



“The Power & the Promise For All - Far Off & Everyone He Calls”

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“Acts: God’s Friends, His Power, & the Ends of the Earth,” pt 2

Acts 1:8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”

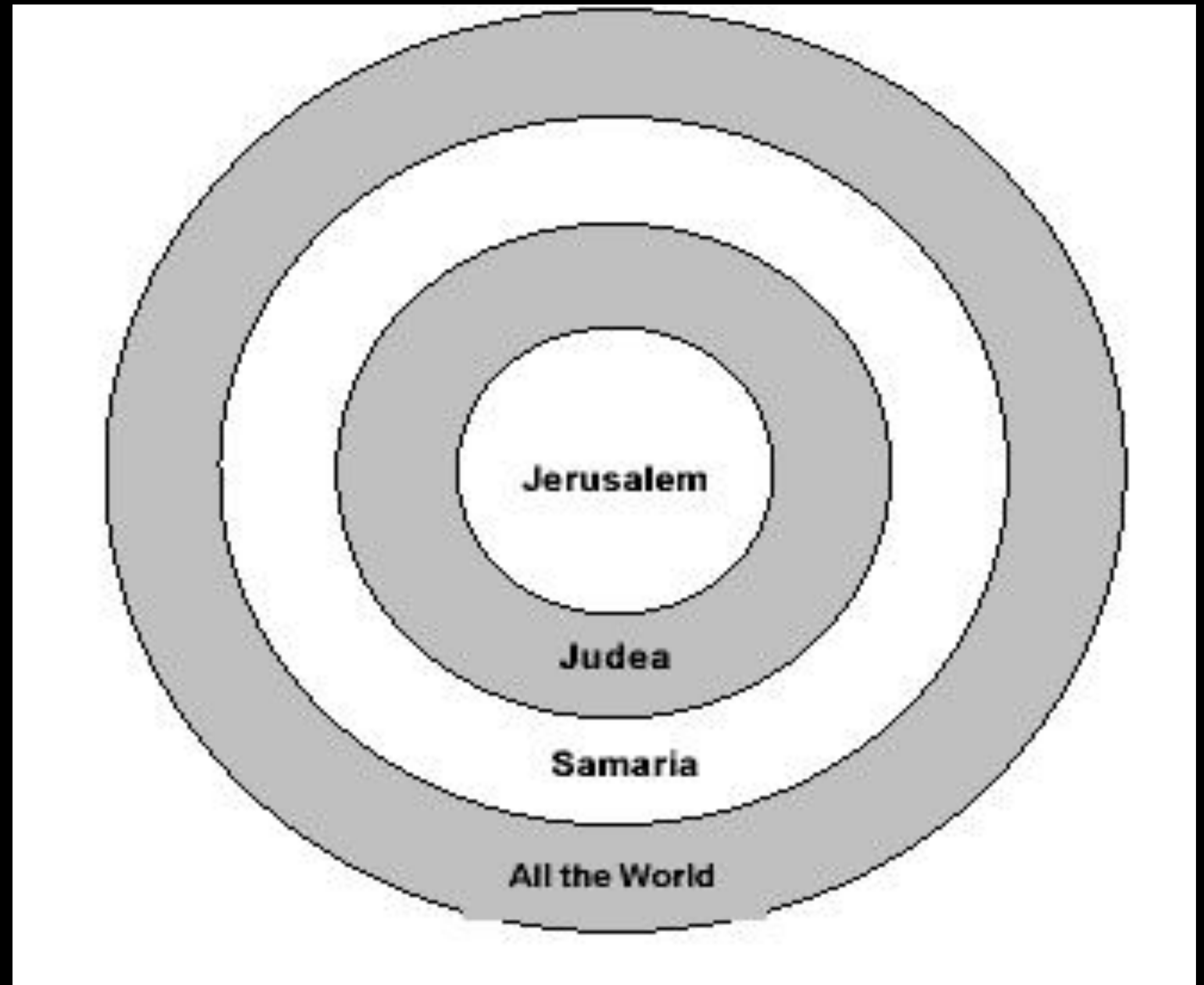




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Acts 2:2 And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.



Acts 2:3 Divided
tongues, as of fire,
appeared among them,
and a tongue rested on
each of them.



Acts 2:4 All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.



Acts 2:5 ¶ Now there
were devout Jews from
every nation under
heaven living in
Jerusalem.



Acts 2:6 And at this sound
the crowd gathered and was
bewildered, because each
one heard them speaking in
the native language of each.



Acts 2:7 Amazed and astonished,
they asked, "Are not all these who
are speaking Galileans?"



Acts 2:8 And how is it that we hear,
each of us, in our own native
language?



Acts 2:9 Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,

Acts 2:10 Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes,

Acts 2:11 Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.”



Psa. 71:18 And even when I am old
and gray, O God, do not forsake
me,

Until I declare Your strength to
this generation,
Your power to all who are to come.



Deut. 5:15 Remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the LORD your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm; therefore the LORD your God commanded you to keep the sabbath day.



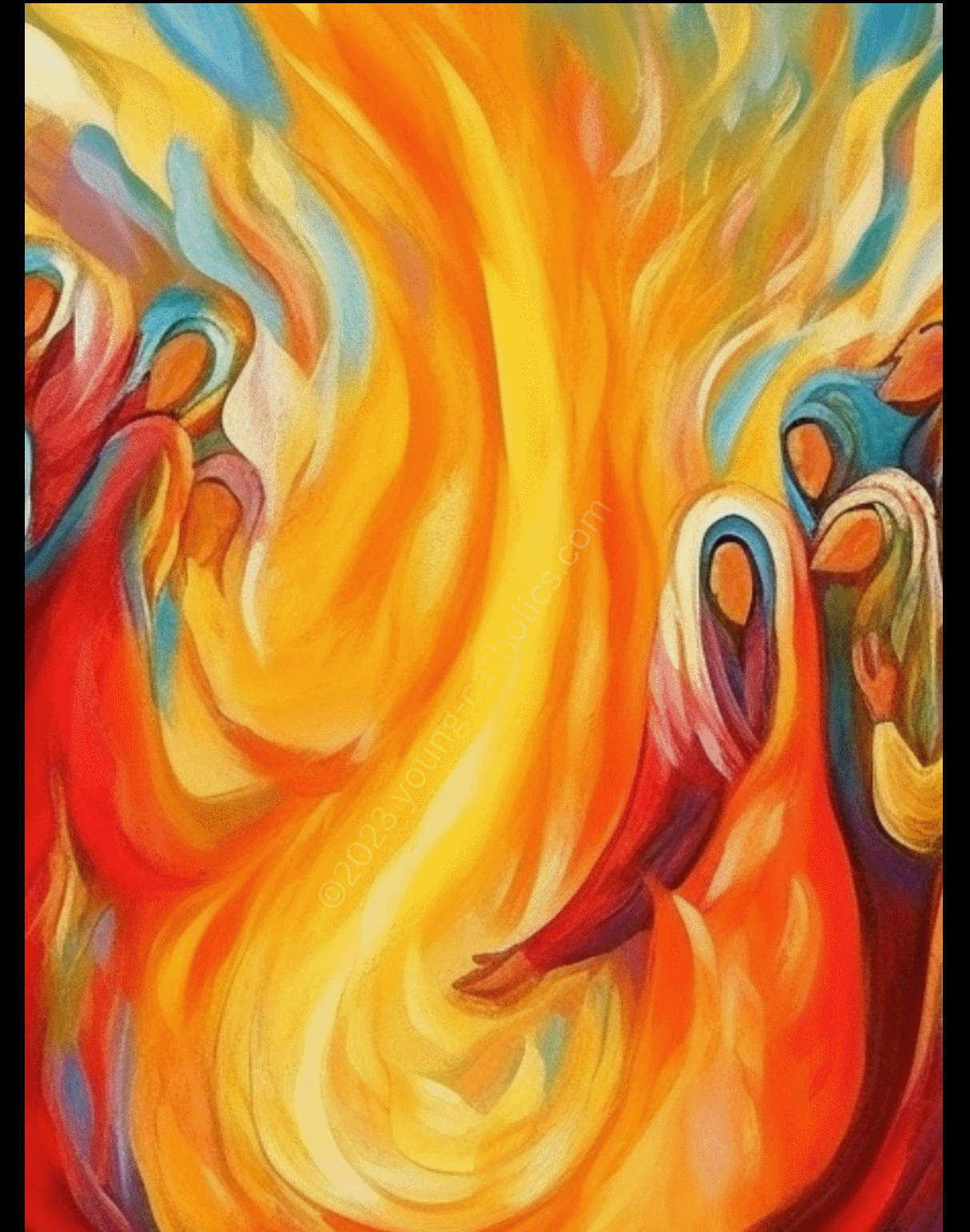
Acts 2:12 All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?"

Acts 2:13 But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."



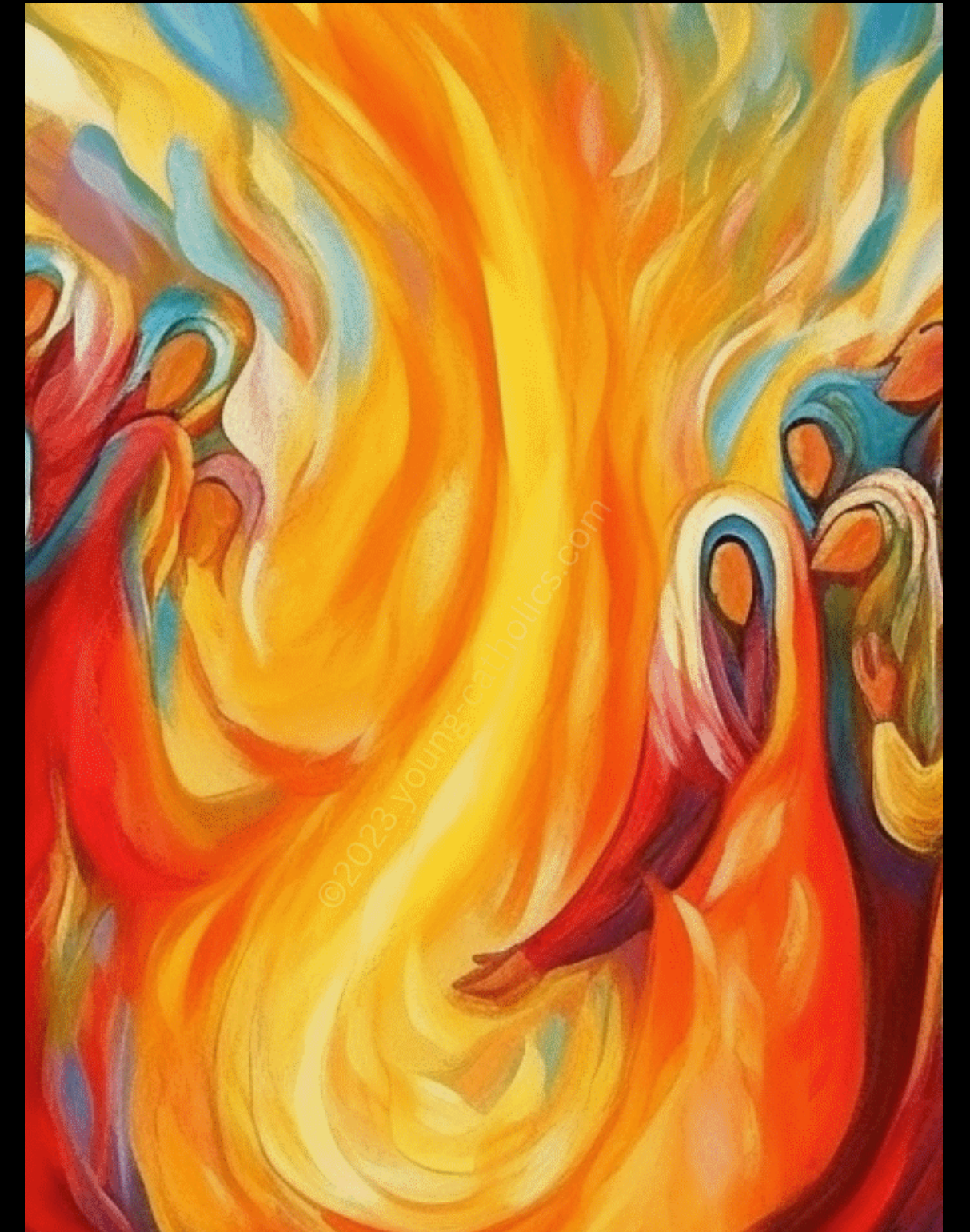
Acts 2:14 ¶ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say.

Acts 2:15 Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning.



Acts 2:16 No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

Acts 2:17 'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.



Acts 2:18 Even upon my slaves, both men and women,

in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

Acts 2:19 And I will show portents in the heaven above

and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.



Acts 2:20 The sun shall be
turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's
great and glorious day.



Acts 2:21 Then everyone
who calls on the name of
the Lord shall be saved.'



Jerusalem:

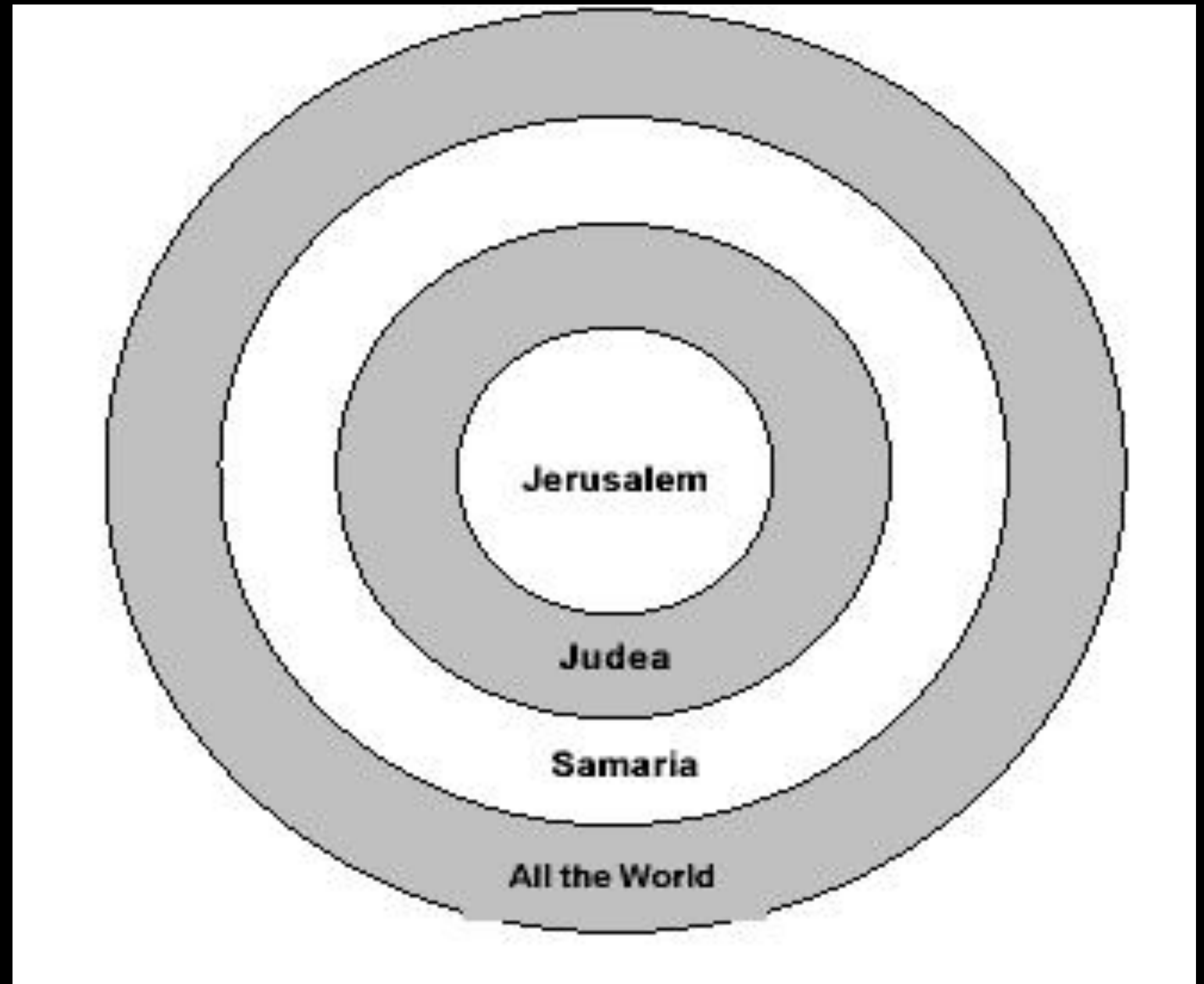
1 Neighborhood &

Community

2 Other Adventists

3 Family & Closest

Friends



Judea:

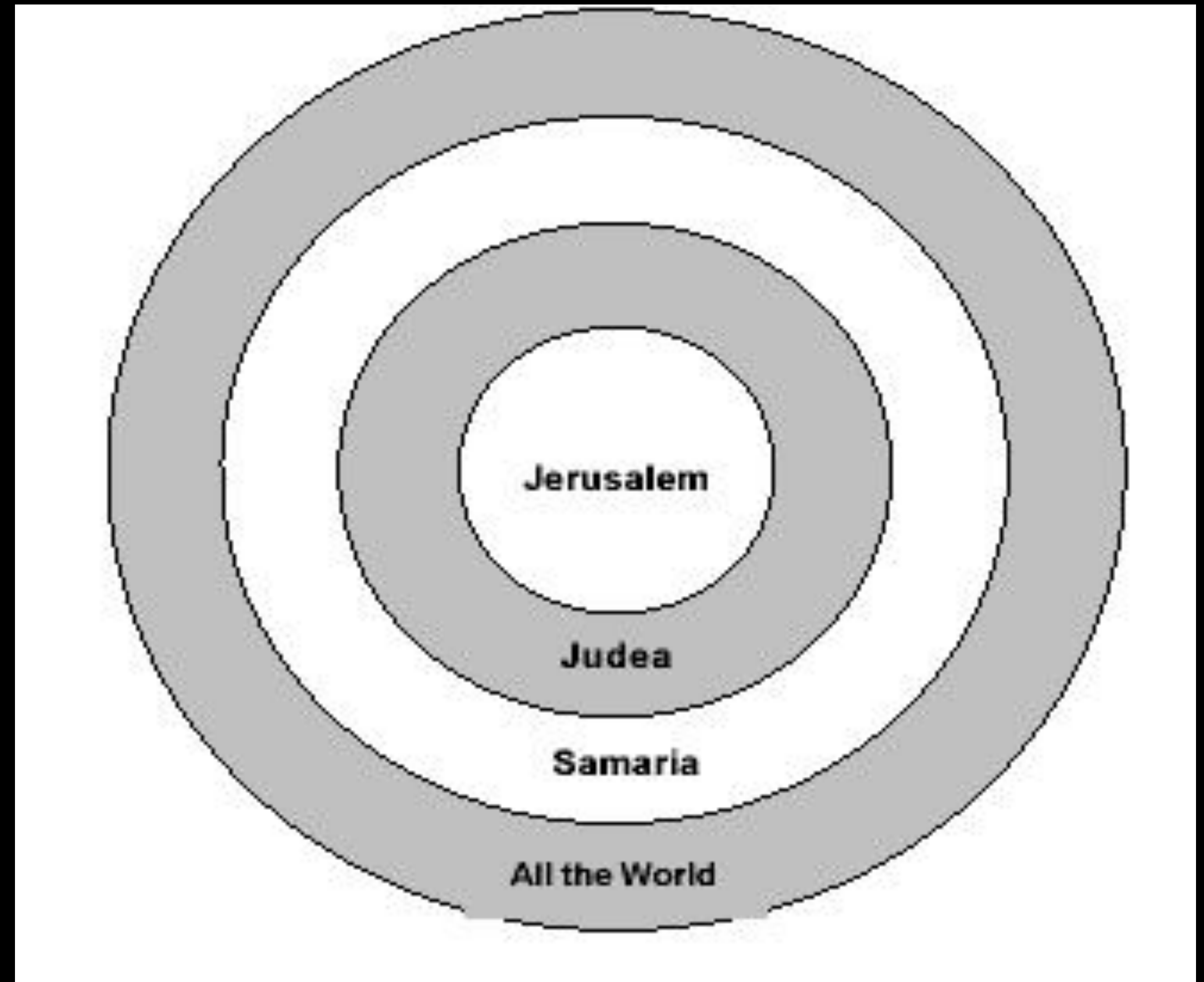
1 County, State, USA

2 Adventists (Former)

Other Christians

3 Most time with - work,

hobbies, cultural



Jerusalem & Judea

1 Observable Sign in Common (giftedness)

2 Scripture/Prophecy

“Jews & Proselytes:”

Only meaningful to others with backgrounds



Acts 2:22 ¶ “You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know—



Acts 2:23 this man, handed
over to you according to the
definite plan and
foreknowledge of God, you
crucified and killed by the
hands of those outside the law.



Acts 2:24 But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power.



Acts 2:25 For David says
concerning him,
'I saw the Lord always
before me,
for he is at my right hand so
that I will not be shaken; ...



Acts 2:29 ¶ “Fellow Israelites,
I may say to you confidently
of our ancestor David that
he both died and was buried,
and his tomb is with us to this
day.



Acts 2:32 This
Jesus God raised
up, and of that all
of us are witnesses.



Jerusalem & Judea

- 1 Observable Sign in Common (giftedness)
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- 3 Our testimony
- 4 Their own knowledge whatever that may be



Acts 2:36 Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified.”



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Full witness. Time for decision.



Acts 2:37 ¶ Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, “Brothers, what should we do?”



Acts 2:38 Peter said to them,
“Repent, and be baptized every
one of you in the name of Jesus
Christ so that your sins may be
forgiven; and you will receive the
gift of the Holy Spirit.



Acts 2:39 For the promise is
for you, for your children,
and for all who are far
away, everyone whom the
Lord our God calls to him.”



Acts 2:40 And he testified
with many other arguments
and exhorted them, saying,
“Save yourselves from this
corrupt generation.”



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Acts 2:41 So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.



Acts 2:42 They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

Acts 2:43 ¶ Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles.



Acts 2:44 All who believed were together and had all things in common;
Acts 2:45 they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need.



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