



A JOURNEY
TOGETHER
FOR LIFE

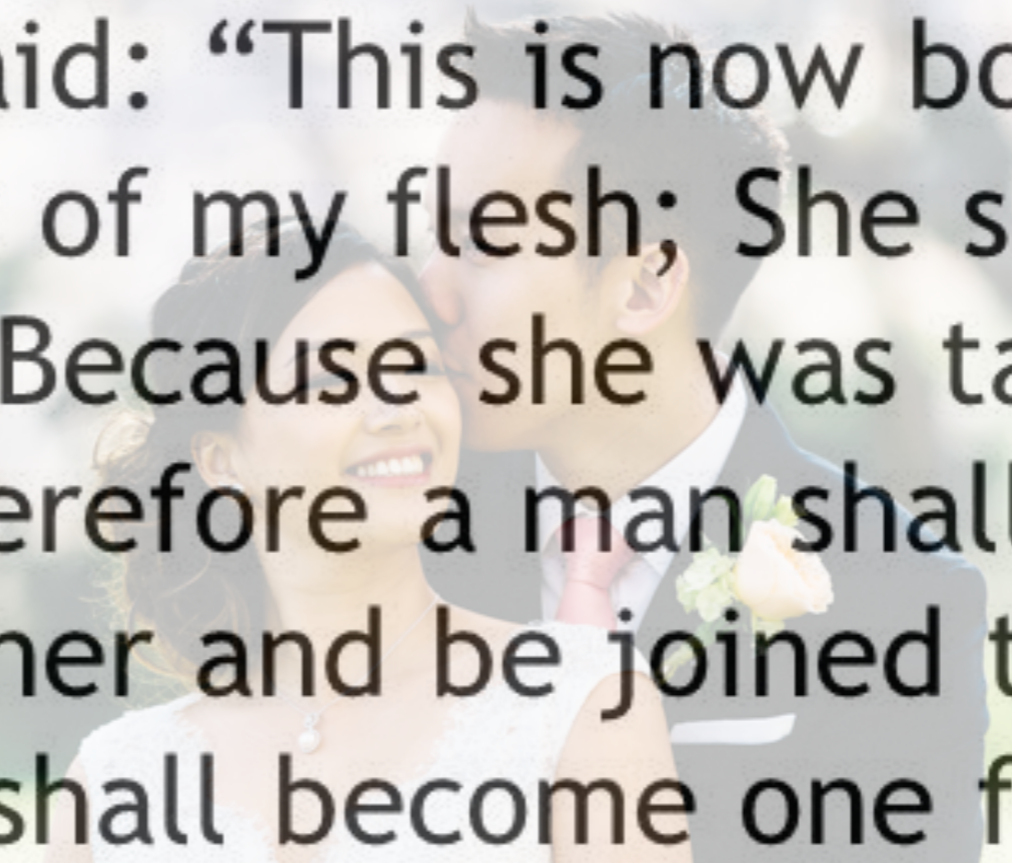


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Marriage Myths

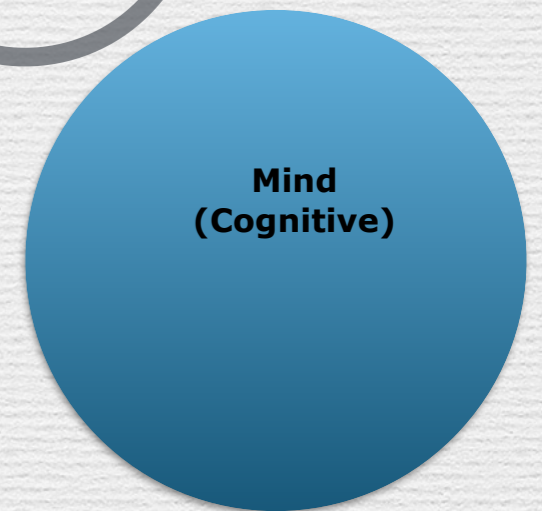
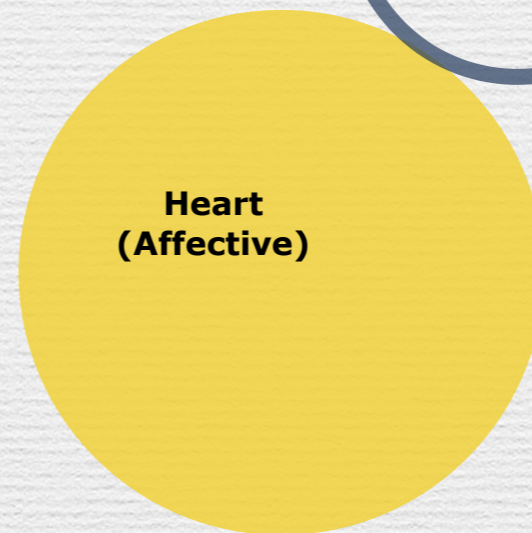
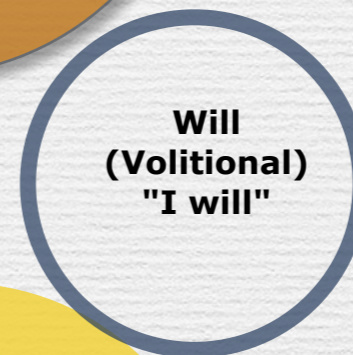
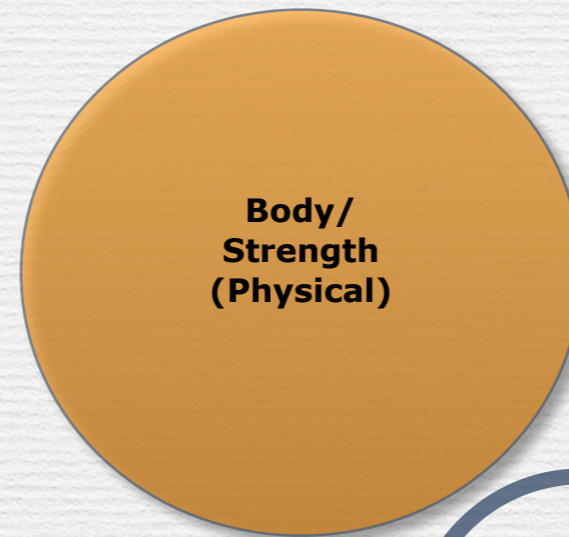
GENESIS 2:23,24

23 And Adam said: “This is now bone of my bones And flesh of my flesh; She shall be called Woman, Because she was taken out of Man.” **24** Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

A bride and groom are shown in a wedding scene. The bride is wearing a white lace dress and holding a bouquet of yellow and pink roses. The groom is wearing a dark suit and a white shirt with a pink tie. They are standing outdoors with a blurred background of trees and a bright sky.

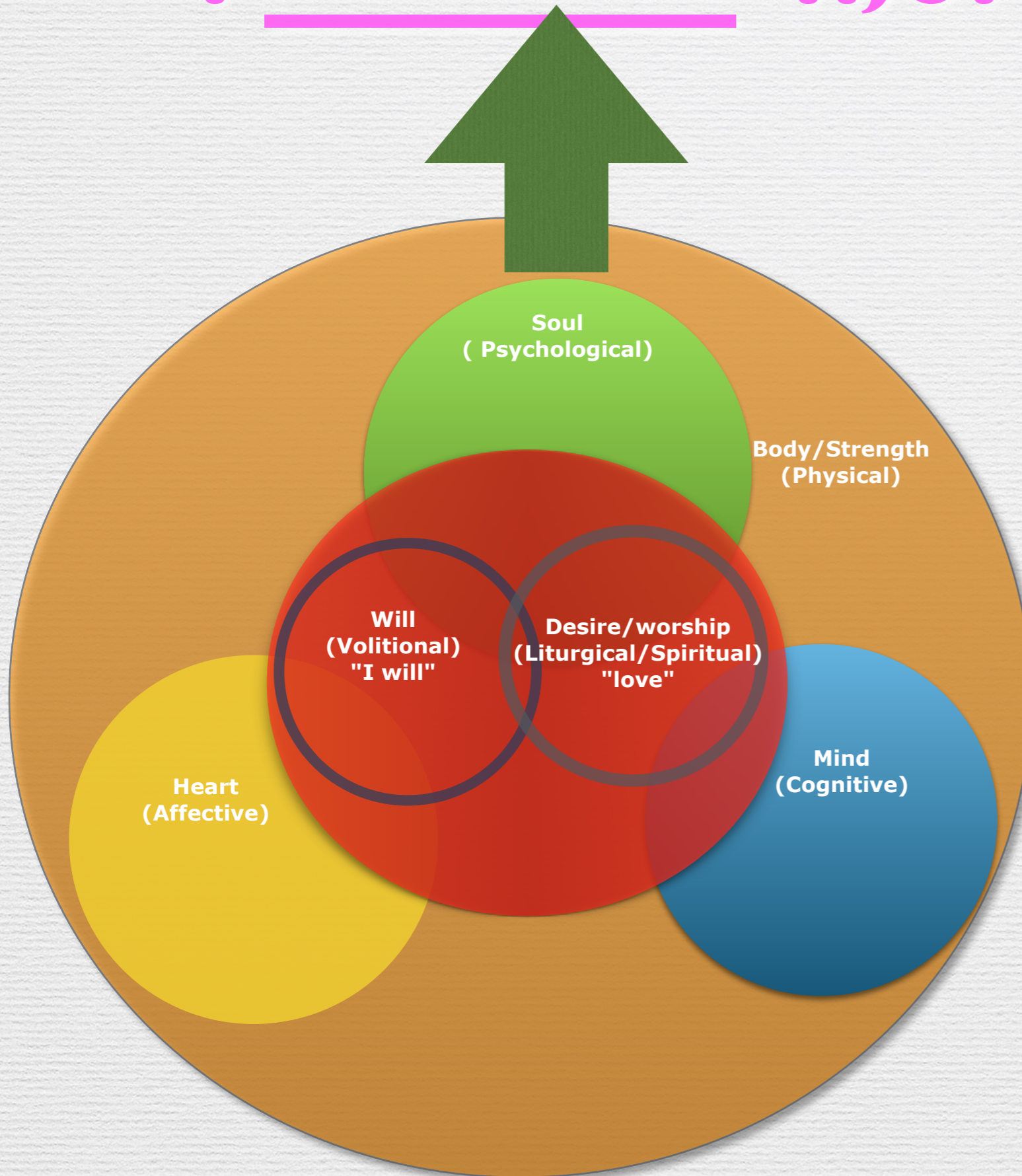
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8 Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the LORD God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the garden.



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37 Jesus replied: " 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.'

Complementarity



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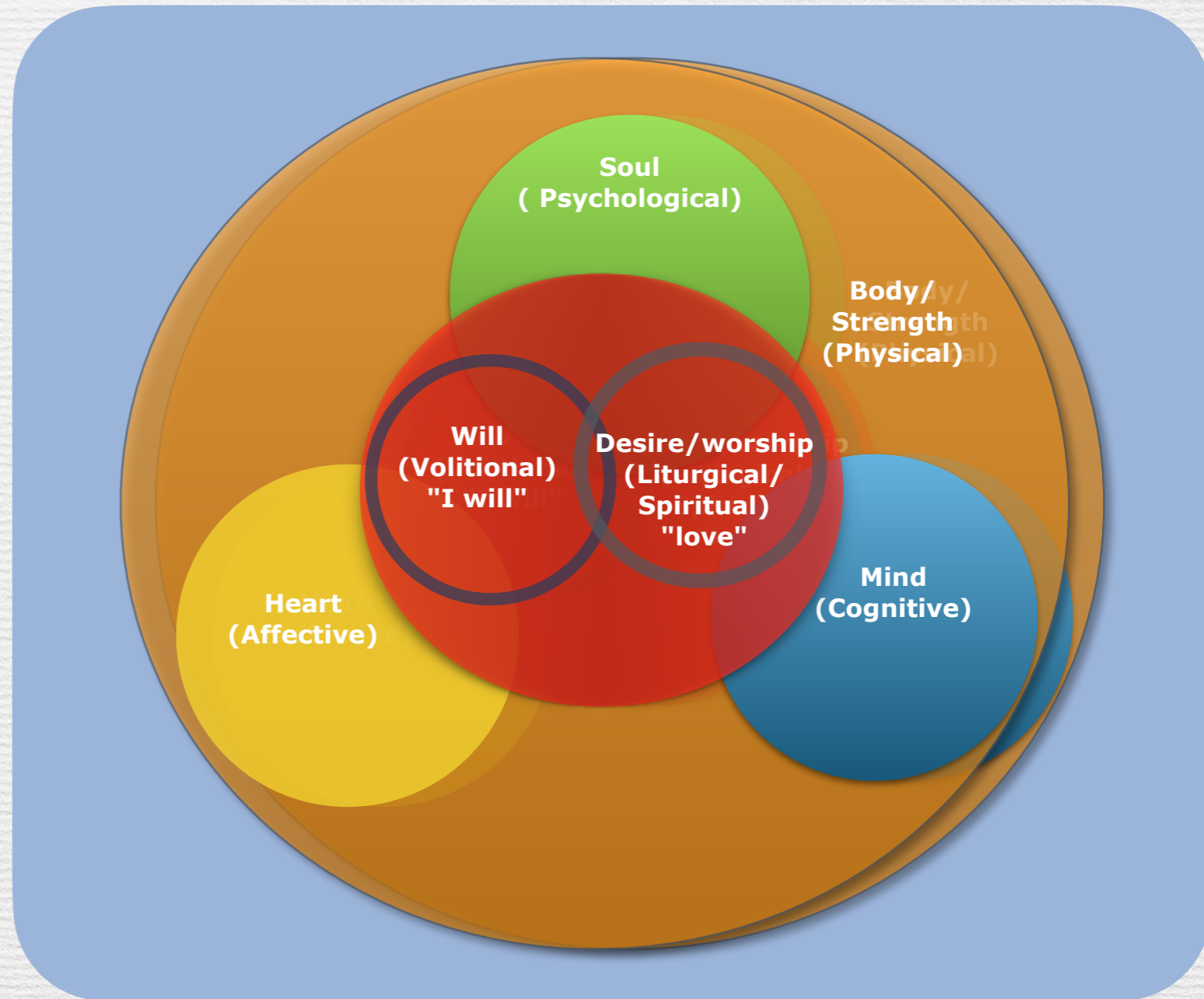
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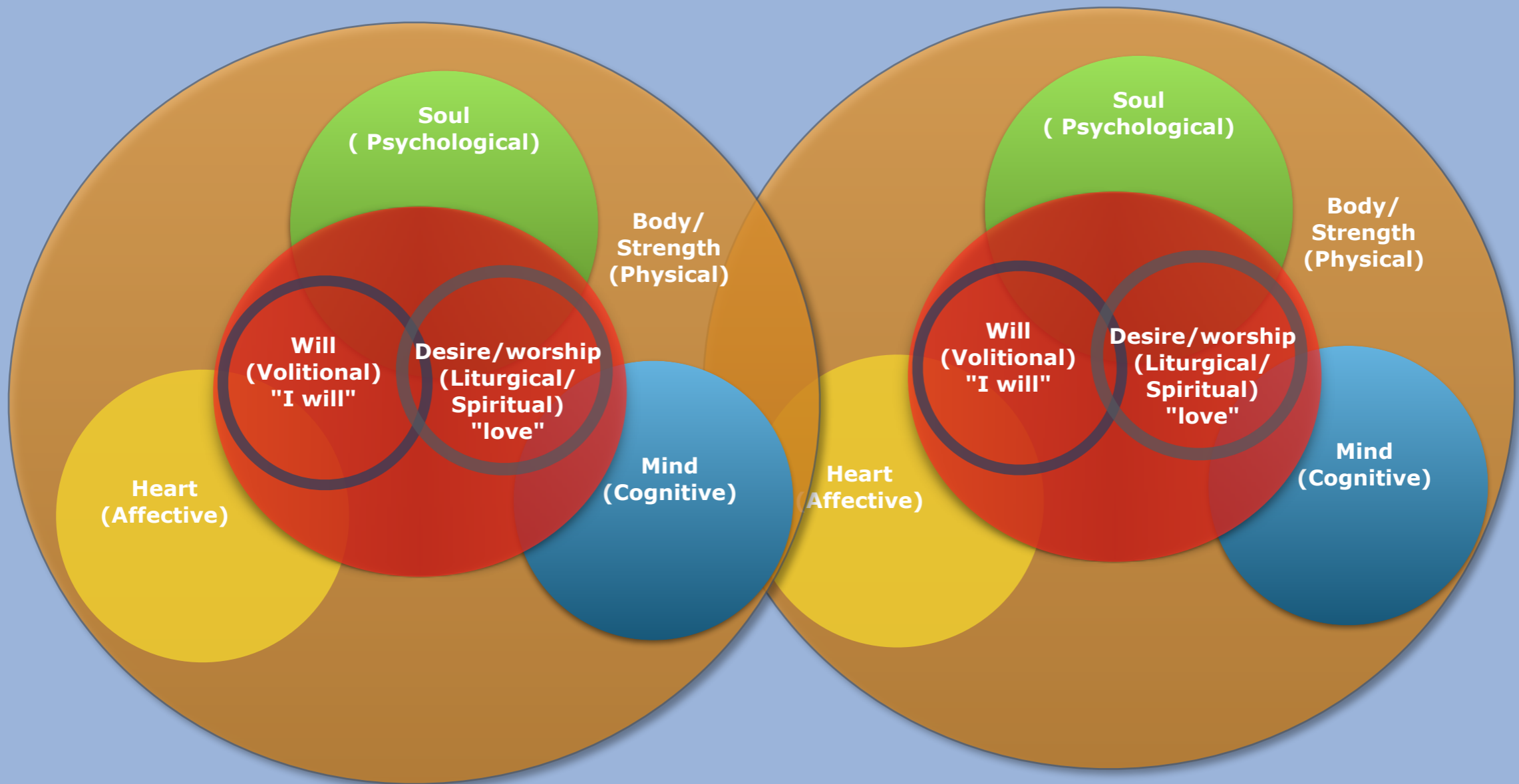
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childbearing; with
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birth to children.

**Your desire will be
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19 By the sweat of your brow you will eat your food until you return to the ground, since from it you were taken; for dust you are and to dust you will return."

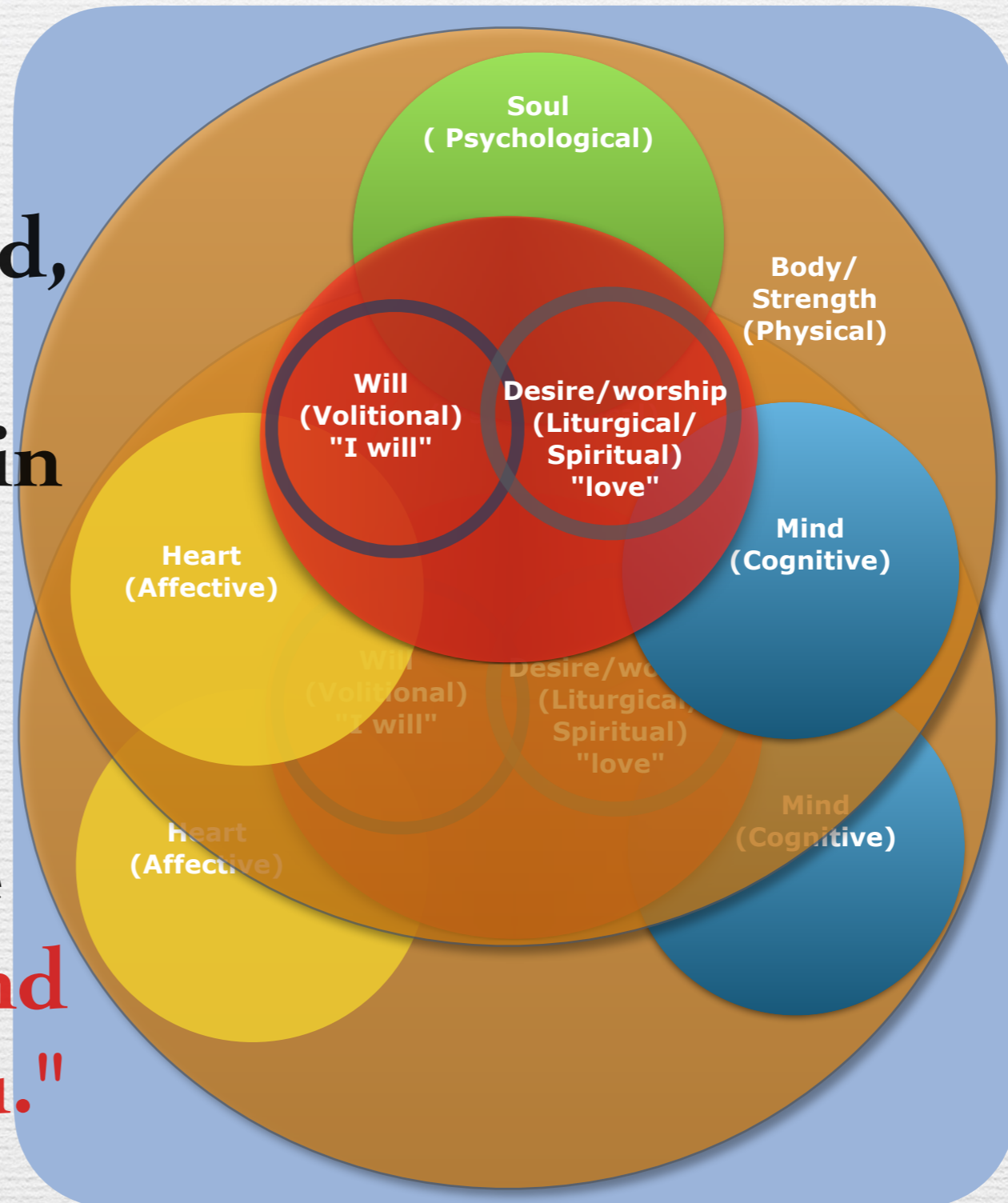


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21 Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ.

Wives, submit to your husbands as to the Lord. 23 For **the husband is the head of the wife as Christ is the head of the church**, his body, of which he is the Saviour. 24 Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit to their husbands **in everything**.

25 Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and **gave himself up for her** 26 to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, 27 and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless. 28 In this same way, husbands ought to love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. 29 After all, no-one ever hated his own body, but he feeds and cares for it, just as Christ does the church- 30 for we are members of his body. 31 "For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh." 32 This is a profound mystery-but I am talking about Christ and the church. 33 However, each one of you also must **love** his wife as he loves himself, and the wife must **respect** her husband.

11 And he said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree from which I commanded you not to eat?"

17 To Adam he said, "**Because you listened to your wife** and ate from the tree about which I commanded **you**, 'You must not eat of it,'" Cursed is the ground because of you; through painful toil you will eat of it all the days of your life.

3 Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. 4 Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.

5 Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus:

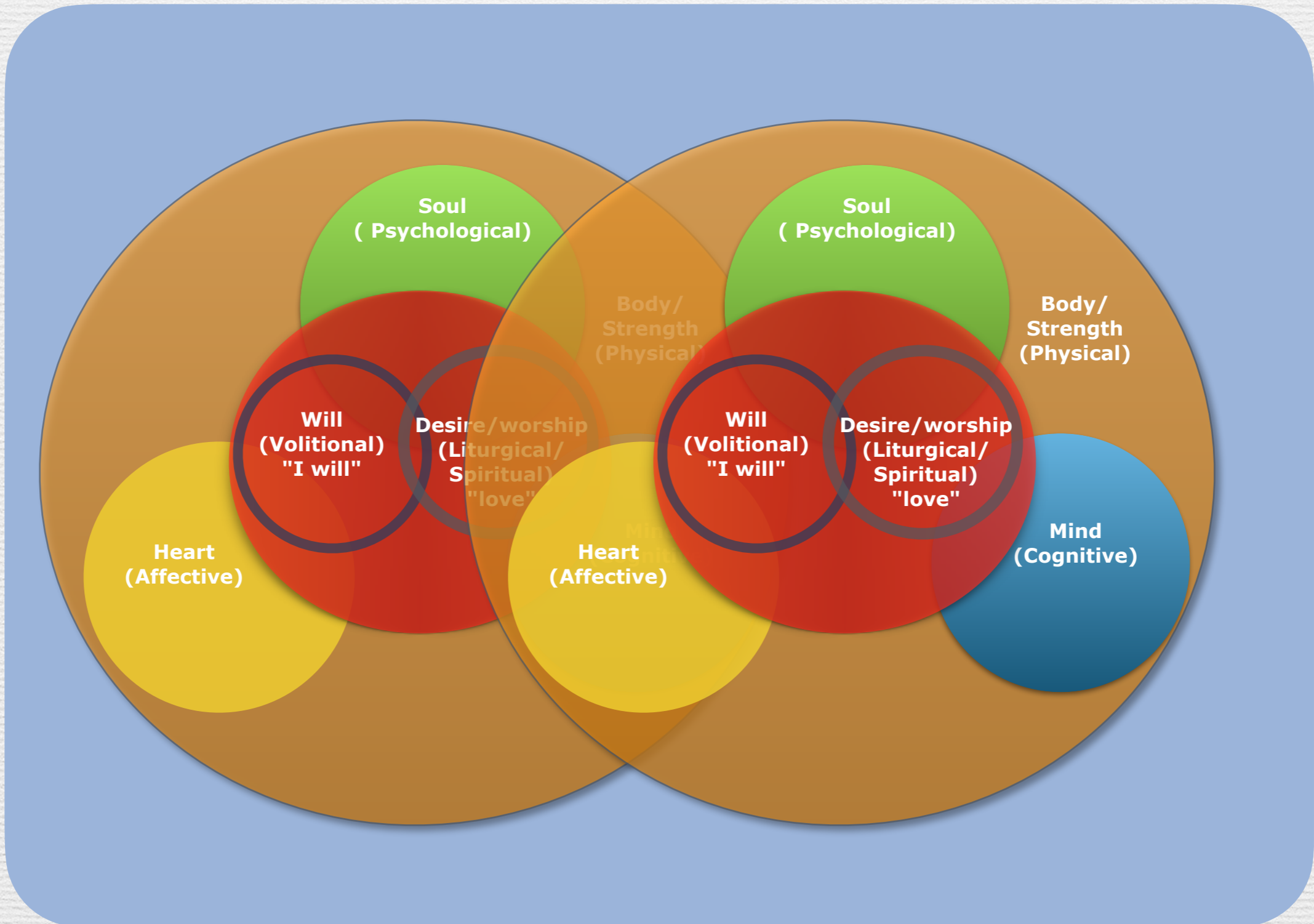
6 Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped,

7 but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.

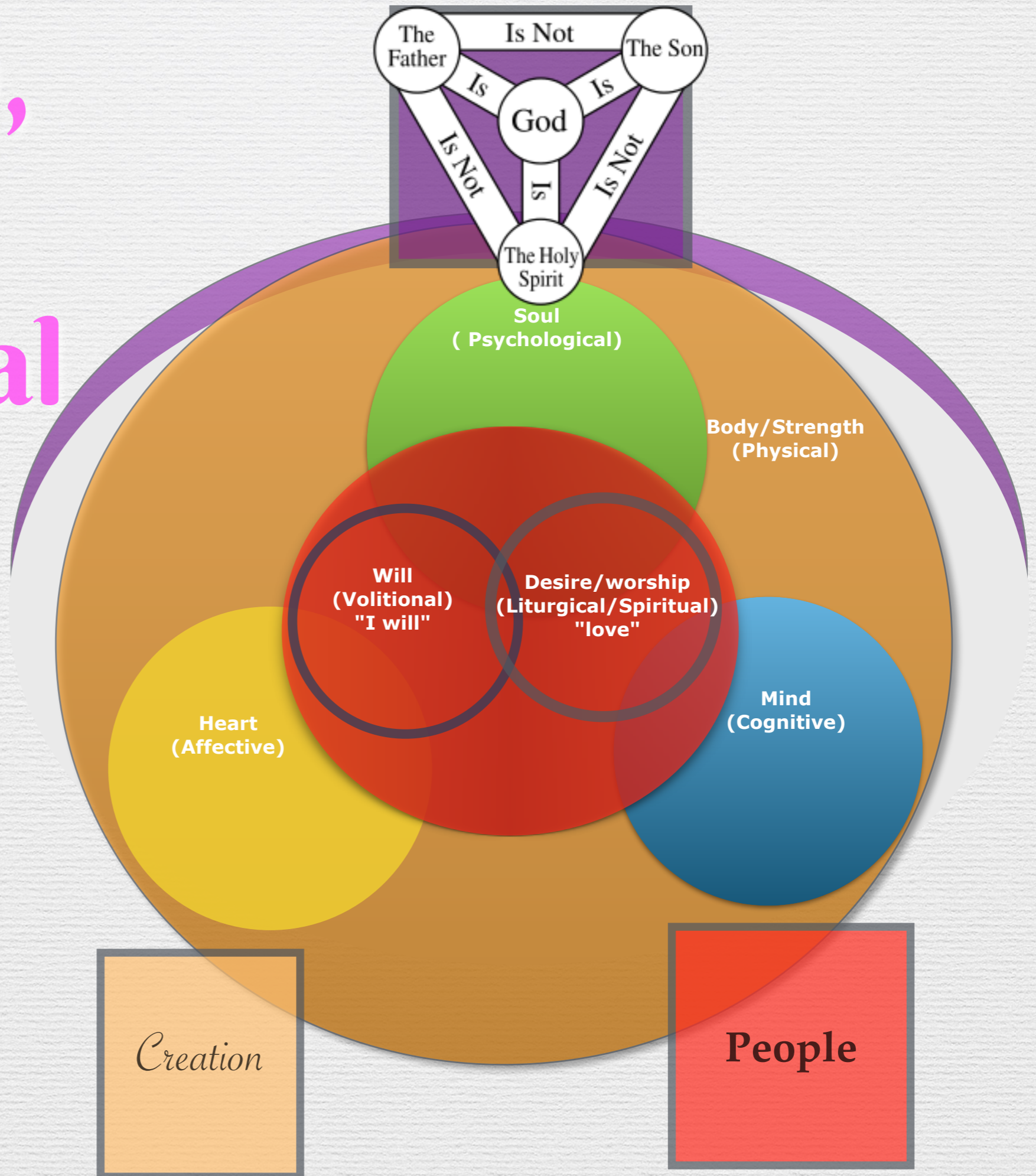
8 And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death—even death on a cross!

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