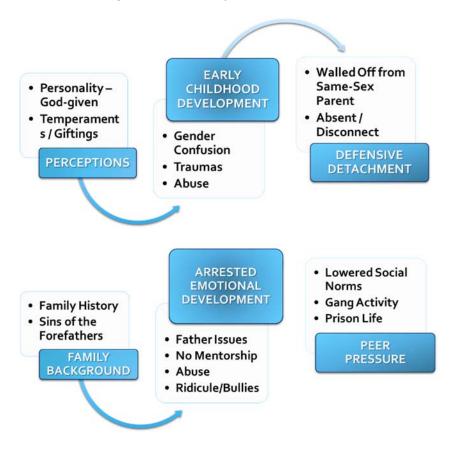
Homosexuality – An Overview

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SCRIPTURE AND CAUSALITEIS

- Understanding Homosexuality Through the Scripture is Very Important
- O REVIEW OF SCRIPTURE:
 - Old Testament Verses: Gen. 18:16-33, Gen. 19:1-28, Lev. 18:22-23, Lev. 20:13,
 Deut. 23:17, 1 Kings 14:24, 1 Kings 15:12, 1 Kings 22:46, 2 Kings 23:7, Deut. 22:5,
 Ezek. 16:49-50
 - o that Jesus never said anything about homosexuality.
 - More New Testament Verses: Rom. 1:22-32, 1 Cor. 6:9-11, Eph. 5:5-7, Jude 1:3-7, 1 Tim. 1:8-14, Rev. 21:6-8, Rev. 22:12-15
 - New Testament Verses: John 8:7 story Very Important in Context of the argument

Understanding Homosexuality – An Overview (short version)



COMMON CAUSES EXPLAINED - EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

1. Father Wound & Defensive Detachment

- Arrested Emotional Development *
- Perceptions from Temperament *
- o Bottom-Line: Doesn't Add Up

2. Lack of Mentorship - No Role Models

- Strong Feminizing Influences (males)
- o Strong Masculine Influences (females)

3. Mother Wound / Broken View of The Feminine

- Dominant mother / Husbanding / "Girl-friend"
- o Femininity unsafe wounded mother

4. Mother Wound / Broken View of The Feminine – FEMALE HOMOSEXUALITY Defensive Detachment in Female Homosexuality

o Men are unsafe

5. Sexual Distortions & Sexual Abuse

- o Pornography & Exhibitionism mental, emotional and visual distortion
- Verbal seduction emotional distortion (Arrested Emotions)
- Sexual Abuse & Molestation
 - Incest & Rape
 - o Our ministry experience reveals more than 65% men 80% of the women

6. Environment Factors' Affect on Temperament and Personality Traits

- o Sensitivity / Artistic / Emotional
- o Rough, Tough & Tumble
 - "He (she) is just different."
- ARRESTED EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

7. Adoption - Rejection / Identity Conflict / Self Acceptance

Adoption = Rejection = Never good enough

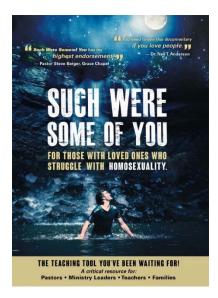
8. Identity conflict and confusion through:

- o Peer pressure
 - Gang activity
 - New social pressures (fads / Hollywood)
- Prison Life
 - Sexual perversions
 - Forced
 - Accepted



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MINISTERING AND PASTORAL CARE

MINISTERING HOPE ~ THE BEGINNING HEALING OF THE ROOTS OF HOMOSEXUALITY

- Healing & Change can ONLY come when:
 - o You **REALLY WANT** to change"
 - It is a FIGHT "a fight of faith"
 - You <u>UNDERSTAND</u> the "whys" of "same sex attraction"
 - Your own history
 - Identify the conflicts and roots (receive ministry & counseling).
 - Understand and <u>Embrace A Process</u> of Change with a Purpose "Sanctification Process"



Practice Spiritual Warfare - A Cultivated Prayer Life

 $\circ \quad \hbox{Spiritual Oppression / Warfare} \\$

Eph. 6:10-12, 1 Pet. 5:8, John 10:10

Verse 12: For we are not fighting against people made of flesh and blood, but against persons without bodies, the evil rulers of the unseen world, those mighty satanic beings and great evil princes of darkness who rule this world; and against huge numbers of wicked spirits in the spiritual unseen world. (from the Living Bible – paraphrased)

IN CONCLUSION CONCERNING MINISTERING - REMEMBER:

Homosexuality is rooted in:

- Same Sex Parent Deficits
- Environmental Factors
 - Abuse Family Peers Unhealthy Relating
- Lack of Nurture not Nature (not genetic)
- o Lack of Mentoring
- o Early Childhood Developmental Issues
- o Perceptions and Identity Conflicts with Temperaments
- ARRESTED EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

NO ONE IS BORN GAY

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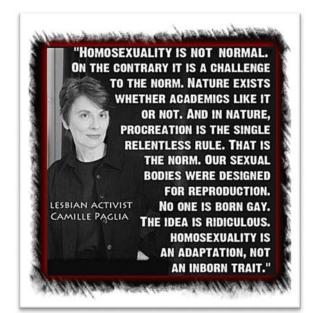
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Physiologically – revealing how the brain functions with sexuality and the reproductive system – the design clearly reveals a heterosexual divine intent.

Biology 101 – reveals in the study of all living creatures that homosexuality is not viable and that ONLY heterosexuality produces life.

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PREPARING TO MINISTER WITH COMPASSION

Are you a safe person?
Are you a secret keeper?
Are you compromising your own spiritual walk with God?
Are you loving a life of transparency and integrity?
Are you open about your own weakness – What does your sin look like?
Do you demonstrate real Christ-likeness / humility?

