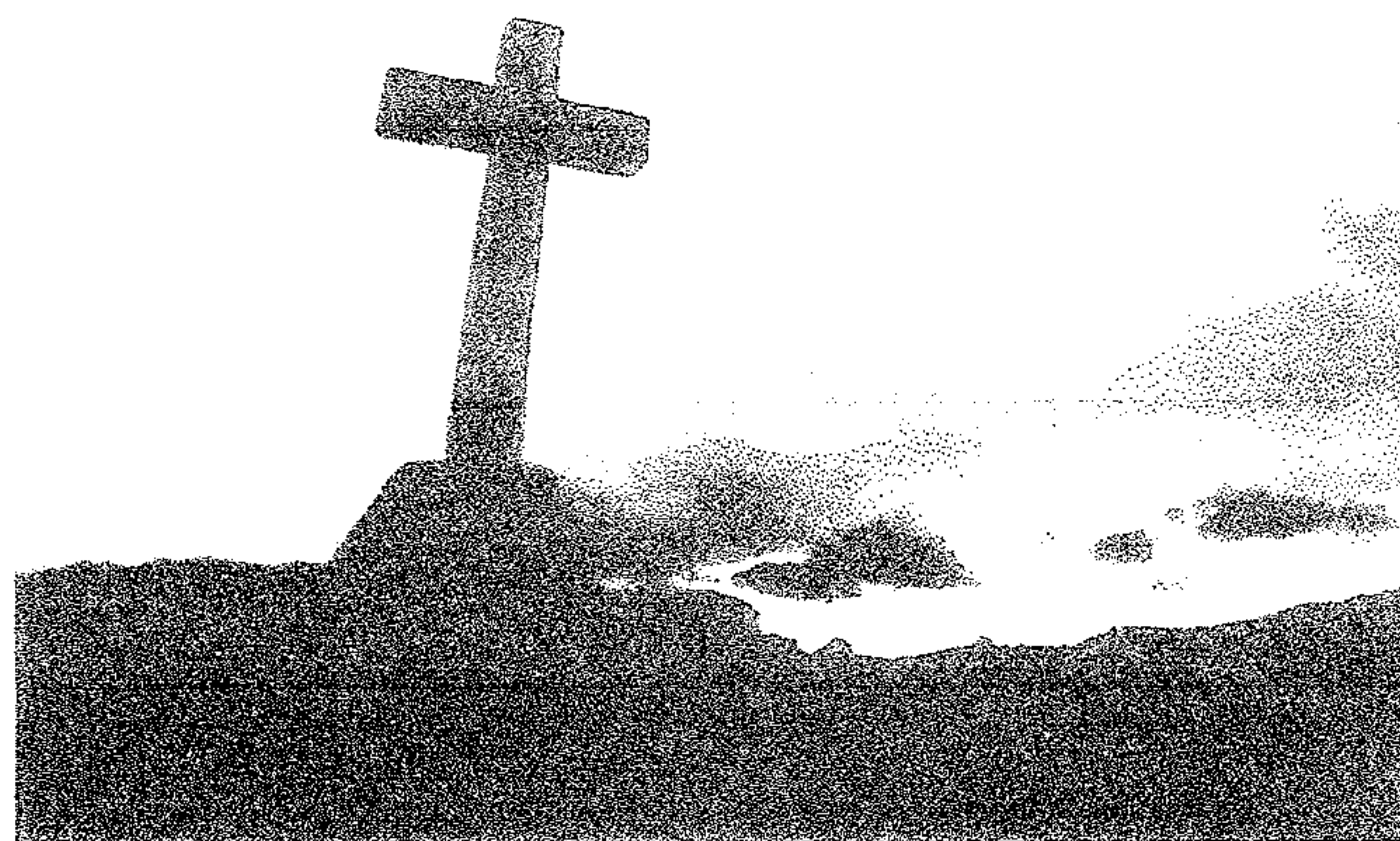


“HE HUMBLLED HIMSELF”



PHILIPPIANS 2:5-11

- Let this _____ be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus. ~1 Pe. 4:1; Matt. 11:29
- Who, being in the form of God, thought it not _____ to be equal with God.

*As to His Person, Christ was, is, and will be equal with God. It would be impossible for Him to give that up. But He **did not consider** this position something that He had to hold on to at all costs. When a world of lost mankind needed to be redeemed, He was willing to relinquish His positional equality with God – the comforts and joys of heaven.*

~MacDonald

- But made himself of no _____.
- And took upon him the form of a _____. ~Jn. 13
- And was made in the _____ of men.
- He _____ himself, and became obedient unto death.
- Even the death of the _____.
- Wherefore God also hath highly _____ him.
- And given him a _____ which is above every name.
~Is. 45:23; Acts 4:12; Ro. 14:11
- That at the name of _____ every knee should bow.
- And that every tongue should _____ that Jesus Christ is _____, to the glory of God the Father.

THE LESSON IS THAT THE WAY UP IS DOWN.