

A HELPFUL METAPHOR AND MINDSET FOR CHRISTIAN LIVING IN MODERN AMERICA

Study # 7 “The Heart of an Exile, continued”

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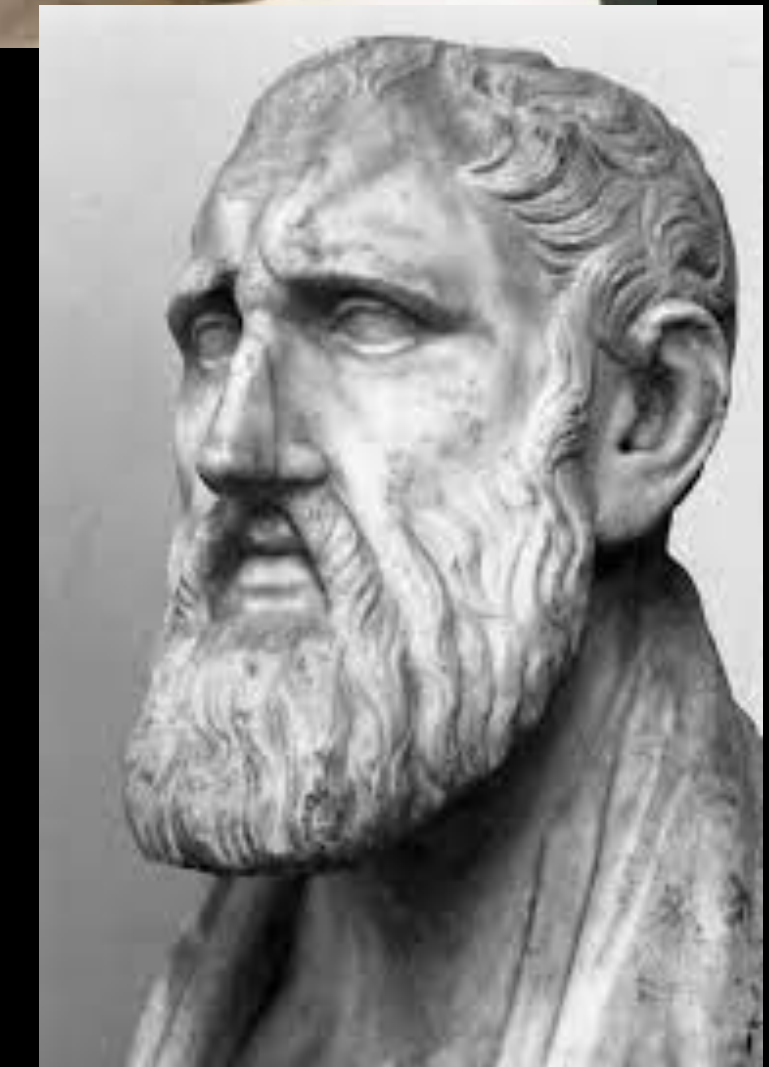
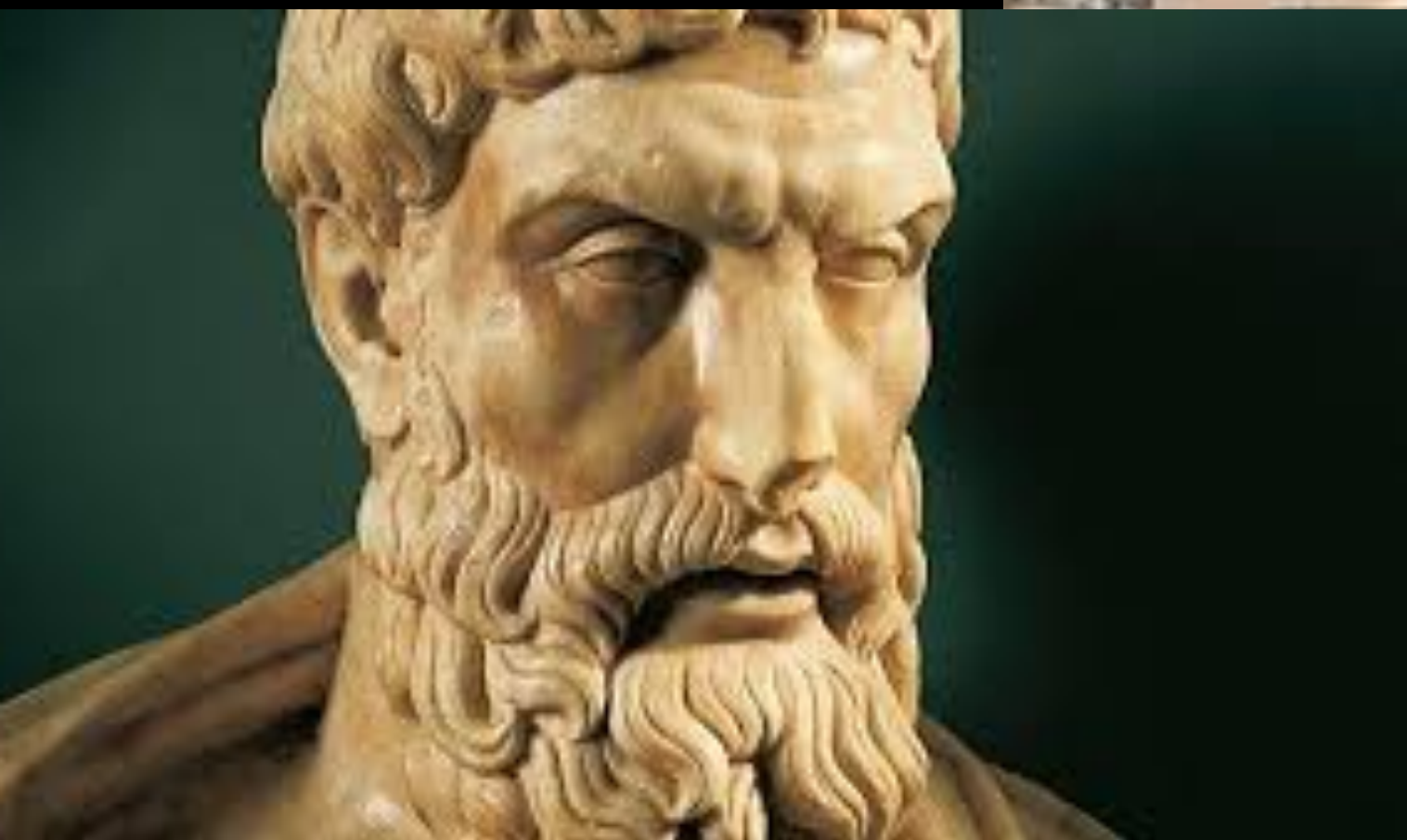
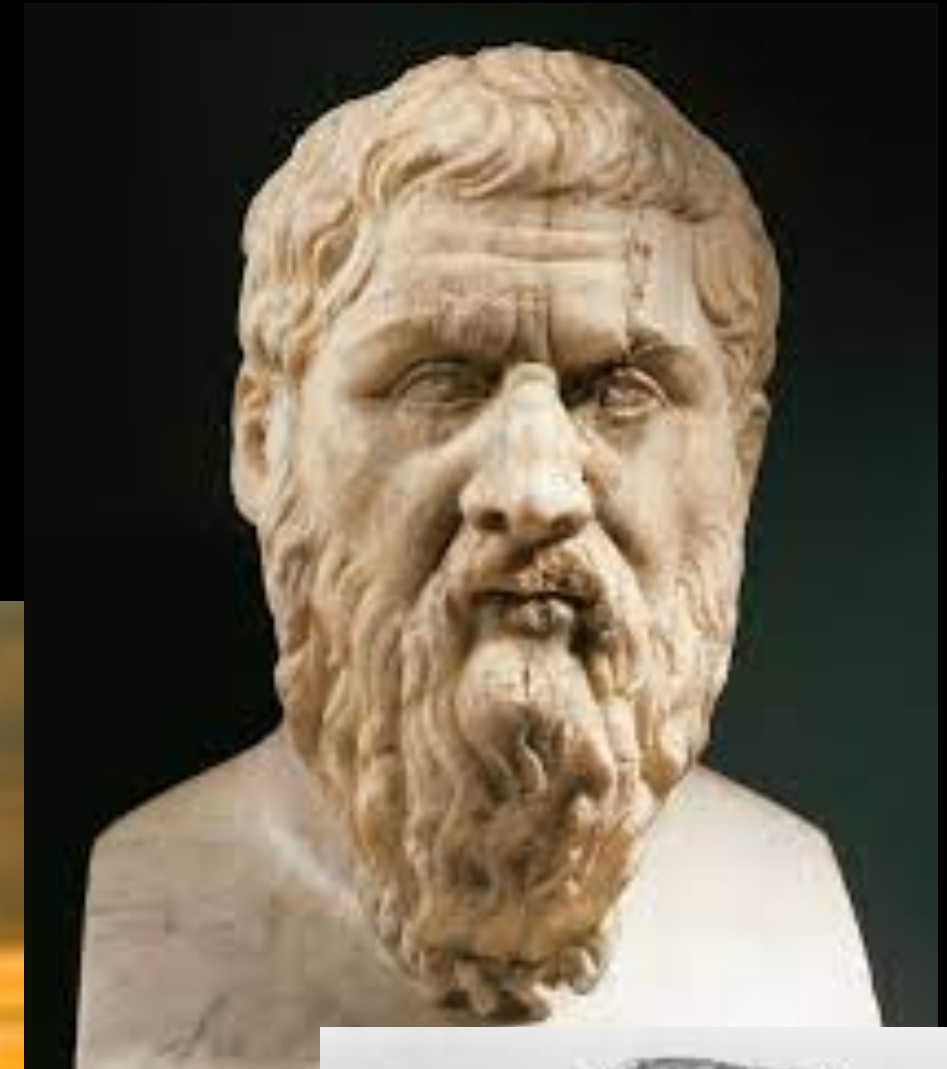
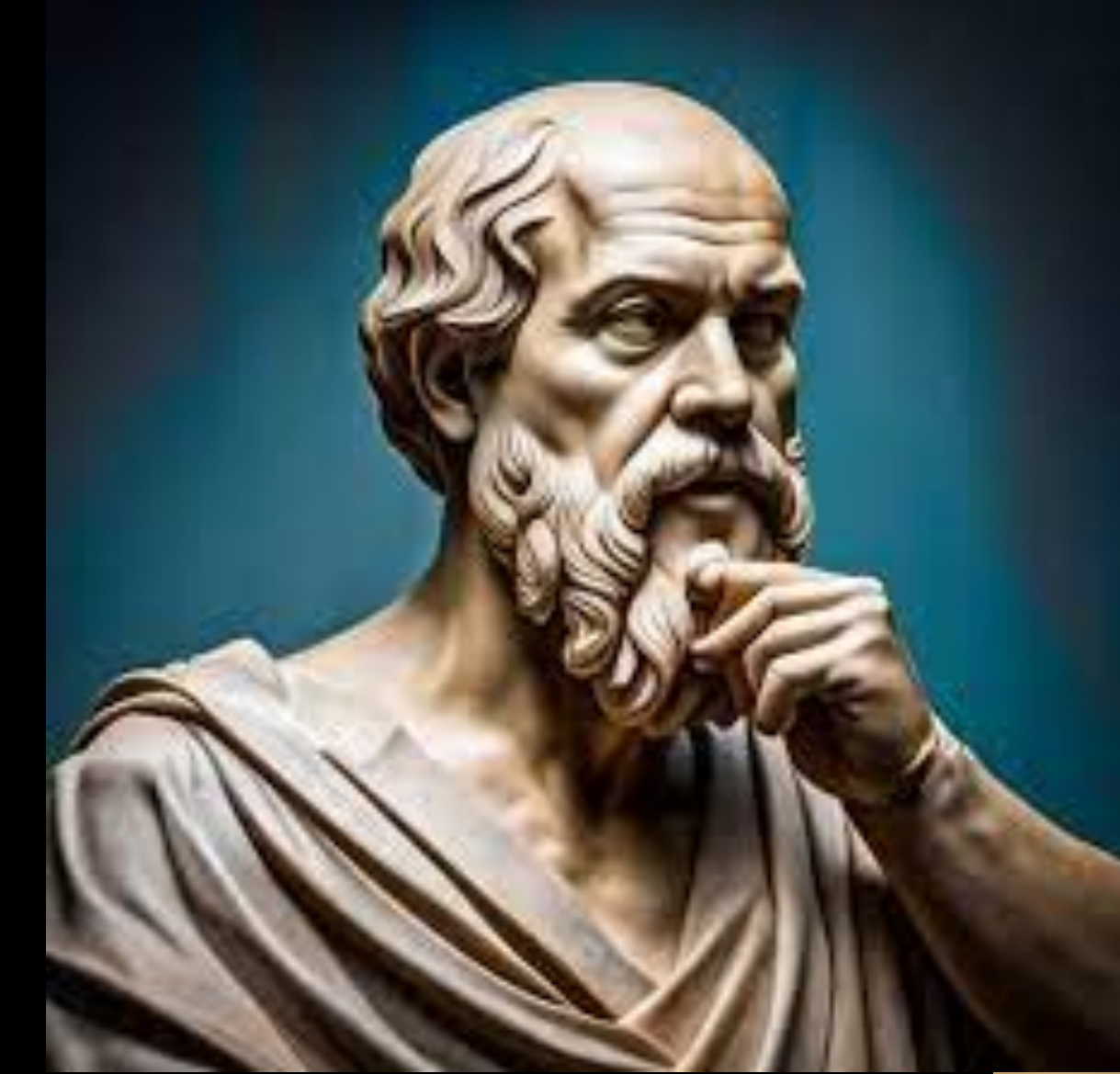


visitor

ambassador



Paul's "walkabout" in Athens



**Man's creative genius and wisdom
showcased in Athens**

Paul



paroxysm
(Acts 17:16)

YHWH



paroxysm

(Isa. 65:2-3, Dt. 9:7, 18, 22
Psa. 106:28-29. Hos. 8:5)

**followers of
Jesus today**



paroxysm
? ? ?

Moravian missions movement



“Preach the Gospel, die, and be forgotten.” Zinzendorf

MAY THE
LAMB
that was slain
RECEIVE THE
REWARD
of His suffering



Count Nikolaus Ludwig von Zinzendorf

**“I have but one passion - it is He,
it is He alone. The world is the
field and the field is the world; and
henceforth that country shall be my
home where I can be most used in
winning souls for Christ.”**



**Saul's hero . . . Phinehas
(Nu. 25 Psa. 106:30-31)**



For dishonoring God, they deserved to die . . .

“Saul was ravaging the church . . .” Acts 8:3



Grace-changed heart . . .

“not only in such a cruel wolf being turned into a sheep, but also in his assuming the character of a shepherd” Calvin



“So . . .” Acts 17:17

paroxysm



**preaching Jesus
(YHWH saves)**

synagogue



Aeropagus



marketplace

“babbling”

“charlatan”

**“ignorant
plagiarist”**

“parrot”



“seed-picker”

... and some believed



I will tell you about the One you don't know about . . . the Only God there is !



**Does His Name not being hallowed
break **our** heart?**

**Does ignorance of the Only Living
and True God break **our** heart?**



“Brother Saul . . . ? ? ! !

**“Enemies” [Babylonians] today . . .
may be our brothers and sisters tomorrow**



HOMEWORK

Before the LORD, determine your personal response/takeaway from this case study re. **the heart of an exile.**