

**Biblical Answers to Contemporary Issues**  
**#2 Homosexuality – 1 Corinthians 6:9-11, 18 (1/11/09 AM)**

1. The Old Testament Clearly Teaches That Homosexuality Is Condemned by God

- **The** \_\_\_\_\_ (Genesis 18:20, 19:4-5)

The sin of Sodom and Gomorrah was homosexuality.

**The Example of Sodom and Gomorrah Is Used in Scripture as a \_\_\_\_\_ to Others**

2 Peter 2:6, Jude 7

- **The** \_\_\_\_\_ (Leviticus 18:22, 20:13)

The Moral aspect of the law has all been restated and reinforced in the New Testament.

**The Moral Law of God Is Still In** \_\_\_\_\_

- **The** \_\_\_\_\_ (Isaiah 3:9, Jer. 23:14)

The sin of Sodom and Gomorrah is used as an example of unrepentant sin.

**The Sin of Sodom and Gomorrah Is Used As an Example That God \_\_\_\_\_ Immorality**

2. The New Testament Clearly Teaches That Homosexuality Is Immorality

- **It is a violation of God's** \_\_\_\_\_

Jesus confirms God's original created order as revealed in Genesis in Matthew 19:4-6. Also the Lord upholds all of scripture as being the Word of God in Matthew 5:17. There is no proven scientific evidence that homosexuality is genetic. Man is created "male and female" in the image of God.

**The Claim of Homosexual Orientation Denies God's** \_\_\_\_\_

- **It is a perversion of** \_\_\_\_\_ **as created by God**

Romans 1:26-27, "For this reason God gave them up to vile passions. For even their women exchanged the natural use for what is against nature. Likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust for one another..."

Revisionists claim that Paul's statements must be interpreted culturally.

**Homosexuality Is** \_\_\_\_\_

- **It is a distortion of God's** \_\_\_\_\_

The Apostle Paul appeals to the Genesis account of creation when he reveals the spiritual significance of marriage, Ephesians 5:31-33.

The sexual union of a man and a woman in marriage is a sacred picture of the union between Jesus Christ and His church.

**According to Scripture There Can Be No Such Thing as a Homosexual** \_\_\_\_\_

3. What Is the Biblical Response? (1 Corinthians 6:9-11, 18)  
*Versus Our Personal Opinion*

- **We must affirm** \_\_\_\_\_

Many homosexuals after exhausting all of their arguments will

appeal to the law of love. Surely love is the most important of all commandments which trumps all others. This is not true according to John 14:15 and 1 John 2:3-4. Throughout the church age homosexuality has been consistently condemned as sin.

**The Only Cure for Sin Is \_\_\_\_\_**

- **We must warn \_\_\_\_\_**

Sexual sin and especially homosexuality has within the sin itself something of its own penalty, Romans 1:27.

Part of God giving them up in this passage involves the removal of His restraining hand. He allows the consequences of sin to take its destructive course in their lives

**A Homosexual Lifestyle is Anything but \_\_\_\_\_**

- **We must have \_\_\_\_\_**

Compassion is not the same as acceptance. We must follow the example of Jesus with the woman taken in adultery. John 8:11, And Jesus said to her, "Neither do I condemn you; go and sin no more."

**We Must Share with Them God's Gracious Offer of \_\_\_\_\_**  
(John 3:16-17)

**The gay agenda is not seeking for legalization but for \_\_\_\_\_**

Why are they so concerned with revising scripture to justify their lifestyle and with acceptance by society?

**Many struggle with a crisis in their own \_\_\_\_\_**

Romans 2:15-16, "who show the work of the law written in their hearts, their conscience also bearing witness, and between themselves their thoughts accusing or else excusing them)"