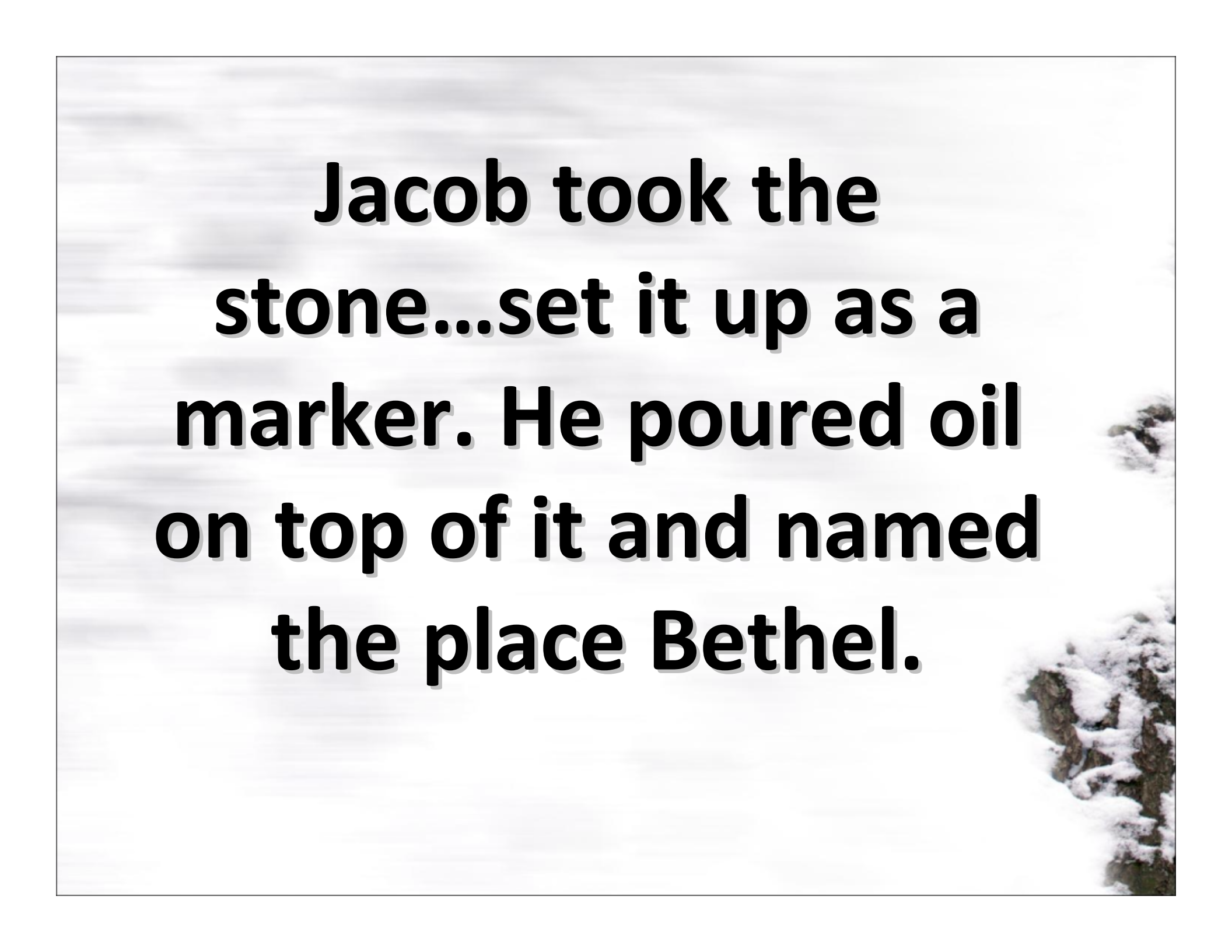


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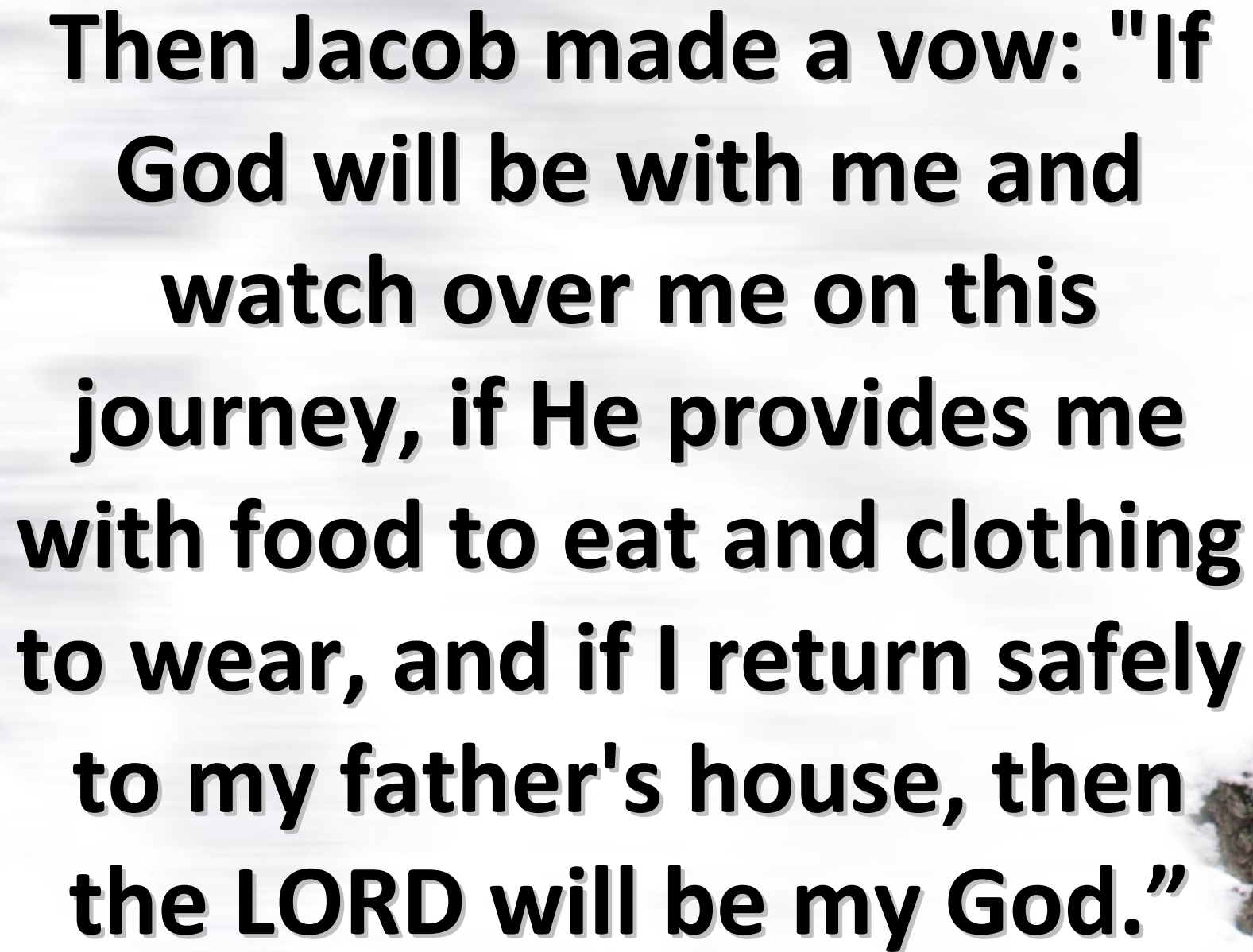


Gen 28:18-22



**Jacob took the
stone...set it up as a
marker. He poured oil
on top of it and named
the place Bethel.**

Then Jacob made a vow: "If God will be with me and watch over me on this journey, if He provides me with food to eat and clothing to wear, and if I return safely to my father's house, then the LORD will be my God."



**This stone that I have
set up as a marker will
be God's house, and I
will give to You a tenth
of all that You give
me.”**

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