

When Work Takes Over

No
Other
Gods



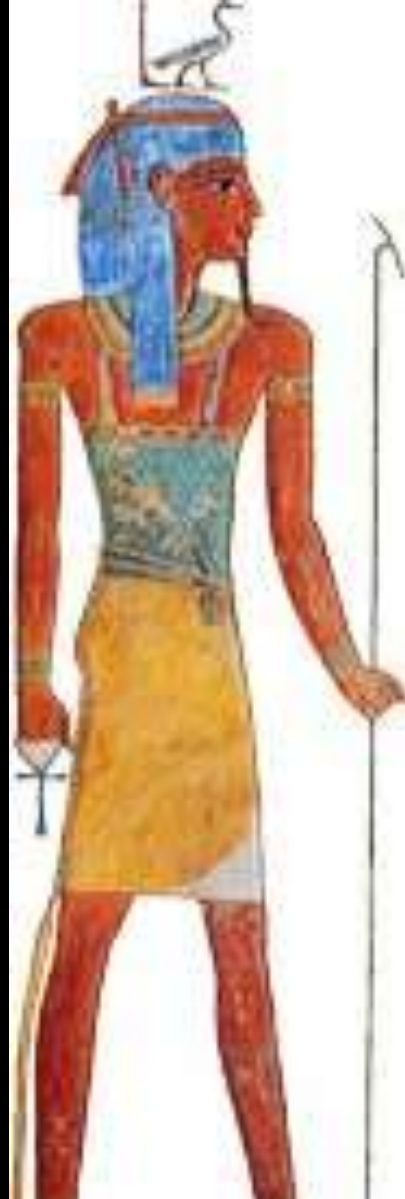
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Water to Blood



Frogs



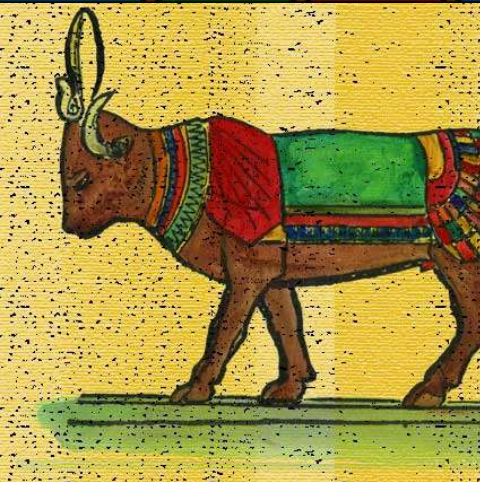
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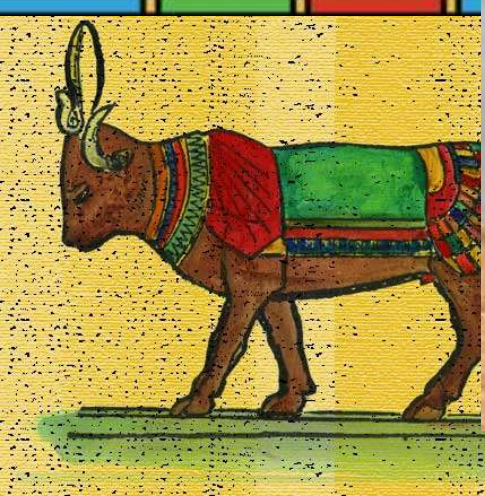
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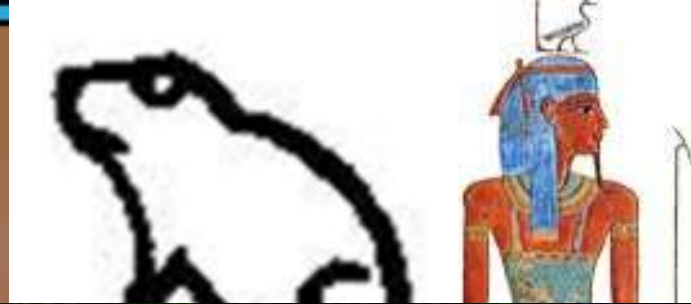
Livestock



Boils



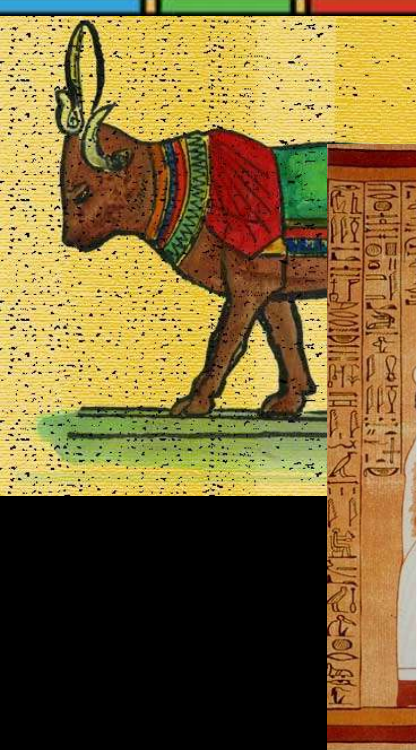
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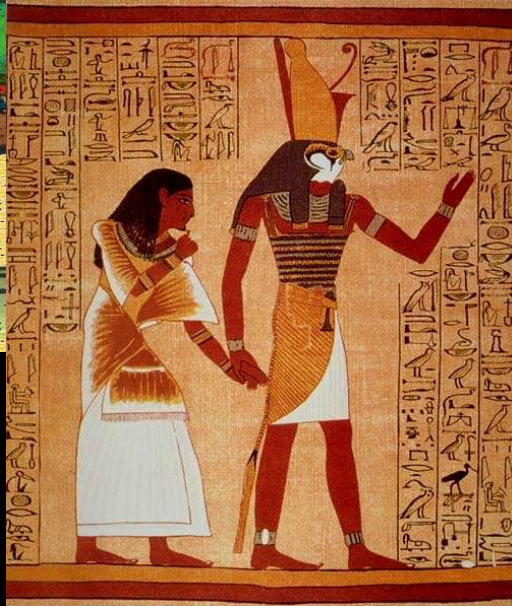
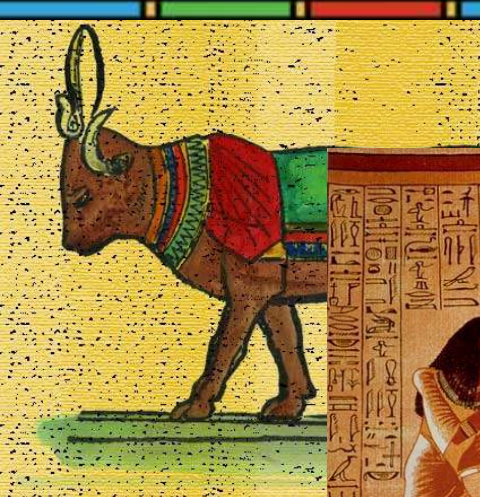
Locusts



Darkness



Firstborn



“against all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgment.” – Ex. 12:12

**Work is
from God.**



God created work.

Genesis 2:15-The Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to work it and keep it.



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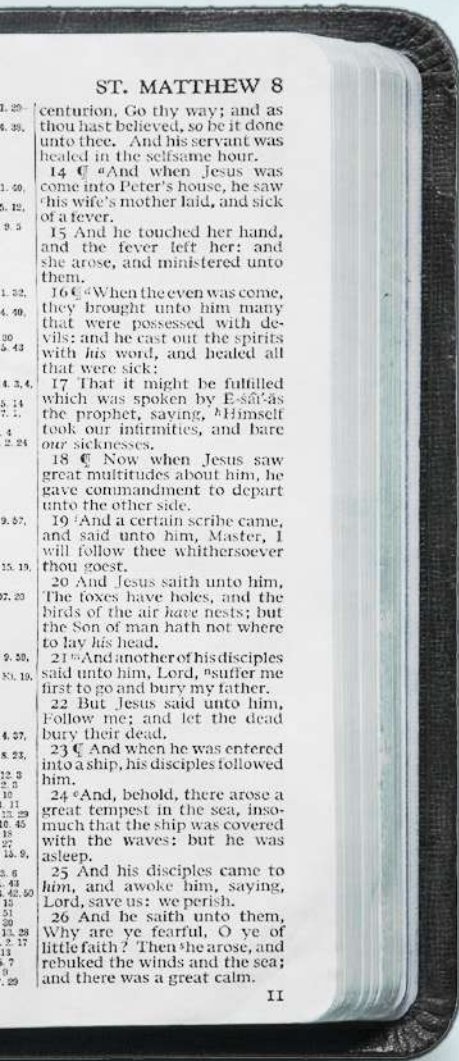


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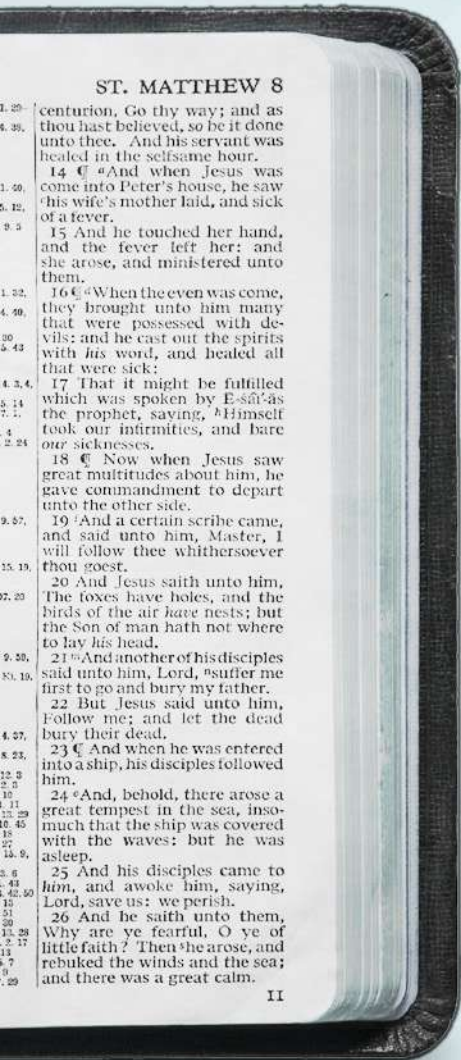
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Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said,



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"Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her."



“We live in constant tension between the urgent and the important. The problem is that the important task rarely must be done today or even this week...The momentary appeal of these tasks seems irresistible and important, and they devour our energy. We realize we’ve become slaves to the tyranny of the urgent.”



- Charles Hummel

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What has “taken over” my life?

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