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New Testament and Slavery

Slaves and free are one in Christ (Gal 3:28)

*...commanded to treat slaves just as you would treat yourselves,
because you are free in Christ. If you can do good to anyone,
do it to the Lord, as if you were doing it to the Lord. As
Philemon to receive Onesimus.*

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Slaves, obey your Lord as you obey Christ, for you are serving him when you do.

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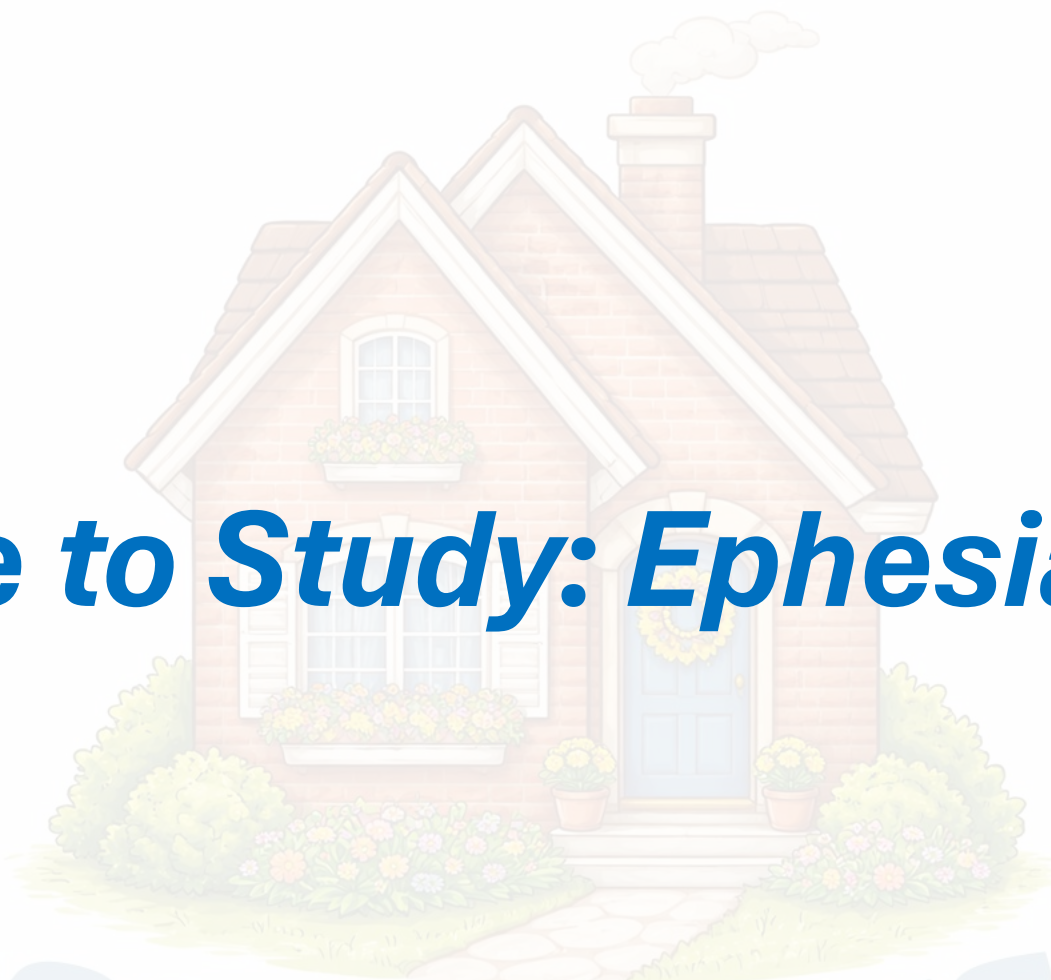
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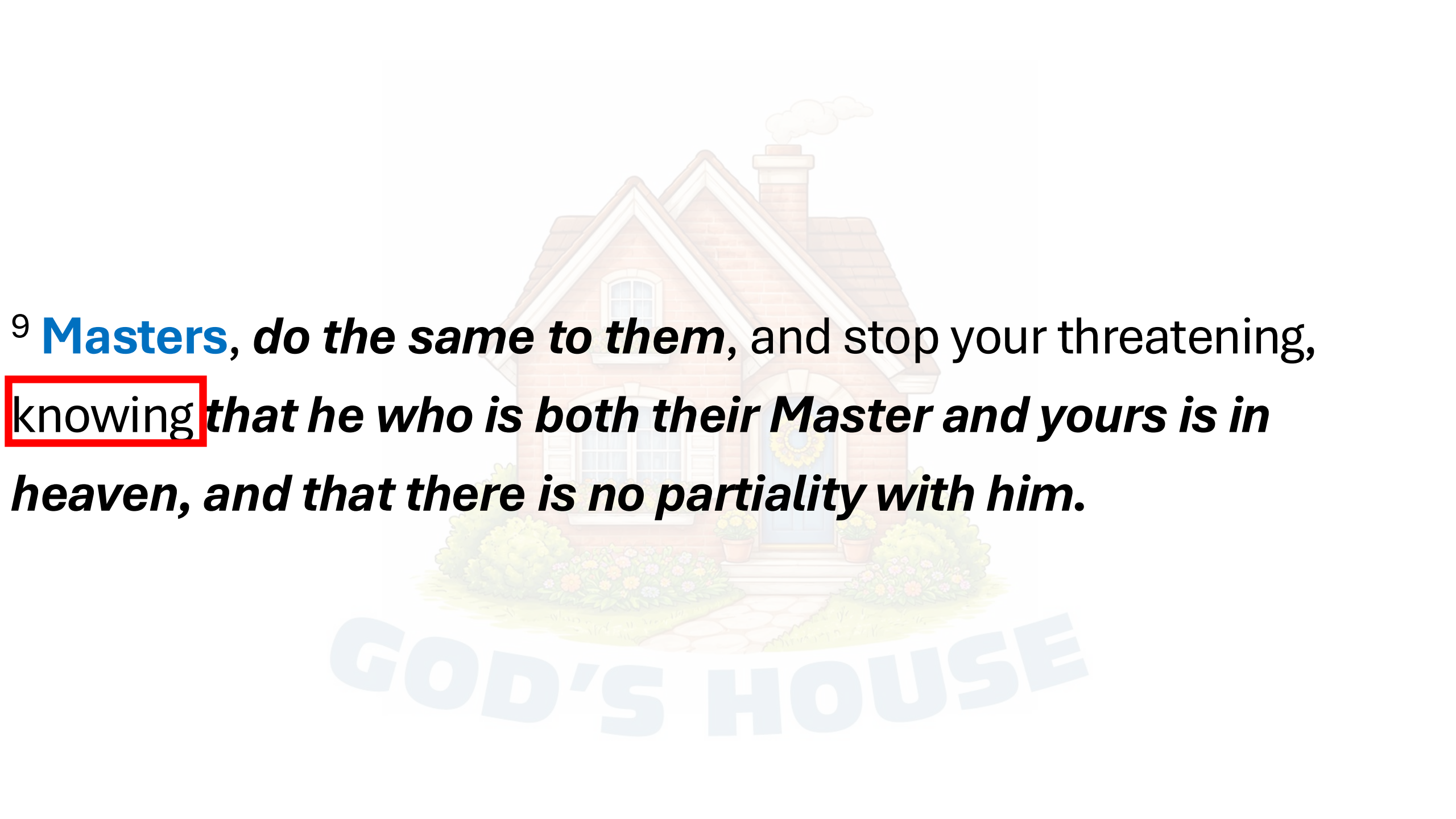
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Passage to Study: Ephesians 6:5-9

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⁵ **Bondservants**, *obey* your earthly masters with fear and trembling, *with a sincere heart, as you would Christ*, ⁶ not by the way of eye-service, as people-pleasers, but *as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart*, ⁷ rendering service with a good will as to the Lord and not to man, ⁸ **knowing** that *whatever good anyone does, this he will receive back from the Lord, whether he is a bondservant or is free.*



⁹ **Masters**, *do the same to them*, and stop your threatening, **knowing** *that he who is both their Master and yours is in heaven, and that there is no partiality with him.*

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Finding Application for Today:

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Faith is also revealed when you are alone.
Love is more important than your words.
The gospel transforms relationships.*

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