

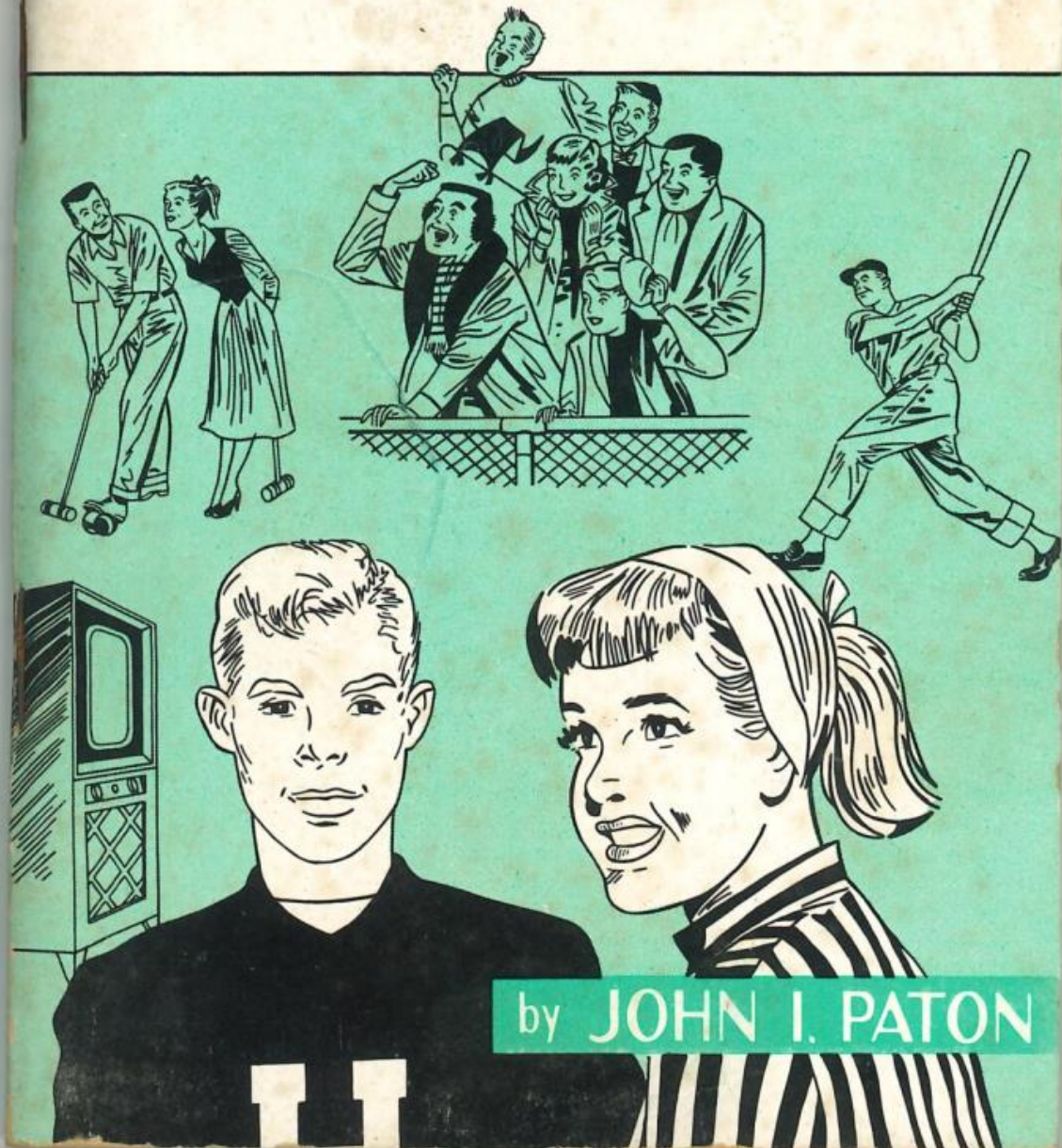
A large, ancient tree with thick, gnarled roots covered in moss and lichen. The roots spread out across the forest floor, which is covered in pine needles and fallen leaves. The background is a dense forest of green trees and foliage.

Ephesians

YOUR LIFE IN CHRIST

Christian

YOUTH and
ENTERTAINMENT



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How NOT to
have fun!!



Ephesians 6:1-3

A photograph of a forest scene. In the foreground, a large, textured tree trunk with prominent roots is visible. The background is filled with dense green foliage. A dark, semi-transparent rectangular overlay covers the middle portion of the image, containing the text "Honor your parents for life." in white, sans-serif font.

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Exodus 21:15, 17, Deuteronomy 21:18-21

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1 Timothy 5:3-4

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3. You'll want to! (3)

Exodus 20:12, Proverbs 1:8-9

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3. I'm not going to STOP BEING
AROUND my parents.
(With appropriate boundaries)

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Your Challenge:

What one thing can you do today to honor your parents?

- Honor them
- Honor their memory

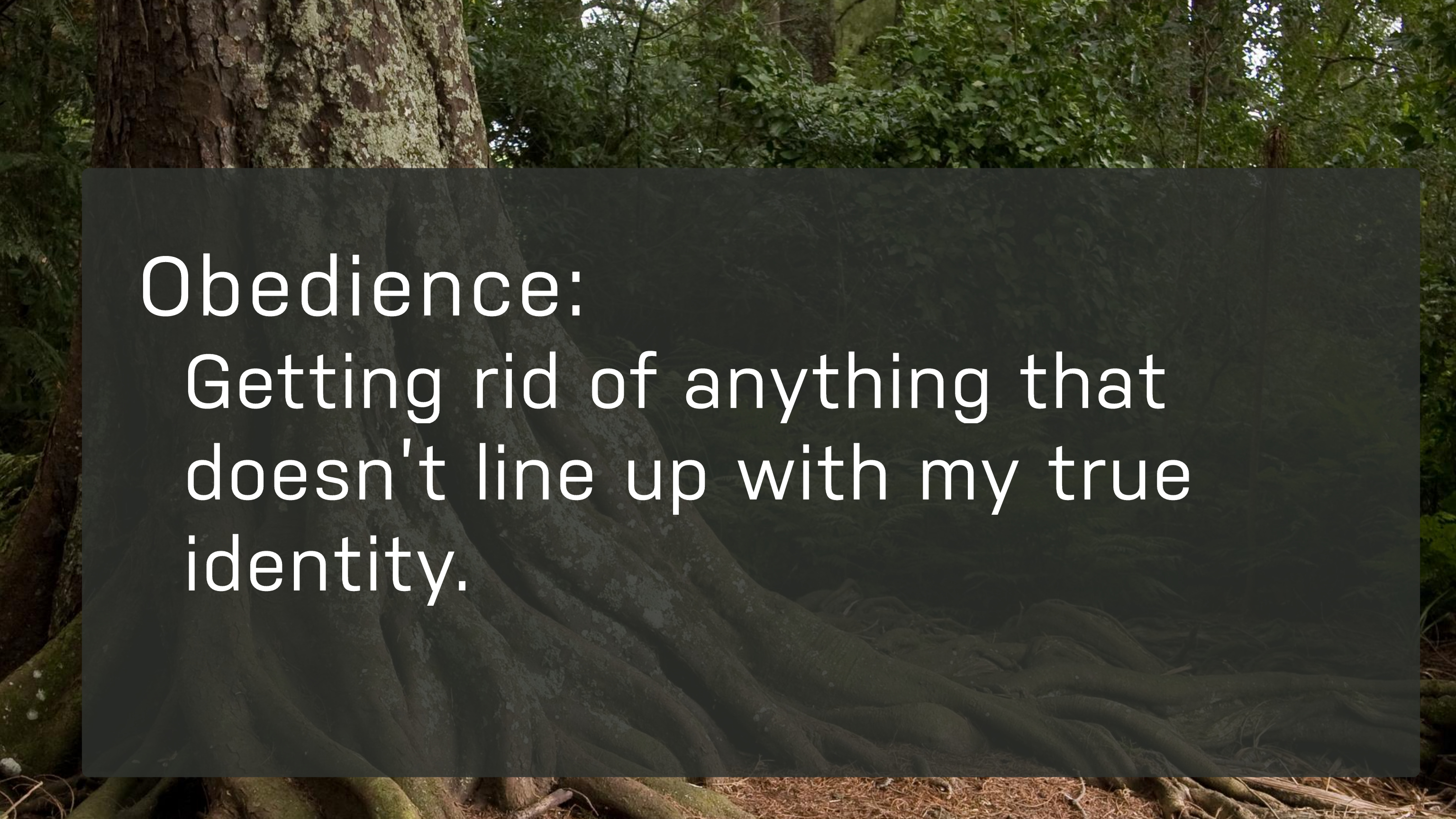
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“The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.”

- John 10:10



Obedience:
Getting rid of anything that
doesn't line up with my true
identity.

Getting it right:

Orthodoxy – right doctrine

Ephesians 1-3

Orthopraxy – right practice

Ephesians 4-6

ETERNAL

Unseen

Seen

TEMPORAL

“I am...”

ETERNAL

Unseen

Seen

TEMPORAL

“I am becoming...”