



ARISE AND SHINE:
RISE UP!

ISAIAH 60:1-3 | MATTHEW 1&2

A glowing blue path leads from the bottom center towards the top, where it disappears into a vast, starry night sky. The path is composed of many small, bright blue and white points of light, creating a sense of depth and movement. The sky is a deep, dark blue, filled with numerous small, bright white and yellow stars, some of which are slightly out of focus, giving the scene a dreamlike, ethereal quality. The overall composition is symmetrical and centered, with the path acting as a strong visual guide.

RISE UP FOR
WHAT PURPOSE ?

I. This “*Rise Up*” is not about courtesy or pressure.

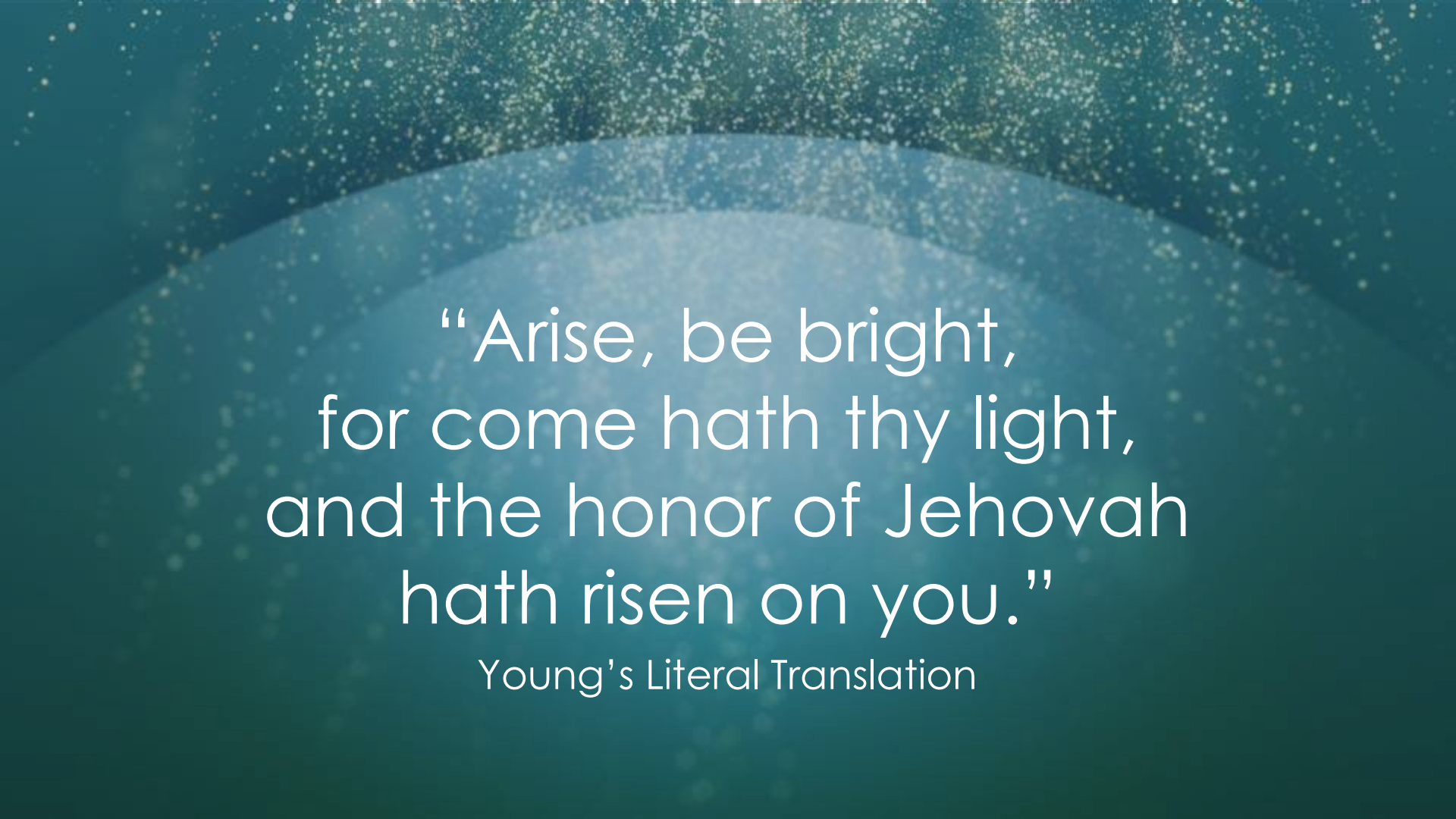
- II. “*Rise Up*” can be an instruction to act ;
to move .
- A. Matthew 1:20-25 *Rise Up* within parameters .
 - B. Matthew 2:13-15 *Rise Up* with the urgency and timing of God.
 - C. Matthew 2:19-23 *Rise Up* with flexibility and confirmation .
 - D. Every time Joseph *Rise Up* he fulfilled prophecy .

III. “*Rise Up*” can be an instruction to take a stand. Isaiah 60:1

A. Strong's: "...to arise, _____ up, come about."

B. The command is to *Arise*, be _____!!!

C. Do you feel _____ or _____?



“Arise, be bright,
for come hath thy light,
and the honor of Jehovah
hath risen on you.”

Young's Literal Translation

III. “*Rise Up*” can be an instruction to take a stand . Isaiah 60:1

A. Strong's: "...to arise, stand up, come about."

B. The command is to *Arise*, be Bright !!!

C. Do you feel exposed or vulnerable ?



ARISE with
BRIGHTNESS!


Stand tall in grace and truth.

Hold no grudges.

God will show you His GLORY
through your faithfulness.

CHRIST in YOU...
the HOPE of GLORY

Colossians 1:27

A lion and a lamb are shown in profile, facing each other against a black background. The lion is on the left, with its mane glowing in a golden-brown light. The lamb is on the right, looking directly at the camera with a soft, white woolly texture.

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