Thag 1.18 — Sigāla’s Father

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Text

Verses of the Senior Monks 1.18

The Book of the Ones

Chapter Two

Sigāla’s Father

There was an heir of the Buddha,

a monk in Bhesakaḷā forest,

who suffused the entire earth

with the perception of bones.

I think he will quickly

get rid of sensual desire.