

LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS

Dishonorable Passions

Romans 1:26-27

"For this reason God gave them up to dishonorable passions. For their women exchanged natural relations for those that are contrary to nature; [27] and the men likewise gave up natural relations with women and were consumed with passion for one another, men committing shameless acts with men and receiving in themselves the due penalty for their error."

Additional passages: Gen. 1:26-28; Gen. 2:7-9, 15-25; Psalm 139:1-3, 13-24; Rom. 8:18-29.

Questions:

1. **How would you enter in relationally and counsel someone who is struggling with God's teaching on homosexuality in the Bible?**

Verses 18 and 24 talk about suppressing the truth, with verses 26-27 coming as a result of people suppressing the truth.

2. **Is there a teaching in Scripture that it is difficult for you to submit to? What is it about the teaching that is a challenge for you?**

Pastor John talked about how living in the world against God's revealed will in Scripture is like making up your own rules to a board game: it goes against the intended design.

3. **How is it going with embracing God's design for the world as a whole, and for your life in particular? As man/woman? In your vocation? In your relationships?**
4. **How can we grow together in excitement for God's purposes/design in the world? If married, for our marriages; if we have families, for our families; for our work?**

Spend some extra time sharing prayer requests and praying for one another.

We all engage in an every-day setting. Spend time sharing and praying for that setting where you spend the majority of the time during the day.

Pray for:

- Yourself
- Those in your workplace.
- Those in your line of work.
- Your line of work as a whole.