### God's Perfect Plan for Sex Genesis 1 and 2

#### I. Our Sexuality Was Created By God

• For the Purpose of Procreation.





#### Psalm 127:3 Behold, children are a gift of the LORD, The fruit of the womb is a reward.

#### Malachi 2:15-16

Has not the LORD made them one? In flesh and spirit they are his. And why one? Because he was seeking godly offspring. So guard yourself in your spirit, and do not break faith with the wife of your youth.

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- For the Purpose of Pleasure (within marriage).



#### Proverbs 5:18-19 (TLB)

"...Rejoice in the wife of your youth. Let her charms and tender embrace satisfy you. Let her love alone fill you with delight!"

#### Song of Solomon 7:1-10

Your graceful legs are like jewels, Your navel is a rounded goblet. Your waist is a mound of wheat encircled by lilies. Your breasts are like two fawns, twins of a gazelle. Your hair is like royal tapestry. How beautiful you are and how pleasing, O love, with your delights!

#### Song of Solomon 7:1-10

May your breasts be like the clusters of the vine, the fragrance of your breath like apples, I belong to my lover, and his desire is for me. Come, my lover, let us go to the countryside, let us spend the night in the villages. Let us go early to the vineyards there I will give you my love.

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#### I Corinthians 7:2-5

But since there is so much immorality, each man should have his own wife, and each woman her own husband. The husband should fulfill his marital duty to his wife, and likewise the wife to her husband. The wife's body does not belong to her alone but also to her husband. In the same way, the husband's body does not belong to him alone but also to his wife.



#### I Corinthians 7:2-5

Do not deprive each other except by mutual consent and for a time, so that you may devote yourselves to prayer. Then come together again so that Satan will not tempt you because of your lack of self-control.

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#### 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8

It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; that each of you should learn to control his own body in a way that is holy and honorable, not in passionate lust like the heathen, who do not know God; and that in this matter no one should wrong his brother or take advantage of him.



#### 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8

The Lord will punish men for all such sins, as we have already told you and warned you. For God did not call us to be impure, but to live a holy life. Therefore, he who rejects this instruction does not reject man but God, who gives you His Holy Spirit.

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- In Leviticus 18 God says "NO" to incest.
- In Romans 1 God says "NO" to homosexual sex.
- In Exodus 22 God says "NO" to sex with animals.
- In Matthew 5 God also says "NO" to indulging in sexual fantasy.
- In Hebrews 13 God says "NO" to sex of any kind with anyone not your spouse.



### Living a Pure Life is about: 1. Surrender 2. Forgiveness 3. Purposeful Purity

