



1 year olds

Men's Room

0-6 months

Nursery Check-in

2 year olds

Ladies' Room

7-11 months

Sound Room

New glass doors and kiosk

Dolphin Bay (4 year olds)

partition

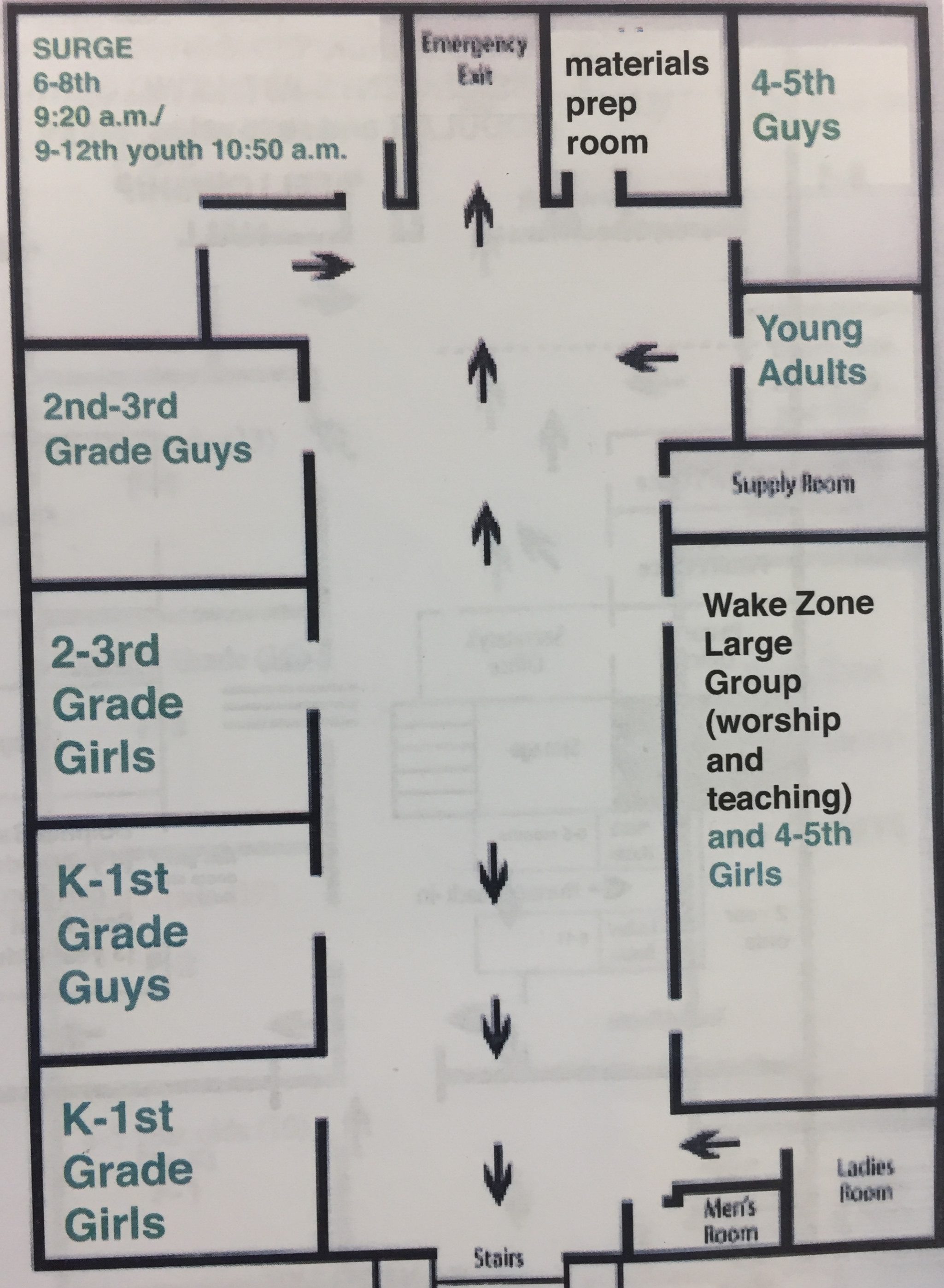
Seal Point (3 year olds)

Bath room

Sink

Entrance









# THE GOSPEL OF LUKE:

JESUS—

FRIEND OF SINNERS





THE ANNOUNCEMENT: THE SINNER'S  
FRIEND IS COMING!





# Map of Israel in the New Testament















## MARY – FULL OF GRACE

1. SHE WOULD CONCEIVE AND BEAR A SON CALLED "THE LORD SAVES"
2. HE WILL BE GREAT AND CALLED SON OF THE MOST HIGH
3. HE WILL BE GIVEN THE THRONE OF DAVID
4. HE WILL BE THE LONG-EXPECTED MESSIAH
5. HIS KINGDOM WILL NEVER END



## MARY – BAFFLED

THE VIRGIN BIRTH DOESN'T REQUIRE ME TO BELIEVE THE  
ABSURD, IT SIMPLY REQUIRES ME TO BELIEVE IN THE  
OMNIPOTENT POWER OF GOD TO BREAK INTO MY LITTLE  
WORLD!



# MARY'S PREDICAMENT

THE HOLY SPIRIT FILLED ELIZABETH WITH SUPERNATURAL  
KNOWLEDGE OF MARY'S CONDITION!

IF YOU WANT A PICTURE OF THE SANCTITY OF LIFE IN THE  
WOMB, THERE IS NO BETTER VERSE THAN LUKE 1:44



## MARY – THE MAGNIFICAT

:46 – ISAM 2:1,2; PS 34:2,3

:47 – PS 24:5; 25:5; 35:9; ISA 12:2; MIC 7:7; HAB 3:18

:48 – PS 138:6

:49 – PS 24:8; ZEPH 3:17

:50 – PS 103:1`7

:51 – PS 98:1; 118:15

:52 – PS 2; ISAM 2:8

:53 – PS 107:9

:54 – ISA 41:8-10

:55 – GEN 17:19; PS 132:11; ISA 41:8-9



# MARY – THE MAGNIFICAT

WHAT SHE SAW ABOUT HERSELF:

- SHE WAS IN NEED OF A SAVIOR!
- SHE WAS QUICK TO RECOGNIZE THE FULFILLMENT OF GOD'S PROMISES!



## MARY – THE MAGNIFICAT

WHAT SHE RECOGNIZED ABOUT GOD:

– GOD'S MERCY WAS THE REFLECTION OF HIS CHARACTER

– GOD'S MERCY WAS BEING PUT ON DISPLAY IN A DRAMATIC WAY

– GOD'S MERCY IS UNLIMITED AND INEXHAUSTIBLE



## APPLICATION:

1. COMPOSE YOUR "MAGNIFICAT" SONG THIS WEEK
2. MATCH YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES TO YOUR FAITH
3. CONNECT GOD'S GRACE IN YOUR LIFE TO GOD'S SON
4. GROW YOUR FAITH ON GOD'S TRACK RECORD











## WHAT THIS GRACE LOOKED LIKE:

1. SHE WOULD CONCEIVE AND BEAR A SON CALLED "THE LORD SAVES!"
2. HE WILL BE GREAT AND CALLED THE SON OF THE MOST HIGH GOD
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Map of Israel in the





LUKE



# WHY 4 GOSPELS?





JESUS: FRIEND OF SINNERS – SAVIOR OF SINNERS  
WAS GOD'S PLAN FROM THE BEGINNING!

HIS COMING (1-3)

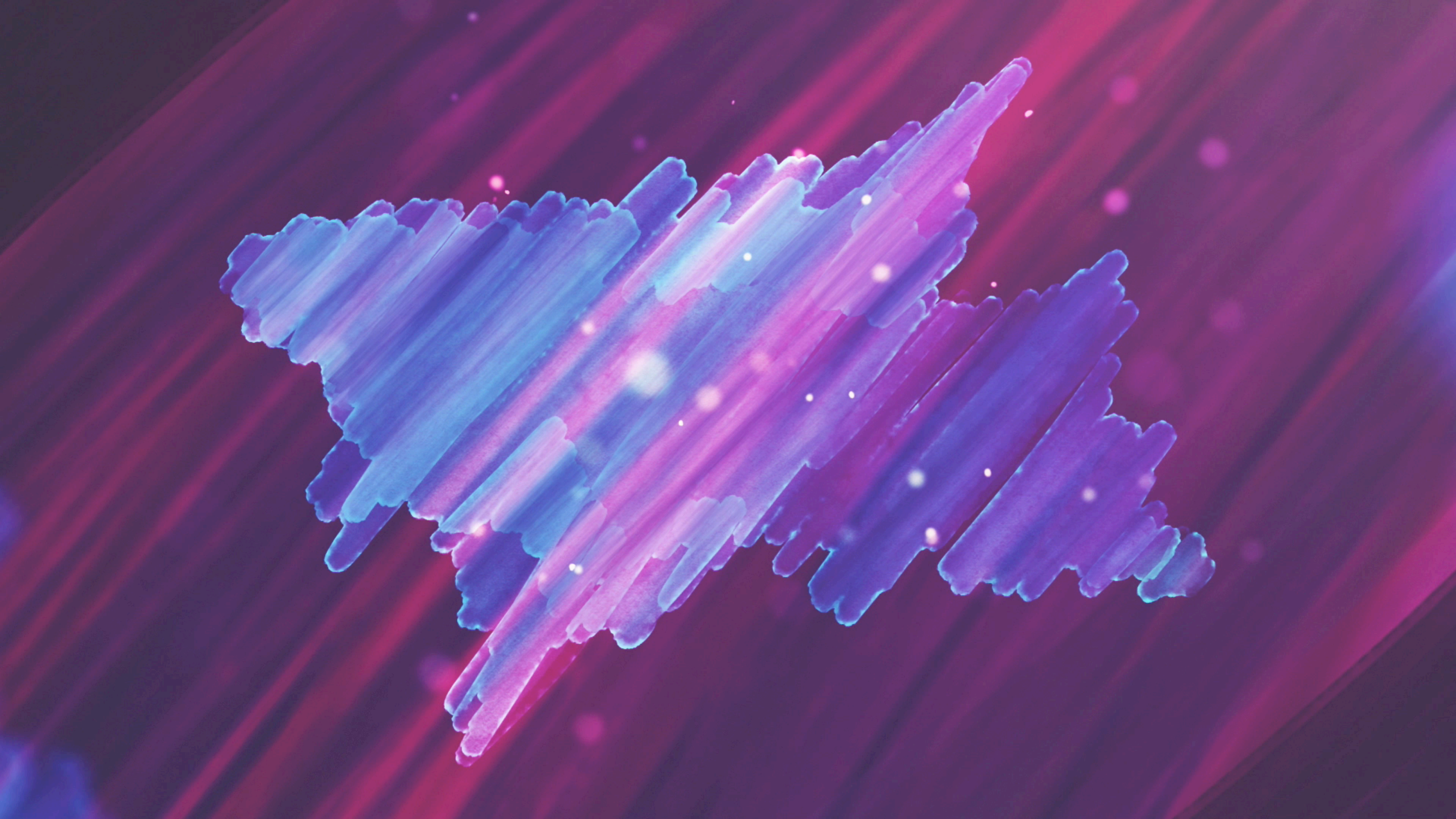
HIS TEMPTATIONS (4:1-13)

HIS MINISTRY (4:14-19:27)

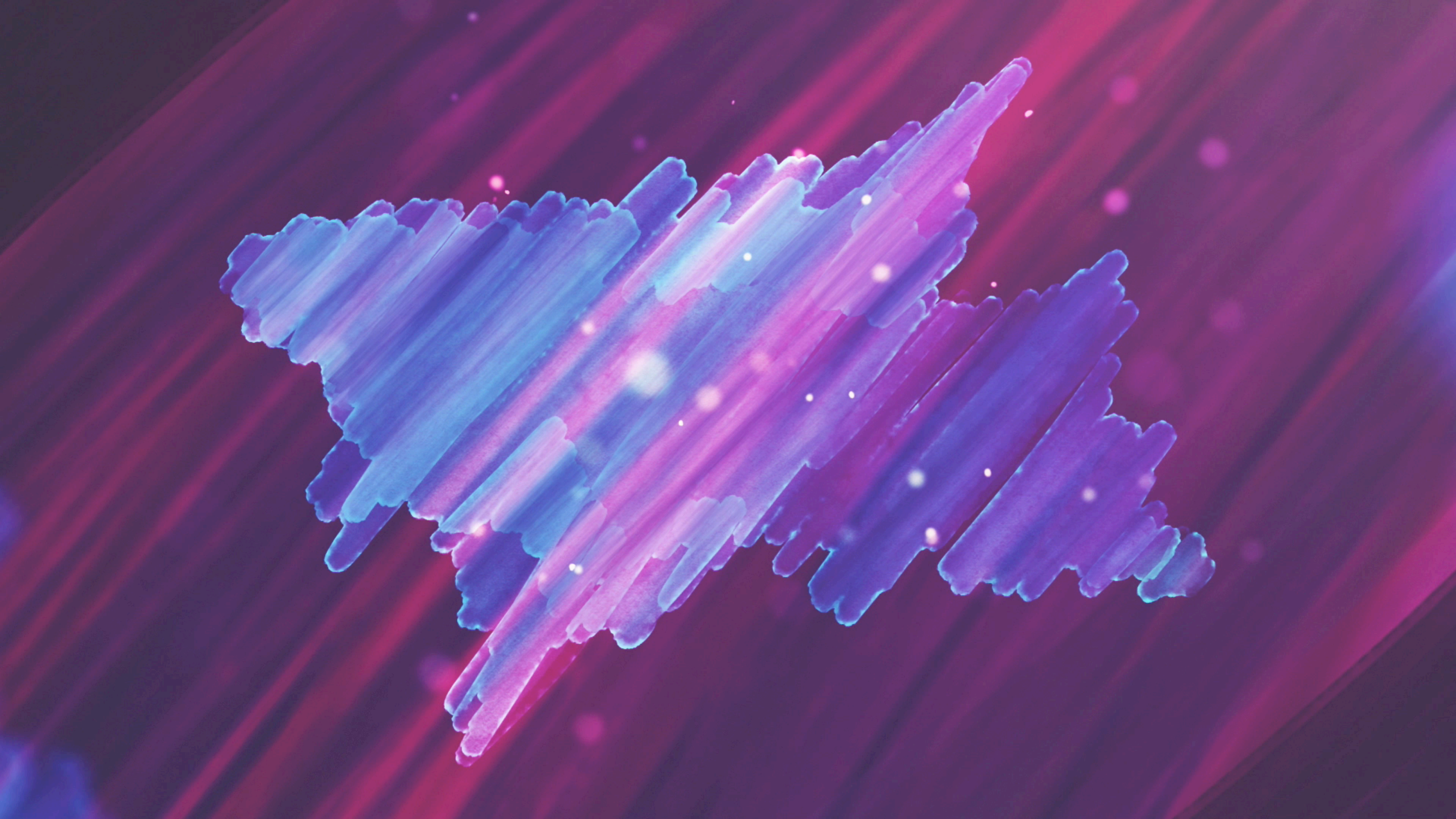
HIS SUFFERING (19:28-23:56)

HIS TRIUMPH (24)

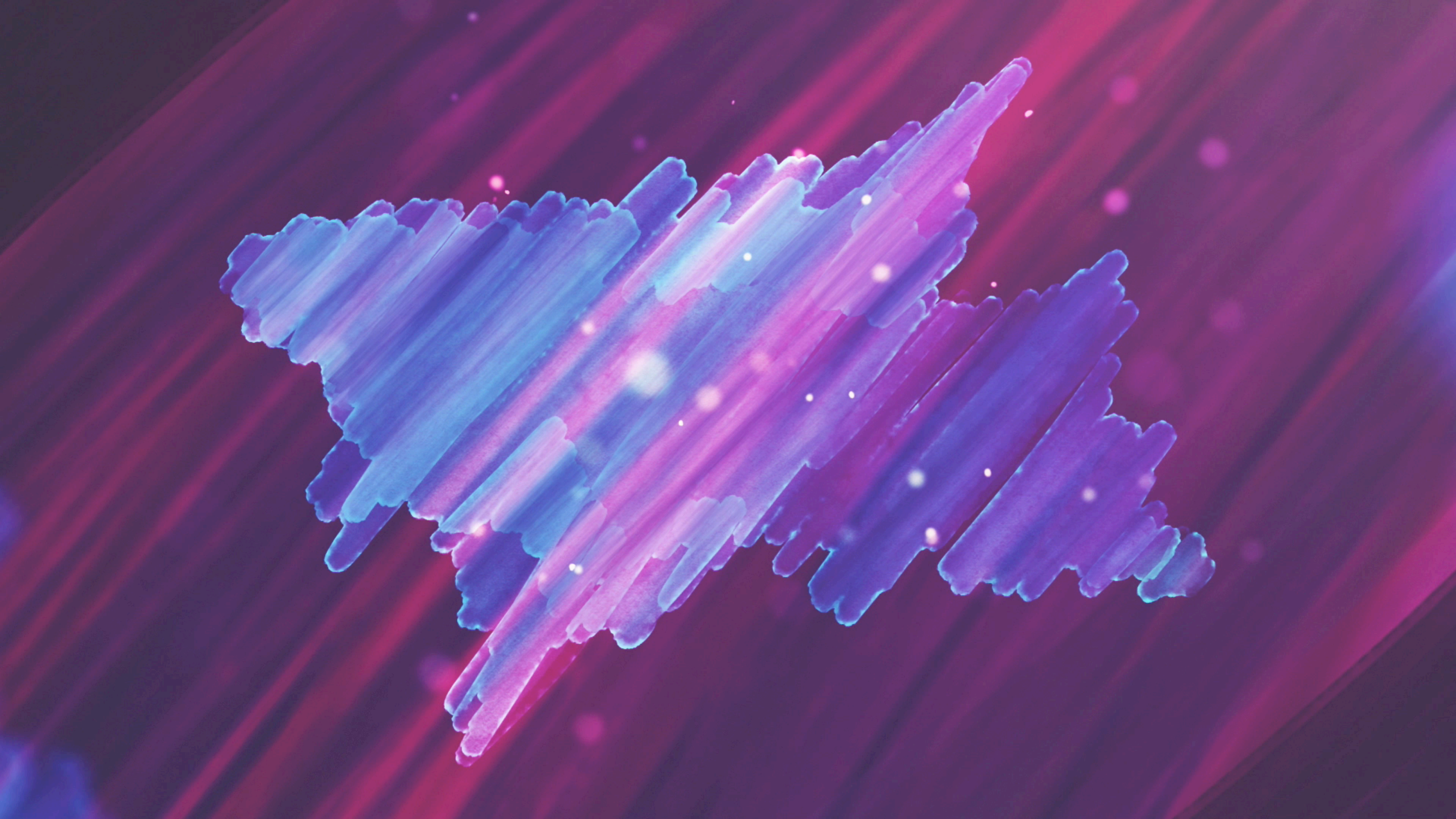




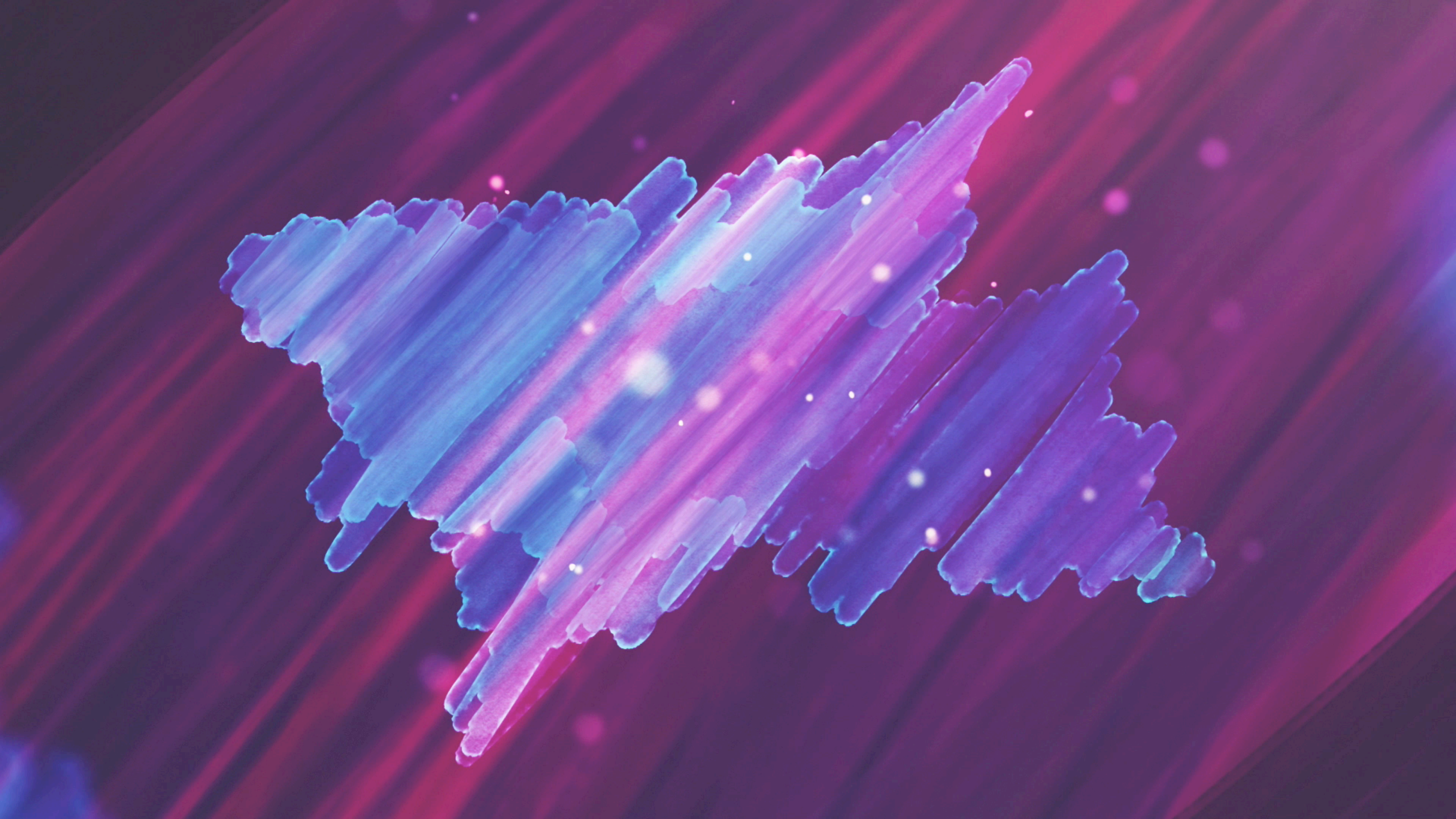






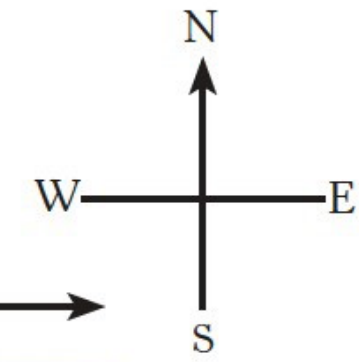




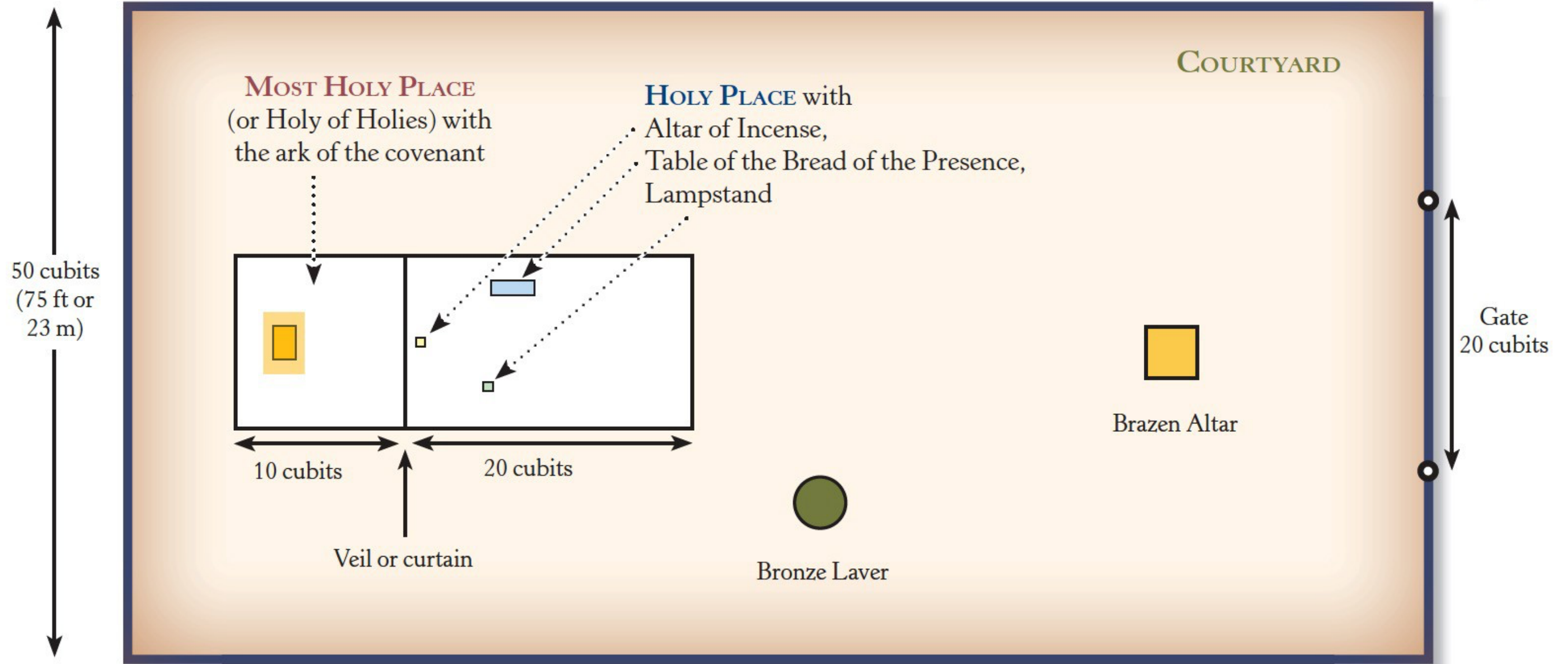




1 cubit = 1½ feet or 46 centimeters



100 cubits (150 ft or 46 m)



50 cubits  
(75 ft or  
23 m)

**MOST HOLY PLACE**  
(or Holy of Holies) with  
the ark of the covenant

**HOLY PLACE** with  
Altar of Incense,  
Table of the Bread of the Presence,  
Lampstand

COURTYARD

Gate  
20 cubits

10 cubits

20 cubits

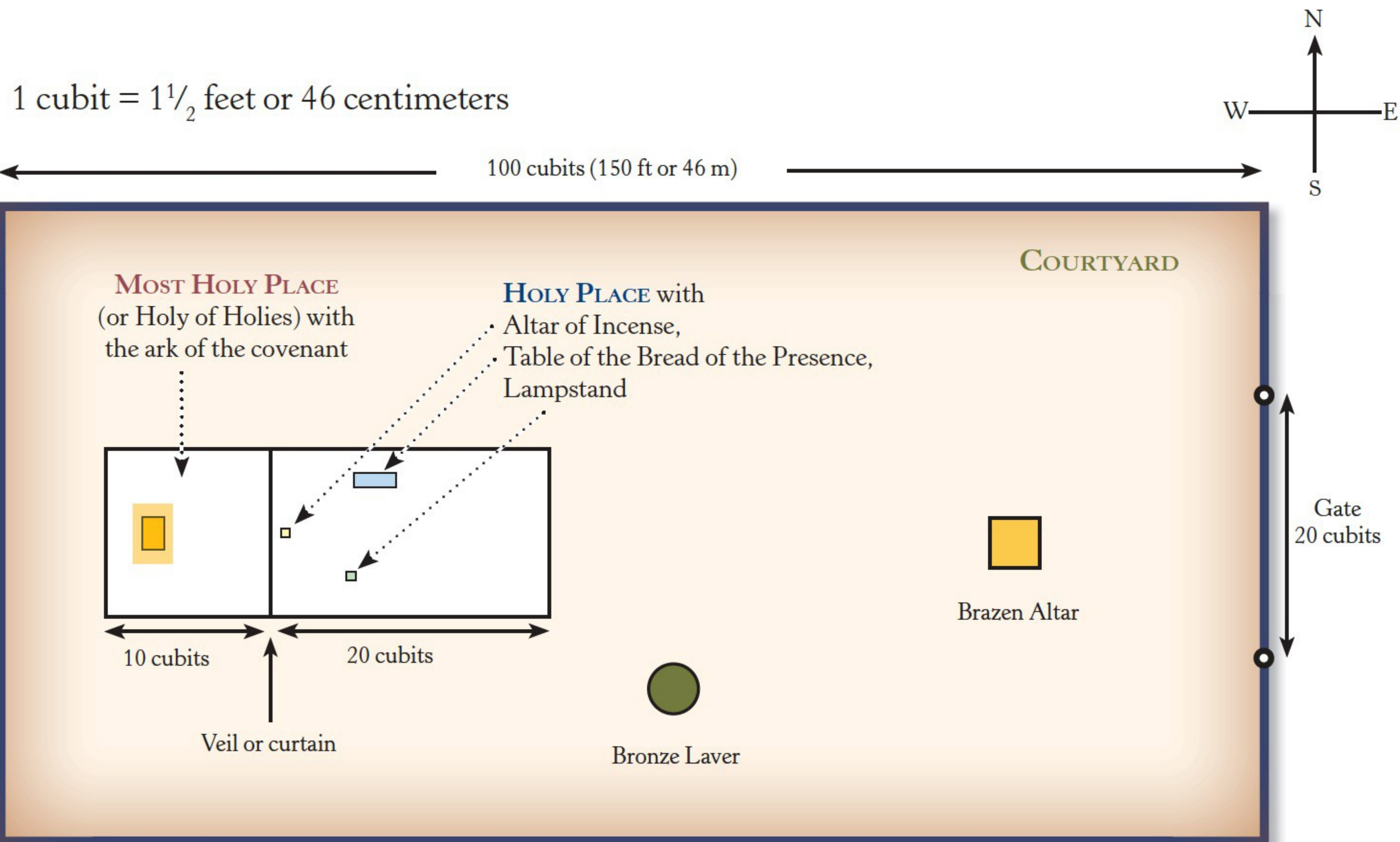
Brazen Altar

Bronze Laver

Veil or curtain

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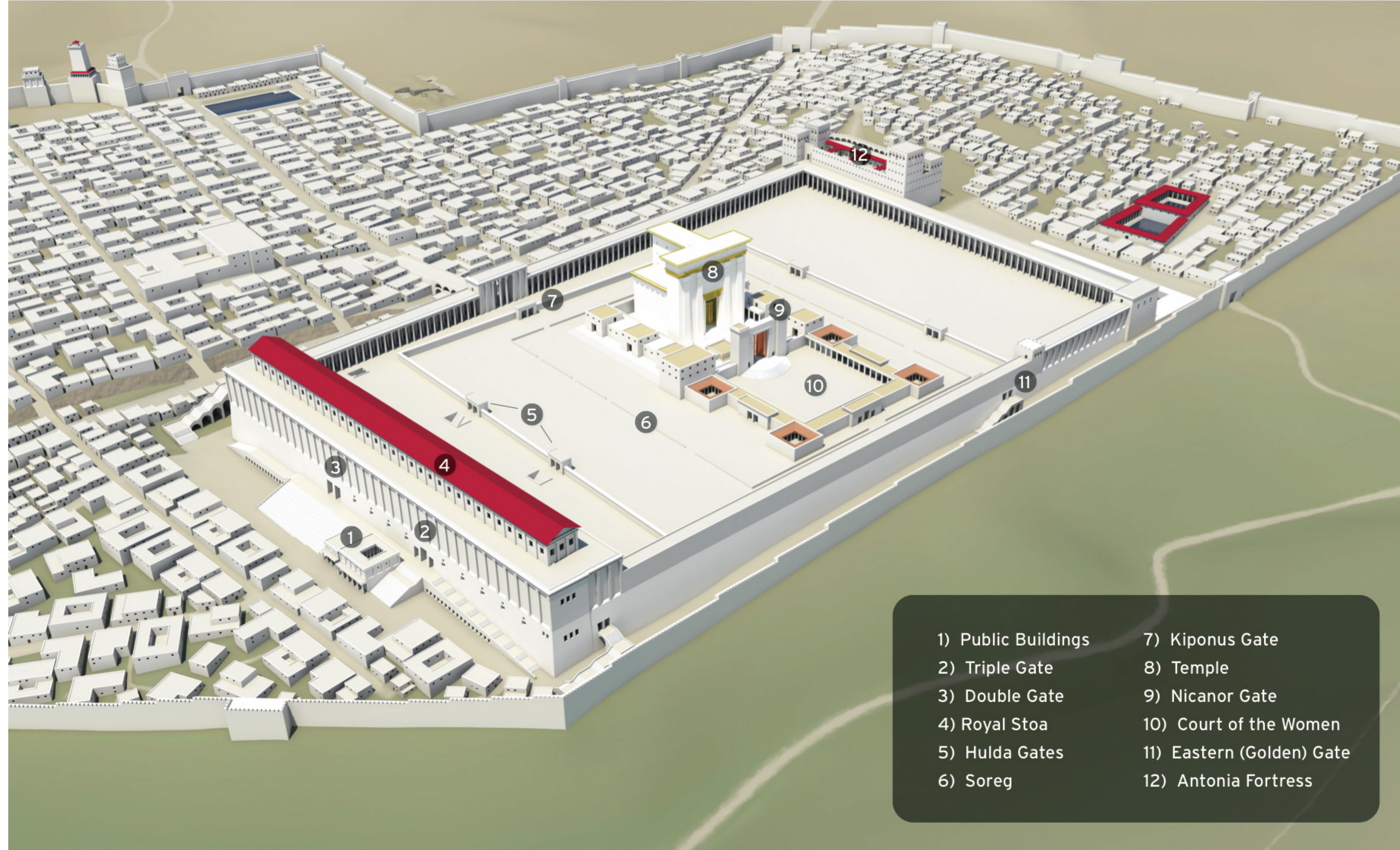


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- 1) Public Buildings
- 2) Triple Gate
- 3) Double Gate
- 4) Royal Stoa
- 5) Hulda Gates
- 6) Soreg
- 7) Kiponus Gate
- 8) Temple
- 9) Nicanor Gate
- 10) Court of the Women
- 11) Eastern (Golden) Gate
- 12) Antonia Fortress











**AUTHOR:** JEWISH, TAX COLLECTOR, APOSTLE, DIED A MARTYR

**DATE:** A.D. 50-60

**AUTHOR:** DISCIPLE OF PETER, COUSIN OF BARNABAS

**DATE:** A.D. 50-70

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** JEWS AND JEWISH CONVERTS, ESPECIALLY THOSE FAMILIAR WITH PROPHECY

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** GENTILES AND ROMAN BELIEVERS

**THEME:** CHRIST IS THE KING AND THE PROMISED MESSIAH OF ISRAEL

**THEME:** THE DEEDS AND MIRACLES OF JESUS; CHRIST AS A SUFFERING SERVANT OF GOD

**INTERESTING FACT:** OVER 60 REFERENCES TO OLD TESTAMENT PROPHECIES

**INTERESTING FACT:** WRITTEN IN BASIC GREEK, EXPLAINS JEWISH CUSTOMS, AND DEFINES ARAMAIC WORDS TO HELP THE NON-JEWISH READERS

**UNIQUE TO BOOK:** SERMON ON MOUNT, CHRIST AS A CHILD

**UNIQUE TO BOOK:** MORE FOCUS ON WORKS OVER WORDS

**KEY VERSE:** GO THEREFORE AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL THE NATIONS, BAPTIZING THEM IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER, AND THE SON, AND THE HOLY SPIRIT. MATTHEW 28:19

**KEY VERSE:** FOR EVEN THE SON OF MAN DID NOT COME TO BE SERVED, BUT TO SERVE, AND GIVE HIS LIFE A RANSOM FOR MANY. MARK 10:45

**SPECIAL INSIGHT:** MATTHEW WAS AN EYEWITNESS TO MANY OF THE MIRACLES, THE RESURRECTION, AND THE ASCENSION.

**SPECIAL INSIGHT:** MARK WROTE THIS BOOK USING THE TEACHINGS AND THE TESTIMONY OF PETER THE APOSTLE.

**AUTHOR:** GENTILE, COMPANION OF PAUL, PHYSICIAN, AUTHOR OF THE BOOK OF ACTS  
**DATE:** AD 60

**AUTHOR:** INNER CIRCLE OF JESUS' DISCIPLES, FISHERMAN, AND ALSO WRITER OF BOOK OF REVELATION

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** SPECIFICALLY WRITTEN TO THEOPHILUS, A ROMAN DIGNITARY. PERHAPS NEW TO CHRIST

**DATE:** A.D. 80-90, WRITTEN IN EXILE

**THEME:** SALVATION IS FOR EVERYONE

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** WRITTEN FOR UNBELIEVERS SO THAT THEY MAY FIND ETERNAL LIFE, AND FOR BELIEVERS SO THAT THEY MAY FIND ASSURANCE

**INTERESTING FACT:** SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON WOMEN AS MAJOR ROLES IN THE FAITH

**THEME:** THE DEITY OF CHRIST, ETERNAL LIFE

**UNIQUE TO BOOK:** RICH MAN AND LAZARUS, SALVATION OF THE THIEF ON CROSS, AND THE PRODIGAL SON

**INTERESTING FACT:** JOHN REPLACES HIS NAME IN THIS GOSPEL WITH "WHOM JESUS LOVED"

**KEY VERSE:** FOR TODAY IN THE CITY OF DAVID THERE HAS BEEN BORN TO YOU A SAVIOR WHO IS CHRIST THE LORD. LUKE 2:11

**UNIQUE TO BOOK:** WATER TO WINE, RAISING OF LAZARUS, THE "I AM" STATEMENTS, THOMAS DOUBTS, PETER'S RESTORATION

**SPECIAL INSIGHT:** LUKE WAS A HISTORIAN AND HE INCLUDED ALL OF THE TINY DETAILS, FACTS, AND DESCRIPTIONS IN HIS BOOK. LONGEST OF ALL FOUR GOSPELS

**KEY VERSE:** FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY BEGOTTEN SON, SO THAT WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM WOULD NOT PERISH BUT HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE. JOHN 3:16

**SPECIAL INSIGHT:** JOHN WAS ONE OF CLOSEST DISCIPLES TO CHRIST, WITNESSED THE TRANSFIGURATION, FIRST TO EMPTY TOMB, LIVED LONGEST OF DISCIPLES









