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Creighton, MO**

**Opening Hymn #465**  
*Baptized in Water*

**Scripture Reading**  
*Philippians 1:17-18*

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# Memory Verse

*1 John 4:4*

**You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.**

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**Hymn #754**  
*Change My Heart,  
O God*

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**Hymn #774**  
*When the Roll is  
Called Up Yonder*




**Message:**  
*Philippians 1:17-18*

**I. Don't celebrate the  
summit**



**A. Life is more than  
personal  
accomplishments**



**B. Achieving dreams  
should draw you  
closer to God**



**C. After accomplishing  
one dream, God has  
others for you**



**II. The danger of pride**



**A. Pride takes credit  
for success and  
blames others for  
failures**

**B. There is a strong link  
between pride and  
seeking independence  
from God *Isaiah 14:13-14***

**C. Pride gets more excited  
about personal  
accomplishments than  
serving God**

**III. The example of  
Moses**

**A. Few men in history  
had more reasons  
to be proud than  
Moses**

**B. Moses accepted  
the fact that God  
can use anyone  
v. 29**



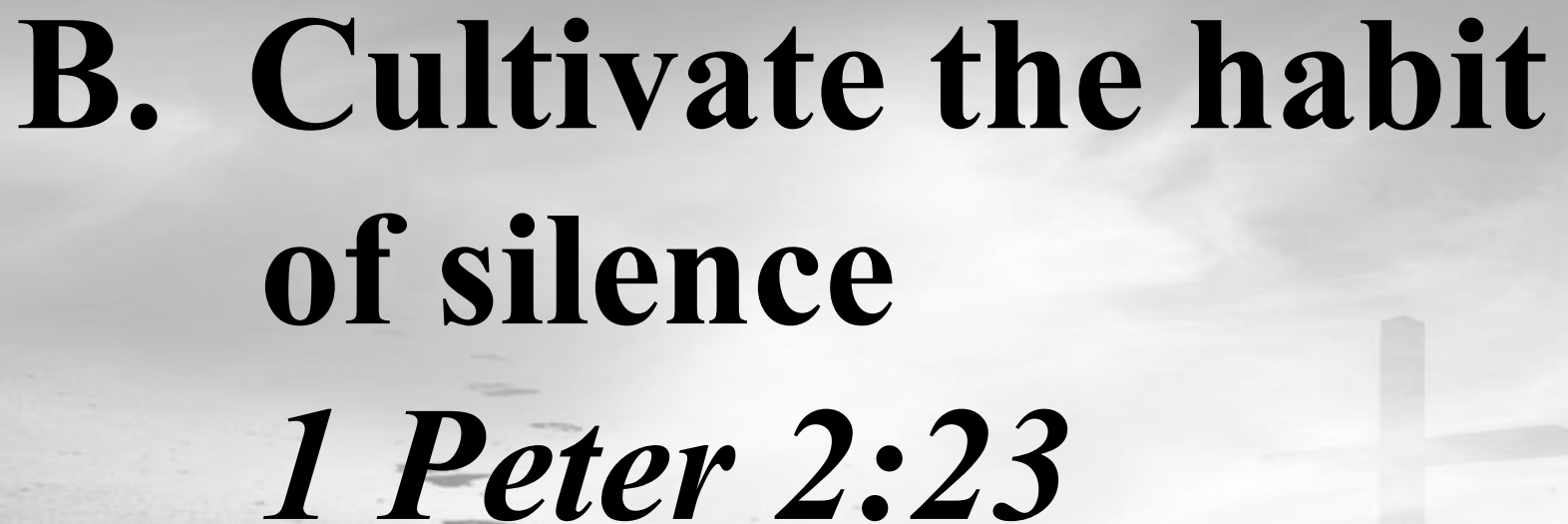
**C. Moses was willing to  
accept instruction  
*v.16***



**IV. To develop  
humility**



**A. Accept the fact that  
you are not  
indispensable**



**B. Cultivate the habit  
of silence**  
*1 Peter 2:23*

A grayscale photograph of a beach. In the foreground, a series of footprints leads from the bottom left towards the center. In the distance, a large, simple cross stands on the beach, silhouetted against a bright, hazy sky. The overall mood is contemplative and spiritual.

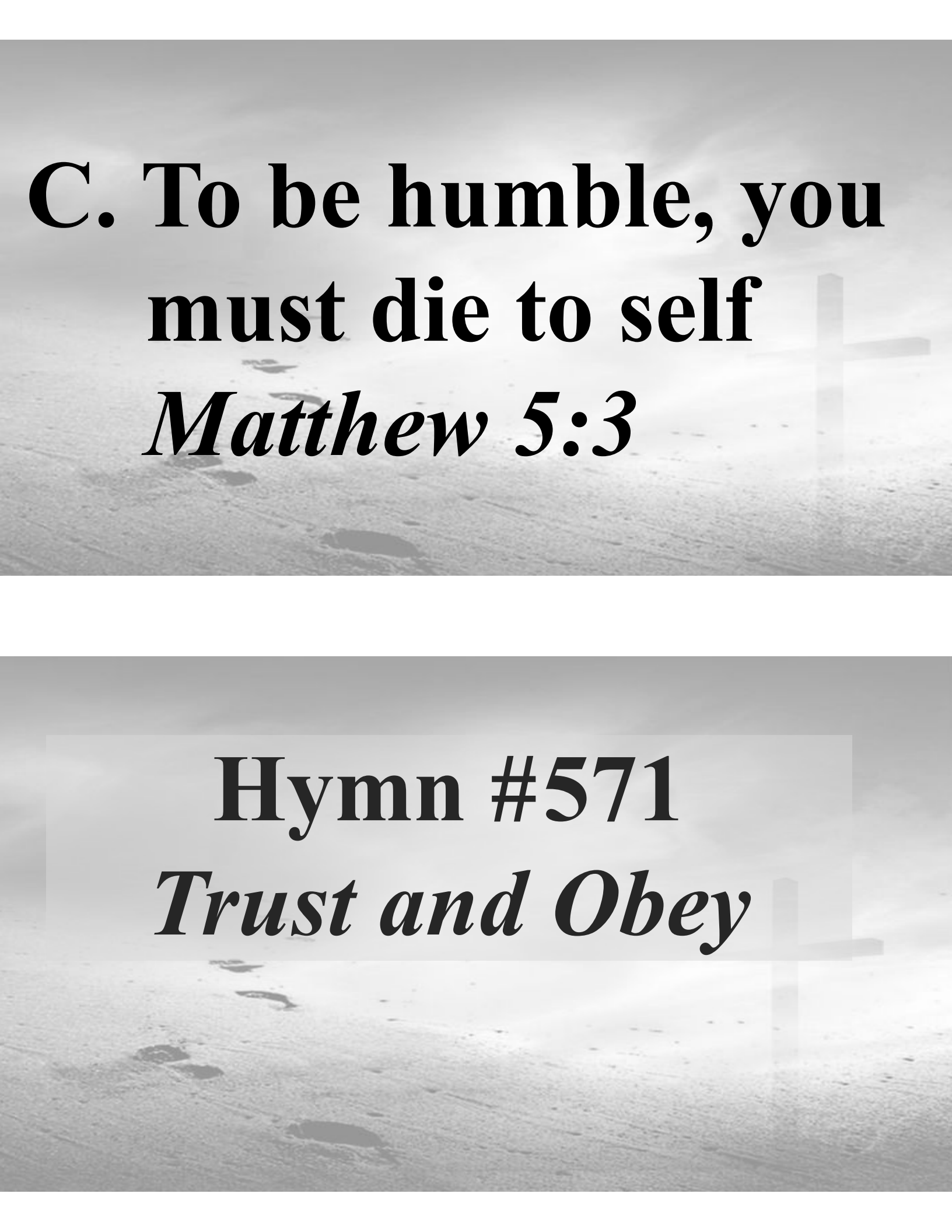
**C. Pray for those who  
hurt you**

A grayscale photograph of a beach, identical to the one above. It shows footprints leading towards a cross on the horizon under a bright sky.

**V. In your daily life**

**A. Focus on God's  
accomplishments,  
not your own**  
*1 Corinthians 4:7*

**B. Resist the urge to  
bad mouth**



**C. To be humble, you  
must die to self**  
*Matthew 5:3*

**Hymn #571**  
*Trust and Obey*





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