THE GOSPEL AND THE SEXUAL IDENTITY CRISIS (CONTINUED)

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WHAT IS THE CRISIS?	

WHAT DOES GOD'S WORD SAY ABOUT SEXUAL IMMORALITY?

- What is it? (1 Corinthians 6:12-20; Romans 1:18-31; Proverbs 5:20-27, Jude 4-7)
- **Design in creation of sexual intimacy** (Genesis 2:23-25)
- How and why did the sexual identity crisis come to us? (Genesis 3:4-5)
- Sexual immorality in Bible times
 (OT Exodus 20:14; NT Matthew 5:27-30, Colossians 3:5-8)
- Sexual immorality and God's grace (Ephesians 2:1-8, Galatians 2:20-21)

SEXUAL IMMORALITY TODAY

Is there really a problem? Does it make any difference anyway?

THE WORLD'S ERRANT MESSAGING OF OUR PERSONAL IDENTITY:

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IS THERE AN ANSWER IN THE GOSPEL? 2 Corinthians 5:17-19

HOW DO I NAVIGATE THESE COMPLICATED WATERS...

- ...as a personally devoted follower of Christ? (Ephesians 5:3-5; 1 Corinthians 6:18-19; Galatians 2:17-21)
- ...as a parent (or grandparent or mentor to a young person) raising children in this world? (Ephesians 2:4)
- ...as a member of this church body among the other members? (1 Corinthians 5; 1 Corinthians 6:12-17; Galatians 6:1-2; Matthew 18:15-20)
- ...as a church body among our church leaders? (1 Timothy 3:15)
- ...as a church body in our secular society? (1 Corinthians 5:9-12; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21)

GOD'S WORD'S *INERRANT* PATH OF PERSONAL IDENTITY AND THE GOSPEL:

P — _____life

A — ______ of God's will and calling in my life

W — _____ of the holy God

S — _____ disciplines