

# HOMOSEXUALITY

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"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."  
John 3:16

## Sin: transgression of the law of God; rebellion against God.

*Romans 3:23 – "For all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God."*

### I. What does \_\_\_\_\_ think of Homosexuals?

#### a. \_\_\_\_\_ all people

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#### b. They are \_\_\_\_\_ that need to be \_\_\_\_\_.

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### II. How do we \_\_\_\_\_?

#### a. With \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

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#### b. Do not \_\_\_\_\_

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#### c. Love the \_\_\_\_\_...but not the \_\_\_\_\_

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"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 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 1:26-28**

"Do not lie with a man as one lies with a woman; that is detestable."  
- **Leviticus 18:22**

"Or do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived; neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor homosexuals, nor thieves, nor the covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers, will inherit the kingdom of God. Such were some of you; but you were washed, but you were sanctified, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and in the Spirit of our God." – **1 Corinthians 6:9-11**

"But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." – **Romans 5:8**

"This is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, 4 who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth." – 1 Timothy 2:3-4

"But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect, 16 keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander." – **1 Peter 3:15-16**

"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will." – **Romans 12:2**

"Rescue those being led away to death; hold back those staggering toward slaughter." – **Proverbs 24:11**

"My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. 16 They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. 17 Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. 18 As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world." – **John 17:15-18**

*"To sacrifice your comfort, your reputation for the sake of the other person is the greatest act of love that you could demonstrate." Jeff Durbin*