

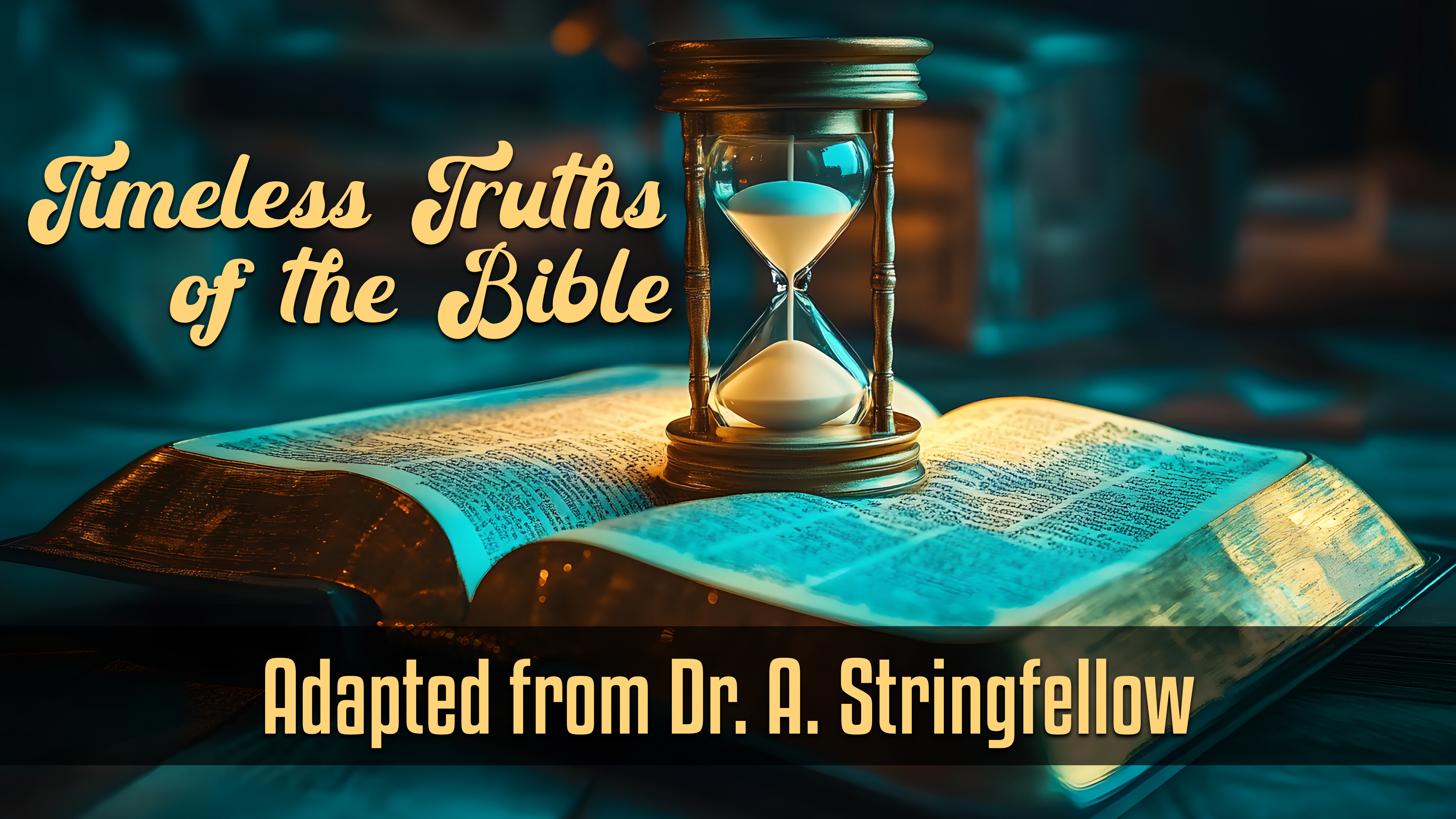
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The Fall of Man

Foundational Scriptures:

Genesis 2:7-25; 3:1-20; 9:3

Psalms 51:5

John 3:16; 5:24

I Thessalonians 5:23

I Corinthians 15:22-53

II Corinthians 5:45, 47

Ephesians 2:1

Romans 5:12-21

Hebrews 9:27

II Timothy 1:9

Man's condition before the Fall

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- **Man could think**
- **Man had responsibilities**

- **Man had responsibilities:**
 - **Name the animals**
 - **Be fruitful / multiply / replenish**
 - **Subdue the earth**
 - **Have dominion over the animals**
 - **Obey God**
 - **Keep the Garden**

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- God's one statute

**Innocence is void of sin because it has
never faced its testing**

**Righteousness is innocence that has been tested
by sin and has been victorious in the testing**

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- Satan's one scheme

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Satan's one scheme:

He caused Eve to doubt God's word

He lied to Eve

He appealed to Eve's pride

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The results of the Fall were immediate:

Shame and fear (Gen 3:10)

Cursed ground (Gen 3:17)

Thorns and Thistles (Gen 3:18)

Labor with sweat (Gen 3:19)

**They knew good without the power to do it and
they knew evil without the power to avoid it**

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- All flesh fell simultaneously

God's Grace

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- **God's Grace is experienced through Jesus, the Redeemer**
- **We (Man) must accept God's gift of Grace to escape the penalty of sin**

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- We are all born in sin
- Sin is our inherited nature
- The only antidote for the poison of sin is faith in Jesus Christ