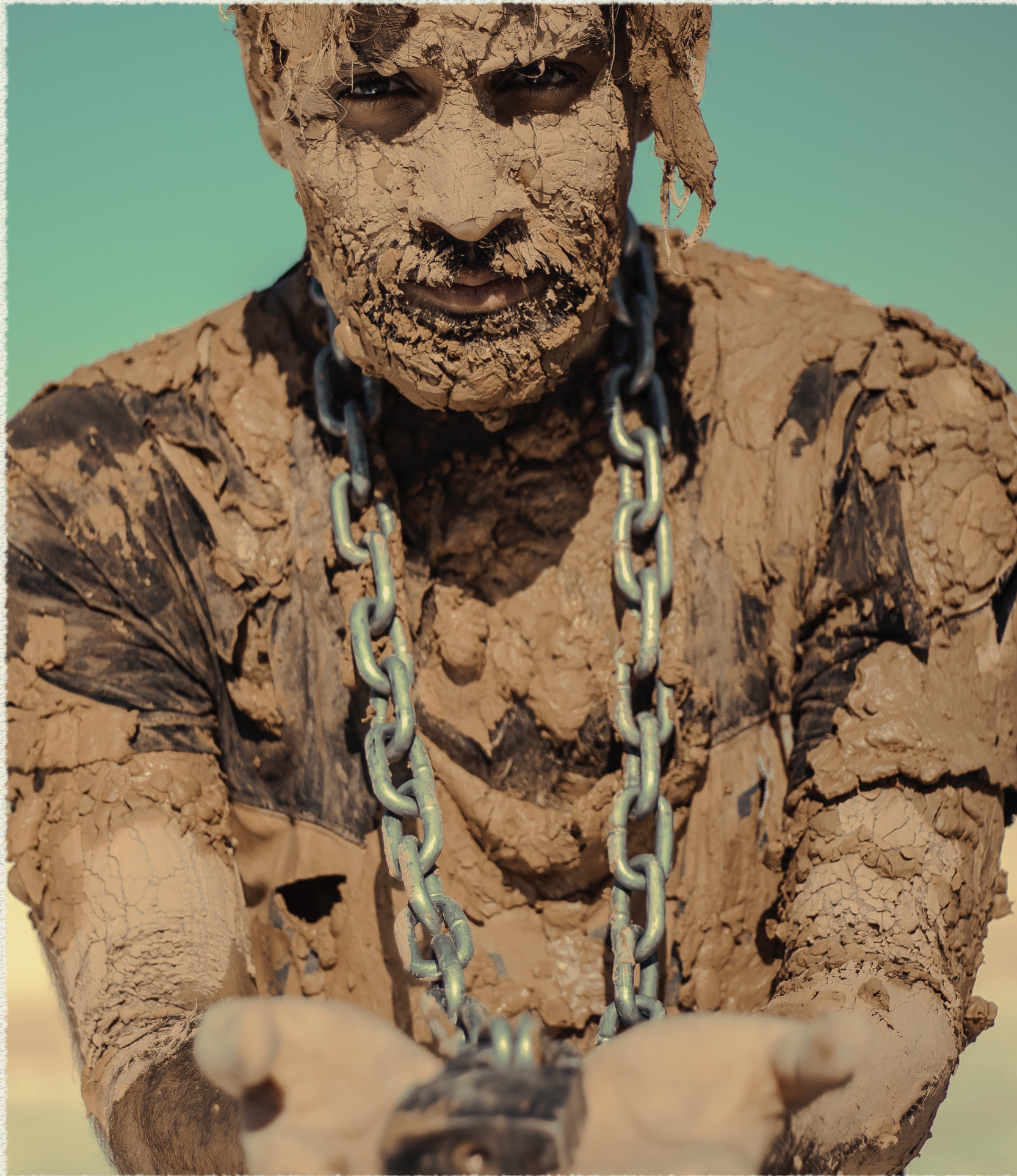


COLOSSIANS 3:5-11

1:1-2 The Supremacy of Christ in Preparation	1:3 - 2:5 The Supremacy of Christ in Principle	2:6 - 4:6 The Supremacy of Christ in Practice	4:7-18 The Supremacy of Christ in Pattern
<p>1:1 <i>Sender:</i> An Apostle and Brother Appointed by Christ</p> <p>1:2a <i>Recipient:</i> A Holy and Faithful Family Forged in Christ</p> <p>1:2b <i>Salutation:</i> A Request for Grace and Peace from the Father of Christ</p>	<p>1:3-8 <i>What Matters:</i> The Gospel of Jesus Christ</p> <p>1:9-23 <i>Why It Matters:</i> The Supremacy of Jesus Christ</p> <p>1:24 - 2:5 <i>How We Know It Matters:</i> The Minister of Jesus Christ</p>	<p>2:6-15 (A) Put on the Doctrine of Christ</p> <p>2:16-23 (B) Put off the Doctrine of the World</p> <p>3:1-4 (C) Pursue Christ, not the World</p> <p>3:5-11 (B') Put off the Deeds of the World</p> <p>3:12 - 4:6 (A') Put on the Deeds of Christ</p>	<p>4:7-9 Ambassadors for Christ</p> <p>4:10-14 Sufferers for Christ</p> <p>4:15-17 Neighbors for Christ</p> <p>4:18 Paul for Christ</p>

Put off the Deeds of the World

(3:5-11)



Two kinds of worldly deeds to put off...

1. You must put off deeds against God (3:5-7)

- A Convicting Command (3:5)
- A Serious Warning (3:6)
- An Encouraging Reminder (3:7)

Passions of the Heart

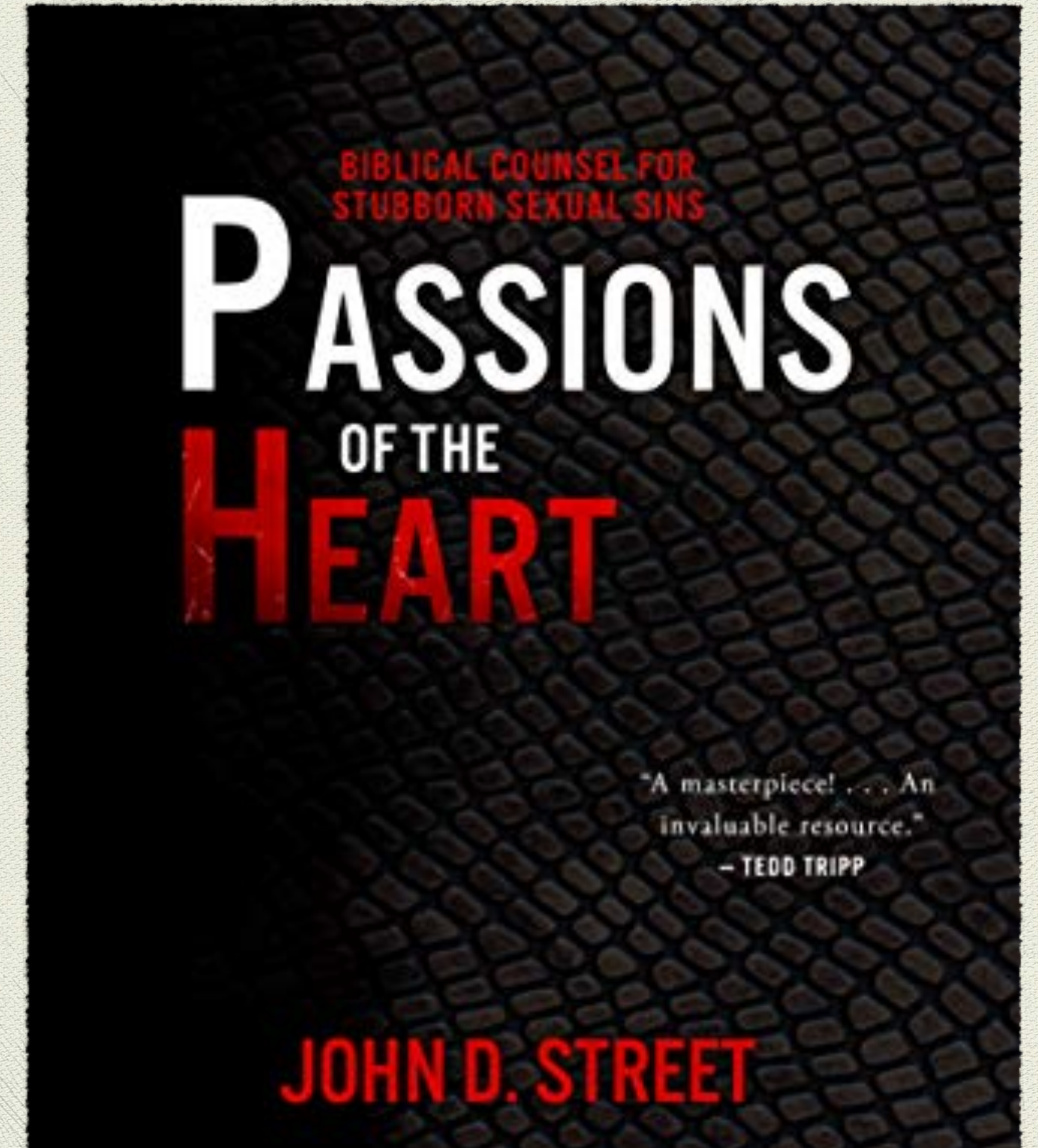
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Motivations of a Hurting Heart

- Anger
- Self-Pity
- Discontentment
- Fear

Motivations of a Hungering Heart

- Self-Reward
- Flattery
- Control
- Comfort



Put off the Deeds of the World

(3:5-11)



Two kinds of worldly deeds to put off...

2. You must put off deeds against others (3:8-11)

- A Challenging Command (3:8)
- A Powerful Motivation (3:9-10)
- A New Reality (3:11)

Take Home

Takeaway

Identify one sin struggle in your life and think carefully through this text as to what the root sin desire might be that is driving it.

Next week's Passage

Colossians 3:12–17

Study Question

In Colossians 3:15, what does letting the peace of Christ rule in your hearts mean and what does it look like in daily living?