

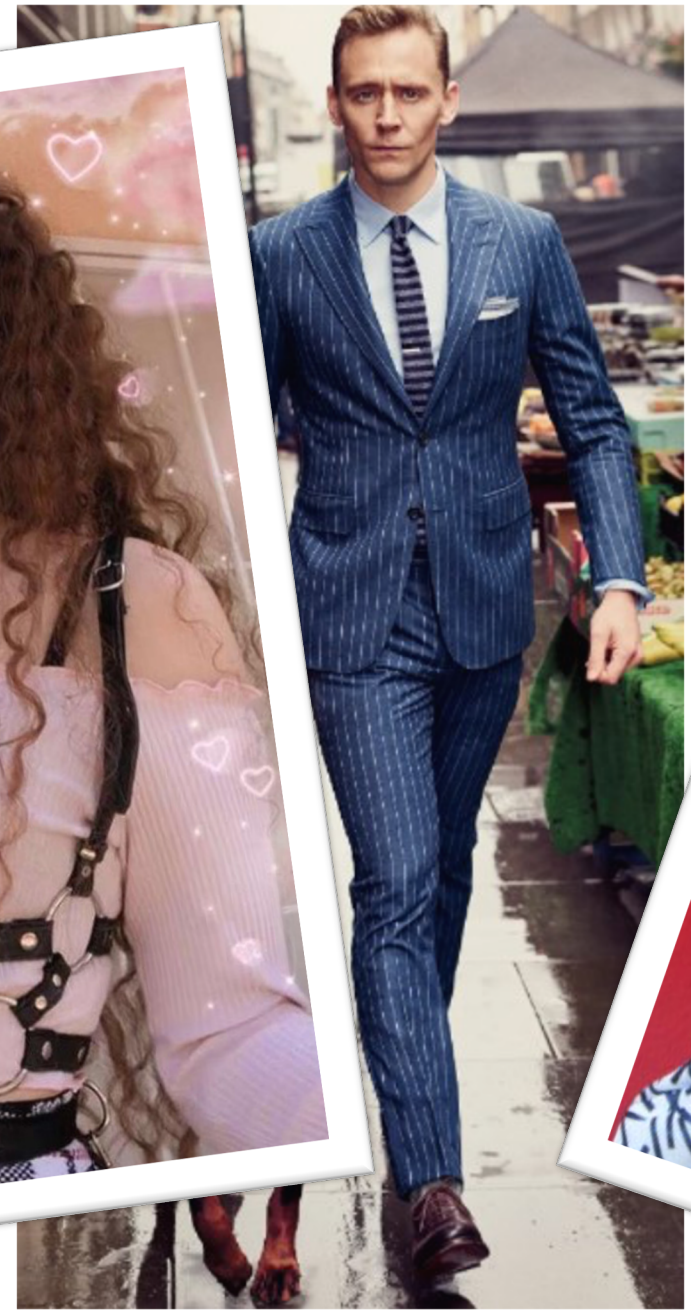
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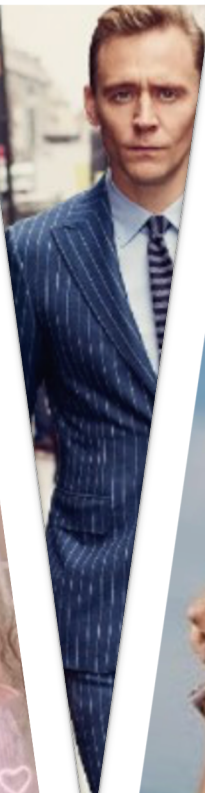
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- 4** When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

- 5** ***Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature:*** sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry.
- 6** Because of these, the wrath of God is coming.



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- 7 You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived.
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Romans 9:21-23

21 Does not the potter **have the right** to make out of the same lump of clay some pottery for special purposes and some for common use?

22 What if God, although choosing to show his wrath and make his power known, bore with great patience the **objects of his wrath** — prepared for destruction?

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38 ... neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers,

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Matthew 22:37-40

“**Love the Lord your God** with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.” This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: “**Love your neighbor** as yourself.” All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.

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