



Overview of God's Divine Intent for Human Sexuality

Understanding LGBTQ+ Sin Bringing Into Light The Leaven & Corruption &



Ministering Compassionately – Practical Avenues of Ministry Becoming A Church That Matters

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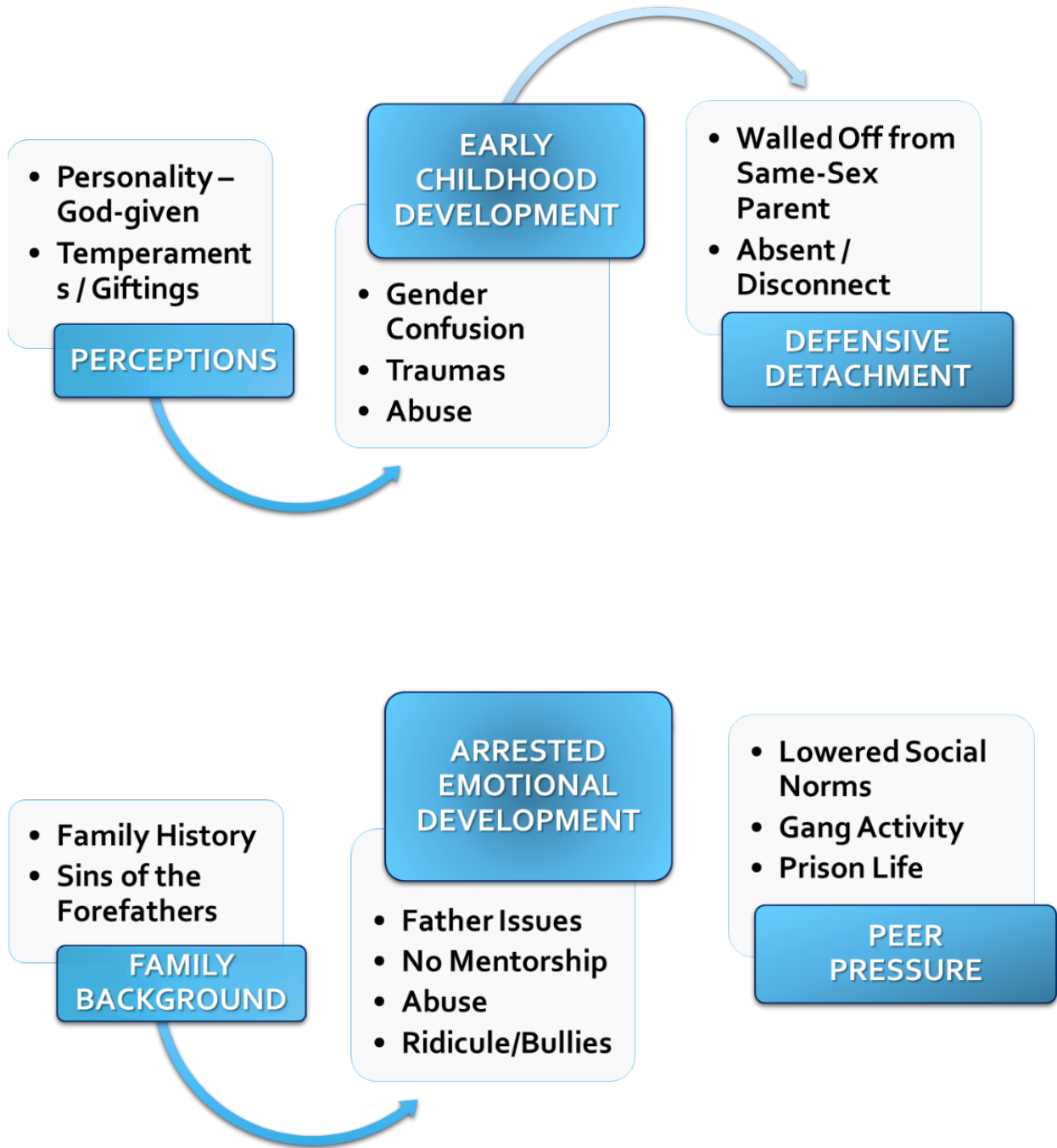
AN OVERVIEW OF HOMOSEXUALITY – INTRODUCTION & SCRIPTURE – UNDERSTANDING

- **Answering Questions**
 - What is homosexuality?
 - Can One Really Be Set Free?
 - Is One Born Homosexual?
 - Causalities?
- **Through Teaching:**
 - Testimony
 - Biblical Truth
 - Some Psychological Perspectives
 - GIVE HOPE!
 - This can be overwhelming as the issues are complex and not identical to everyone or to every family dynamic.
 - The desire is to establish truth and, with Truth establish hope for freedom.
- **Romans 1 – Let CREATION Speak – (Video Clip) – The Majesty of the Creator's Mind**
- **DNA – XX and XY**
- **KNOWING THE WORD OF GOD is Imperative to minister**
 - **Starter/Foundational Passages** Gen. 1:26-28; Gen. 9:13, 2 Peter 3:10-13
 - **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, Job 36:14
 - **New Testament Verses:** John 8:1-12; **Rom. 1:18-32, 1 Cor. 6:9-11**, Gal. 5:19-21, **Eph. 5:5-7**, Col. 3:5-7; 1 Tim. 1:8-11; Jude 1:3-7, Rev. 21:6-8, Rev. 22:12-15
 - **10 PASSAGES OF SCRIPTURE DEALING WITH HOMOSEXUALITY & SEXUAL IMPURITY IN BOTH OLD & NEW TESTAMENTS (not just "clobber" verses)**

AN OVERVIEW OF HOMOSEXUALITY

- The Power of Grace in the Testimony (Psa. 19:7 & Rev. 12:11)
- Causality of Homosexuality Heard in Testimonies
- Ministering with Compassion – Becoming the Church that Matters
- Resources

SOME COMMON CAUSES TO HOMOSEXUALITY—OVERALL



LGBTQ+ CHAOS & THE LEAVEN AND COMPROMISE ATTACKING THE CHURCH

The Normalization of LGBTQ+ (pay attention to the plus sign) in the Culture and Education Systems

- **LGBTQ+ History**
- **2015 Transgenderism & Transmania Normalized**
 - **Bruce Jenner**
 - **ESPN**
 - **NEA – National Education Association**
 - **APA – American Psychological Association**
 - **MAPS & YAPS – Minor Attracted Persons, Youth Attracted Persons**
 - **AMA – American Medical Association**
 - **BIG PHARMA**
- **Normalizing LGBTQ+ to Elementary School Aged Children**
 - **Transgenderism** – historical numbers of children wanting to transition
 - **DRAG QUEEN STORY HOUR** (www.dragqueenstoryhour.org)
- **WHY? A HUGE EVENTS in the 2015 – Ruling Gave Way to Pervert Marriage in the USA**
 - **Supreme Court Ruling – June 26, 2015 Obergefell v. Hodges**
 - **Bostick vs. Clayton County 2020 – Equality Act?**
- **New Documentaries Bring Corruption into the Culture and Even into The Church**
 - 2007 – “for the Bible tells me so” <http://www.forthebibletellsmeso.org/>
 - 2018 – “Boy Erased” <https://www.focusfeatures.com/boy-erased>
 - 2020 – “for they know not what they do” <https://www.fortheyknow.org/>
 - 2020 – “CONVERSION” <https://conversionmovie.com>
 - 2021 – “Pray Away” <https://www.prayawayfilm.com/>
 - 2021 – “1946” <https://www.1946themovie.com/>
 - 2024 – “This Is Me” – Paul Sanchez project – infiltration of ministry.
 - (AND MORE PROMISED)
- **Heretical Documentaries – the messaging being believed by more than 60% of Youth in the Youth Groups in USA across all denominations – the propaganda is working.**

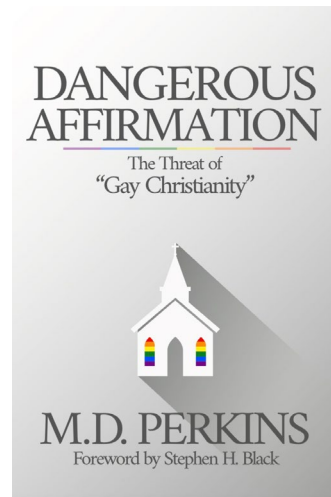
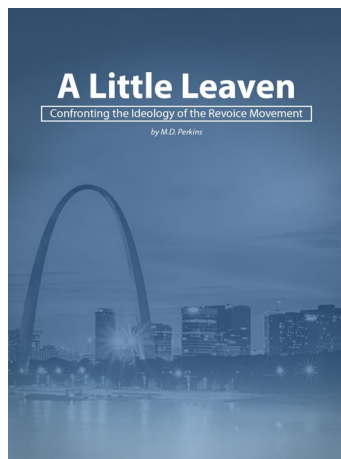
HOW DID WE GET HERE WITH SUCH CORRUPTION AND COMPROMISE IN EVANGELICAL CHURCHES in 2000-2022?

Just in the last 20 years what has transpired?

- **2000 -- Justin Lee forms the Gay Christian Network** the development of Side A & Side B to welcome “celibate gay Christians” together with practicing homosexuals. (See Differing Views on Christianity, Identity and Homosexuality -<https://www.stephenblack.org/blog/post/differing-views-on-christianity-identity-and-homosexuality>)
- **Justin Lee influences Alan Chambers and many evangelical leaders** to the buy of “Torn” book opining the LGBTQ+ need for acceptance.
- **2001 -- Corruption in Exodus International – Alan Chambers becomes Executive Director with Clark Whitten as Chairman of the Board of Directors – by 2008 Whitten’s Perverted Hyper Grace Messaging was promoted to ALL Leaders in Exodus.** (see: <https://www.stephenblack.org/blog/post/in-alan-chambers-own-words>)

- **Antinomianism (Hyper-grace tolerated) for the sake of civility and compassion in Evangelical Leadership**
- **2010 DA Carson and Mark Yarhouse – White Paper on Christian Perspective to introduce “Sexual Minorities” as viable to The Gospel Coalition – Sam Allbery’s influence in the TGC – from England’s “LIVING OUT MINISTRIES” – More pro-gay Christian Corruption**
- **Same as Rev. 2 – Teachings of the Nicolaitans**
- **2012 Spiritual Friendship Site** – further corruption with LGBTQ+ Cuddle Buddies, normalizing Same-sex attractions/LUST as good and even holy, Wesley Hill, Mark Yarhouse, Ron Belgae, Nate Collins, Eve Tushnet, Greg Johnson, Gregory Coles, Preston Sprinkle and several others promoting “Friendships” that are based on SSA and codependent behavior leading to perversion.
- **2013 The Reformation Project by Matthew Vines** <https://reformationproject.org/>
- **2014 Ethics and Religious Commission Conference on LGBTQ+ --** Albert Mohler leads the way of “repenting” for not believing in Orientation – Embracing Sexual Minorities for the church. Nate Collins is at SBTs teaching inclusivity. Russell Moore leads discussion on pro-gay celibate panel discussion Rosaria Butterfield, Christopher Yuan and Jackie Hill Perry. Many SBC Leaders leave conference very confused.
- **2015 People to Be Loved: Why Homosexuality Is Not Just an Issue** – corruption of leaven endorsed by Francis Chan and Matt Chandler (see <https://www.centerforfaith.com/about/endorsements>)
- **2016 Wesley Hill’s Book, “Washed & Waiting”** to promote LGBTQ+ Christianity in many Gospel Coalition, SBC, PCA and Acts 29 Churches and Leaders.
- **2018 JD Greear – President of the Southern Baptist’s** promotes Gender Pronoun Hospitality, Dances with gay staff member with Whitney Houston lip-sync, “Gotta Love Somebody” on church platform (frivolity of LGBTQ+ life and demotes the holiness of God for the SBC). Promotes CRT.
- **2020 Mark Yarhouse** Exposed in promoting Transgender Christianity and giving counsel to for Christians to transition to the opposite sex. Yarhouse continues to be promoted by the American Association of Christian Counselors and is on staff with Wheaton College. Yarhouse is one man who has influenced many leaders in The Gospel Coalition, SBC, PCA and other evangelical leaders to be dumb-down in holiness regarding LGBTQ+ Sexual Minorities as an acceptable and legitimized for the evangelical church.

2021-2022 -- New Resources From American Family Association’s MD Perkins, Research Fellow to bring further exposure and clarification on REVOICE and The Dangers of Affirming Gay Christianity in the Church. (A Little Leaven – Online <https://afa.net/alittleleaven>)



UNDERSTANDING HOMOSEXUALITY COMMON CAUSES EXPLAINED – EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

1. Father Wound

- Absent Father / Emotional Detached
- Hostile / Angry / Scary
- Rejecting / Ambivalence
- Physical Abuse
- No Affirmation Of Healthy Masculinity
- No Affection – Passive

2. Defensive Detachment

- Arrested Emotional Development ★
- Perceptions from Temperament ★

- Bottom-Line: Doesn't Add Up

3. Lack Of Mentorship – No Role Models

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

4. Mother Wound / Broken View Of The Feminine

- 4A – Male Homosexuality in struggling with Mother Wound
- Distortions and Misogyny of Females

Dominant mother / Husbanding / “Girl-friend”

- Femininity unsafe – wounded mother
 - Manipulation
 - Control
 - Gender Bashing
 - Broken Marriages
 - Classic Lesbianism

- 4B – Female Homosexuality in struggling with Mother Wound
 - Family Dynamics
 - Mother-Daughter
 - Father-Daughter
 - Parents' Marriage
 - Peer Pressure
 - Judgments and Inner Vows
 - Gender Rejection
 - Flight From Mother
 - Judgments About Self, Others, Women, Men & God (Internal Confusion)
 - Feminism Or Feminist Ideologies – Gender Distortion
 - Negative And Harmful Experiences with Males

5. Sexual Distortions & Sexual Abuse

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

6. Environment Factors' Affect and Effects on Temperament and Personality Traits

- No Touch or Physical Care
- Rejection / Identity Conflict / Lack of Self-Acceptance Over Temperament
- Sensitivity / Artistic / Emotional
- Rough, Tough & Tumble
 - "He (she) is just different."
- ARRESTED EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- Fear of Opposite Gender – Loneliness
- Over Identification with Opposite Gender
- Sensitivity Over Awareness
- Identity conflict and confusion
 - Self Esteem – How you FEEL about yourself. (psychology)
 - Self Image – How you SEE yourself (mental picture).
 - Self Identity / Acceptance – "Who You Are In FACT." (Biblical)

7. Adoption – Rejection / Identity Conflict / Self-Acceptance

- Adoption = Rejection = Never good enough
- Self Hatred

8. Identity Conflict and Confusion Through:

- **Peer pressure/Cultural Normalization**
 - Gang activity
 - New social pressures (fads / Hollywood) Transgenderism Fads
- **Prison Life**
 - Sexual perversions
 - Forced
 - Accepted

FINDING LASTING FREEDOM ONLY COMES MINISTERING HOPE ~ HOPE IN MINISTERING AND GIVING PASTORAL CARE

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- (receive ministry & counseling).

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- "Sanctification Process"
- A Process with a purpose for good and holy being male and female.

4. Practice Spiritual Warfare – A Cultivated Prayer Life

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MINISTERING HOPE / PASTORAL CARE / BECOMING THE CHURCH THAT MATTERS

DISCIPLESHIP AND COUNSELING NEEDS

THE ROOTS – WHAT’S BEHIND THE “CAUSES?” BINDING UP THE BROKEN AT HEART

“The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed Me to preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, “... To proclaim liberty to the captives And recovery of sight to the blind, To set at liberty those who are oppressed; To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord.” Luke 4:18-19...”

Jesus – best psychologies and inner-healing of the mind will and emotions of the human soul.

We need to bring healing to the roots:

THE ROOTS – WHAT’S BEHIND THE “CAUSES?” BINDING UP THE BROKEN AT HEART

- *Rejection / Self Pity*
- *Rejection / Self Hatred*
- *Anger / Angry At:*
 - God -- Family*
 - Self -- Self*
- *Bitterness / Ungratefulness – (Romans 1:21)*
- *Rebellion / Fear*
- *Insecurity / Fear*
- *Envy – “Cannibalism”*
- *Narcissism – The False Self ~ The Love of Self – Self Centeredness*
- *Gender Insecurity – No Gender Affirmation*
- *Idolatry*
- *Emotional Idolatry – Emotional Dependency*
- *Moral Impurity – Sexual Addictions*
- *Spiritual Oppression / Warfare*
 - *Eph. 6:10-12, 1 Pet. 5:8, John 10:10*

TESTIMONIES

- _____
- _____
- _____
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BECOMING THE CHURCH THAT MATTERS

We must Know The Truth

We must Know Practical Avenues of Ministry

We must Operate out of a Heart of Compassion

Know the Arguments You Will Face – Deception & Lies

- You must know and believe the Scriptures
 - Understand the science according to Scripture
 - No One Is Born Gay
- Can you answer the genetic questions?

Three Sets of People

1) The Seeking (Those Who Really Want Change)

- Christ in YOU ~ you are equipped.
- They must be “born again.”
- Patience in ministering to the history / roots.
- Long suffering / forgiveness / encouragement.

2) The Deceived (Ambivalent or Mocking)

- Are you living a godly – uncompromised life? Sincere humility?
- Pray – no condemnation (*they are already condemned – 2 Cor. 4:4*).
- Wait on the Holy Spirit to open the door – discernment.
- Don't make it about the “HOMOSEXUALITY” – What is God's Agenda First?

3) The Gay Christian ~ (Religious)

- Christ in YOU ~ you are equipped.
- They must be confronted with Truth kindly and wisely
- Know the Theological Lies
- Know the Scriptures
- Ask Questions About the Scriptures and Truth
- Long suffering / Patient / Be Kind
- Are you living a godly – uncompromised life?
- Be prepared with wise answers as you will be manipulated
- Pray – no condemnation (*they are already deceived & most-likely condemned*).
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MINISTERING HOPE ~ BECOMING THE CHURCH THAT MATTERS PRACTICAL AVENUES OF MINISTRY

“Concerning speaking the truth about LGBTQ+ issues:

I am praying that God our father would give every godly leader a heart full of wise compassion, a backbone of courageous steel, speaking the truth without compromise and come across as loving as the passion of our Lord hanging on the cross!”

~ Stephen Black, Executive Director, First Stone Ministries

WHAT’S IN YOUR HEART?

Are you a safe person?

- Are you a secret keeper?
- Are you compromising?
- Are you living a life of transparency and authenticity, one of discretion and repentance?
- Are you growing in holiness?
- What does your sin look like?

Demonstrate Real Christ-likeness

- Expose hypocrisy in your own life
- Examine your own heart motives in judging your own sin
 - (Live this out before those who need Jesus)
- Strength in weakness ~ grace revealed
- 2 cor. 12:7-10

Befriending a Struggler

- Pray, pray and pray! Find ways to overcome evil by doing good.
- Resist telling God what to do
- Listen for the Lord’s voice.
- Homosexuality may not be first on God’s agenda for salvation
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Joking (things you don’t do)

- Avoid identity-forming phrases or slang e.g. “that’s so gay” or “you’re gay”
- Don’t make derogatory statements
- Repent of cruel judgments and jokes

Do Not Say

- “Love the Sinner, Hate the Sin” as a way of continued discipleship
 - The gay identified person believes
“GAY’ is who I am.”
- Do not repeatedly call homosexuality a ‘lifestyle’ – in agreement with something that is sin.
- Understand that homosexuality (“feelings”) (“attractions”) are not necessary a choice

Honest Communication –

- Proverbs 24:26
“Like a kiss on the lips is the one who gives an honest answer.”
- Don’t demand agreement
- Communicate gratefulness in honest relating
- Have compassion and longsuffering, even when they are argumentative.

MINISTERING HOPE ~ BECOMING THE CHURCH THAT MATTERS A COMPASSIONATE RESPONSE IN CHURCH AUTHORITY

Church Authority

Church Discipline

Matt. 18:15-20, Gal. 6:1-3

"For judgment is without mercy to the one who has shown no mercy. Mercy triumphs over judgment." James 2:13

Err on the side of mercy!

MINISTERING HOPE ~ BECOMING THE CHURCH THAT MATTERS A COMPASSIONATE RESPONSE – CHURCH MEMBER & LEADERSHIP

Ministering to the Homosexual or Sexually Broken

Are you really called?

On Going Ministry

- Know How To Minister / Pastoral Care / Receive Training
- Understand Mentorship / Accountability – Do this well
- Inner Healing ~ Pull up the ROOTS! ~ PRAYER
- Gender Affirmation
- Secretiveness empowers sin (There must be exposure)
- Inner Healing ~ Pull up the ROOTS! ~ PRAYER
- Navigate Grief
- Always Point to The Cross of Christ
- Disciple True Identity
- Created in the Image of God
- Self-Acceptance – Who YOU are IN FACT.
 - Psa. 139.
- Emphasize Intimacy with Christ ~ Intimacy with Believers
- Encourage Healthy Relationships with Same Sex

Practically Walking Beside the Struggler

- "Awkward" Discipleship
- Longsuffering - Proverbs 24:16
- You are important to the struggler
- As an Ever-straight they see wholeness in you
- The struggler is important to you
 - A catalyst for recognizing your own weaknesses
 - Unforgiveness, unrepentant, apathy, and pet sins

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IN CONCLUSION – TO MINISTERING -- REMEMBER

Homosexuality is rooted in:

1. Same Sex Parent Deficits
2. Environmental Factors
 - Abuse • Family • Peers • Unhealthy Relating
3. Lack of Nurture not Nature (not genetic)
4. Gender Mentoring
5. Lack of Mentoring
6. Early Childhood Developmental Issues
7. Perceptions and Identity Conflicts with Temperaments
8. Arrested Emotional Development

IN CONCLUSION: FREEDOM!

- FREEDOM IS NOT THE ABSENCE OF A STRUGGLE!
- FREEDOM IS: the ability, by grace to rise above the darkness and a life controlled by anything!
- FREEDOM IS: A walk of holiness.

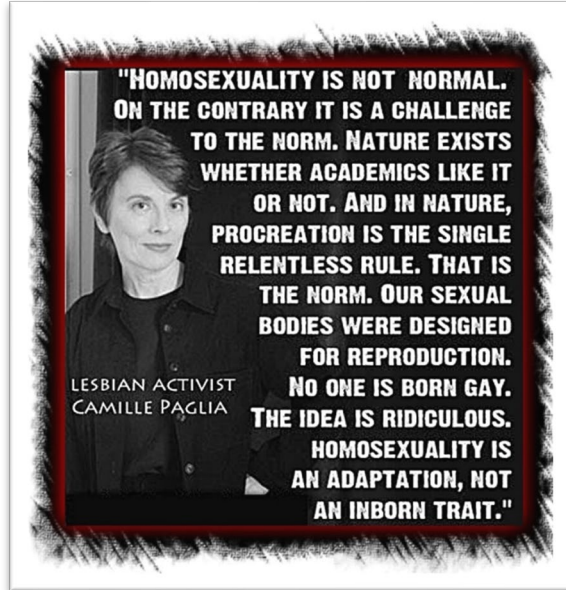
CONCLUDING WITH RESOURCES

Documentaries: **Such Were Some of You** (www.suchweresomeofyou.org)
How Do You Like Me Now (www.howdoyoulikemenow.org)
TRANZFORMED (www.tranzformed.org)
IN HIS IMAGE (<https://inhisimage.movie>)

NO ONE IS BORN GAY RESOURCES OF HOPE!

FSM Article: "This is The Way God Made Me?" <https://www.firststone.org/articles/post/-this-is-the-way-god-made-me-a-scientific-examination-of-homosexuality-and-the-gay>

Born Gay? Video: <http://bit.ly/1nEWFq4>



CAN YOU BE GAY AND CHRISTIAN? By Dr. Michael Brown https://youtu.be/5l_GY6mXgQg

The New Atlantis Journal /Special REPORT on Sexuality and Gender

<https://www.thenewatlantis.com/publications/executive-summary-sexuality-and-gender>

2019 Largest Study Ever Conducted "Genome-wide Association Study (see

<https://www.stephenblack.org/blog/post/no-one-born-gay-gwas>)

Heterosexuality – we are designed anatomically correct for procreation – to create life – in the image of God Male and Female (XY and XX) to participate with Him to create life - PRO-CREATE!

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 righteously.

WE ARE MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE!

Watch and Share movie, "IN HIS IMAGE"

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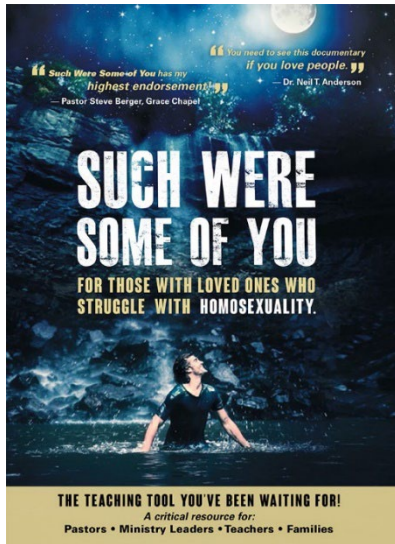
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RESOURCES OF HOPE – “SUCH WERE SOME OF YOU DOCUMENTARY”

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TESTIMONIES OF THE LORD MAKE WISE THE SIMPLE (PSA. 19:7)

Q & A
