



## Sex & Our Worldview

Genesis 1:27

Romans 1:27

#### **TOP DEFINITION**

### worldview

- -a particular philosophy of life or conception of the world
- -the way you look at the world around you
- -how you view the world is based off of your presuppositions
- you use your worldview everyday whether you know it or not. it is why people act the way they act.

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Genesis 1:27

"That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become **one flesh**."

Genesis 2:24

Social Principles of The Methodist Church in Singapore (Para 84.3, Pg. 35 – God's Gift of Sex)

"We consider the practice of homosexuality to be incompatible with Christian teachings.

However, we do recognize that homosexual persons are individuals of sacred worth.

They need the ministry and guidance of the Church as well as the spiritual and emotional support of a caring fellowship."

Another Worldview:

We live in a fallen world

God knows we are weak & fallen

He understands our struggles, that it's not fair

So He says, please go ahead, do what your heart desires

You will be happy, so will I.

"You shall not lie with a male as with a woman. It is an abomination.

Nor shall you mate with any animal, to defile yourself with it.

Nor shall any woman stand before an animal to mate with it. It is perversion."

**Leviticus 18:22-23** 

"Because of this, God gave them over to shameful lusts. Even their women exchanged natural sexual relations for unnatural ones. In the same way the men also abandoned natural relations with women and were inflamed with lust for one another. Men committed shameful acts with other men, and received in themselves the due penalty for their error."

Romans 1:26-27

"Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived. Neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, nor sodomites, nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards ... will inherit the kingdom of God." 1 Corinthians 6:9-10

"For if you live according to the flesh you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live." Romans 8:13

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"God never intended that man could find the true meaning of his sexuality in any other relationship than that of the total self-giving involved

"So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply ..." Genesis 1:27-28

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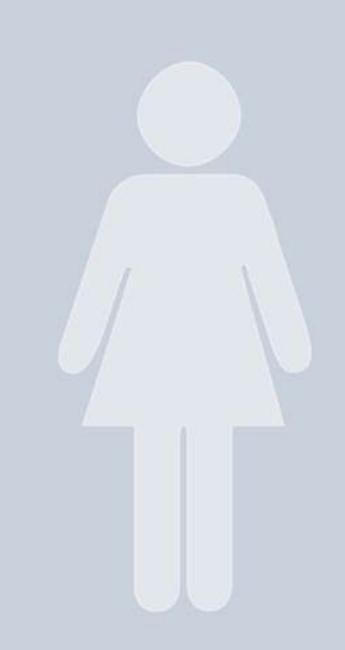
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But He says, my grace is sufficient for you.

Be happy in me,

Be holy for me.

Jesus' disciples said to Him, "If such is the case of the man with his wife, it is better not to marry." But He said to them, "All cannot accept this saying, but only those to whom it has been given: For there are eunuchs who were born thus from their mother's womb, and there are eunuchs who were made eunuchs by men, and there are eunuchs who have made themselves eunuchs for the kingdom of heaven's sake. He who is able to accept it, let him accept it."

Matthew 19:10-12

"When we are clear about our mission and purpose in life – whether we marry or remain single, it would be for the sake of God and His Kingdom."

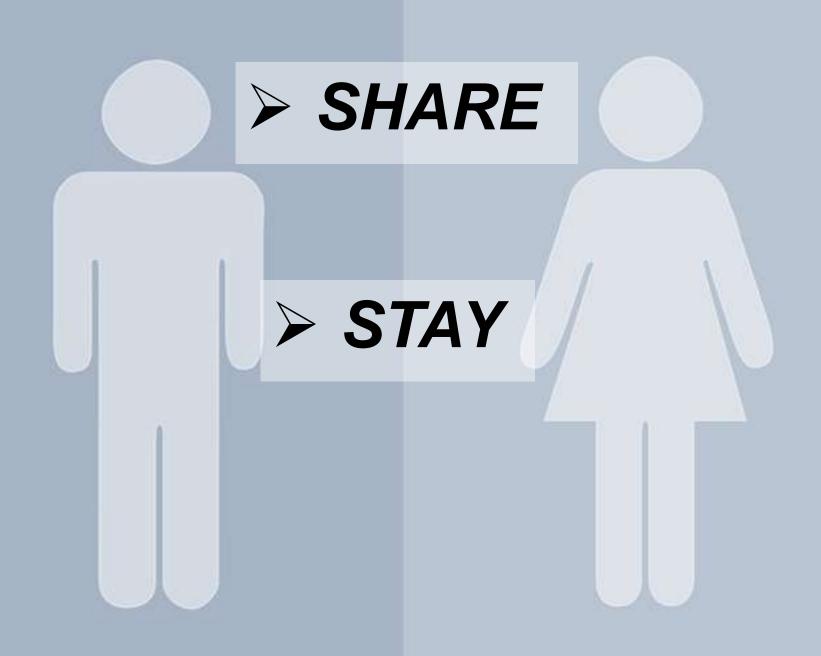
("Why Sex?", PMC Sermon 7 June 2015)

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### NCCS Statement On Pink Dot (25 June 2014)

"The Council also wishes to state that while it does not condone homosexual or bi-sexual practices, it also does not condemn those who are struggling with their gender identity and sexual orientation.

The Council therefore urges members of the Christian community to always act with grace and restraint should they engage with the LGBT community over the coming event."



Not having sex does not make you a lesser men. Having sex all the time does not make you a more loved woman.

What ultimately matters is not that we are "in love", but that we are "in Christ".

("Why Sex?", PMC Sermon 7 June 2015)

"I urge you therefore ... by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God ...

And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God." Romans 12:1-2



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