



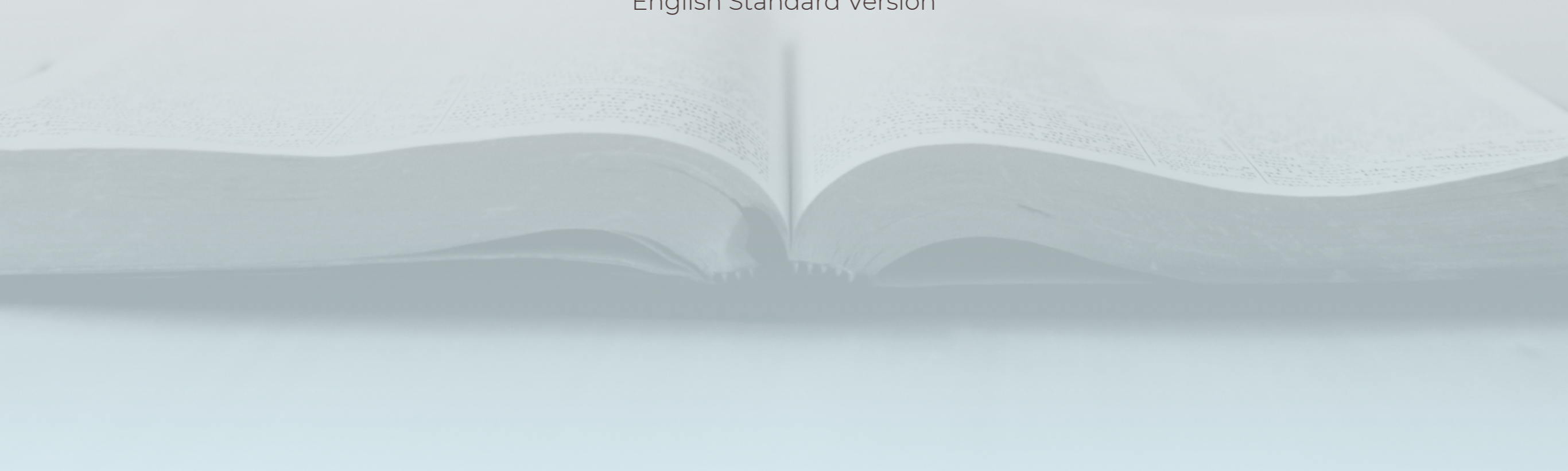




“ For all that is in the world – the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and pride of life – is not from the Father but is from the world. And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever ”

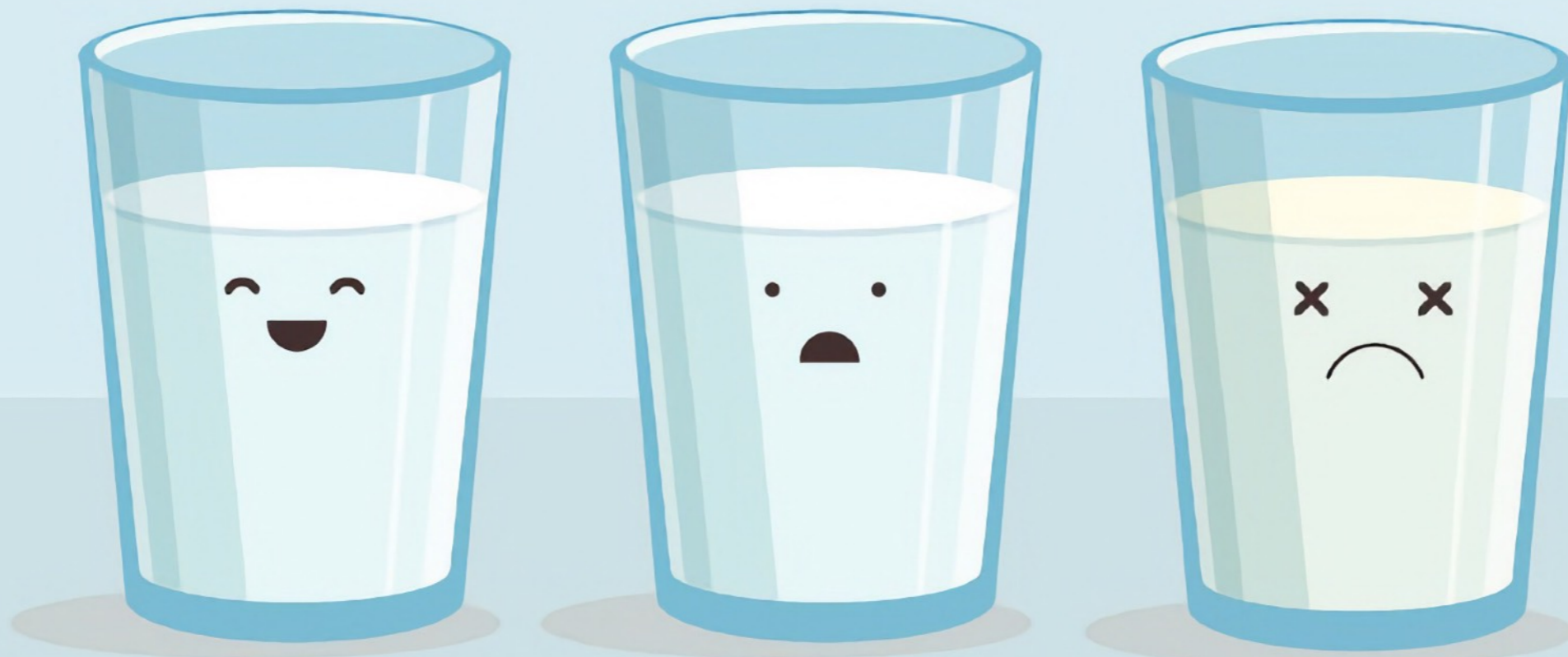
1 John 2:16-17

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See the Passing Pleasure of Sin



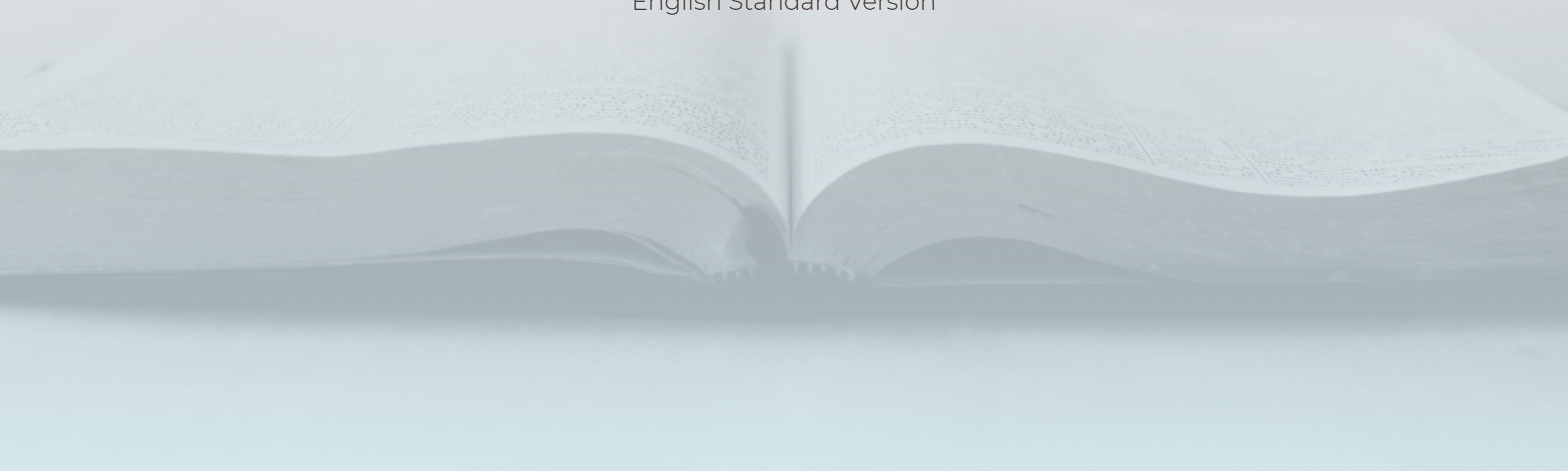
The Big Idea

The pleasure of worldly pursuits doesn't last long, as three men in the Bible learned firsthand.

“It happened, late one afternoon, when David arose from his couch and was walking on the roof of the king’s house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; and the woman was very beautiful.”

2 Samuel 11:2

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David's Lust

2 Sam. 11 • Prov. 5:3-4 • 1 Cor. 9:27



**Will you see beyond the
momentary pleasure, to the
eternal consequences?**

“And Achan answered Joshua, ‘Truly I have sinned against the Lord God of Israel, and this is what I did: when I saw among the spoil a beautiful cloak from Shinar, and 200 shekels of silver, and a bar of gold weighing 50 shekels, then I coveted them and took them. And see, they are hidden in the earth inside my tent, with the silver underneath.’”

Joshua 7:20-21

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Achan's Covetousness

Josh. 7:20-21 • Matt. 5:29-30

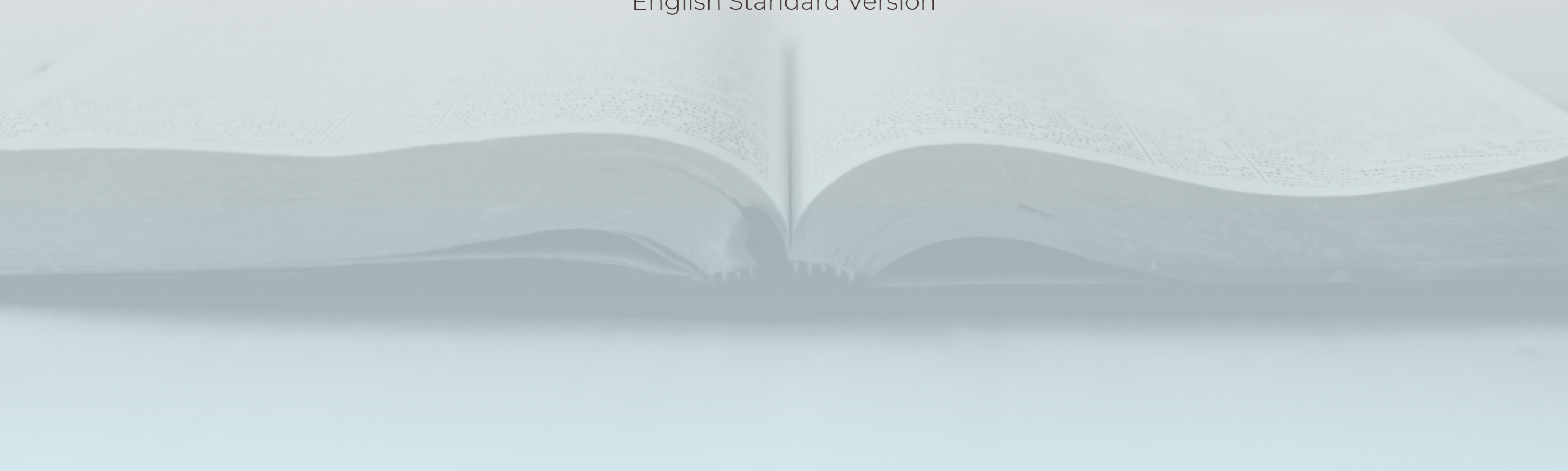


**Will you guard your eyes
against pursuing material
satisfaction?**

“At the end of twelve months he was walking on the roof of the royal palace of Babylon, and the king answered and said, ‘Is not this great Babylon, which I have built by my mighty power as a royal residence and for the glory of my majesty?’ ”

Daniel 4:29-30

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Nebuchadnezzar's Arrogance

Dan. 4:28-33 • Rom. 12:3



**Are you willing to lower
yourself to honor God?**

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