God's Story

Act 1, Scene 1
God builds a nation

The Promised Land!

(Joshua)

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...but it does not *thwart* it!

I. God uses faithful men & women to accomplish His work.

Note comparisons to Moses...

- Josh. 1:1-6
- Josh. 5:13-15

II. God defines success as faithful devotion to His Word.

- Josh. 1:7-9
- Josh. 8:30-35

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- Rebellion (7:1a, 10-13)

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God's judgment is never arbitrary!
(see Gen. 15:16)

Every soul is a battlefield!

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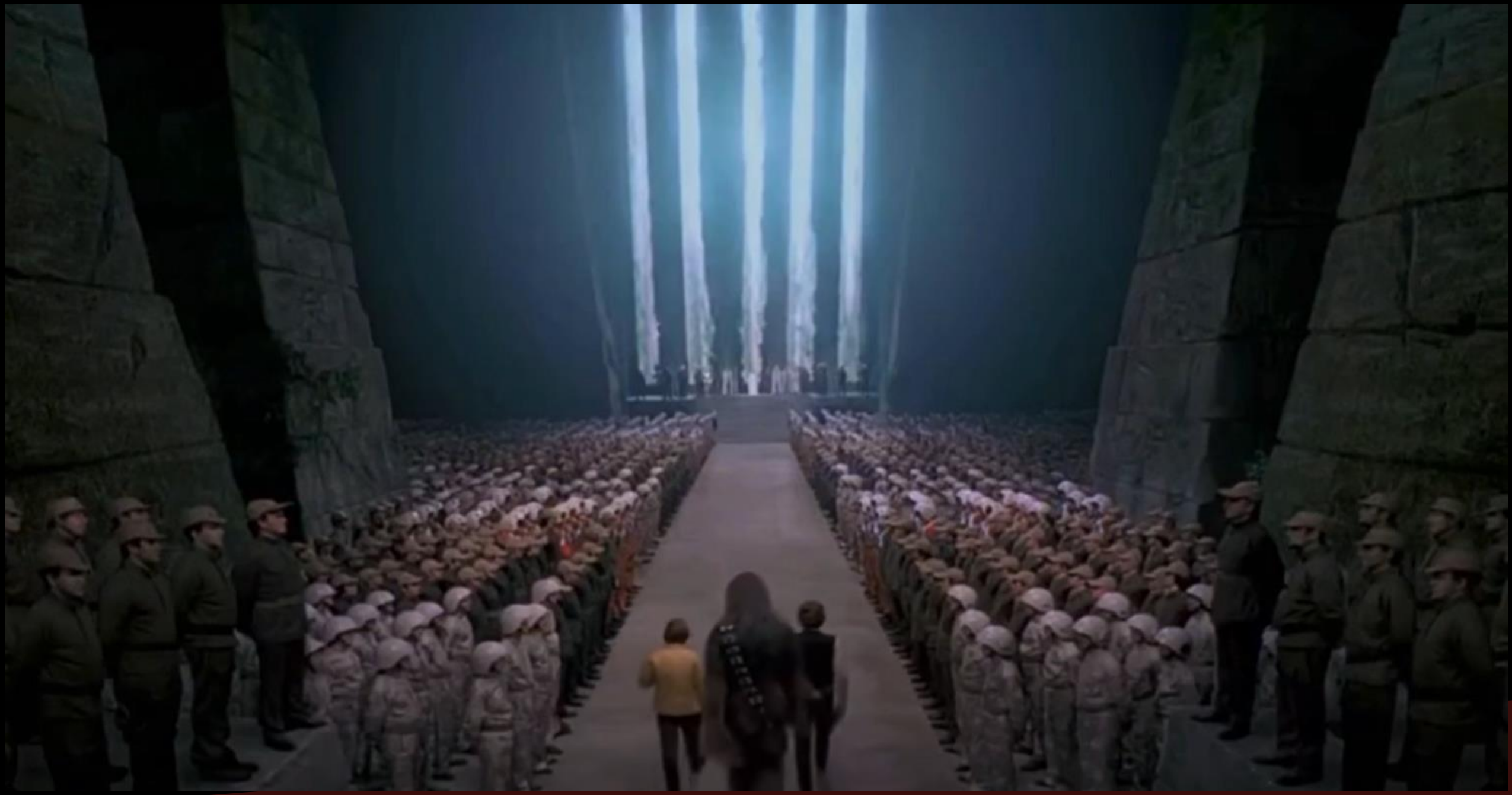

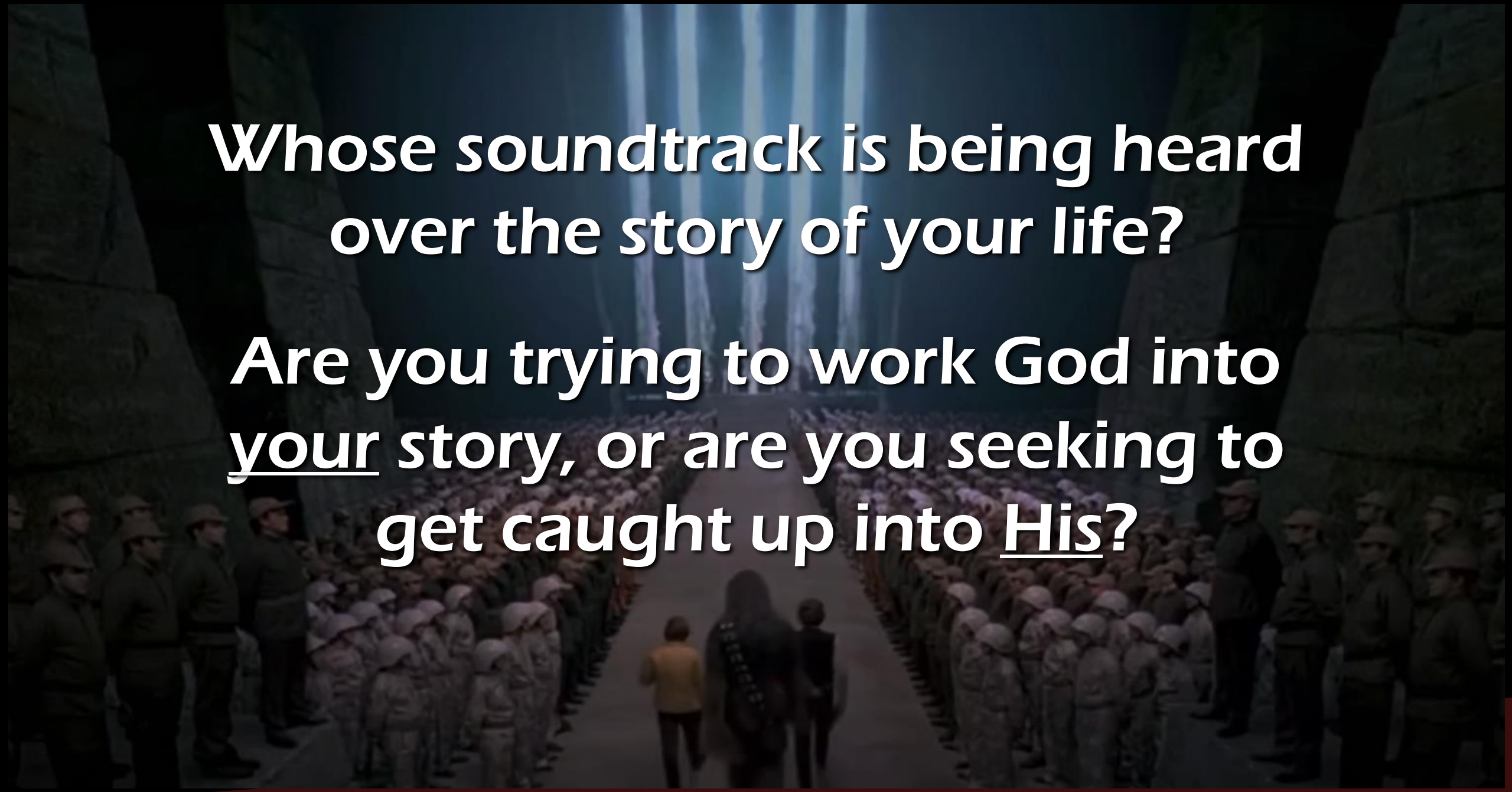
Whose soundtrack is being heard over the story of your life?
Are you trying to work God into your story, or are you seeking to get caught up into His?

Choose you this day
whom you will serve...
As for me and my house,
we will serve the Lord!

~ Josh. 24:15