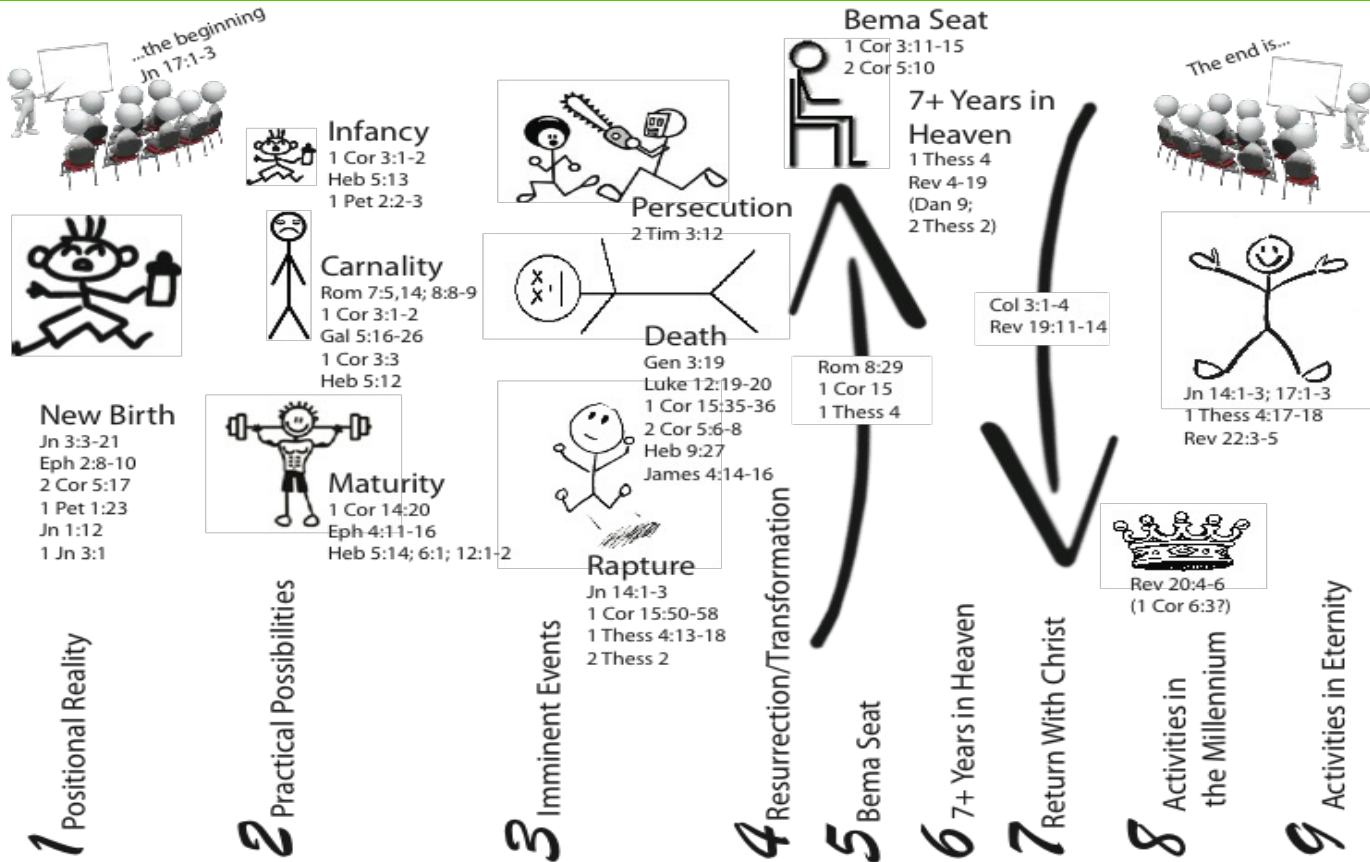




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STAGE 1
The New Birth

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The New Birth

- **Positional Reality**

- Jn 1:12, 3:3-21
- Eph 2:8-10
- 2 Cor 5:17
- 1 Pet 1:23
- 1 Jn 3:1

STAGE 2 **Possibilities**



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• **INFANCY**

- 1 Cor 3:1-2,
- Heb 5:13,
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- **SPIRITUALITY / MATURITY**

- 1 Cor 14:20, Eph 5:11-16, Heb 5:14, 6:1, 12:1-2

STAGE 3
Imminent
Events



• PERSECUTION

• 2 Tim 3:12

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• DEATH

- Gen 3:19, Lk 12:19-20,
1 Cor 15:35-36, 2 Cor
5:6-8, Heb 9:27, Jam
4:14-16





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- Jn 14:1-3, 1 Thess 4:13-18, 1 Cor 15:50-58, 2 Thess 2



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STAGE 4

**Resurrection /
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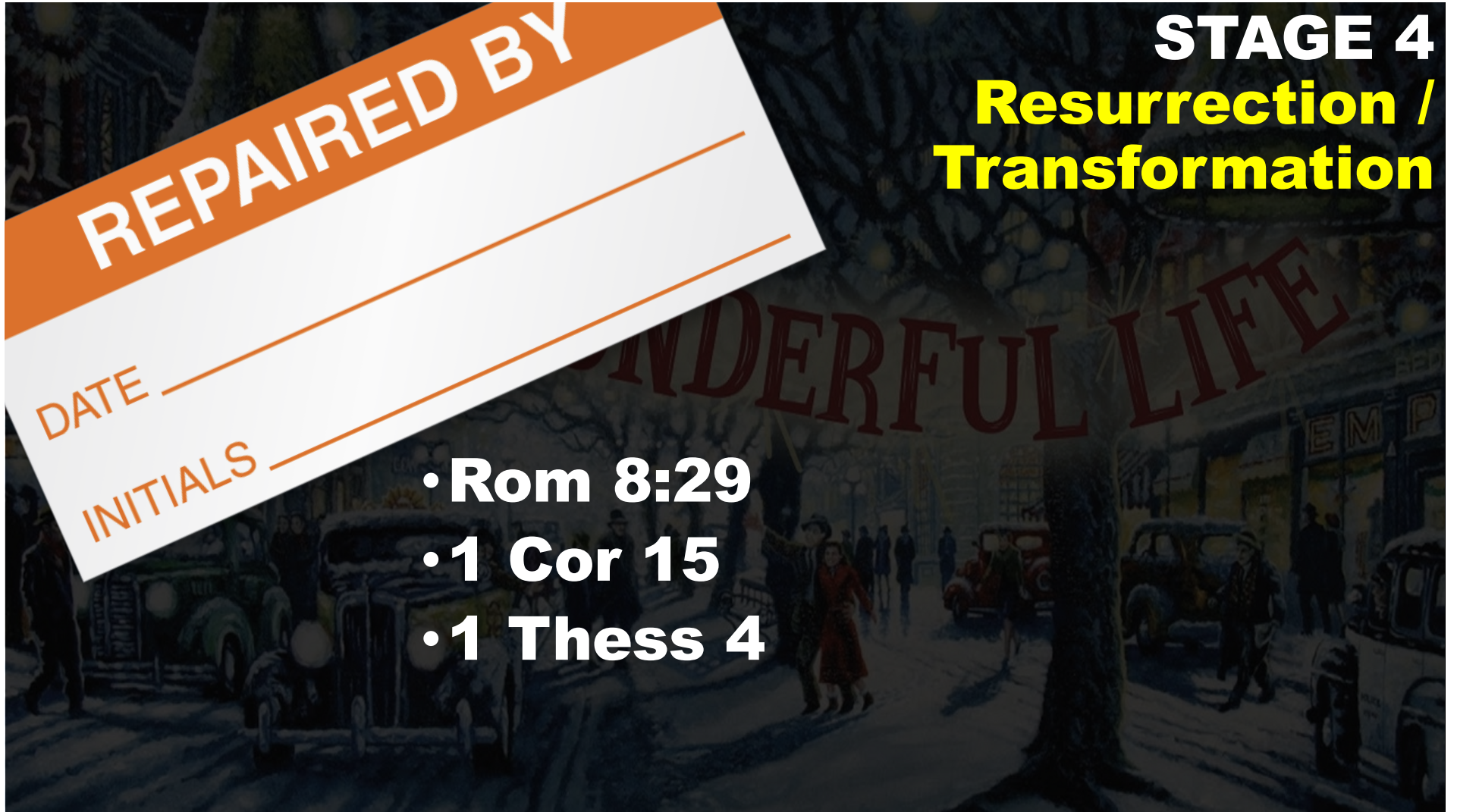
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STAGE 4
Resurrection /
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- **Rom 8:29**
- **1 Cor 15**
- **1 Thess 4**

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STAGE 5
The Bema
Seat



STAGE 5

The Bema Seat

- 1 Cor 3:11-15
- 2 Cor 5:10



POWERFUL LIFE



STAGE 6
7 Years in
Heaven

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STAGE 6

7 Years in Heaven

- 1 Thess 4
- Rev 4-19
- (Dan 9, 2 Thess 2)

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STAGE 7
Return
w/Christ

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Return
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• **Col 3:1-4**

• **Rev 19:11-14**



STAGE 8
Millennium

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STAGE 8 **Millennium**

- **Rev 20:4-6**
- **1 Cor 6:2-3?**



WONDERFUL LIFE

STAGE 9
Eternity

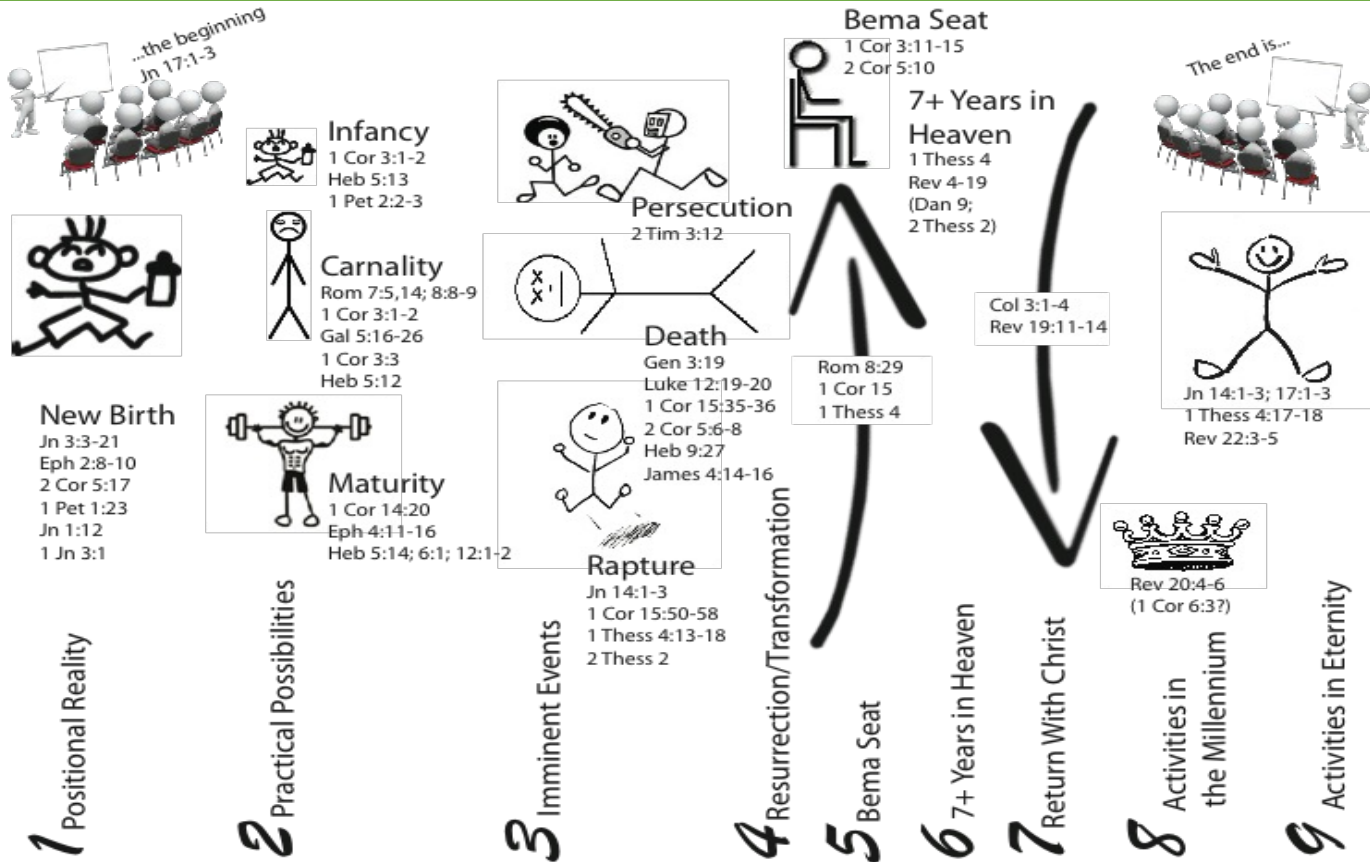


A scene from Disney's The Lion King showing Simba and Nala on a cliff at sunset. The sky is a vibrant orange and yellow, and the landscape below is a vast, open plain. Simba is in the foreground, looking out over the horizon, with Nala standing next to him.

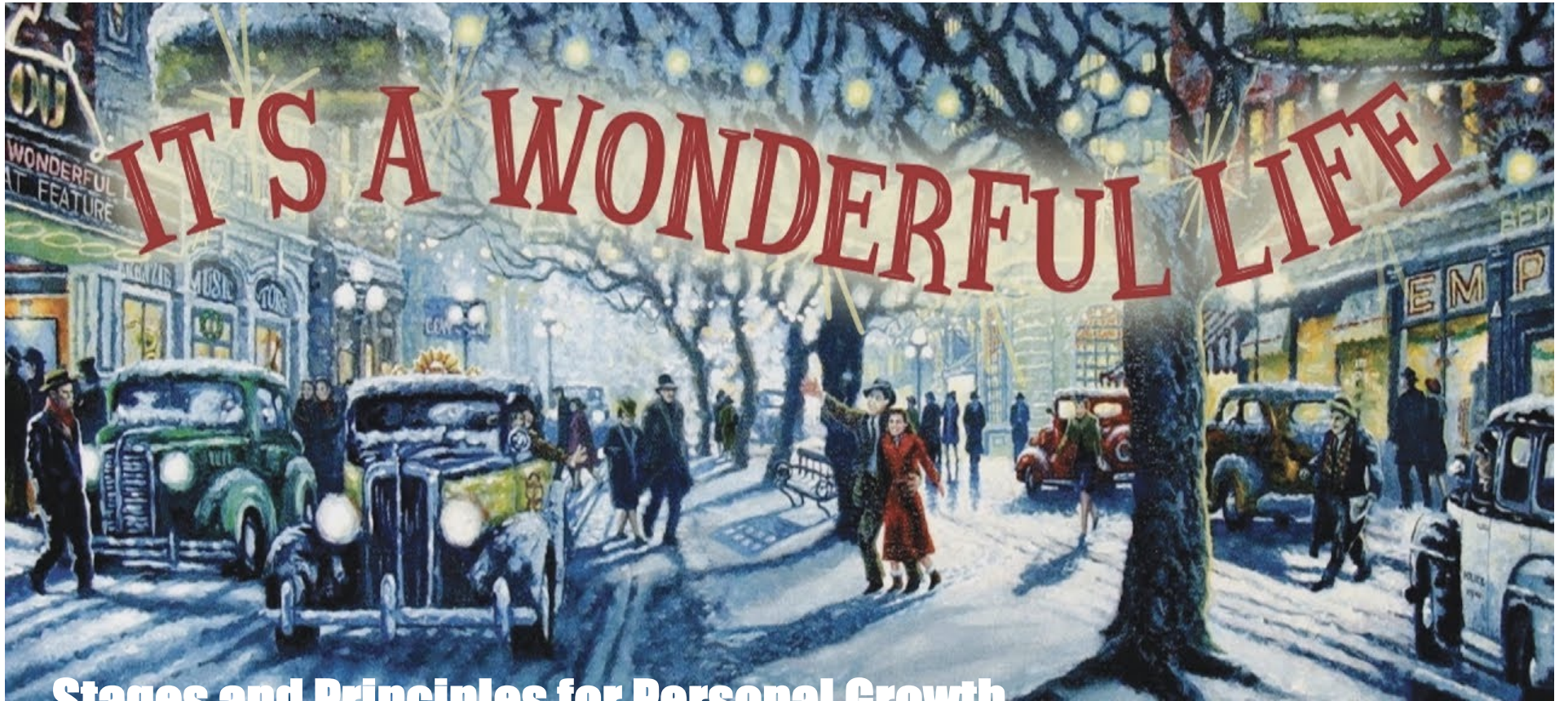
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- **Jn 14:1-3, 17:3**
- **1 Thess 4:17-18**
- **Rev 22:3-5**



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