

*“Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool off my tongue; for I am in agony in this flame...”*

*“Then I beg you, Father, that you send him to my father’s house—for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, lest they also come to this place of torment.”*

*“No, Father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent!”*

# THE RICH MAN IS IN A TERRIBLE POSITION

- Verse 23 says, “*and in Hades he lifted up his eyes, being in torment.*”
  - Luke 16:23 (LBLA) “*En el Hades alzó sus ojos, estando en tormentos...*”

# Twice in this passage the word “*torment*” is used

- Twice the word “**agony**” appears –odunaoo- to cause intense pain; passive: to be in anguish, be tormented: To be in agony.
- Luke 16:24-25 - *"And he cried out and said, ' Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus so that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool off my tongue, for I am in agony in this flame.' 25 "But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your life you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus bad things; but now he is being comforted here, and you are in agony. NASU*
  - Luke 16:24-25 (LBLA) 24 Y gritando, dijo: *“Padre Abraham, ten misericordia de mí, y envía a Lázaró para que moje la punta de su dedo en agua y refresque mi lengua, pues estoy en agonía en esta llama.”* 25 Pero Abraham le dijo: *“Hijo, recuerda que durante tu vida recibiste tus bienes, y Lázaró, igualmente, males; pero ahora él es consolado aquí, y tú estás en agonía.*

2 Peter 1:10 - *10 Therefore, brethren, be all the more diligent to make certain about His calling and choosing you; NASU.*

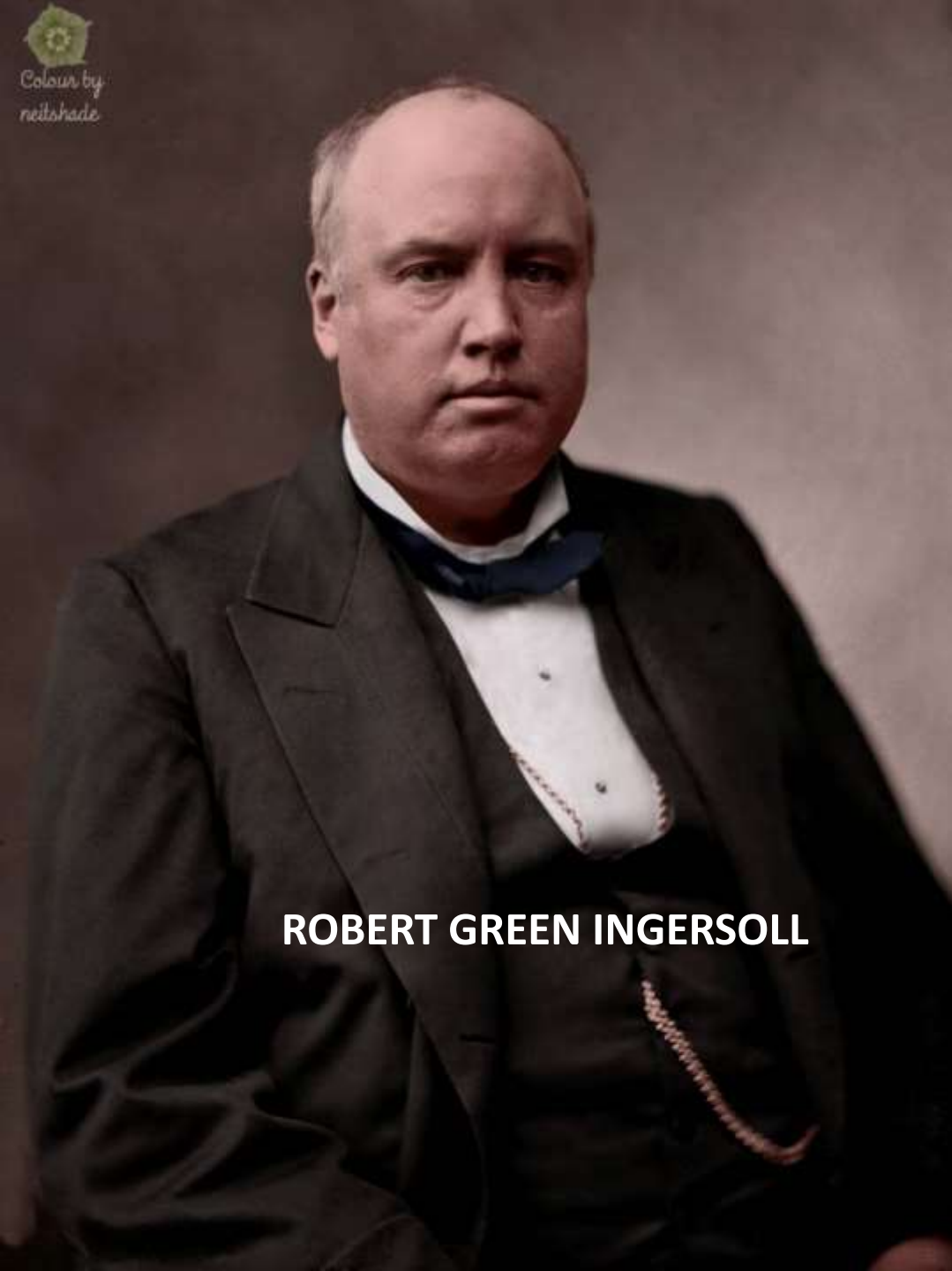
2 Peter 1:10 (LBLA) *10 Así que, hermanos, sed tanto más diligentes para hacer firme vuestro llamado y elección de parte de Dios;*

# ***THE RICH MAN'S SITUATION WAS HOPELESS.***

- ***Verse 24 says, “Father Abraham, have mercy on me...”***
  - ***24 Y gritando, dijo: “Padre Abraham, ten misericordia de mí***
- ***Revelation 14:11 says “And the smoke of their torment goes up forever and ever; and they have no rest day and night...”***
  - ***Revelation 14:11 (LBLA) 11 Y el humo de su tormento asciende por los siglos de los siglos; y no tienen reposo, ni de día ni de noche, los que adoran a la bestia y a su imagen, y cualquiera que reciba la marca de su nombre.***

Matthew 25:46 says, *“And these will go away into eternal punishment...”*

Matthew 25:46 (LBLA) 46 *Y éstos irán al castigo eterno, pero los justos a la vida eterna.*



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*“Bob, I liked your lecture; I liked what you said about hell. But, Bob, I want you to be sure about it because I’m depending upon you.”*

# THE RICH MAN NEEDED HELP BUT COULDN'T GET IT.

- Verse 24 says, “*send Lazarus...that he may...cool off my tongue...*”

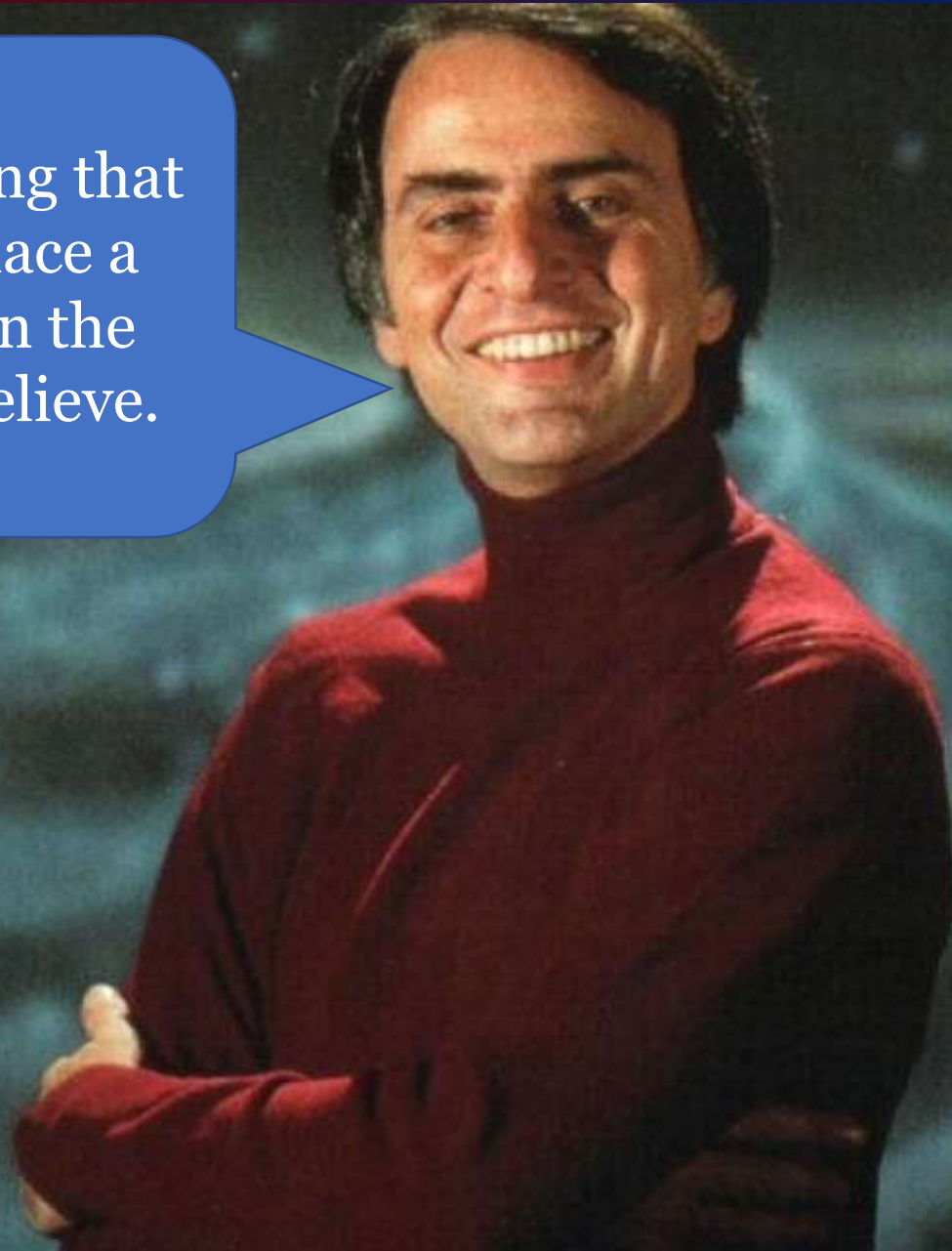


# THERE WAS NOTHING TO BE DONE TO HELP THE RICH MAN

- The passage says in verse 26, *“there is a great chasm fixed...that none may cross over from there to us.”*
- Romans 9:3- *For I could wish that I myself were accursed, separated from Christ for the sake of my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh, NASU*
- Romans 9:3 (LBLA) 3 *Porque desearía yo mismo ser anatema, separado de Cristo por amor a mis hermanos, mis parientes según la carne,*

*“They have Moses and the prophets, let them hear them.”*

Was fond of saying that  
if God would place a  
burning cross in the  
sky, he would believe.



# FOR THE RICH MAN IT WAS ALREADY TOO LATE

- Verse 25 says, *“During your life you received your good things... [now] you are in agony.”*

# FOR THE RICH MAN IT WAS ALREADY TOO LATE

- Verse 25 says, “**DURING YOUR LIFE** you received your good things... [now] you are in agony.”
- **Hebrews 9:27 (KJV)** And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment:
- **Hebrews 9:27 (LBLA)** Y así como está decretado que los hombres mueran una sola vez, y después de esto, el juicio,

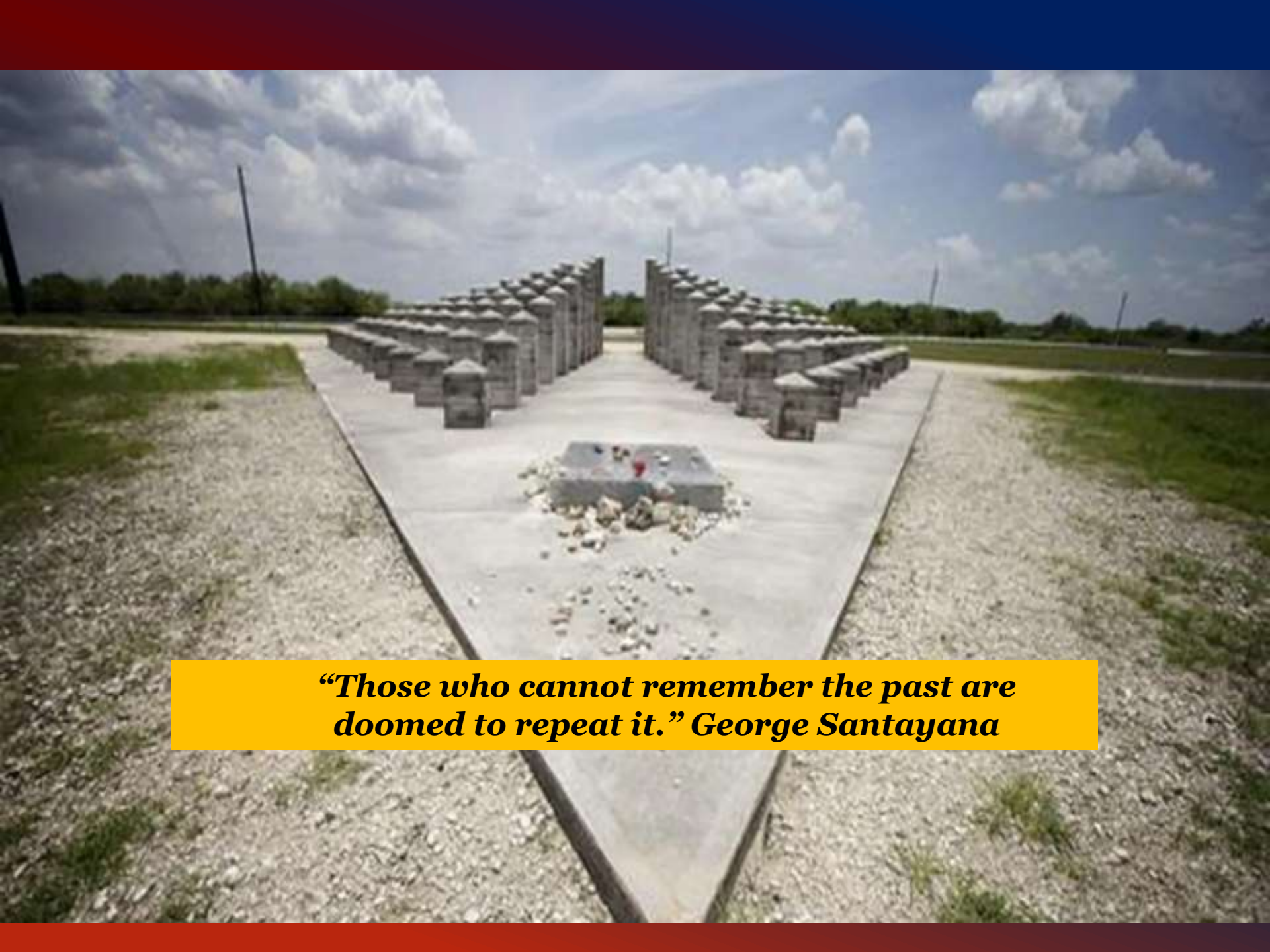
Romans 2:4 - *Or do you think lightly of the riches of His kindness and tolerance and patience, not knowing that the kindness of God leads you to repentance?*

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Romans 2:4 (LBLA) *¿O tienes en poco las riquezas de su bondad, tolerancia y paciencia, ignorando que la bondad de Dios te guía al arrepentimiento?*







***“Those who cannot remember the past are doomed to repeat it.” George Santayana***