

U-TURN AHEAD

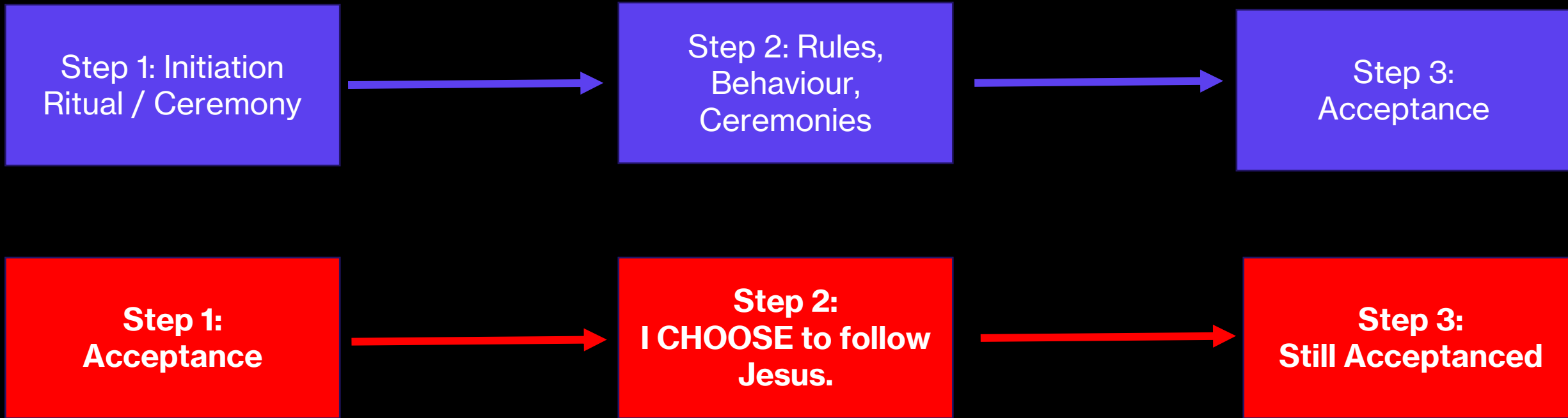
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2023 Land Rover Range Rover shown

1. The Difference Between Christianity and Other Religions...



Matthew 13:44-45 (TPT) *Heaven's kingdom realm can be illustrated like this: A person discovered that there was hidden treasure in a field. Upon finding it, he hid it again. Because of uncovering such treasure, he was overjoyed and sold all that he possessed to buy the entire field just so he could have the treasure.*

Heaven's kingdom realm is also like a jewel merchant in search of rare pearls. When he discovered one very precious and exquisite pearl, he immediately gave up all he had in exchange for it.

2. The Plan

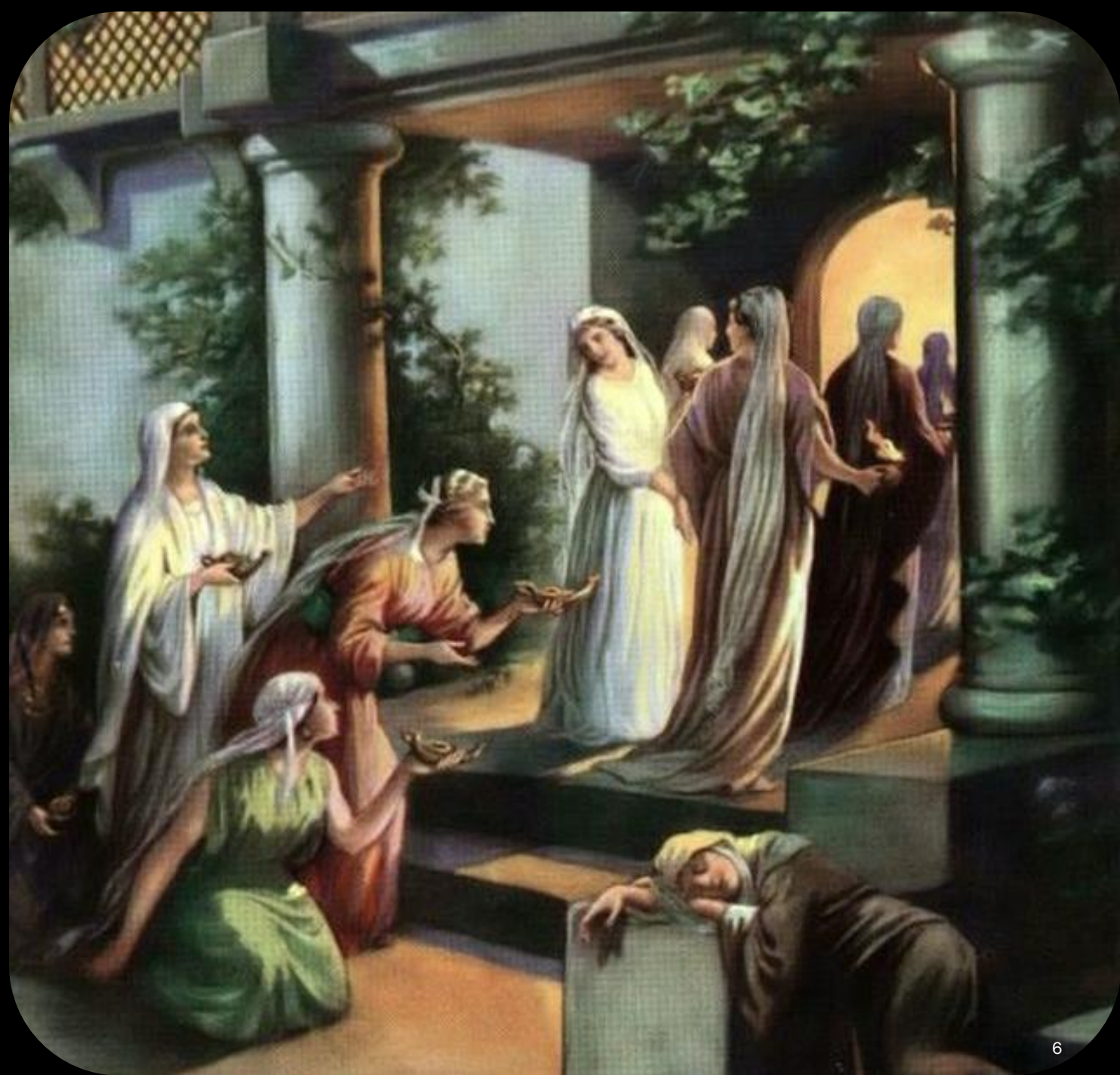
Romans 8:28 *And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.*

Romans 8:29 *for those God foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the likeness of his son, that he might be the firstborn among many brothers.*

Romans 8:30 *And those he predestined, he also called; those he called, he also justified; those he justified, he also glorified.*

3. Are We Ready?

Parable of the Ten...
Matthew 25:1-13



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A) Ready if Delayed:

2 Peter 3:3-4 *First of all, you must understand that in the last days scoffers will come, scoffing and following their own evil desires. They will say, "Where is this 'coming' he promised? Ever since our fathers died, everything goes on as it has since the beginning of creation."*

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B) Spend Time Getting Ready:

2 Peter 3:14-15a *So then, dear friends, since you are looking forward to this, make every effort to be found spotless, blameless and at peace with him. Bear in mind that our lord's patience means salvation...*

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C) Ready to be Welcomed:

- Saddest words Jesus spoke: “I don’t know you” (Matt 25:12)

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C) ReReady to be Welcomed:

velation 19:6-9 Then I heard what sounded like a great multitude, like the roar of rushing waters and like loud peals of thunder, shouting: "Hallelujah! For the Lord God Almighty reigns!

"Let us rejoice and be glad and give him glory! For the wedding of the Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready. Fine linen, bright and clean, was given her to wear." (Fine linen stands for the righteous acts of the saints.)

Then the angel said to me, "Write: 'Blessed are those who are invited to the wedding supper of the Lamb!'" And he added, "These are the true words of God."