

BIBLICAL SEXUALITY
Journeyman, March 6, 2013
PART III: SEXUALITY AND MARITAL DYNAMICS
Session 7: "Sexual Intimacy in Marriage"

CONTEMPORARY COMPETING PHILOSOPHIES

- | Puritan | Puritan |
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| • Denial | • Demand |
| • Prohibition | • Permission |
| • Repression | • Exploitation |
| • Sin | • Sale |
| • Emphasize the Spirit | • Emphasize the body |
| • Tool for Propagation | • Thing for Pleasure |
| • Nothing | • Everything |

A CLEAR BIBLICAL PHILOSOPHY

A definition of sex:

Sex is a gift from God given as human glue to cement two people into one.

This human glue is powerful.

This human glue is personal.

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The benefits of sex:

- Propagation
- For the pleasure of mutual love.

Genesis 3:16

Deuteronomy 24:5

Proverbs 5:1-23

Song of Solomon

- For the prevention of sexual impurity.

MALE AND FEMALE MISCONCEPTIONS

- For women, sex is only about emotional bonding.
- For men, sex is only about physical gratification.

The cycle of isolation:

Men		Women
P > E > S >	S E X	< S < P < E

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION

1. Generally speaking, would your parent's view of sex be more in line with the puritan or the playboy philosophy? In which direction would you tend to lean today? Why?
2. After looking at what the Bible says about sex, would you say God is pro-sex or anti-sex? Are you surprised by your findings? How important is sex in the life of the married person? Why is sex dangerous for people who are unmarried?
3. Suppose a married man told you that his wife refused to have sex with him because she didn't feel he was interested in meeting her emotional needs. What advice would you give to him?
4. What obstacles would you need to overcome to improve your view of sex and its value in a marriage?

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When & Where:

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March 24, 2013

Hill Country Bible Church

12124 RR 620 North Austin TX 78750

8:00 am – 1:30 pm

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