

Warning against Deserting Christian Assembly

Hebrews 10:24-25



5 Warnings:



1. To Pay
Much Closer
Attention



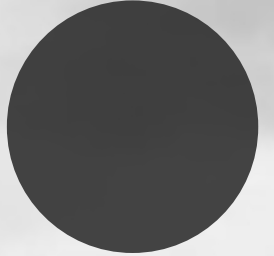
2. Against
Hardening
Of Heart



3. Against
Falling
Away



4. Against
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Christian
Assembly



5. Against
Refusing
The Lord





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Hebrews in a Nutshell

- NT book
- Written in Greek (confusing!)
- Written pre-70



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- Reveres the faithful Christ (Jesus “better” than all)
- Revives the flagging Church (call to persevere)
- Remonstrates the faithless Christian (warnings)



Chapter 10 in particular

One Sacrifice has superseded the many, allowing us **boldness** to come before God, not **brazenness** to deliberately sin.

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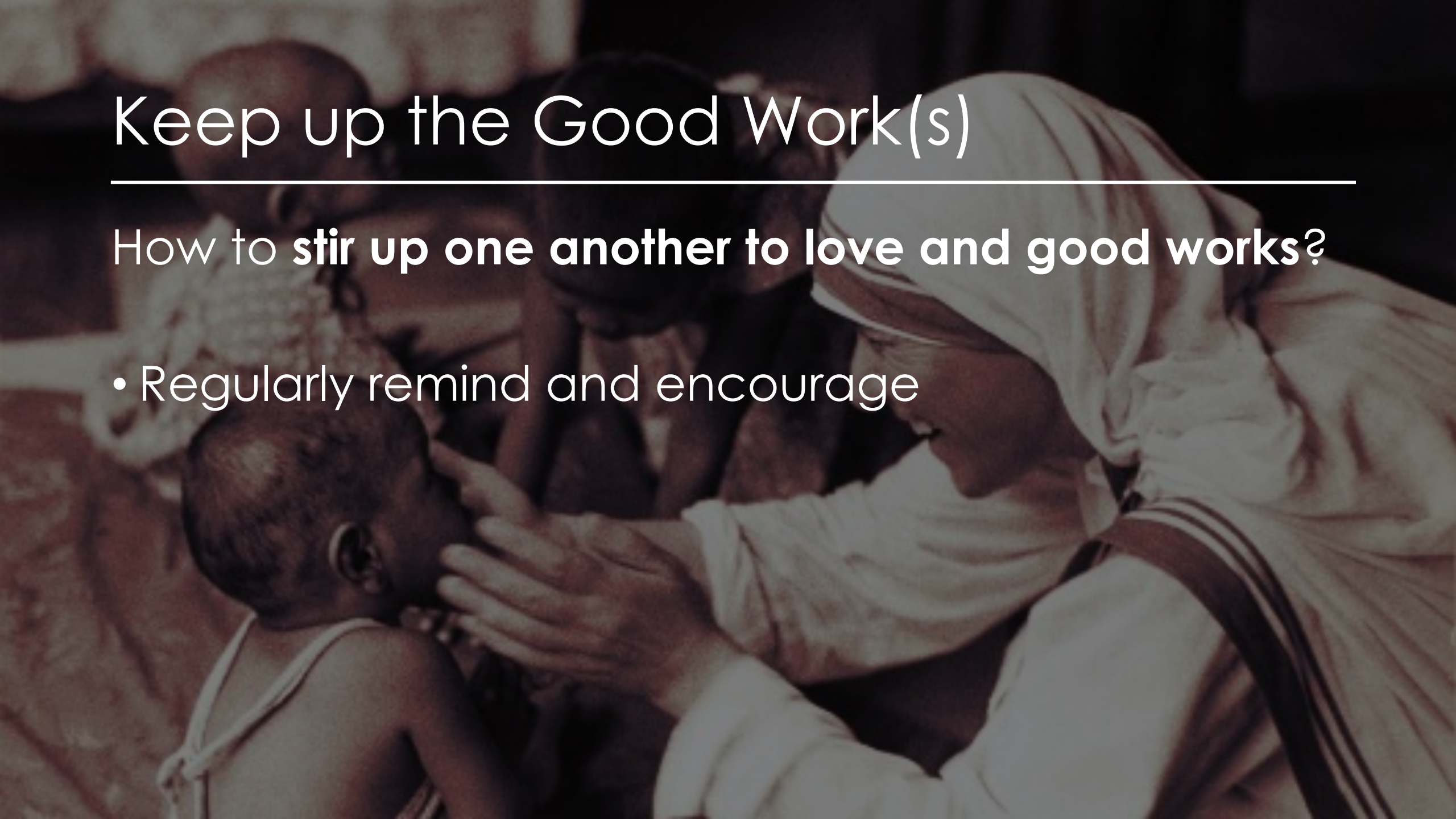
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- community

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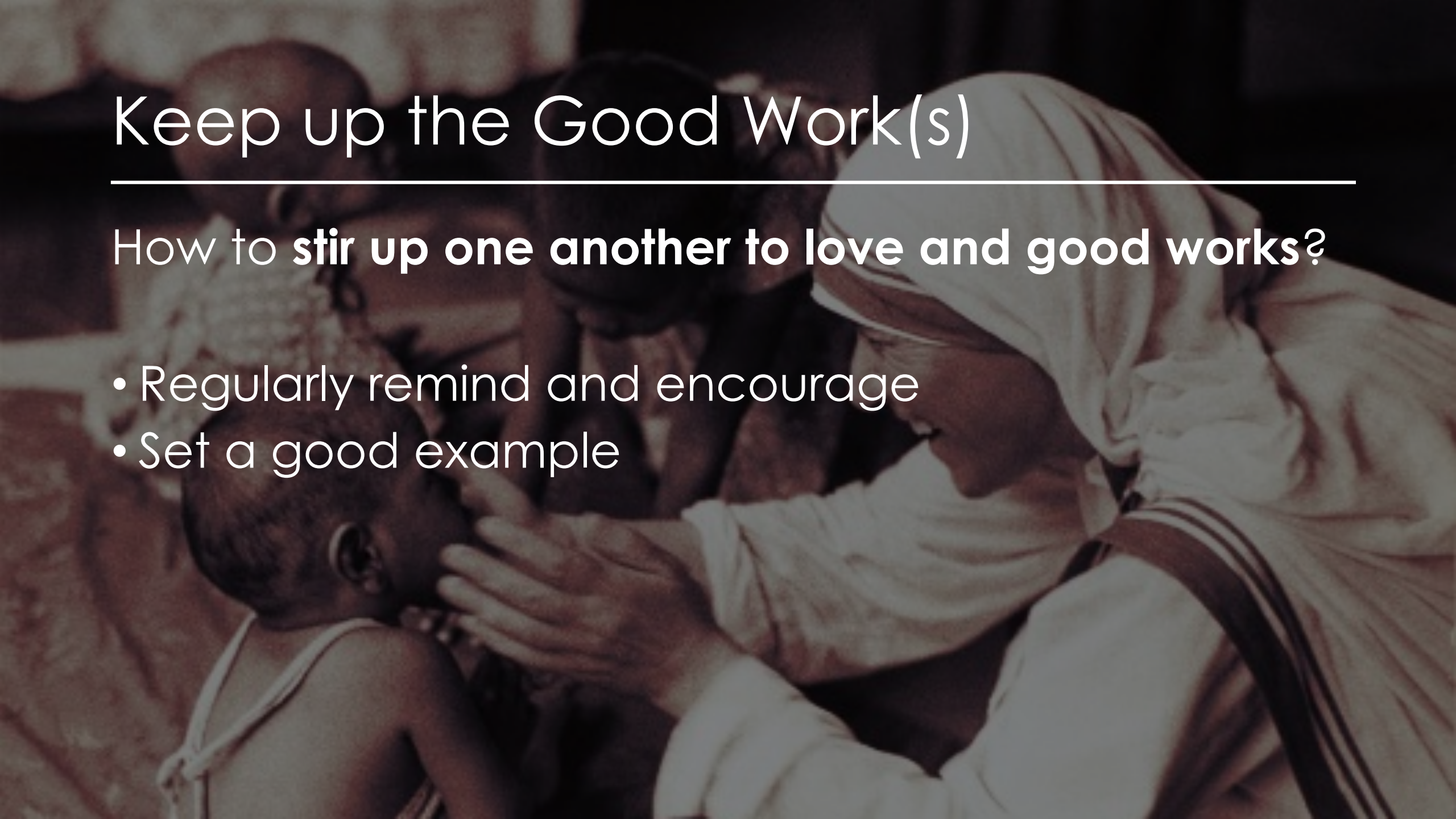
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- Making a difficult apology?
- Forgiving a difficult person?

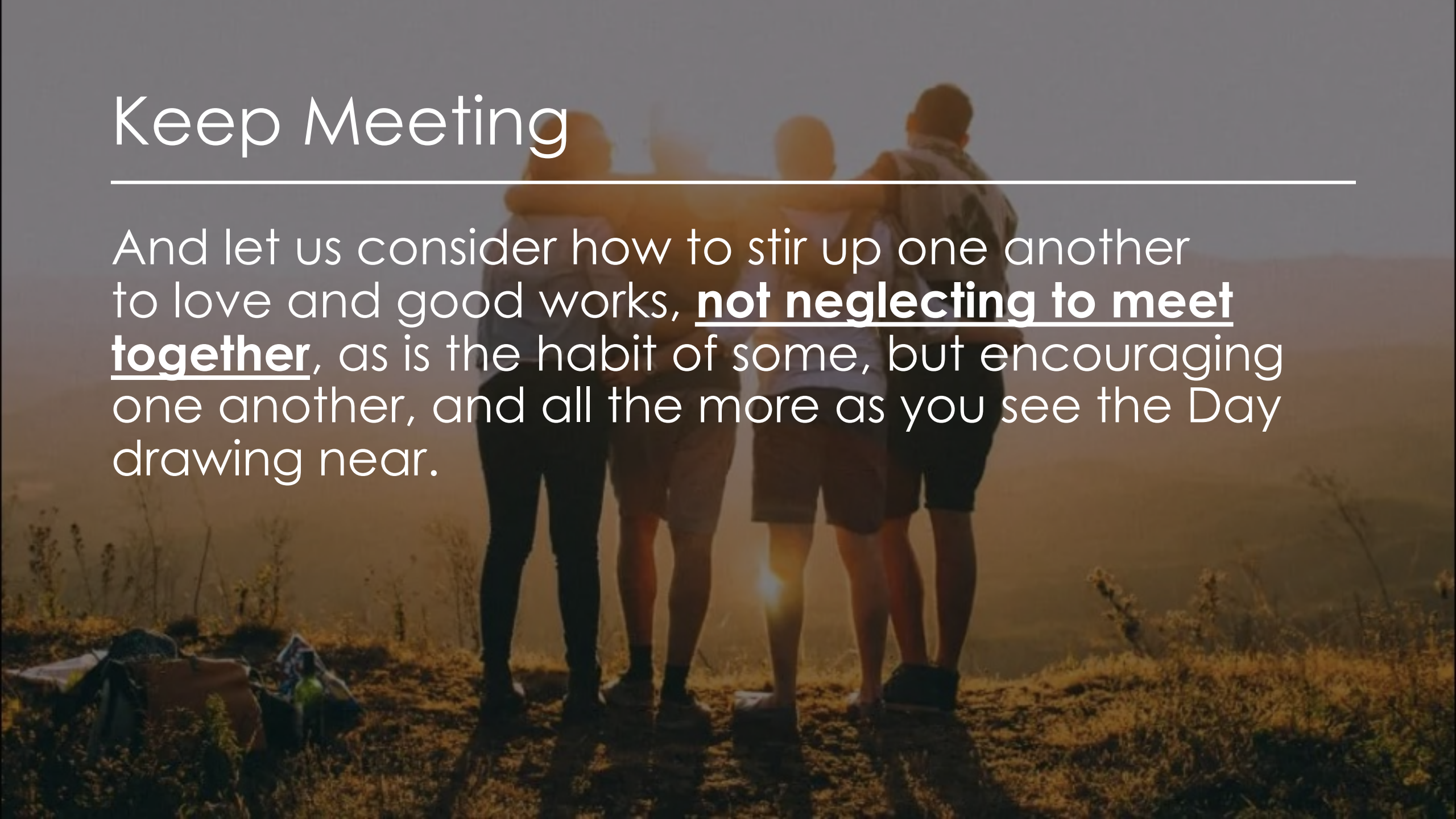
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What are some dangers of **neglecting to meet together?**

- No accountability
- No growth, gradual backsliding
- No strength drawn from \mathbb{H} fellowship

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- Be plugged into a cell group



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Q: Will you return to Christian fellowship this week?

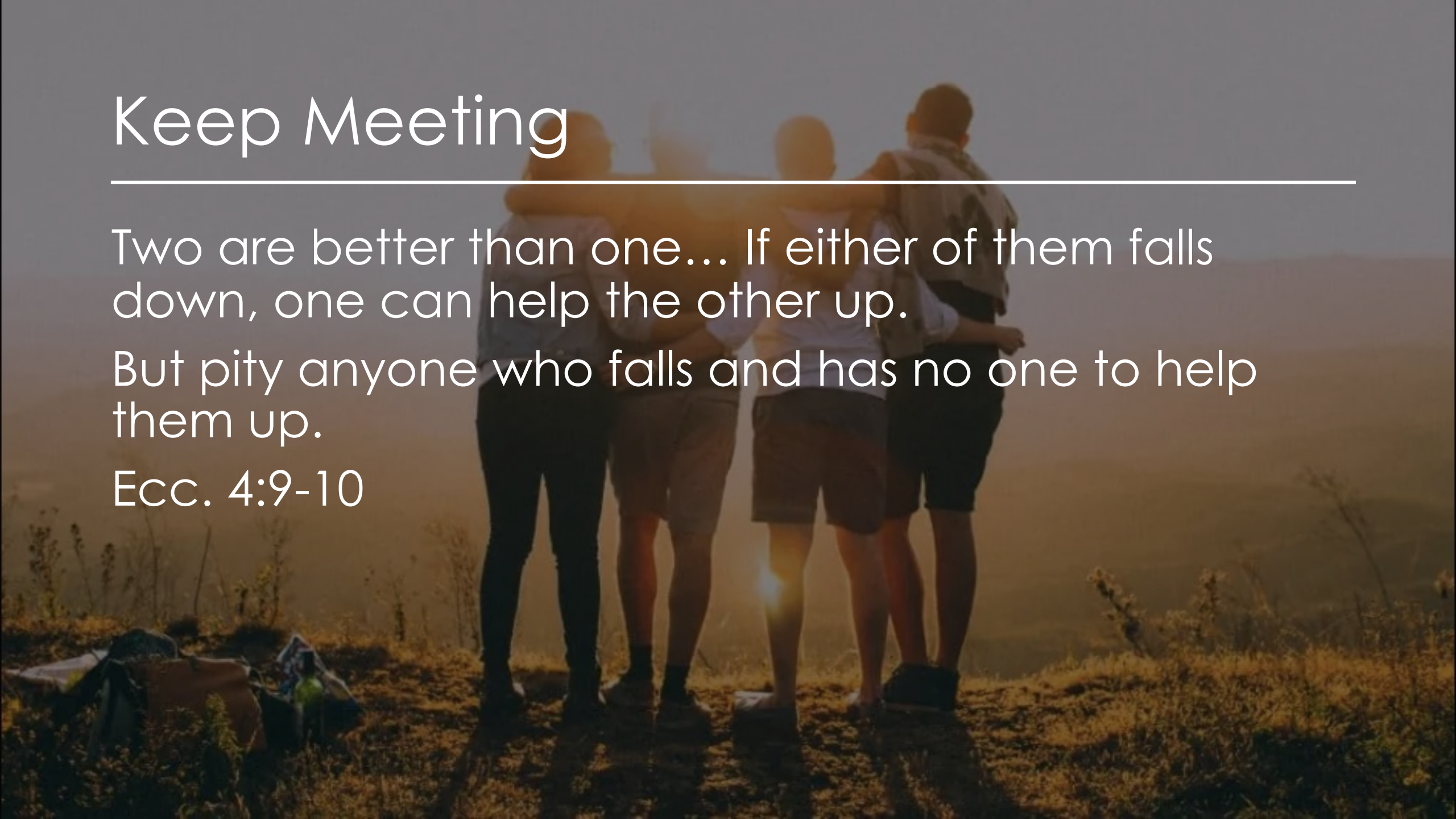
Q: Who will you reach out to in Christian community this week?

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Two are better than one... If either of them falls down, one can help the other up.

But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up.

Ecc. 4:9-10



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The Day: Christ's return and reign

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Communion is strength, solitude is weakness.

Alone, the fine old beech yields to the blast, and lies prone upon the sword; in the forest, supporting each other, the trees laugh at the hurricane.

The sheep of Jesus flock together;
the social element is the genius of Christianity.

C.H. Spurgeon

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Why should we be **encouraging one another**?

- Kind words bring life and health. Pro 15:4



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Q: Who can you encourage to keep on keeping on this week?

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