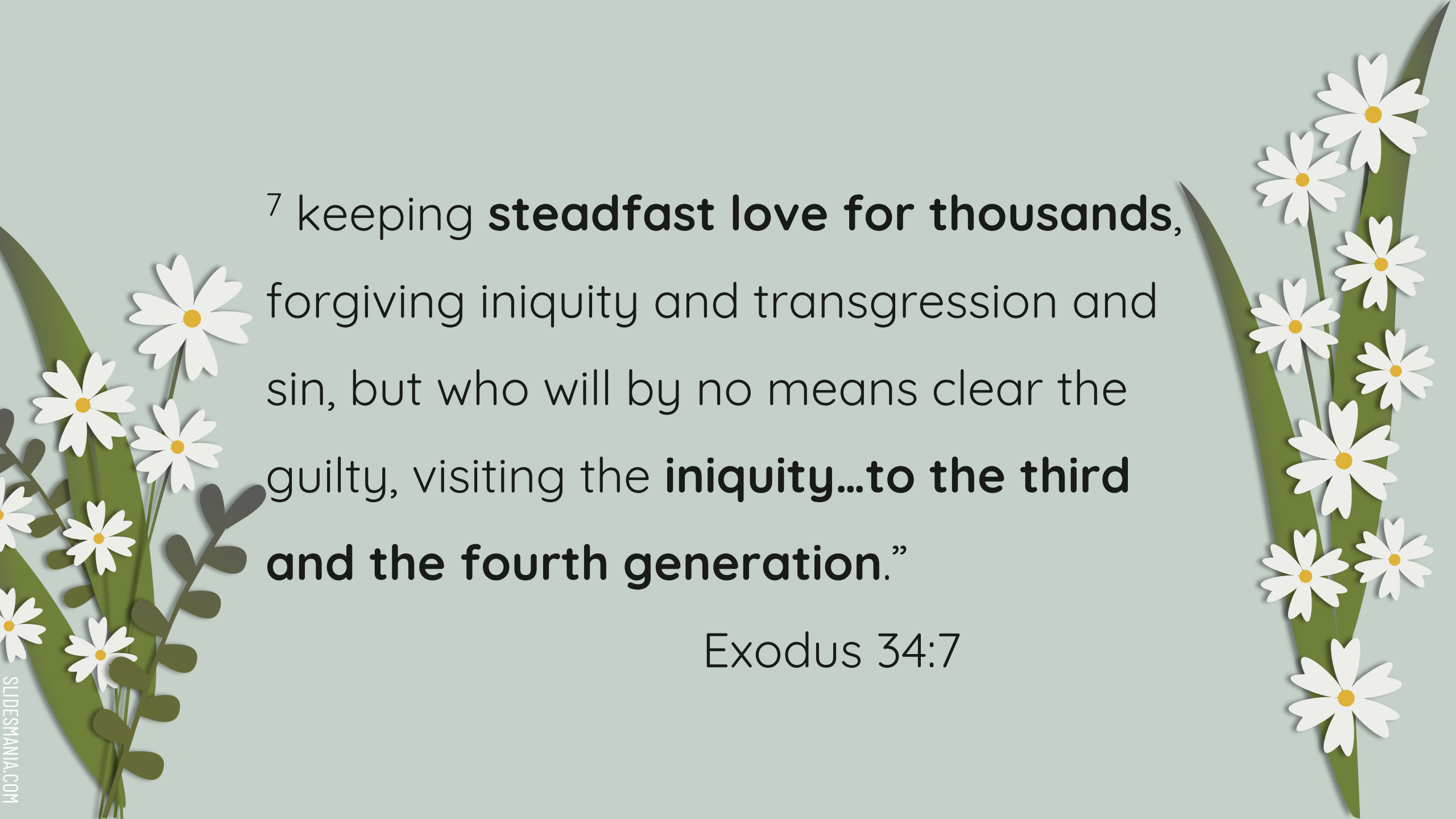


<sup>40</sup> I will make with them an everlasting covenant,  
that I will not turn away from doing good to  
them. And I will put the fear of me in their hearts,  
that they may not turn from me. <sup>41</sup> I will rejoice in  
doing them good, and I will plant them in this land  
in faithfulness, with all my heart and all my soul.

*Jeremiah 32:40-41*



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<sup>7</sup> keeping **steadfast love for thousands,**  
forgiving iniquity and transgression and  
sin, but who will by no means clear the  
guilty, visiting the **iniquity...to the third**  
**and the fourth generation.”**

Exodus 34:7

<sup>7</sup> For a **brief moment** I deserted you,  
but with **great compassion** I will gather you.

<sup>8</sup> In overflowing anger for **a moment**  
I hid my face from you,  
but with **everlasting love** I will have  
compassion on you,”  
says the Lord, your Redeemer.

Isaiah 54:7-8



# Discussion Questions

1. What does it mean for your own heart and life that judgment is God's "strange" work and mercy his "natural" work? Have you thought of God like this before?
2. We all have natural assumptions about God. Which of yours are melting away in light of learning more about Christ and how he is the exact imprint of the Father? What are these assumptions being replaced with?

