

A background of red, vertically pleated curtains, typical of a theater stage. The curtains are illuminated from the side, creating a gradient of red tones.

Extras:

Centurions



Matthew 8

5 And when Jesus entered Capernaum, a centurion came to Him, imploring Him, 6 and saying, "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, fearfully tormented." 7 Jesus said to him, "I will come and heal him." 8 But the centurion said, "Lord, I am



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not worthy for You to come under my roof,
but just say the word, and my servant will
be healed. **9** For I also am a man under
authority, with soldiers under me; and I say
to this one, 'Go!' and he goes, and to
another, 'Come!' and he comes, and to my



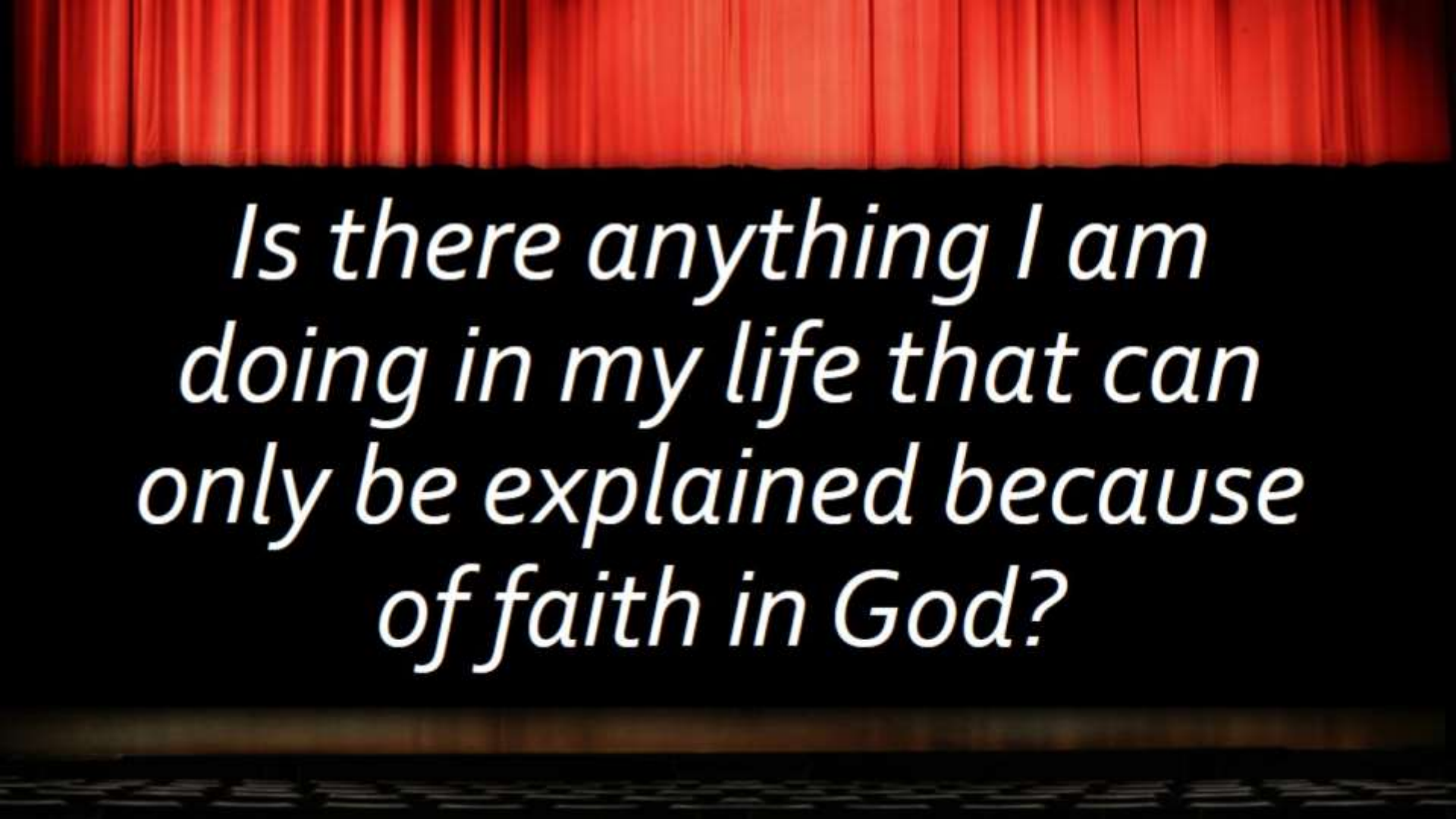
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slave, 'Do this!' and he does it." **10** Now when Jesus heard this, He marveled and said to those who were following, "Truly I say to you, I have not found such great faith with anyone in Israel.



Capernaum: Authority



A background of red curtains hanging over a dark stage floor.

*Is there anything I am
doing in my life that can
only be explained because
of faith in God?*

Acts 10

1 Now there was a man at Caesarea named Cornelius, a centurion of what was called the Italian cohort, **2** a devout man and one who feared God with all his household, and gave many alms to the Jewish people and prayed to God continually. **3** About the

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ninth hour of the day he clearly saw in a vision an angel of God who had just come in and said to him, "Cornelius!" 4 And fixing his gaze on him and being much alarmed, he said, "What is it, Lord?" And he said to him, "Your prayers and alms have ascended as a memorial before God."



Capernaum: Authority

Caesarea: Discipleship



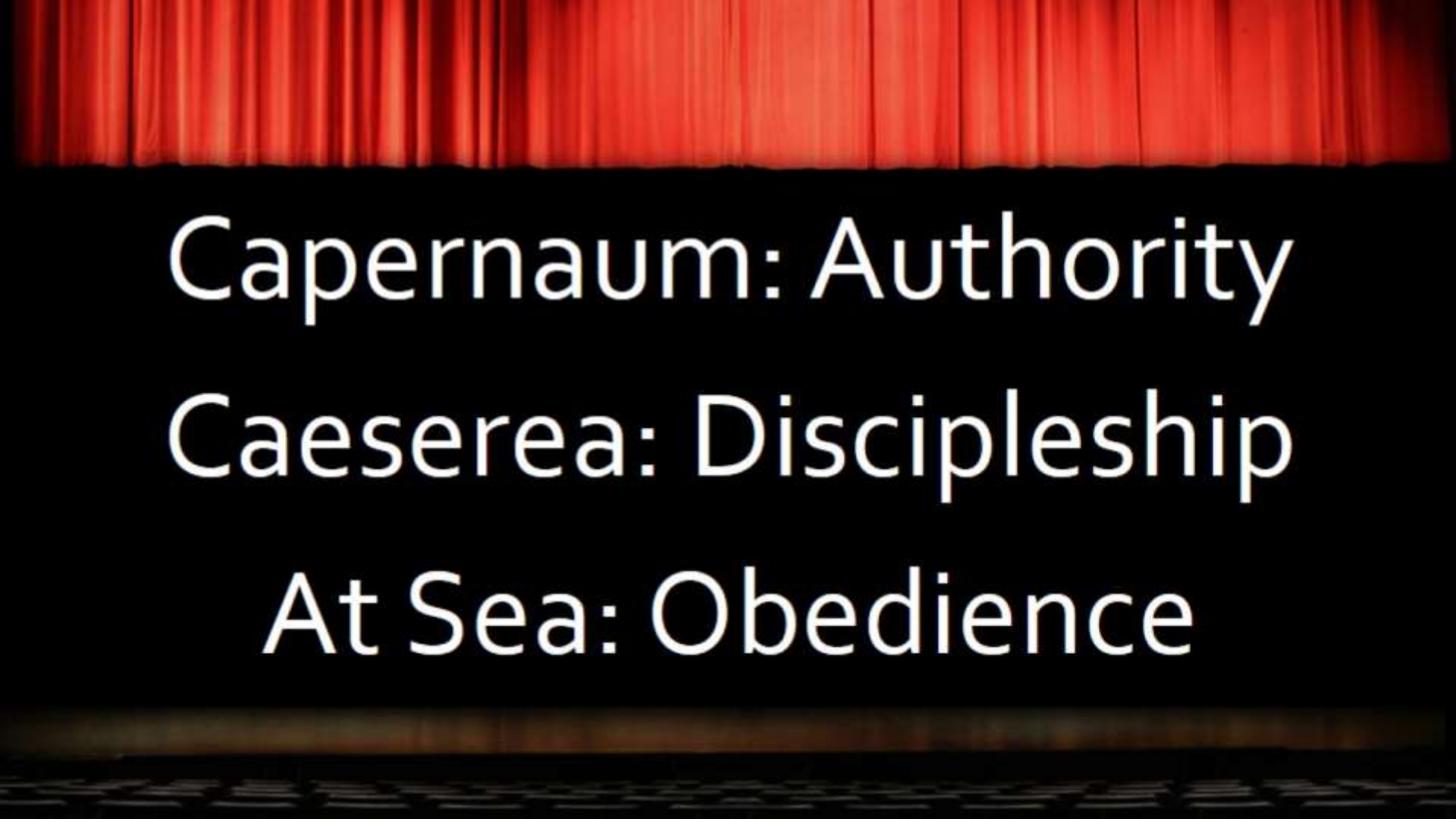
*Am I submitting to God in
every aspect of my life?*






Acts 27

11 But the centurion was more persuaded by the pilot and the captain of the ship than by what was being said by Paul...**31** Paul said to the Centurion...



Capernaum: Authority
Caesarea: Discipleship
At Sea: Obedience



*This week, whose opinion
will have my attention?*

