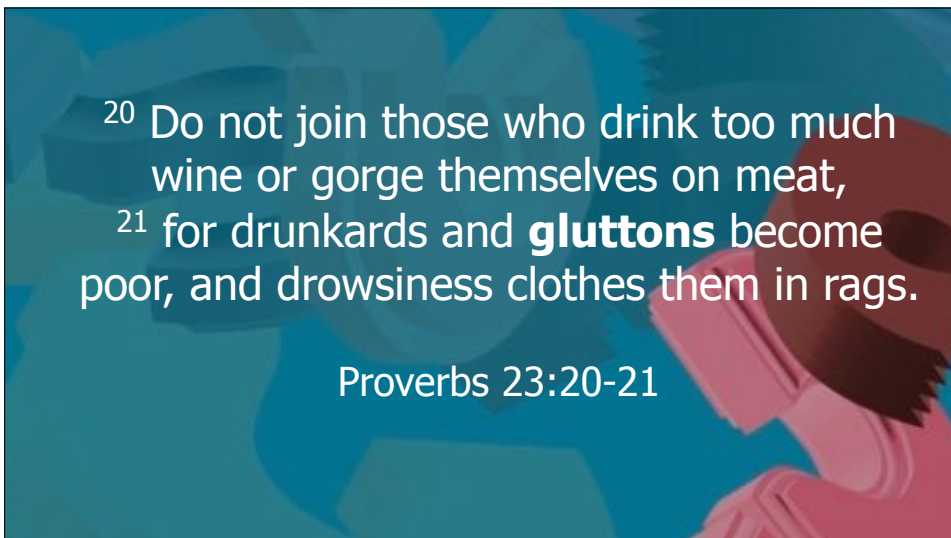




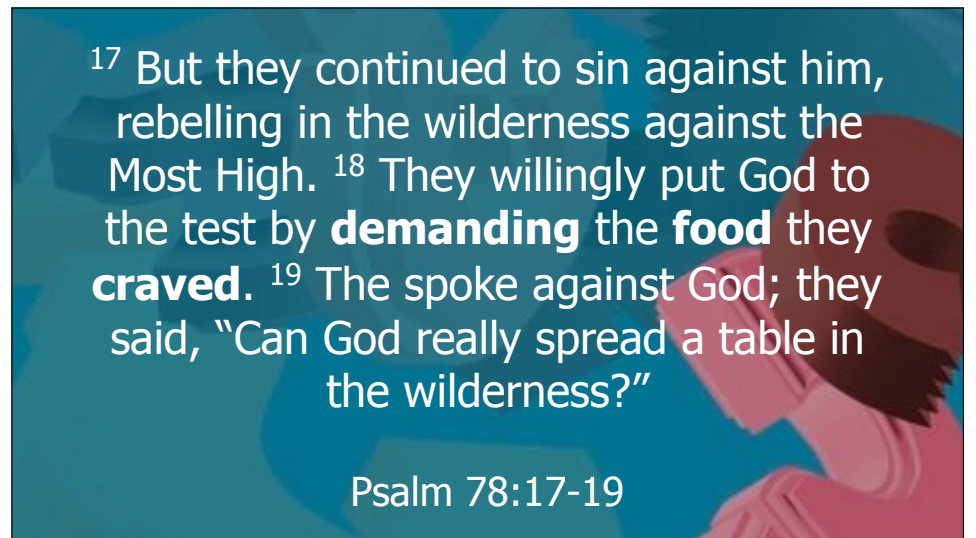
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¹⁸ For, as I have often told you before and now tell you again even with tears, many live as enemies of the cross of Christ. ¹⁹ Their destiny is destruction, their **god** is their **stomach**, and their glory is in their shame. Their mind is set on earthly things.

Philippians 3:18-19

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²⁰ They shall say to the elders of his city, "This son of ours is stubborn and rebellious, he will not obey us, he is a **glutton** and a drunkard." ²¹ Then all the men of his city shall stone him to death; so you shall remove the evil from your midst, and all Israel will hear of it and fear.

Deuteronomy 21:20-21 (NASB)

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⁴⁹ Now this was the sin of your sister Sodom: She and her daughters were arrogant, **overfed**, and unconcerned; they did not help the poor and needy.

Ezekiel 16:49

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²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness and **self-control**. Against such things there is no law.

Galatians 5:22-23

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¹⁹ Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; ²⁰ you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body.

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

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PRINCIPLES ON GLUTTONY

- (1) It is unhealthy
- (2) It is a selfish use of resources
- (3) It doesn't honor God
- (4) It hinders the work of the Holy Spirit

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Does a husband who regularly uses pornography to the exclusion of no longer making love with his wife commit a form of adultery?

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WHY PORNOGRAPHY IS ADULTERY

(1) Jesus says it is.

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²⁷ You have heard that it was said, “Do not commit adultery.” ²⁸ But I tell you that anyone who **looks** at a woman **lustfully** has already **committed adultery** with her in his heart.

Matthew 5:27-28

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WHY PORNOGRAPHY IS ADULTERY

(1) Jesus says it is.

(2) Violates a Spouse's Exclusivity

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⁴ 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.

1 Corinthians 7:4

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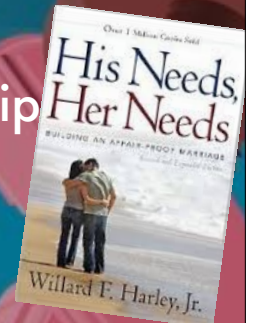
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MAN'S TOP 3 MARRIAGE NEEDS

- (1) Sexual Fulfillment
- (2) Recreational Companionship
- (3) Pleasing Appearance



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WOMAN'S TOP 3 MARRIAGE NEEDS

- (1) Affection
- (2) Conversation
- (3) Honesty & Openness



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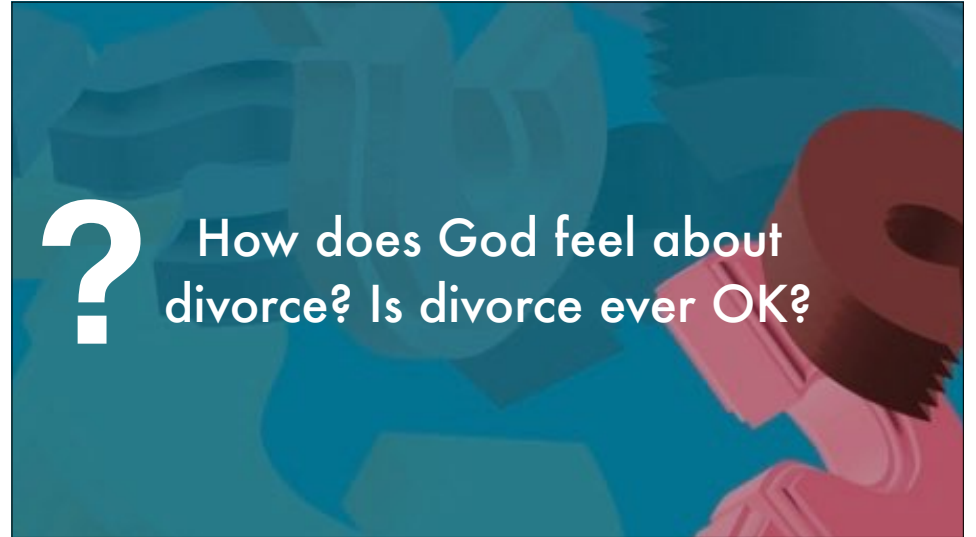
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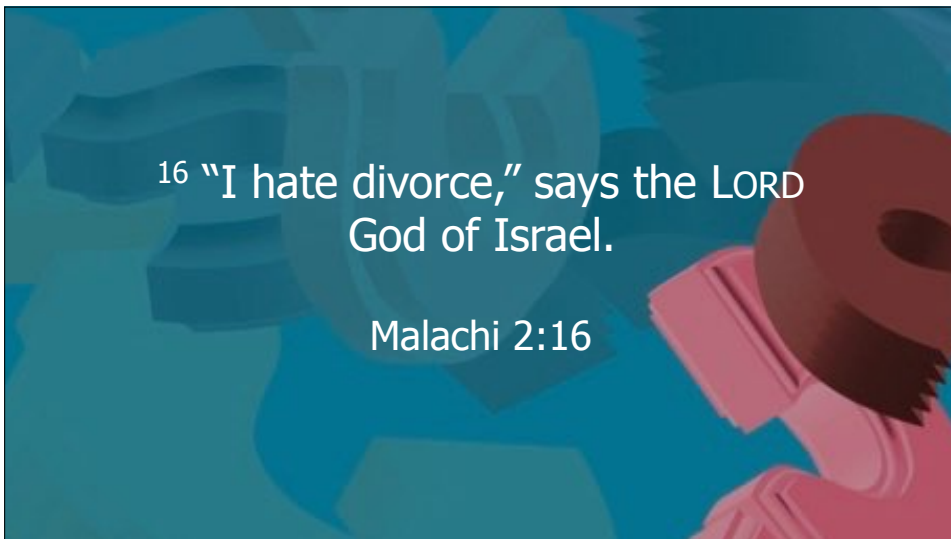


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How does God feel about divorce? Is divorce ever OK?

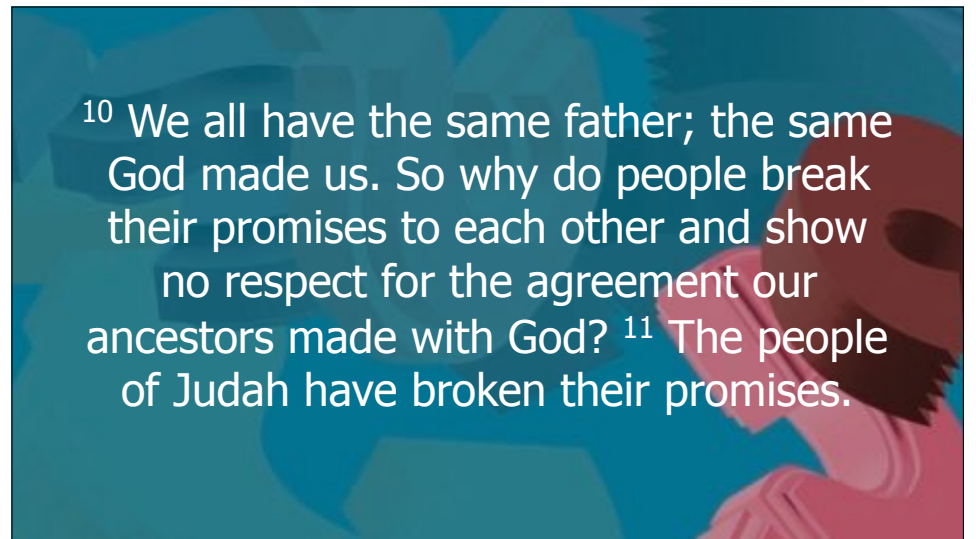
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¹⁶ "I hate divorce," says the LORD God of Israel.

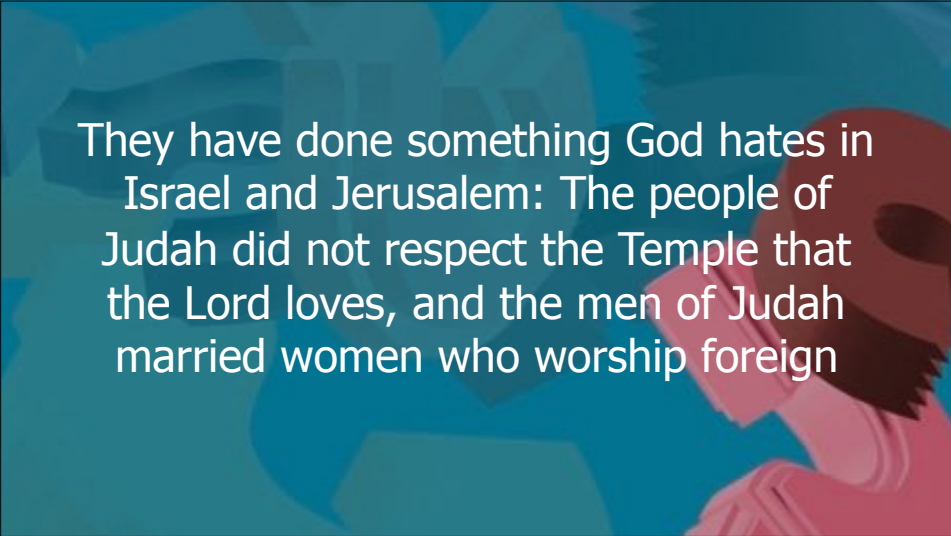
Malachi 2:16

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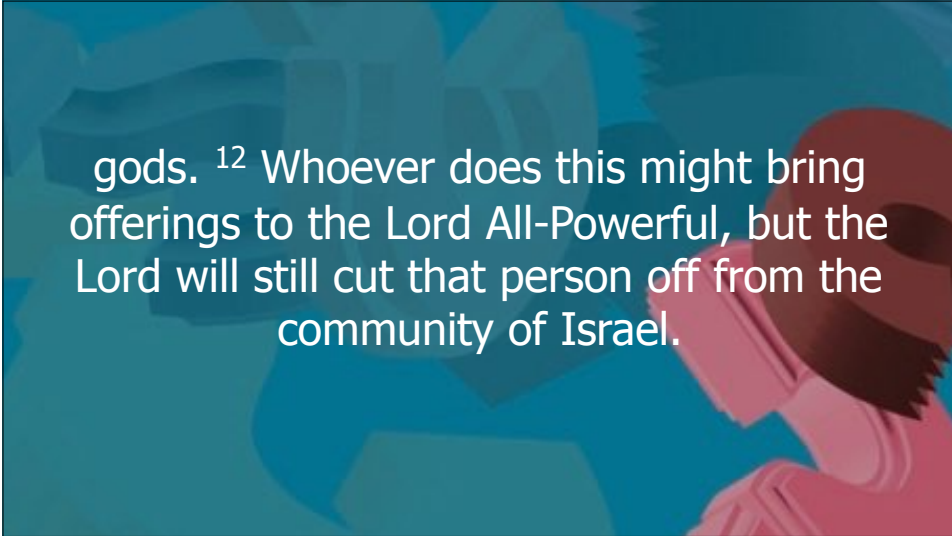
¹⁰ We all have the same father; the same God made us. So why do people break their promises to each other and show no respect for the agreement our ancestors made with God? ¹¹ The people of Judah have broken their promises.

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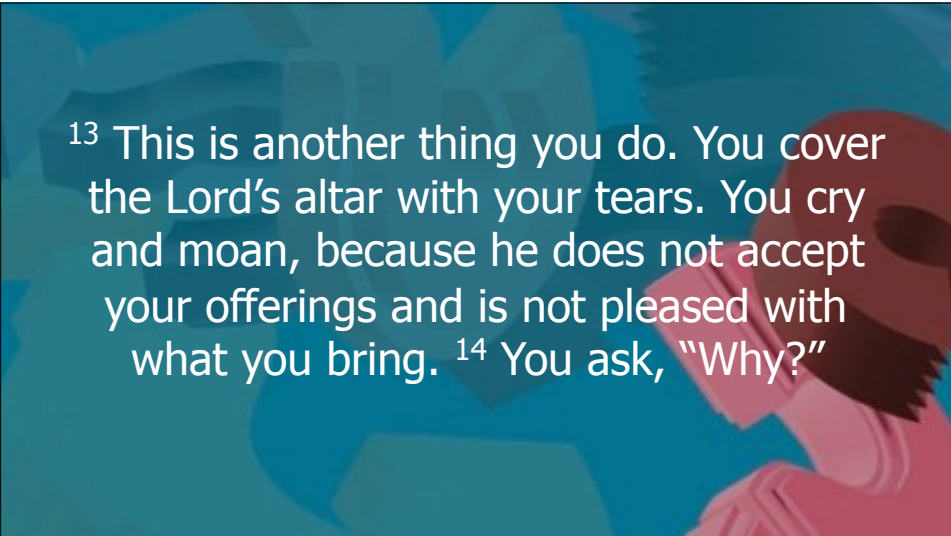
They have done something God hates in Israel and Jerusalem: The people of Judah did not respect the Temple that the Lord loves, and the men of Judah married women who worship foreign

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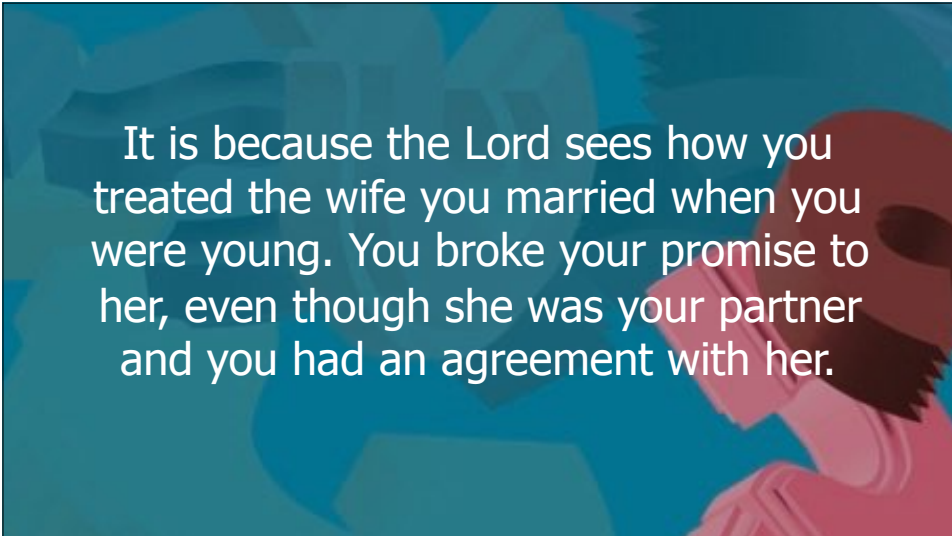
gods. ¹² Whoever does this might bring offerings to the Lord All-Powerful, but the Lord will still cut that person off from the community of Israel.

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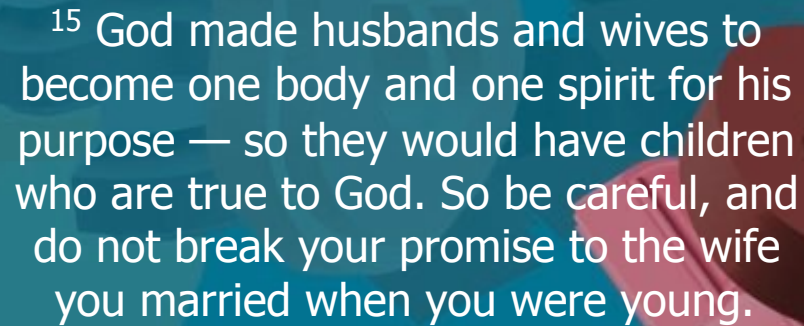
¹³ This is another thing you do. You cover the Lord's altar with your tears. You cry and moan, because he does not accept your offerings and is not pleased with what you bring. ¹⁴ You ask, "Why?"

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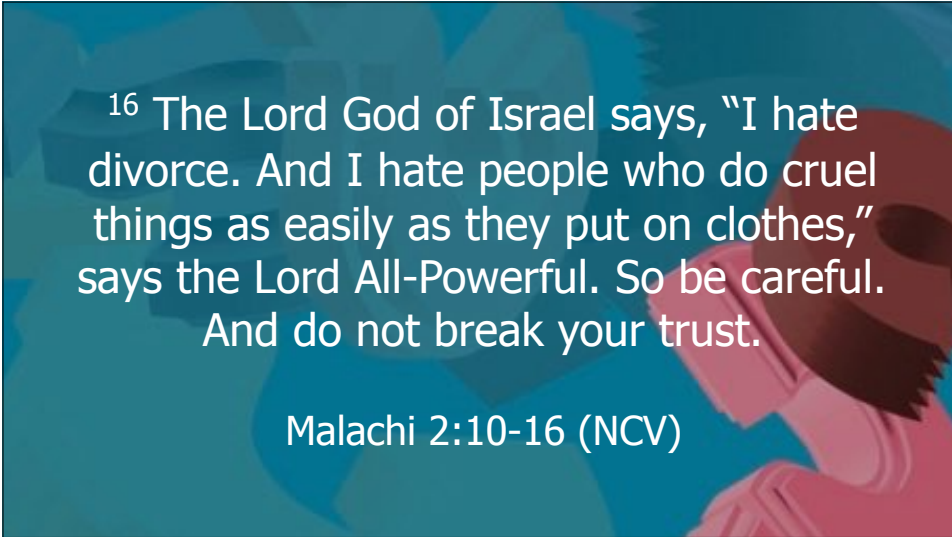
It is because the Lord sees how you treated the wife you married when you were young. You broke your promise to her, even though she was your partner and you had an agreement with her.

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¹⁵ God made husbands and wives to become one body and one spirit for his purpose — so they would have children who are true to God. So be careful, and do not break your promise to the wife you married when you were young.

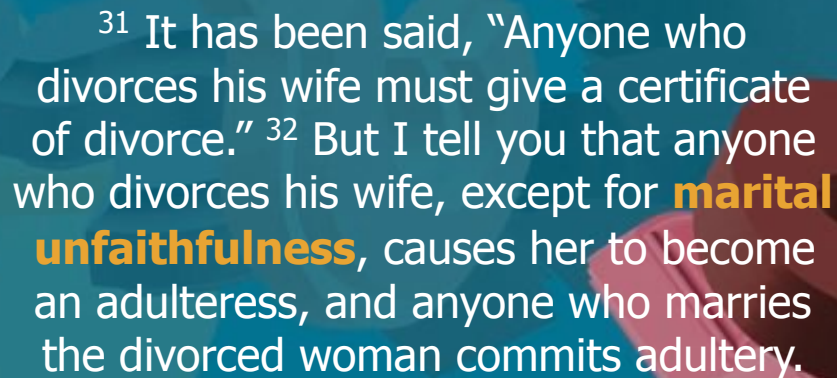
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¹⁶ The Lord God of Israel says, “I hate divorce. And I hate people who do cruel things as easily as they put on clothes,” says the Lord All-Powerful. So be careful. And do not break your trust.

Malachi 2:10-16 (NCV)

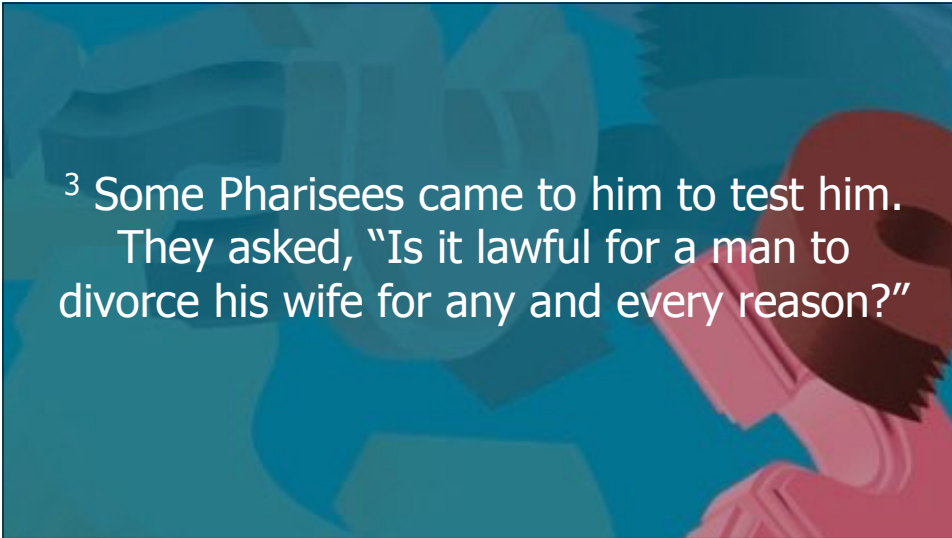
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³¹ It has been said, “Anyone who divorces his wife must give a certificate of divorce.” ³² But I tell you that anyone who divorces his wife, except for **marital unfaithfulness**, causes her to become an adulteress, and anyone who marries the divorced woman commits adultery.

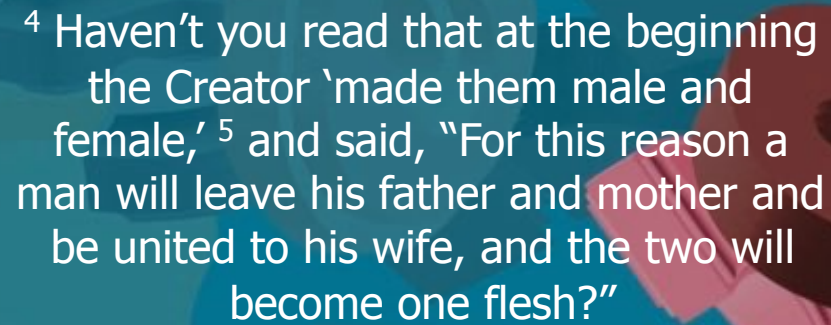
Matthew 5:31-32

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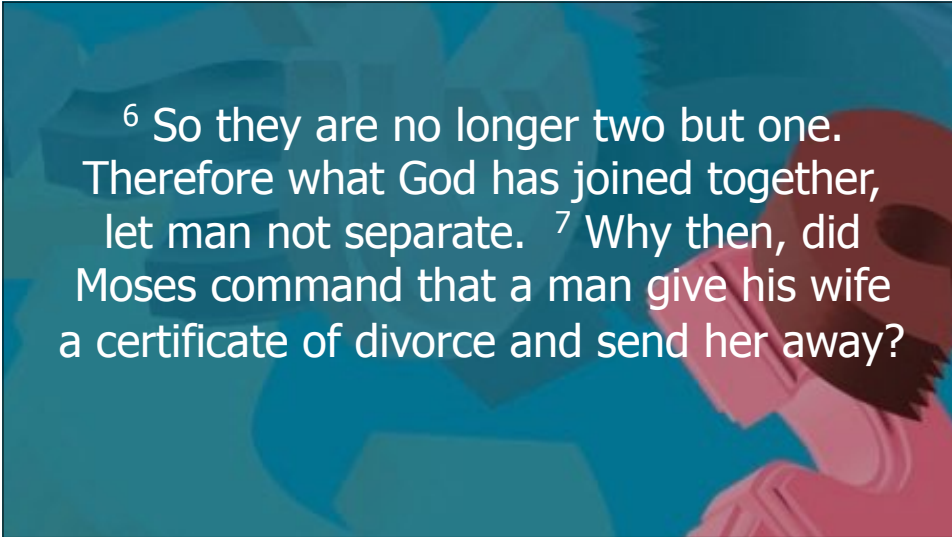
³ Some Pharisees came to him to test him. They asked, “Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife for any and every reason?”

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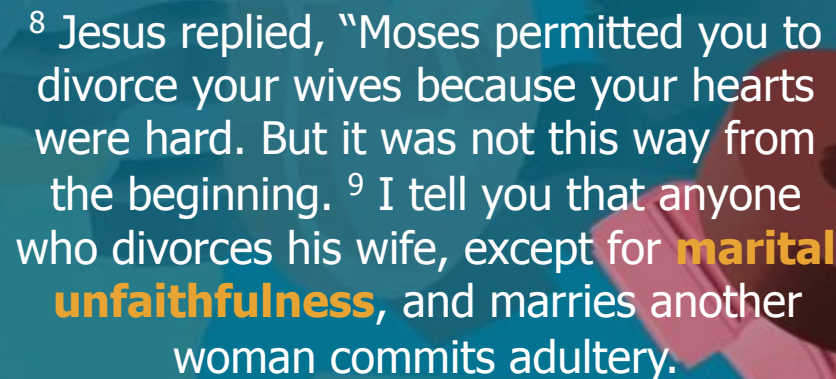
⁴ Haven't you read that at the beginning the Creator 'made them male and female,' ⁵ and said, "For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh?"

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⁶ So they are no longer two but one. Therefore what God has joined together, let man not separate. ⁷ Why then, did Moses command that a man give his wife a certificate of divorce and send her away?

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⁸ Jesus replied, "Moses permitted you to divorce your wives because your hearts were hard. But it was not this way from the beginning. ⁹ I tell you that anyone who divorces his wife, except for **marital unfaithfulness**, and marries another woman commits adultery.

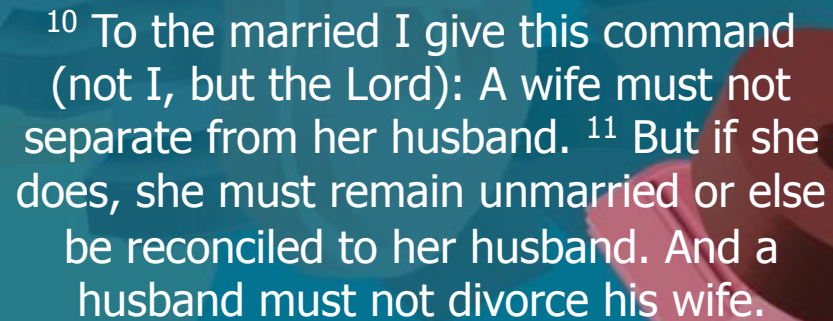
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Porneia (por-nā'-ä)

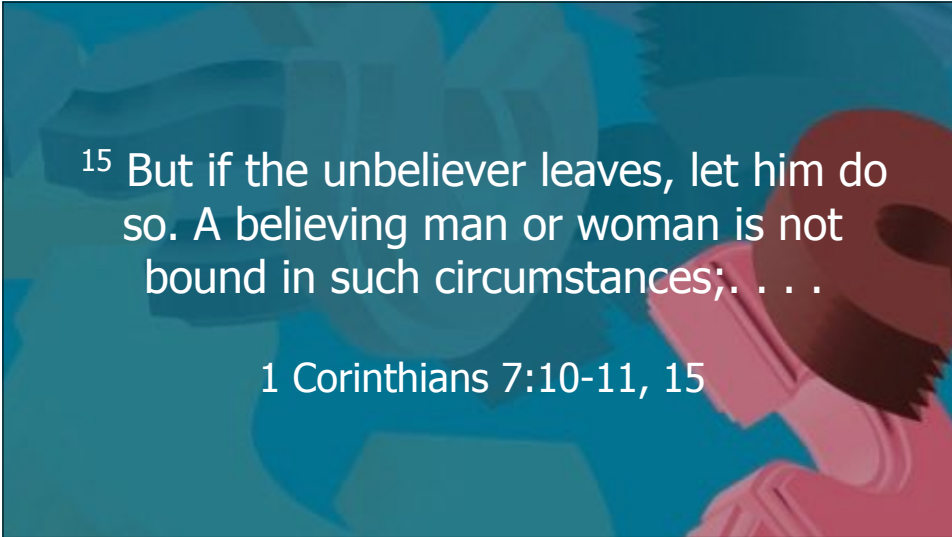
"any form of sexual immorality, including: adultery, prostitution, and fornication."

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¹⁰ To the married I give this command (not I, but the Lord): A wife must not separate from her husband. ¹¹ But if she does, she must remain unmarried or else be reconciled to her husband. And a husband must not divorce his wife.

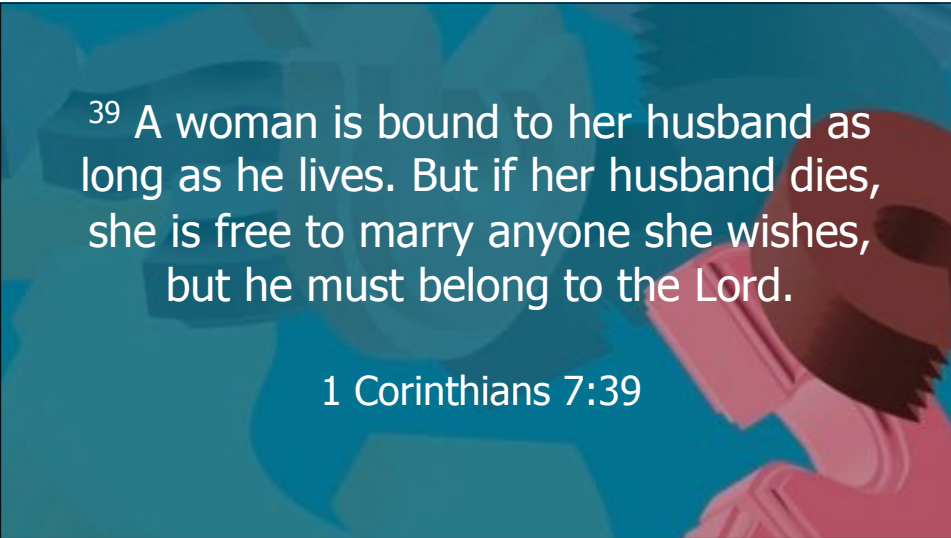
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¹⁵ But if the unbeliever leaves, let him do so. A believing man or woman is not bound in such circumstances;. . . .

1 Corinthians 7:10-11, 15

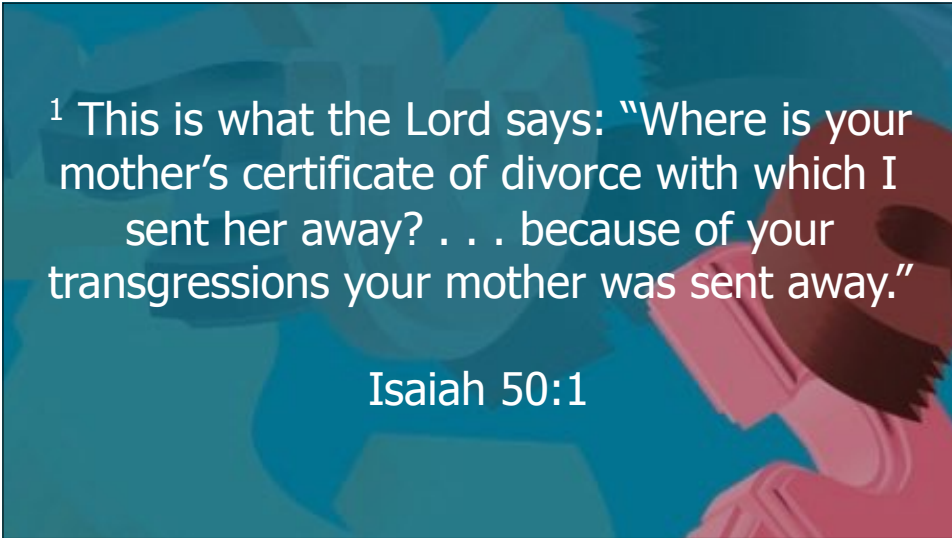
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³⁹ A woman is bound to her husband as long as he lives. But if her husband dies, she is free to marry anyone she wishes, but he must belong to the Lord.

1 Corinthians 7:39

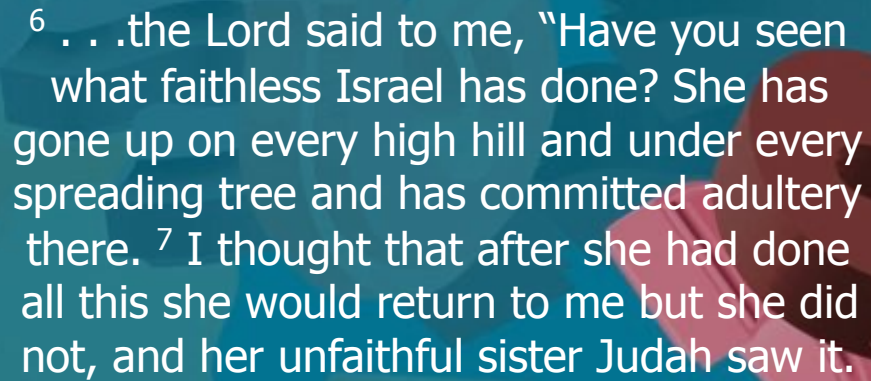
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¹ This is what the Lord says: "Where is your mother's certificate of divorce with which I sent her away? . . . because of your transgressions your mother was sent away."


Isaiah 50:1

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⁶ . . .the Lord said to me, “Have you seen what faithless Israel has done? She has gone up on every high hill and under every spreading tree and has committed adultery there. ⁷ I thought that after she had done all this she would return to me but she did not, and her unfaithful sister Judah saw it.

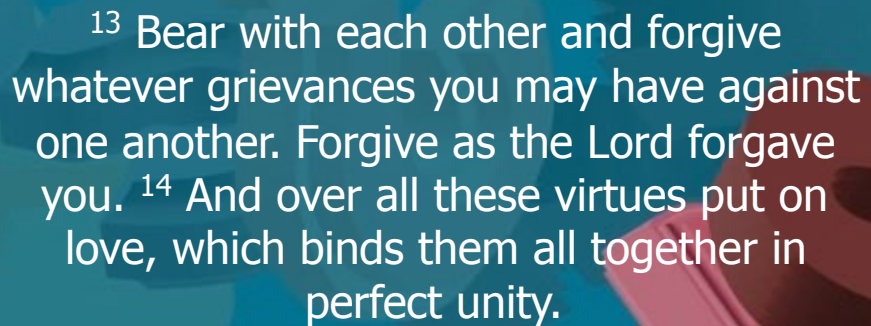
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⁸ I gave faithless Israel her certificate of divorce and sent her away because of all her adulteries.

Jeremiah 3:6-8

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¹³ Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. ¹⁴ And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.

Colossians 3:13-14

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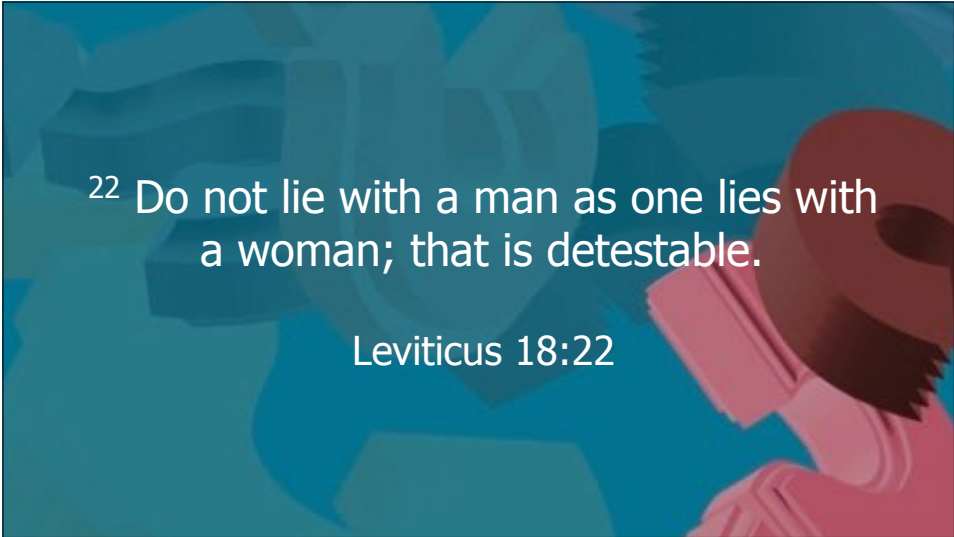
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What if there is
homosexuality in your family
(children) and they are
grown and living that
lifestyle. How do we
respond as parents?

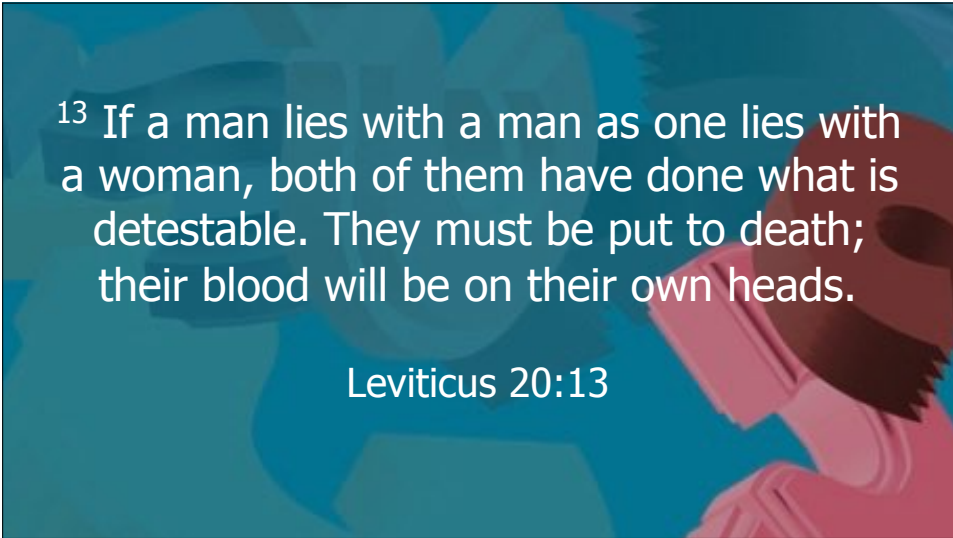
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²² Do not lie with a man as one lies with
a woman; that is detestable.

Leviticus 18:22

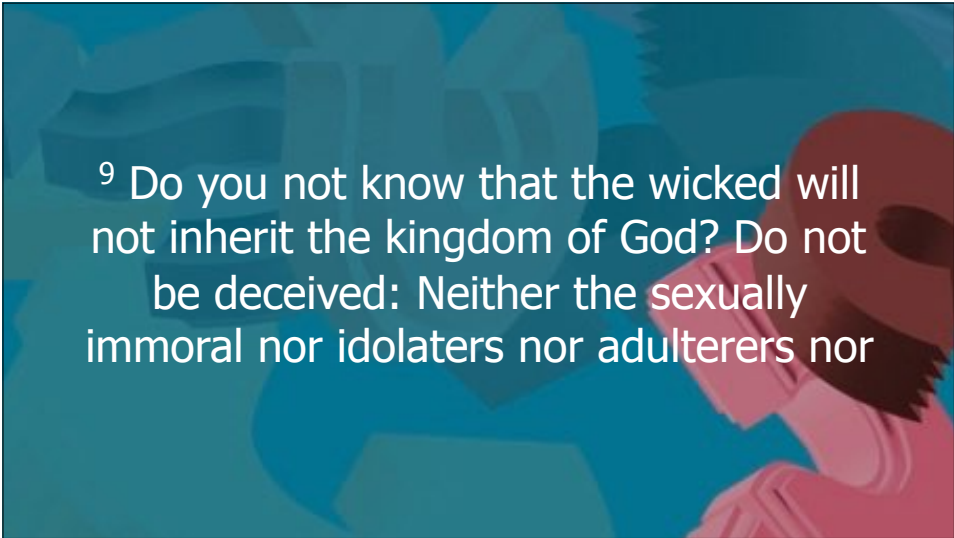
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¹³ If a man lies with a man as one lies with
a woman, both of them have done what is
detestable. They must be put to death;
their blood will be on their own heads.

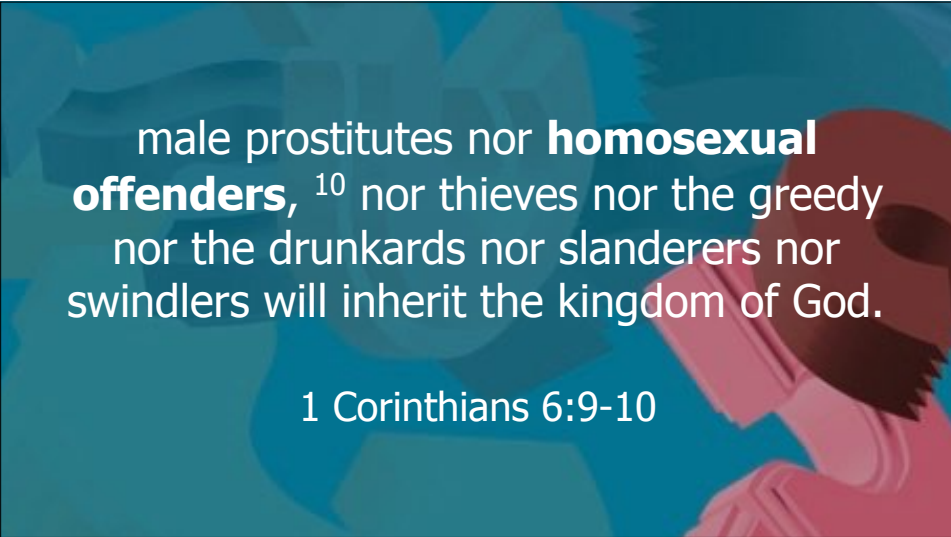
Leviticus 20:13

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⁹ Do you not know that the wicked will
not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not
be deceived: Neither the sexually
immoral nor idolaters nor adulterers nor

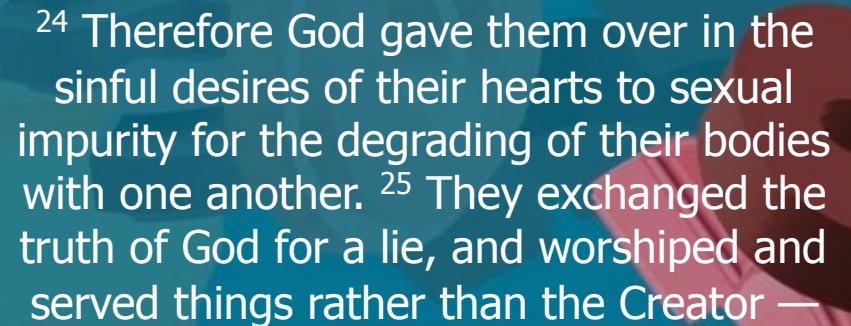
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male prostitutes nor **homosexual offenders**,¹⁰ nor thieves nor the greedy nor the drunkards nor slanderers nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God.

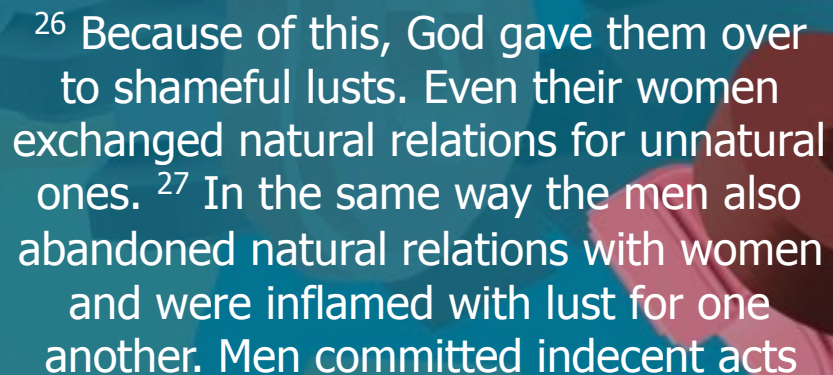
1 Corinthians 6:9-10

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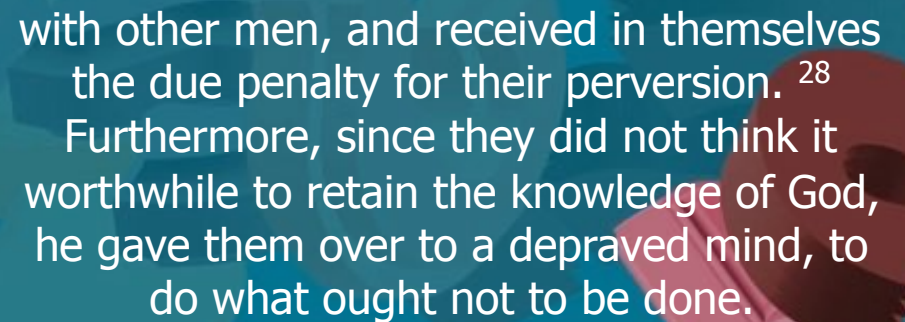
²⁴ Therefore God gave them over in the sinful desires of their hearts to sexual impurity for the degrading of their bodies with one another. ²⁵ They exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served things rather than the Creator —

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²⁶ Because of this, God gave them over to shameful lusts. Even their women exchanged natural relations for unnatural ones. ²⁷ In the same way the men also abandoned natural relations with women and were inflamed with lust for one another. Men committed indecent acts

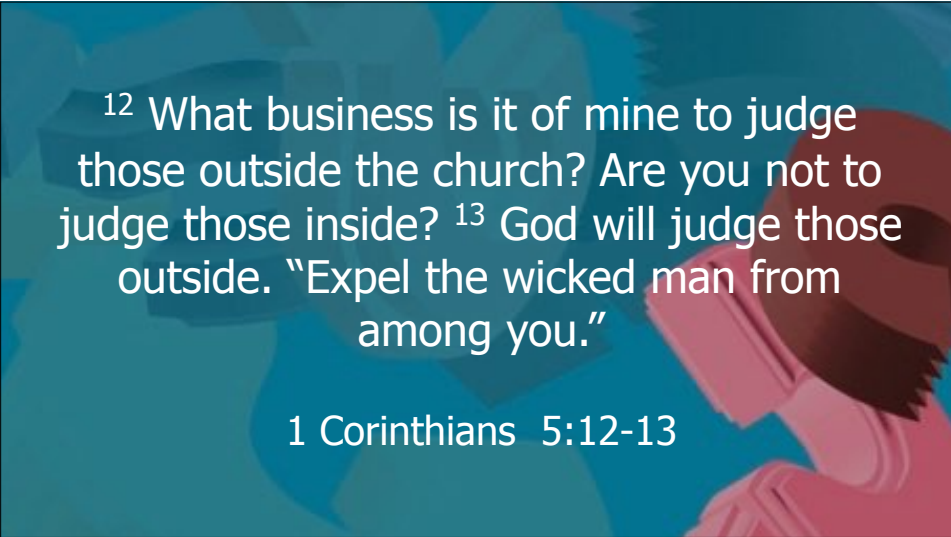
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with other men, and received in themselves the due penalty for their perversion. ²⁸ Furthermore, since they did not think it worthwhile to retain the knowledge of God, he gave them over to a depraved mind, to do what ought not to be done.

Romans 1:24-28

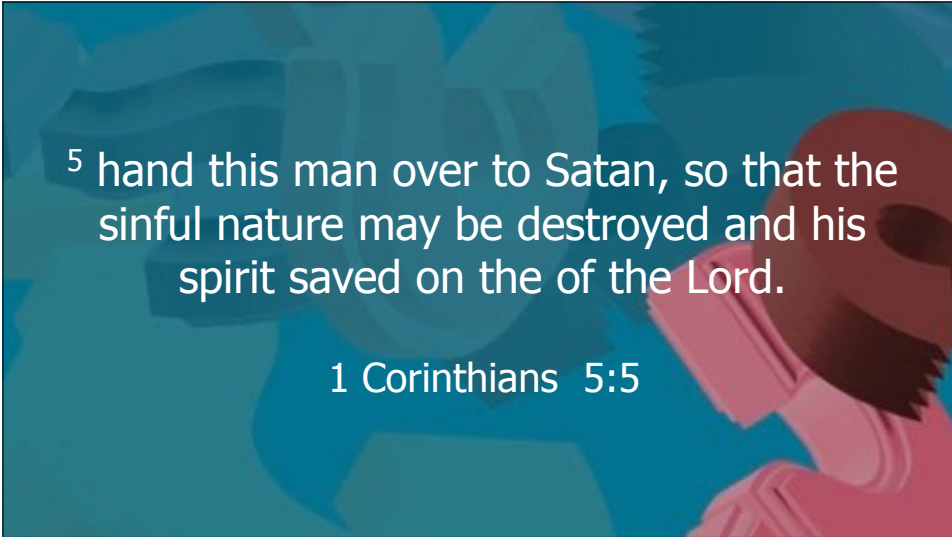
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¹² What business is it of mine to judge those outside the church? Are you not to judge those inside? ¹³ God will judge those outside. "Expel the wicked man from among you."

1 Corinthians 5:12-13

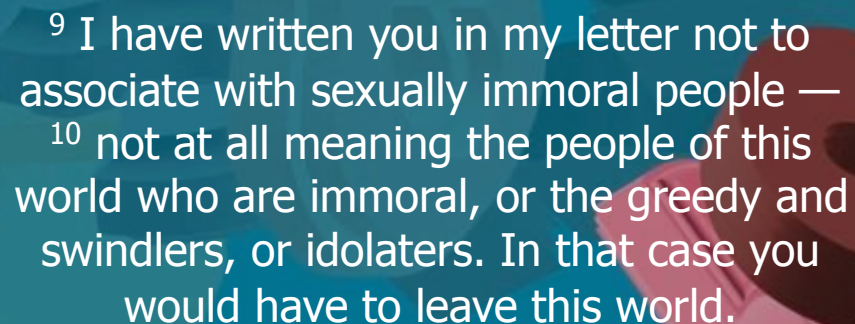
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⁵ hand this man over to Satan, so that the sinful nature may be destroyed and his spirit saved on the of the Lord.

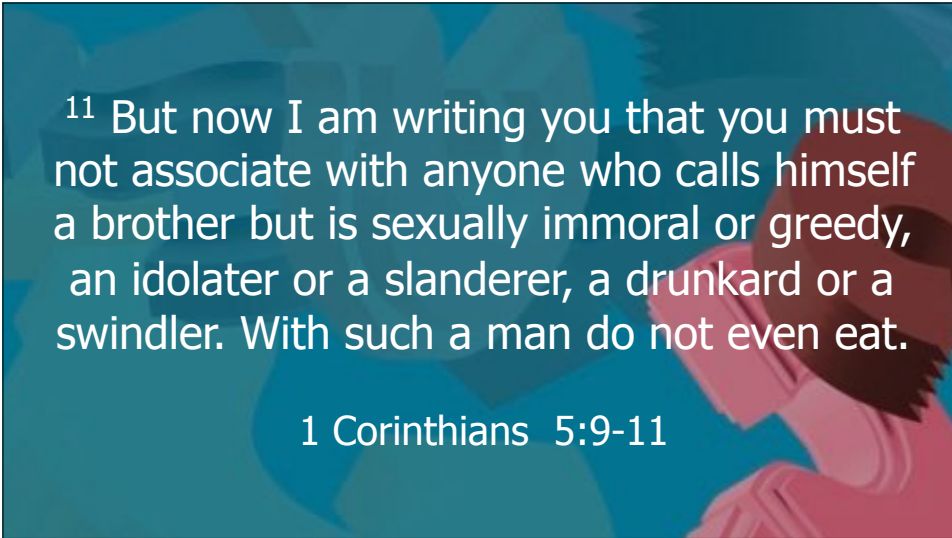
1 Corinthians 5:5

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⁹ I have written you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people — ¹⁰ not at all meaning the people of this world who are immoral, or the greedy and swindlers, or idolaters. In that case you would have to leave this world.

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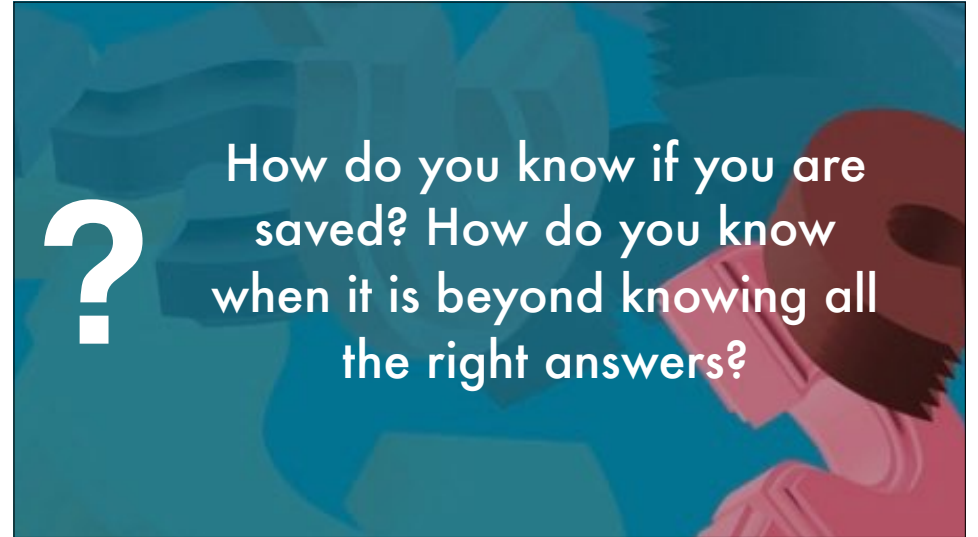
¹¹ But now I am writing you that you must not associate with anyone who calls himself a brother but is sexually immoral or greedy, an idolater or a slanderer, a drunkard or a swindler. With such a man do not even eat.

1 Corinthians 5:9-11

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How do you know if you are saved? How do you know when it is beyond knowing all the right answers?

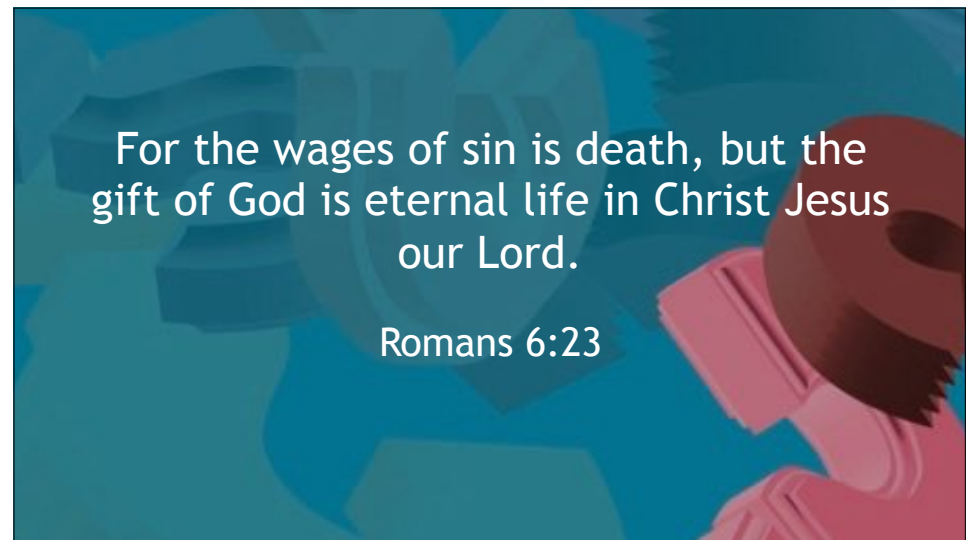
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For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

Romans 3:23

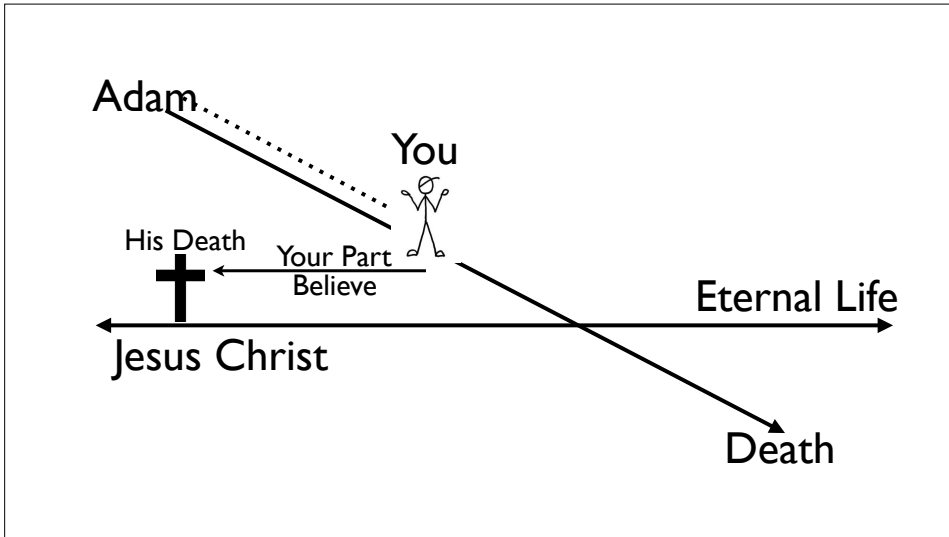
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For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 6:23

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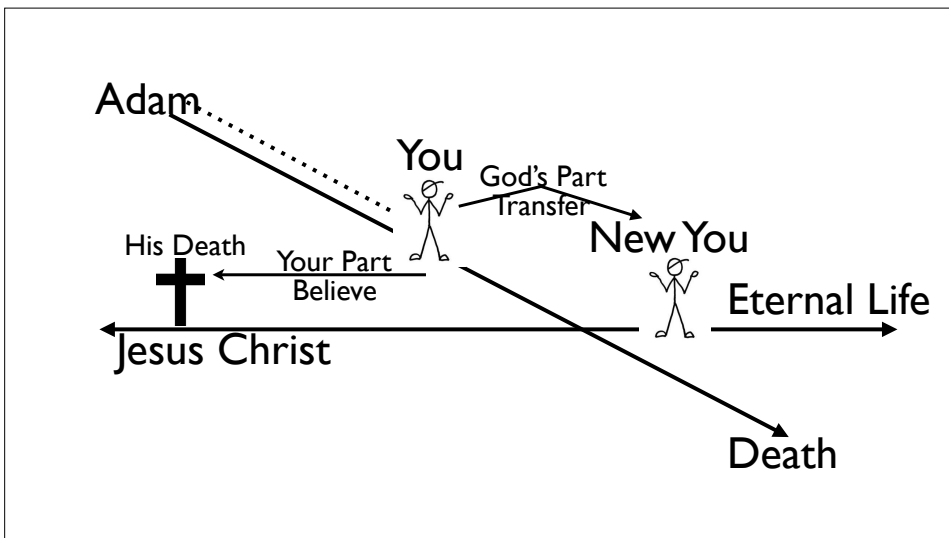


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For God sent Jesus to take the punishment for our sins and to satisfy God's anger against us. We are made right with God when we believe that Jesus shed His blood, sacrificing His life for us. . . .

Romans 3:25 (NLT)

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Yet to all who received him, to those who believe in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.

John 1:12

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For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves,

Colossians 1:13

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For you have been born again. Your new life did not come from your earthly parents because the life they gave you will end in death. But this new life will last forever because it comes from the eternal, living word of God.

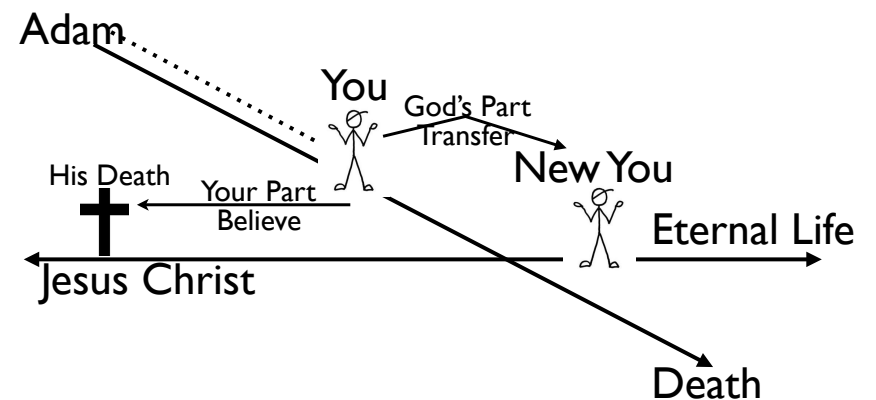
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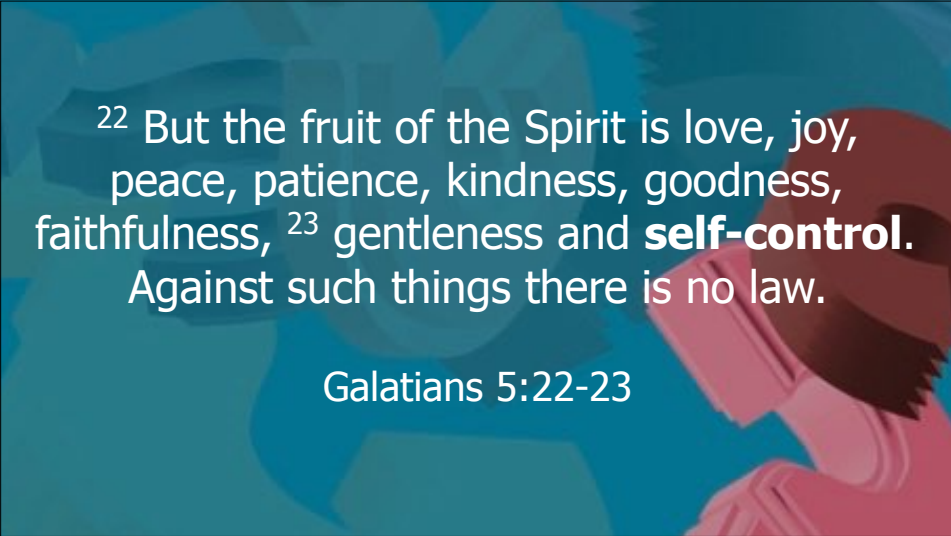
Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!

2 Corinthians 5:17

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²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness and **self-control**.
Against such things there is no law.

Galatians 5:22-23

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Q&A

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