

Gender Dysphoria

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For those who are convicted to get right with Jesus, what is the first step toward repentance?

It is to stop lying to one’s self about all kinds of sin.

- Consider homosexuality and gender confusion; has this conduct been normal and harmless all along?
- That those involved have been victims of perennial discrimination?
- Is the only reason these behaviors have been discouraged is because of oppressive, patriarchal mores that saw these identities as a threat?
- That people with these identity preferences are not disproportionately prone to violence?

How are we to respond to the claim that Sodom and Gomorrah never happened?

Yes, it did. Genesis is history revealed to Moses by God. The latest archaeological discoveries confirm that these towns were actually destroyed in a fiery cataclysm by God Almighty.

- God alerted Abraham ahead of time in Genesis 18, because the cities were awash in sexual sin.
- “Lack of hospitality” had nothing to do with it (a silly yet common liberal denomination heresy).
- Their prevalent sin was open, proud, predatory homosexuality, even the attempted rape of angels.

Why did God destroy Sodom and Gomorrah?

Sodom and Gomorrah are frequently referenced as examples of total corruption, subject to God’s wrath (Genesis 18:20; Deuteronomy 29:23; Isaiah 13:19; Jeremiah 49:18 and 50:40; Amos 4:11; Zephaniah 2: 9-10; Romans 9:29; 2 Peter 2:6-19), including by Jesus Himself (Matthew 10:15 and 11:24; Luke 10:12).

Are gay people born that way?

No, this is an oft-repeated myth. From the mid-1990s until a few years ago, America saw headline after headline about research allegedly demonstrating some version of a “gay gene.” But the headlines have pretty much stopped. The reason?

- Better studies have demonstrated that most of these aberrant desires arise not from heredity but from sexual molestation, childhood trauma and/or early exposure to porn.

How has pharmaceutical research revealed that there is no gay gene?

One big reason we can rest assured that homosexual or gender confusion delusions and desires are not inborn is that no known pharmaceutical research is underway to develop testing for such an “inborn” inclination.

- Any such test, if developed, would yield high profits, but Big Pharma is not going there.

How does the Bible present homosexual activity?

Lev. 18:22 – *You shall not lie with a male as with a woman. It is an abomination.*

It is considered gravely sinful behavior but it can also be overcome (1 Corinthians 6: 9-11).

- The prohibition of homosexuality and gender change is an essential part of overall sexual morality and the biblical model of the natural family and marital relations.
- And God’s supernatural destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah primarily for the sin of “sodomy” should have sent humanity a clear message.

Does the Bible describe any acceptable homosexual relationships?

No, the claims that it does between David and Jonathan, or Ruth and Naomi are recent twists not supported by honest investigation.

- There is no description of a cross-dresser or someone who changed sex in Scripture. These would be, as Leviticus says, “abominations.”

How do we address the claim that Hitler and Nazis exemplify bigotry that arose in a “Christian” culture?

It is absolutely not true that all homosexuals in Nazi Germany were shipped off to concentration camps and suffered a fate similar to the Jews in the Holocaust.

- Some homosexuals were, but as Scott Lively outlined in his book *The Pink Swastika*, the Nazi Party leadership itself and most likely Hitler were deeply compromised by homosexual behavior.
- Those homosexuals captured were likely sacrifices for political expediency, useful to demonstrate a big lie: that the Nazis represented a pure Judeo-Christian, family-oriented “race.”
- In fact, sodomy was being routinely inflicted on Hitler Youth.
- The neopaganism of the Nazis reflected a serious distortion of their Christian traditions.

How else is the comparison between a Christian culture and Nazism fatally flawed?

The acts and attitudes of fascism currently in America are coming from the left, with violence toward Christians and conservatives becoming a more acceptable option. And no, it’s not equivalent on the right—not even close.

Is the right behind most of the violence in America, with little coming from “LGBTQ” people?

No, those who are transgender or homosexual, supported by their allies and partners, are responsible for a disproportionate number of incidents where peaceful people, even children, were attacked or murdered in cold blood.

- Consider Charlie Kirk’s recent murder by a homosexual male, Tyler Robinson, partnered with another male attempting to transition to a female.
- Or the transgender shooter of a Catholic school during religious services, with two children gunned down by this monster.
- Or the transgender shooter of a Christian school in Tennessee, where she murdered three children.
- Or Floyd Corkins, the homosexual who planned a mass murder at Family Research Council in 2012, based on the labels given that group by Southern Poverty Law Center. He shot a security guard, but did not get further in his planned attack.
- Armed “queer” resistance groups are even giving lectures on college campuses. One occurred at University of Utah in 2023.
- The male arrested just before his planned assassination of Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh in 2022 now identifies as a female.

The list is growing of violent sexual and gender outlaws, and it even goes back to infamous serial killer Jeffrey Dahmer and child murderers Leopold and Loeb in 1924,

who had a homosexual relationship. Also, numerous school shooters, including the Columbine killers, were either reputed to be homosexual or had been teased at school for allegedly being “gay.”

Does being bullied justify a murderous response?

And being bullied is always sad. We should stand firmly against any such behavior, but being called names does not justify cold-blooded, premeditated murder.

- Horrifically, there are now those on the left who believe that unpleasant opinions and words justify murder.
- And yet politicians and media figures on the left deny they are inciting violence.

There is an attempt to recast the **Stonewall** uprising in 1969 as a noble action against oppression when it was instead, an assault on law enforcement by degenerates and their boy companions.

Was the removal of homosexuality from the psychological disorders list long overdue justice?

No, it was an early example of organized homosexual fascism in action. In 1973, the diagnosis of homosexuality as a psychiatric disorder was removed from the American Psychiatric Association’s Diagnostic and Statistical Manual II.

- This victory was won not through science but by relentless, often vicious and deceptive “gay” activism.
- Much of this history is detailed in *Homosexuality and the Politics of Truth* by Jeffery Satinover, MD.
- This paved the way for the next decades of “progress” in western nations as “out” homosexuals now demanded an array of new rights.
- Gender identity disorder was downgraded in 2013 in the DSM-5 to a far less consequential label — “gender dysphoria.”

How do we know that homosexuality is a mental disorder?

Homosexual conduct remains disordered and unnatural behavior. Self-professed “LGBTQ” individuals still report far more mental health disorders than those in the majority heterosexual population.

- And the level of vitriol of this movement toward conservative values and the subsequent bigotry toward Christians is a red flag of ongoing but now mainstreamed emotional disturbance.
- It’s totally acceptable among many “LGBTQ” communities to hate, verbally attack and even physically attack conservatives.

How did AIDS become “everyone’s risk?”

After its identification in 1981 until the release of prophylactic medication to minimize HIV risk (2012), America’s left quickly bought and dutifully transmitted one long and mostly untrue narrative: we all share this risk.

- The vast majority of HIV infections have been among males who have anal sex with males, followed by a lower risk for IV drug users, followed by those who have sex with homosexual males, IV drug users or prostitutes.

How did the AIDS epidemic impact sex education?

America now needed to make sure middle and high schoolers were taught about their “equal risk” and then overwhelmed with early normalization of homosexual sex practices dismissing abstinence-only education as ineffective when virtually all “objective” research, full of conflicts of interest, was funded by Big Pharma and Big Abortion.

- So, in the 1990s a new type of sex education debuted which was much more graphic, all justified by “HIV prevention.
- They hardly mention HIV risk anymore because they got what they wanted: children being exposed to the details of homosexual sex practices.

If this seems like a scheme from Satan to divert focus from the real problem (male homosexual sexual activity) to making big money from government grants while grooming children, you would be correct.

What is the prophetic significance of AIDS?

It is the direct consequence of homosexuality...

Romans 1:27 – men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust for one another, men with men committing what is shameful, and receiving in themselves the penalty of their error which was due.

Homosexual activity is unnatural and thus has consequences.

How do we respond to the claim that homosexual behaviors are not a threat to children?

“Gays are not all pedophiles!” goes the typical protest against any hint of such a claim.

- They are partially right. It’s true, not all “LGBTQ” adults are after children for sex.
- Yet many look the other way and then, there is the fairly substantial segment who are attracted to young teens (“pederasts”).

There’s no doubt that sex with youth is normalized and tolerated. It’s even celebrated within the halls of “inclusion.”

- Many so-called “non-pedophile” adults who claim an “LGBTQ” identity advocate the exposure of children to inappropriate material and influences of all types--

pornographic novels, mature videos, semi-nude adults at pride parades, etc.

- The grooming of “LGBTQ” behaviors to children at school is growing in the proliferation of obscene novels in school libraries and “drag queen” performances.

What would Jesus have to say about the exposure of “LGBTQ” philosophy to children?

Millstones await many people...

Matthew 18:6 – whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to sin, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were drowned in the depth of the sea.

How should we respond to the claim that there are no ex-homosexuals/transgenders?

Just as no one is born homosexual or in the wrong body, there is ample evidence that those who have these inclinations can change direction.

- Thousands of former “LGBTQ” individuals can testify to this reality and yet this is eliminated as a permissible category of “diversity.”
- The homosexual activist movement has spent millions opposing “conversion” therapy” and has blocked every attempt at public recognition of an ex-homosexual or ex-transgender viewpoint.

Is same sex “marriage” an expression of equality?

The truth is that there has long existed actual marriage equality—a male marries a female.

- But homosexuality is only marriage to those who have lost common sense.

Is it true that same sex “marriage” would never be a threat to true marriage and hetero people?

Same sex “marriage” has legitimized the promotion of all the “LGBTQ” behaviors to everyone, including children and teens, and a reason to silence all critics.

- Accompanying such promotion is often anti-parent violation of consent, and anti-Christian messaging to deny religious liberty.
- The “LGBTQ” movement has done untold damage in undermining Christian freedom of speech.

How do we respond to the claim that Greece and Rome prove that homosexuality is acceptable?

Excusing current sodomy because “it was common in Greece and Rome” is a serious distortion of history.

- What actually took place provides much more evidence for the traditional Christian “not-born-that-way” narrative.
- Apparently homosexual “hook-ups” between a heterosexually-identified, often married adult male and a younger male partner were common in these ancient cultures.
- Homosexual identities were not needed for this, much like the pansexual or “queer” labels of today, reflecting not inborn but developed desires

What is the prophetic significance of the growth of the LGBTQ narrative in our culture?

It reflects a departure from biblical sexual morality and is indicative of the moral decline that the Bible predicts will characterize the end times.

2 Timothy 3:1-5 – But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come: For men will be lovers of themselves, ...lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having a form of godliness but denying its power.

It is called out as a sin of the Tribulation so its growth today is a birth pang...

Revelation 9:21 – they did not repent of their murders or their sorceries or their sexual immorality or their thefts.

The LGBTQ movement an aggressive agenda that seeks to redefine God's created order, particularly regarding sexuality and gender.

1 Corinthians 6:9-11 – 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.

The current cultural push to normalize homosexuality outside of God's design is seen as a sign of societies turning away from God's truth, similar to the moral conditions before God's judgment in biblical history.

Jude 1:7 – Just as Sodom and Gomorrah and the cities around them, since they in the same way as these indulged in gross immorality and went after strange flesh, are exhibited as an example in undergoing the punishment of eternal fire.

What will the spiritual blindness and rebellion against God lead to for Christians?

It is a birth pang leading to increasing persecution of those who hold to biblical truth.

Matthew 24:9 – they will deliver you up to tribulation and kill you, and you will be hated by all nations for My name's sake.

What applications do we see from this discussion?

- The LBGTQ narrative is rebellion against God and a significant sign of the times.
- LBGTQ philosophy will be an engine of persecution of Christians.