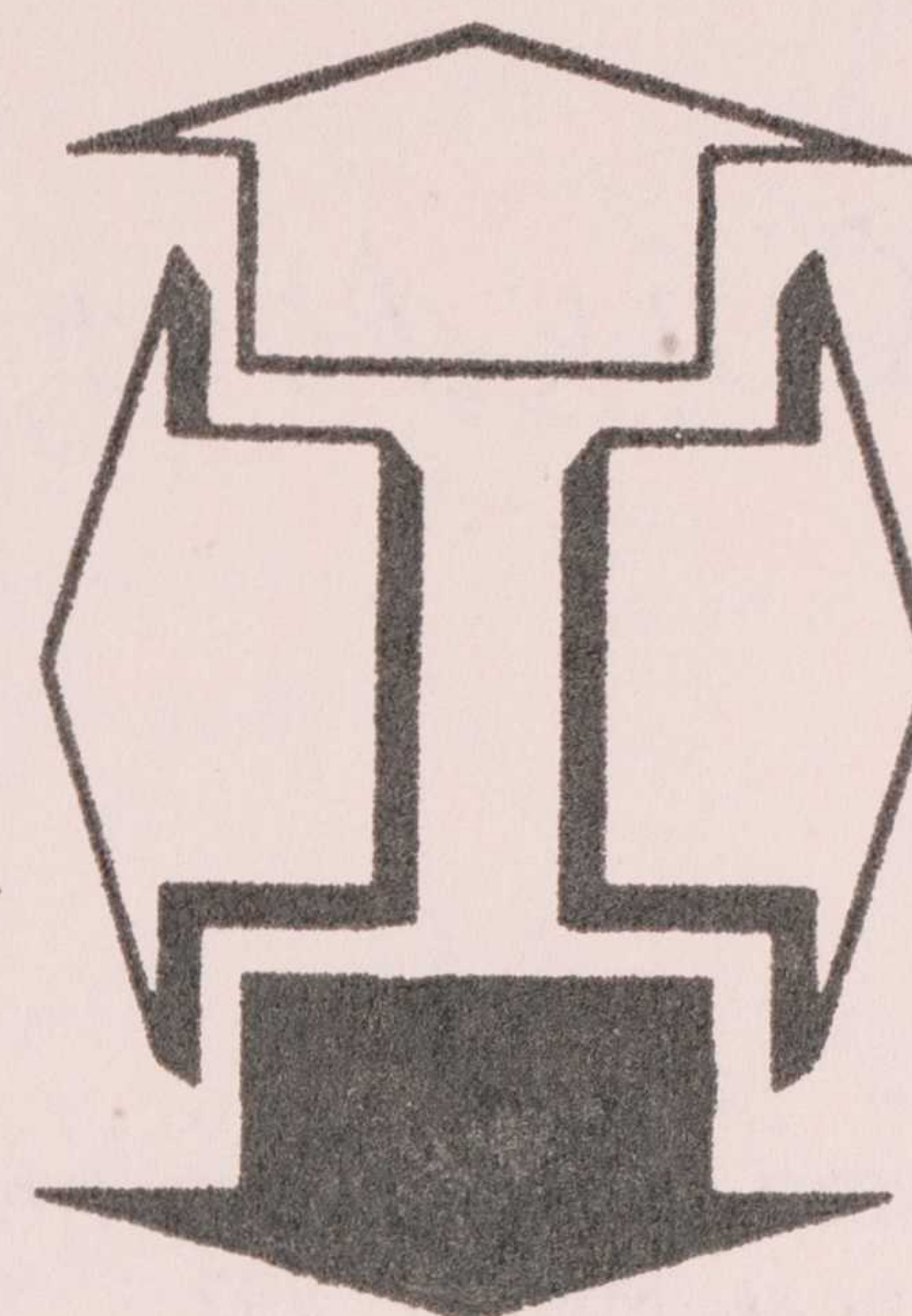


OUR HEARTS HIDDEN DEPTHS

"whose adorning (Cosmos: world)---ie: Whose world,
* * let it be THE HIDDEN MAN of the HEART."
1st PETER 3:4.



The wisdom of our Creator is in nothing seen more gloriously than the human heart...BEATING!

It was necessary that it should be made capable of working tirelessly without the cessation of a moment ...without the least degree of weariness. It is so made; and the power of it's Creator, in so constructing it, can in nothing be exceeded except by His wisdom.

But: The depths of our human heart---who can know it?

Though we humans live in town and cities, and are social beings...each one of us is a world to himself, we have an orbit of our own, an atmosphere all our own. We are even apart from those who have the closest material and mental contact with us.

But in the human heart lies the abysses of life into which no eye but the eye of God can pierce.

All of us have tears...

Our tears may be dried up, but the heart, never!

For the heart has a sigh lonelier than the cry of the bittern.

None but God can satisfy the longings of our soul; for as the heart was made for Him, so He only can fill it.

THE HEART OF MAN HAS HIDDEN DEPTHS OF SORROW...

There is bitterness in every human heart.

There is the bitterness of disappointed love---

The soul recoils with hidden agony at the discovery it's affections have been thwarted, misplaced.

There is the bitterness of bereavement---

Rachel weeping for her lost Children; and David's lament for Absalom. Have you been there?

There is the bitterness of moral remorse---

The guilty conscience tells us relentlessly that we might have done a great deal better than we have. All this is hidden where it is most deep...out of sight, but NOT out of mind! Scripture declares the heart is fraudulent, crooked, polluted...

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