



Masculine Depravity?

I. Tendencies of Masculine Depravity

- A. Men have a tendency to avoid _____ responsibility.

- B. Men tend to _____ over women and children.

- C. Men tend to get lost in _____ and lose sight of their _____ cause.

II. Encouraging the Men in Your Life.

- A. _____ their strengths and responsibilities and _____ their struggles.

- B. Place _____ for leadership on _____.

- C. Let them _____.

- D. _____.

Discussion Questions:

1. From our reflection assignment last week: Consider your current relational and circumstantial challenges and difficulties. How have you tried to deal with them in the past? Factoring in the possibility of depravity being true, indicating you have personal blind-spots and problems that come from inside rather than outside, how might you shift your approach?
2. Regarding the men in your life, does it make a difference to understand their struggles as something they shares with other men? How so?
3. What are some things that women tend to do that actually “feed” male depravity? Why do we do these things?
4. Think of an area of life in which you struggle. In what ways do other people help you or harm you as you deal with this issue?
5. What is something you could *easily* do differently to help/encourage the men in your life in areas they are challenged? Is there anything you could do to help/encourage them that you would find really *hard*?