

Let's Talk About Sex

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From attraction & dating to marriage & sex, the Bible contains eye-opening advice on building relationships that buck the break-up trends. Whether single, dating, or married, prepare to learn, laugh, and be challenged by this engaging study of the Song of Solomon.



3 Competing Views of Sex



For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh. This is a profound mystery-- but I am talking about Christ and the church. - *Ephesians 5:31-32*

Godly Sex is **UNASHAMED.**

1 How beautiful you are, my darling!

Oh, how beautiful!

Your eyes behind your veil are doves.

Your hair is like a flock of goats

descending from the hills of Gilead.

2 Your teeth are like a flock of sheep just shorn,

coming up from the washing.

Each has its twin;

not one of them is alone.

3 Your lips are like a scarlet ribbon;

your mouth is lovely.

Your temples behind your veil
are like the halves of a pomegranate.

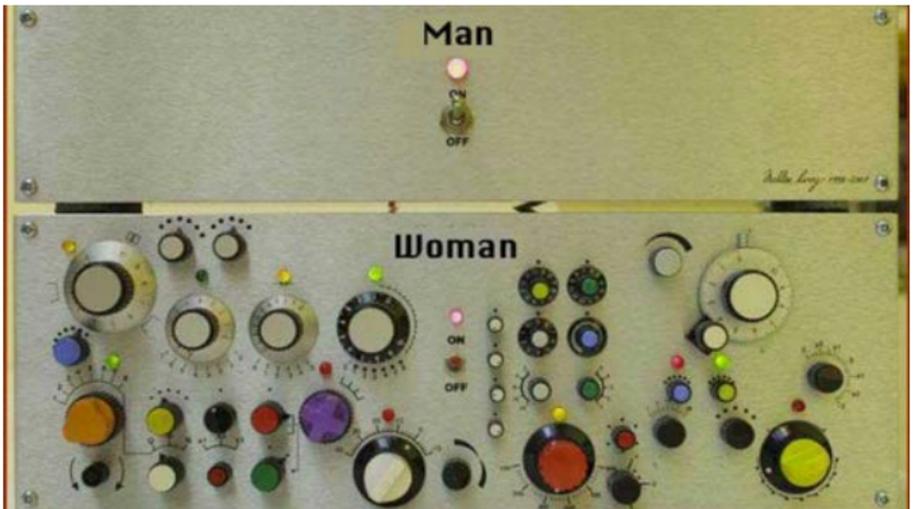
4 Your neck is like the tower of David,
built with courses of stone[a];
on it hang a thousand shields,
all of them shields of warriors.

5 Your breasts are like two fawns,
like twin fawns of a gazelle
that browse among the lilies.

6 Until the day breaks
and the shadows flee,
I will go to the mountain of myrrh
and to the hill of incense.

- Song of Songs 4:1-6

Godly Sex begins before the **BEDROOM.**



When it comes to sex, men & women are wired differently.

*“Husband, be aware that your wife views the sex act as part of her **total relationship** with you, even though you, like other men, may think of it separately.” - Dr. Ed Wheat, [Intended for Pleasure: Sex Technique in Christian Marriage](#)*

Godly Sex is built on absolute **TRUST.**

All beautiful you are, my darling;
there is no flaw in you. - Song of Songs 4:7



You are a garden locked up, my sister, my bride; you are a spring enclosed, a sealed fountain. - *Song of Songs 4:12*

Godly Sex is **HOLY**.

Husbands, go all out in your love for your wives, exactly as Christ did for the church--a love marked by giving, not getting. Christ's love makes the church whole. His words evoke her beauty. Everything he does and says is designed to bring the best out of her, dressing her in dazzling white silk, radiant with holiness. And that is how husbands ought to love their wives.

- *Ephesians 5:25-28 (MSG)*



Have you made mistakes in the area of sex? With Christ, there's always a second chance! Confess your sin, ask God to cleanse you, and honor God with your body. Jesus can make you brand-new!

Recommended Resource



“Sheet Music: Uncovering the Secrets of Sexual Intimacy in Marriage”

With warmth and humor, Dr. Kevin Leman offers a practical guide to sex according to God's plan. This frank and practical book is a perfect resource for married and engaged couples. Dr. Leman addresses a wide spectrum of people, from those with no sexual experiences to those with past sexual problems or even abuse. Using frank

descriptions, this book has a warm and friendly tone that will help couples overcome awkwardness in discussing an issue important to all married couples.
