

"Carpe Aeternitatum!" 1 John 2:15-17

I. John	warns his readers	against setting their	
_		on this world (2:15a).	
a. Those who love the world do not have the love		e the world do not have the love of	
	the	in them (2:15b).	
b	. All that	out of the world's	
	system of think	system of thinking did not come from God and is	
	opposed to God	l (2:16).	
II. John	clarifies his mean	ing of "love of the world" through	
tł	nree phrases (2:16)):	
a	Lust of the	speaks to human cravings.	
b	. Lust of the	speaks to the human desire	
	for acquisition.		
Colossians 3:5			
c	Pride of	speaks to human desire for	
	security, standing	ng, and recognition.	
Kings 20:12-	19; Galatians 6:14; F	Psalm 34	

III. John seeks to lift his readers' eyes to a		
	goal (2:17):	
a.	One cause of rejecting the lusts of the world is that	
	they and are passing away (2:17a).	
b.	The one doing the will of God	
	into eternity (2:17b).	