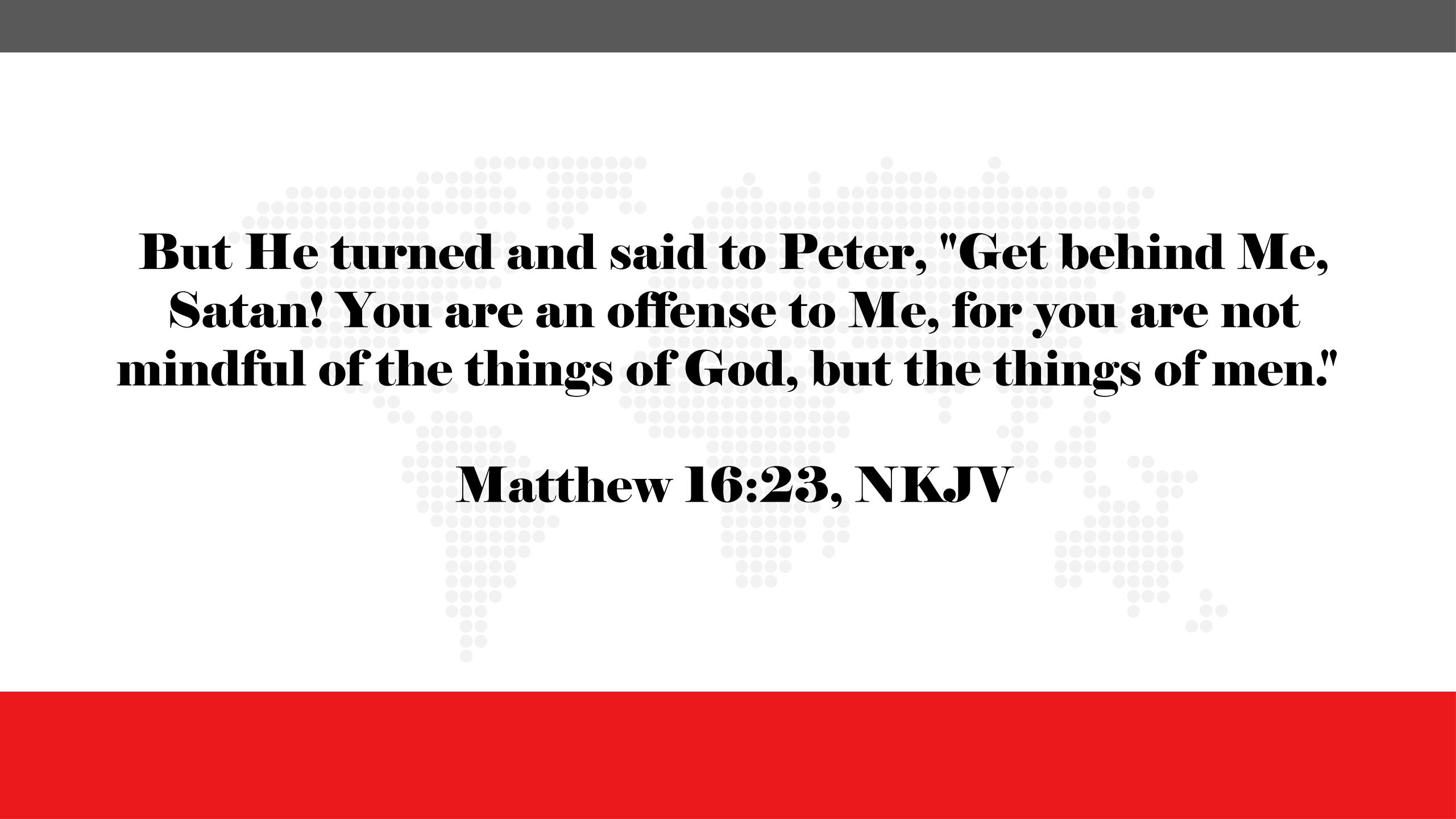
**2. God moves us out of our
comfort zone.**

And David stayed in strongholds in the wilderness, and remained in the mountains in the Wilderness of Ziph. Saul sought him every day, but God did not deliver him into his hand.

1 Samuel 23:14,NKJV



3. Don't believe the devil's lies.



**But He turned and said to Peter, "Get behind Me,
Satan! You are an offense to Me, for you are not
mindful of the things of God, but the things of men."**

Matthew 16:23, NKJV