

First Corinthians

ONE in CHRIST

Session 4

What Wisdom is the Cross!

The prayer that remains constant,
On our lips at dawn and at dusk,
Is simply: Please be here.
Please be here.
Here, with us.
Here, wherever there is crying.
Here, in the halls of power.
Here, in places of drought.
Here, with our loved ones.
Here, where a child's eyes are filled with terror.
Here, where the great blue heron is wading.
Here.
Here.
Please be here.

Amen.



What “jumped out” or particularly drew your attention in this passage?

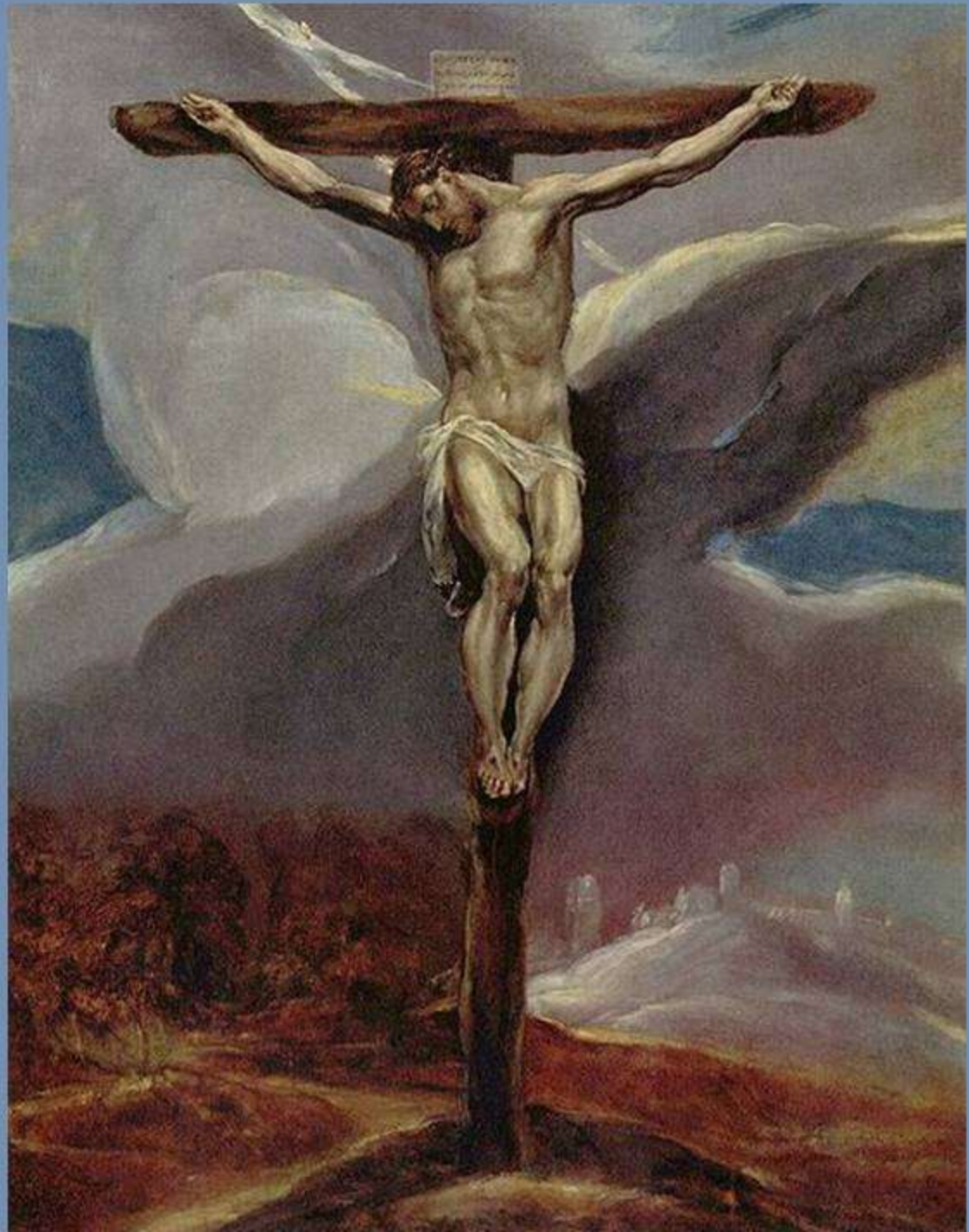
What puzzled you?

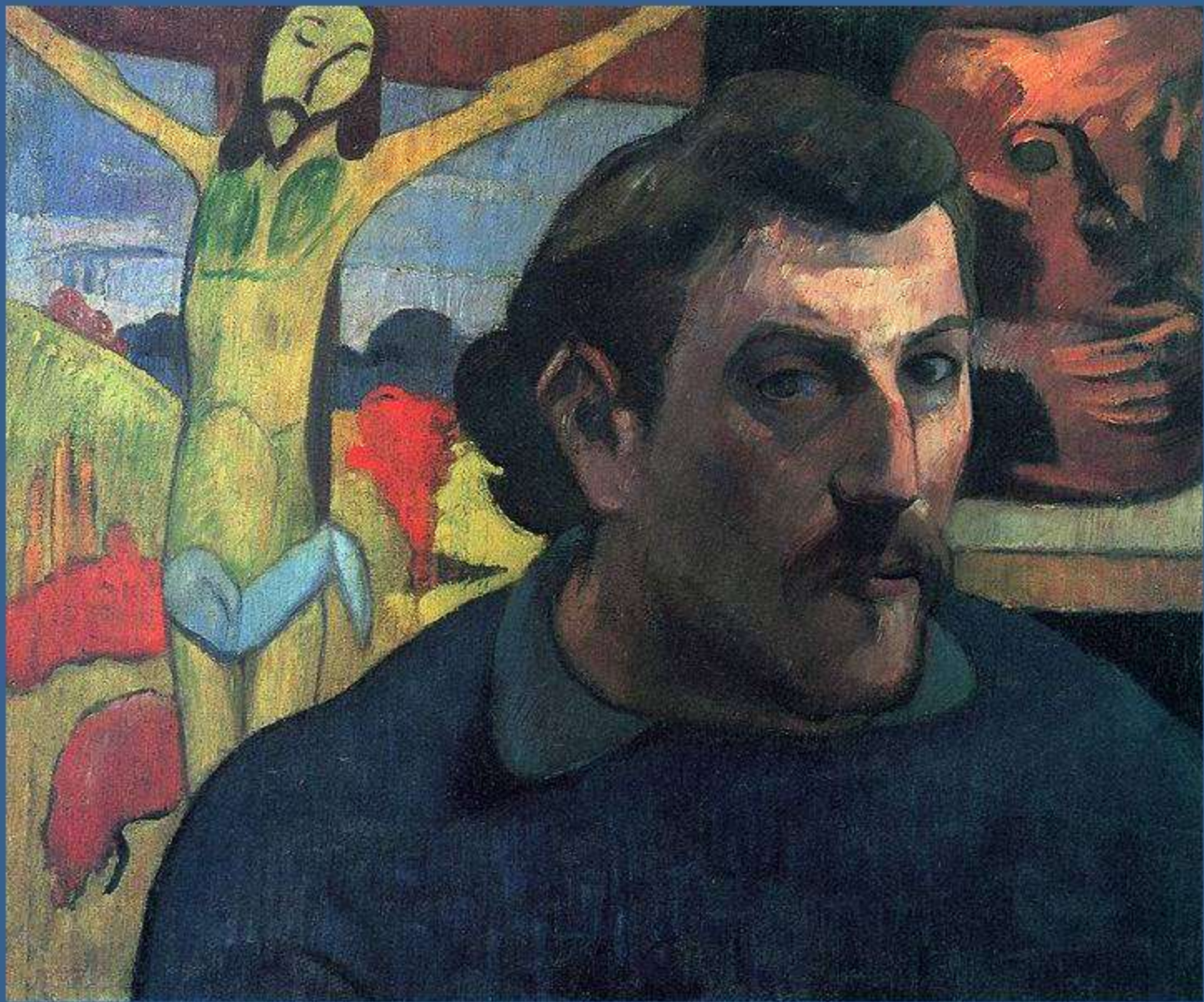
What do you think it means in verse 20 that God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

Why is proclaiming Christ crucified a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles?



El Greco Crucifixion





Gauguin Crucifixion



**Eakins
Crucifixion
sketch**

If you were describing the heart of the gospel to someone, what would you say?

What would you include?

A CINQUAIN POEM

a single concept word

2 words descriptive of the concept

3 action words telling about the concept

4 words expressing feelings for the concept

1 word restating the concept

a single concept word

Love

2 words descriptive of the concept

Freely given

3 action words telling about the concept

Unconditional, sacrificial, unending

4 words expressing feelings for the concept

God's gift to us

1 word restating the concept

Cross

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