

Sin Introduced:  
what it is

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**SIN IN YOUR ROOTS: THE REAL PROBLEM**



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**WHEN YOU REALIZE YOU HAVE A PROBLEM INSIDE YOU,  
YOU HAVE A FIGHTING CHANCE TO WIN THE WAR AROUND YOU**

## James 1:12–16

12 Blessed is the man who remains steadfast under trial, for when he has stood the test he will receive the crown of life, which God has promised to those who love him.

13 Let no one say when he is tempted, "I am being tempted by God," for God cannot be tempted with evil, and he himself tempts no one. 14 But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire.

**15 Then desire when it has  
conceived gives birth to  
sin, and sin when it is fully  
grown brings forth death.  
16 Do not be deceived, my  
beloved brothers.**

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food"**

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**"make one  
wise"**



**pride of life**

# 1 Corinthians 15:21–22

21 For as by a man came death,  
by a man has come also the  
resurrection of the dead. 22 For  
as in Adam all die, so also in  
Christ shall all be made alive.

# 1 Corinthians 15:45

45 "The first man Adam became a living being"; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit...

## 1 Corinthians 15:47–48

47 The first man was from the earth, a man of dust; the second man is from heaven. 48 As was the man of dust, so also are those who are of the dust, and as is the man of heaven, so also are those who are of heaven.

sin was original to our  
first parents, but it's not  
particular to them

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# 1. WHERE SIN DOES NOT COME FROM

**12 Blessed is the man who remains steadfast under trial, for when he has stood the test he will receive the crown of life, which God has promised to those who love him.**

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trials aren't sinful...  
they are neutral.



temptations to sin are  
not sinful

when the inward sin leads to outward action, the action isn't your biggest problem... the unseen desire is what needs to be addressed

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# **2. WHERE SIN DOES COME FROM**

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rejecting or ignoring God in  
the world he created,  
rebelling against him by living  
without reference to him,  
not being or doing what he  
requires in his law.

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Every time we sin, we are actively partaking in the first sin by rebelling against God

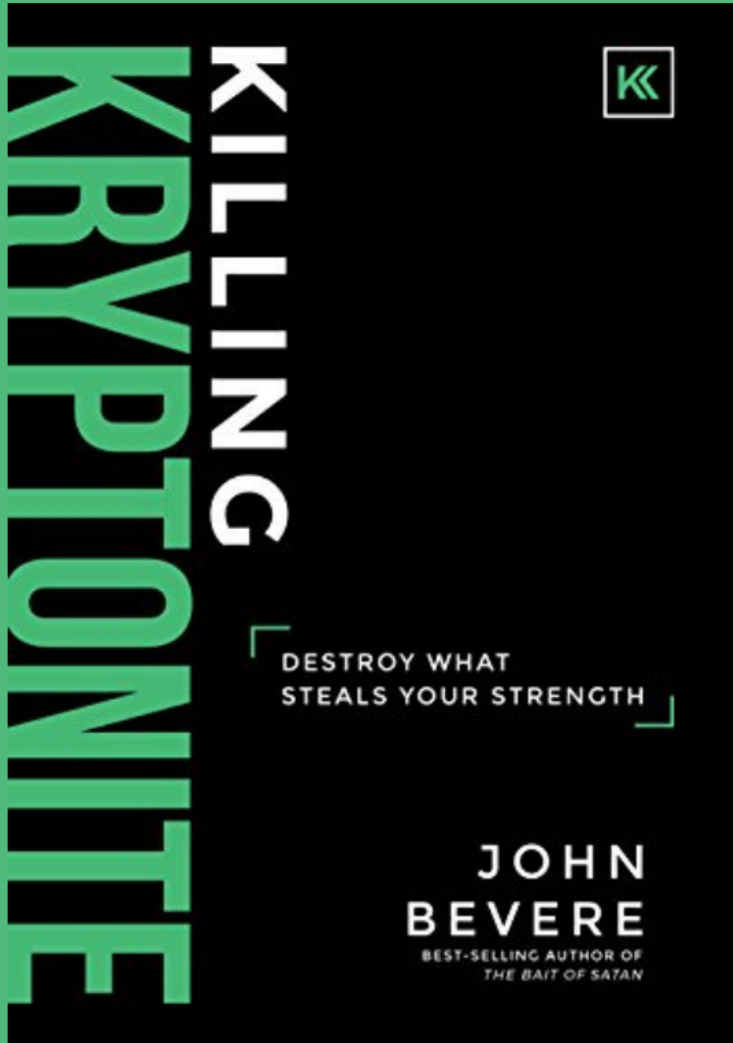
We aren't rebels because  
we rebel; we REBEL because  
we are REBELS



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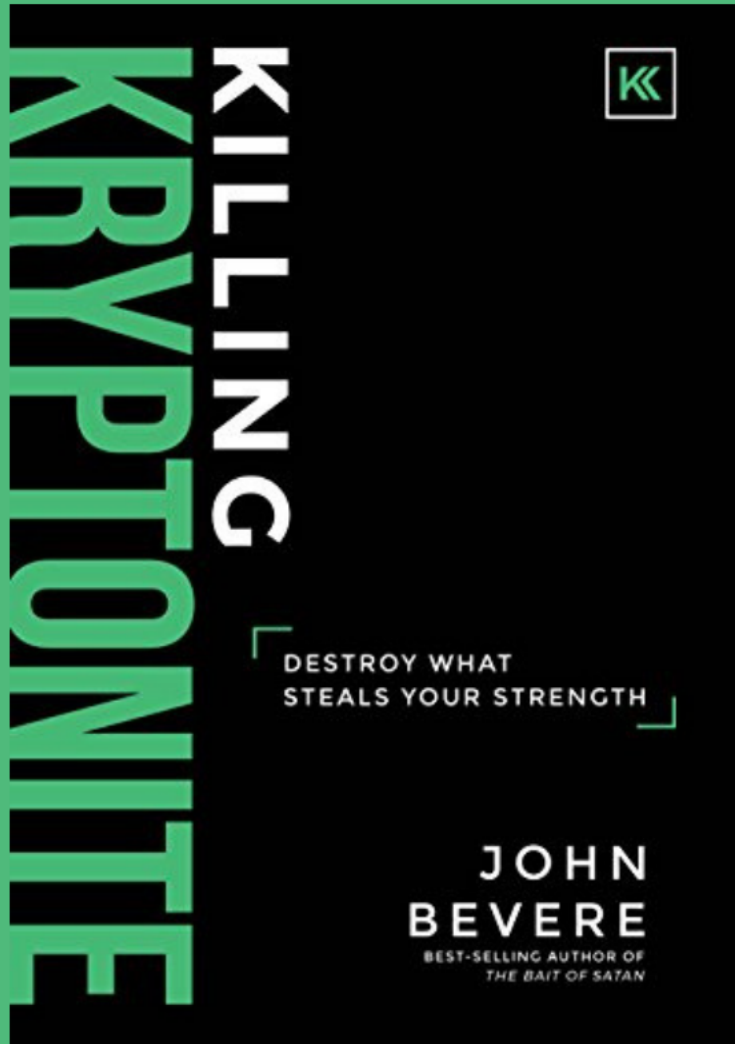
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we cannot gain victory  
over sin, if we won't admit  
what sin is



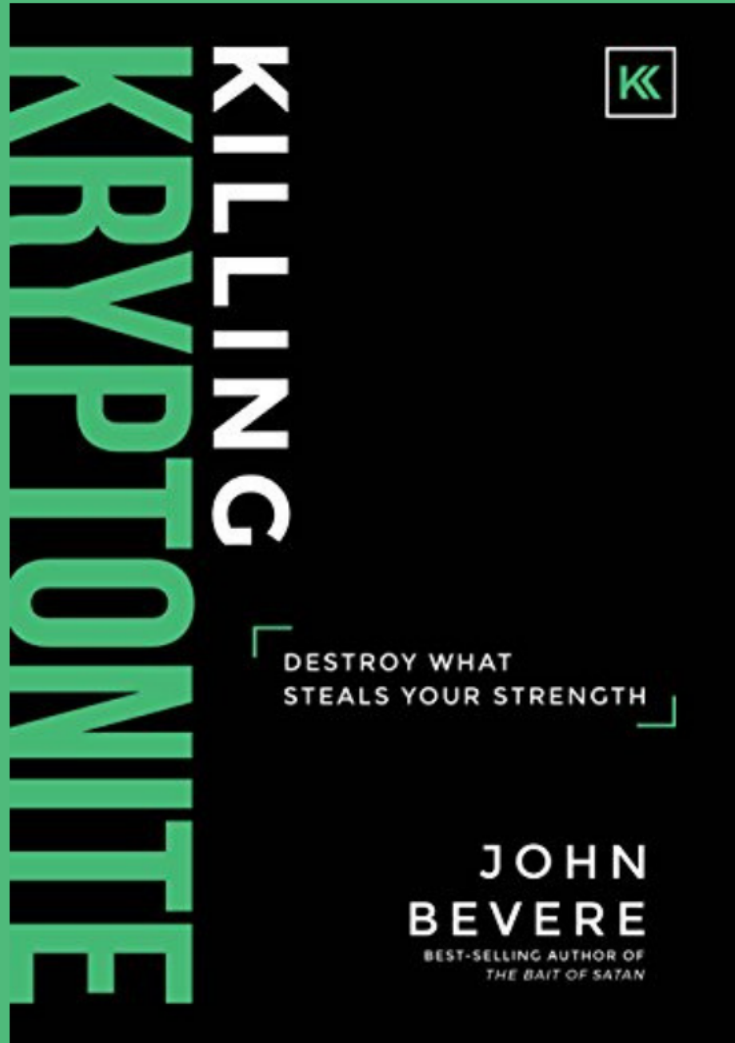
"Let's refer back to Superman. The substance that was dangerous only to him—it removed his strength and rendered him powerless—was kryptonite. Superman had abilities that were otherworldly."

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"He was able to do supernatural feats and possessed paranormal knowledge, keen sensory awareness, extraordinary power, and unwavering character. However, if exposed to kryptonite, Superman became sick and weak—even weaker than the average human being. If exposed to it over a long period of time, he could even die..."

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If sin is not dealt with, it can do to the believer what kryptonite could do to Superman, even to the point of death.

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If we have any hope against our kryptonite, we have to fight it at the level it starts—your desires

# 3. THE TRIUMPH OF SIN

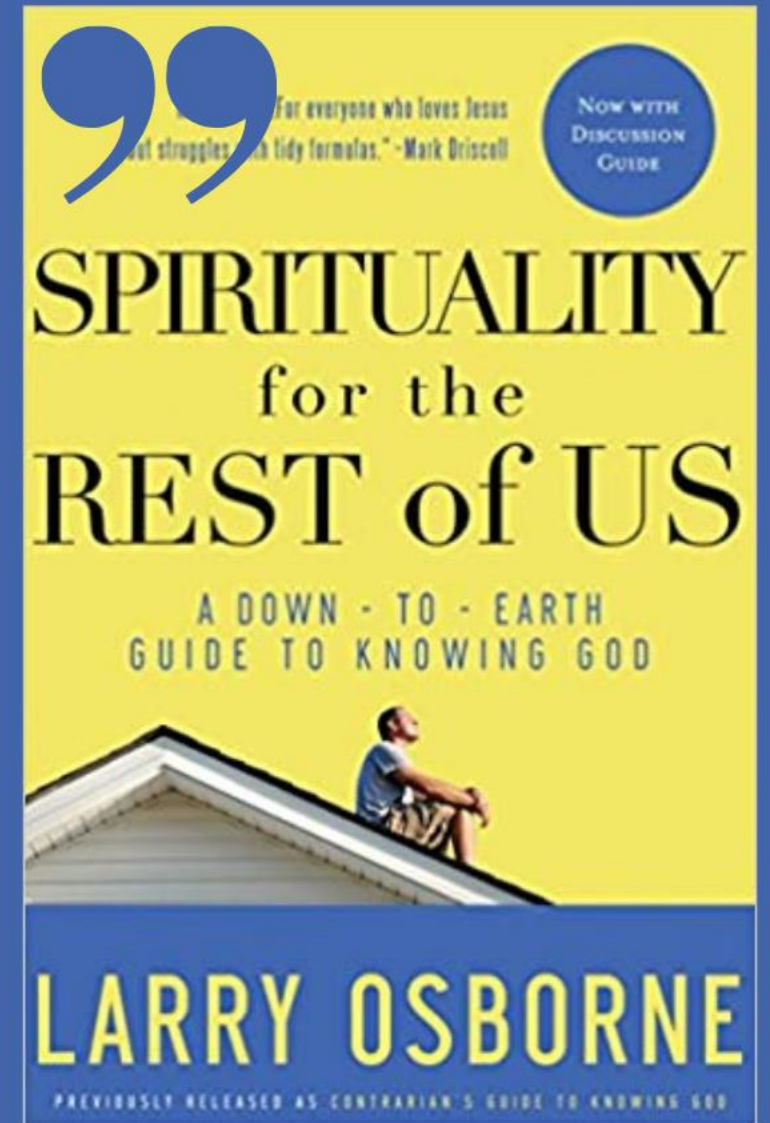
**16 Do not be deceived,  
my beloved brothers.**

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His kryptonite killed him, but  
yours will too... so deal with  
it today.

If the Spirit's job is to provide us with both the will and the power to do God's good purposes, then any time my desire fails to match up with his, it doesn't just call for self-disciplined obedience. It calls for spiritual realignment.



Give God permission to  
change you at the level of  
your deepest desires.

And watch him work.

You are loved

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you are sent