

Pornography

Does God Have an opinion about pornography?

Session 1 James 1:13-18

¹³ Let no man say when he is tempted, I am tempted of God: for God cannot be tempted with evil, neither tempteth he any man:

¹⁴ But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed.

¹⁵ Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.

¹⁶ Do not err, my beloved brethren.

¹⁷ Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.

¹⁸ Of his own will begat he us with the word of truth, that we should be a kind of firstfruits of his creatures.

Session 2 2 Samuel 11:1-17

¹ And it came to pass, after the year was expired, at the time when kings go forth to battle, that David sent Joab, and his servants with him, and all Israel; and they destroyed the children of Ammon, and besieged Rabbah. But David tarried still at Jerusalem.

² And it came to pass in an eveningtide, that David arose from off his bed, and walked upon the roof of the king's house: and from the roof he saw a woman washing herself; and the woman was very beautiful to look upon.

³ And David sent and enquired after the woman. And one said, Is not this Bathsheba, the daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite?

⁴ And David sent messengers, and took her; and she came in unto him, and he lay with her; for she was purified from her uncleanness: and she returned unto her house.

⁵ And the woman conceived, and sent and told David, and said, I am with child.

⁶ And David sent to Joab, saying, Send me Uriah the Hittite. And Joab sent Uriah to David.

⁷ And when Uriah was come unto him, David demanded of him how Joab did, and how the people did, and how the war prospered.

⁸ And David said to Uriah, Go down to thy house, and wash thy feet. And Uriah departed out of the king's house, and there followed him a mess of meat from the king.

⁹ But Uriah slept at the door of the king's house with all the servants of his lord, and went not down to his house.

¹⁰ And when they had told David, saying, Uriah went not down unto his house, David said unto Uriah, Camest thou not from thy journey? why then didst thou not go down unto thine house?

¹¹ And Uriah said unto David, The ark, and Israel, and Judah, abide in tents; and my lord Joab, and the servants of my lord, are encamped in the open fields; shall I then go into mine house, to eat and to drink, and to lie with my wife? as thou livest, and as thy soul liveth, I will not do this thing.

¹² And David said to Uriah, Tarry here to day also, and to morrow I will let thee depart. So Uriah abode in Jerusalem that day, and the morrow.

¹³ And when David had called him, he did eat and drink before him; and he made him drunk: and at even he went out to lie on his bed with the servants of his lord, but went not down to his house.

¹⁴ And it came to pass in the morning, that David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah.

¹⁵ And he wrote in the letter, saying, Set ye Uriah in the forefront of the hottest battle, and retire ye from him, that he may be smitten, and die.

¹⁶ And it came to pass, when Joab observed the city, that he assigned Uriah unto a place where he knew that valiant men were.

¹⁷ And the men of the city went out, and fought with Joab: and there fell some of the people of the servants of David; and Uriah the Hittite died also.

Session 3 Psalm 51: 1-17

¹ Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy lovingkindness: according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions.

² Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

³ For I acknowledge my transgressions: and my sin is ever before me.

⁴ Against thee, thee only, have I sinned, and done this evil in thy sight: that thou mightest be justified when thou speakest, and be clear when thou judgest.

⁵ Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me.

⁶ Behold, thou desirest truth in the inward parts: and in the hidden part thou shalt make me to know wisdom.

⁷ Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean: wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

⁸ Make me to hear joy and gladness; that the bones which thou hast broken may rejoice.

- ⁹ Hide thy face from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.
- ¹⁰ Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.
- ¹¹ Cast me not away from thy presence; and take not thy holy spirit from me.
- ¹² Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation; and uphold me with thy free spirit.
- ¹³ Then will I teach transgressors thy ways; and sinners shall be converted unto thee.
- ¹⁴ Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, thou God of my salvation: and my tongue shall sing aloud of thy righteousness.
- ¹⁵ O Lord, open thou my lips; and my mouth shall shew forth thy praise.
- ¹⁶ For thou desirest not sacrifice; else would I give it: thou delightest not in burnt offering.
- ¹⁷ The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and a contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise.

Session 4 Job 31:1-12

- ¹ I made a covenant with mine eyes; why then should I think upon a maid?
- ² For what portion of God is there from above? and what inheritance of the Almighty from on high?
- ³ Is not destruction to the wicked? and a strange punishment to the workers of iniquity?
- ⁴ Doth not he see my ways, and count all my steps?
- ⁵ If I have walked with vanity, or if my foot hath hastened to deceit;
- ⁶ Let me be weighed in an even balance that God may know mine integrity.
- ⁷ If my step hath turned out of the way, and mine heart walked after mine eyes, and if any blot hath cleaved to mine hands;
- ⁸ Then let me sow, and let another eat; yea, let my offspring be rooted out.
- ⁹ If mine heart have been deceived by a woman, or if I have laid wait at my neighbour's door;
- ¹⁰ Then let my wife grind unto another, and let others bow down upon her.
- ¹¹ For this is an heinous crime; yea, it is an iniquity to be punished by the judges.
- ¹² For it is a fire that consumeth to destruction, and would root out all mine increase.

Matthew 5:

27 Ye have heard that it was said by them of old time,
Thou shalt not commit adultery:

28 But I say unto you, That whosoever looketh on a
woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her
already in his heart.