Is God Sex Positive?

If So, What is Allowed and With Whom?

It seems that in the Christian community today there is an extremely negative attitude about the naked body...why and where did that come from? Well, we believe it came from Satan based on God's question "who told thee" and the fact that Satan hates the image bearers of God almighty and wants that image covered and hidden.

Well, right along with that in the Christian community is a generally negative connotation about sex. It occurred to us to ask the question is God sex positive. Because if He is then we need to ask the second question which is where did the negative attitude about sex come from. Could it be that Satan is propagating the sex negative paradigm just like he is the naked negative paradigm? Why would he do that...maybe because he wants to limit the growth of the Christian community by keeping God positive people from procreating like they could and should. Maybe Satan doesn't want people enjoying life and having a good time...remember it was God that said He came to give life and life more abundant. Maybe it is God that wants to see His children enjoying life and Satan wants them miserable and unfulfilled. Maybe not only does Satan not want spiritual babies being born, but maybe he simply doesn't want any babies being born. So he promotes abortion and birth control under the guise of "family planning" and he promotes a sex negative attitude amongst Christians specifically. What if Christians are promoting Satan's lie about sex just like they are promoting Satan's lie about the image and likeness of God that He called "very good"?

Now, the first question that must be asked is "Is God Sex Positive?" So, for the answer let's look to the Bible.

Genesis 1:28

And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.

This is a pre-sin verse encouraging Adam and Eve to fill the earth with people. As mentioned in a previous article, this was while Adam and Eve were naked and not ashamed in the garden so the condition of these people filling the earth would have also been naked and not ashamed. So, God's original design was for the earth to be filled with naked people who are not ashamed of their nakedness. But, that aside, the key here is that in the pre-sin state, in the Garden of Eden, Adam and Eve were encouraged to fill the earth with people. That would require a lot of sex...so, from the beginning...God's original design was for Adam and Eve to tend the garden and have lots of sex resulting in a large number of descendants to fill the earth. It looks like in God's original design that God is very sex positive.

So...what about after sin and the curse?

Genesis 9:1

And God blessed Noah and his sons, and said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth.

Well, it seems as if our statements in the past about God being consistent, that He is the same yesterday, today and forever just might be accurate. That is God was sex positive before sin and the curse that He still is after sin and the curse. This verse certainly bares that out.

We already know that the Song of Solomon is very sex positive and even depicts oral sex in a positive light

Song of Solomon 2:3

As the apple tree among the trees of the wood, so is my beloved among the sons. I sat down under his shadow with great delight, and his fruit was sweet to my taste.

So, let's check out the New Testament on the subject...

Hebrews 13:4

Marriage is honourable in all, and the bed undefiled:

The word "bed" in the Greek directly translates to the word sex.

So, if I were to ask you right now based only on the Bible...is God sex positive, what would your answer be? Ours would be a hearty, unashamed, absolutely YES.

What happened then, how did the church get so far off base where it now has a generally negative attitude about sex? Why is it that to most pastors there are only 65 books in the Bible?

The same thing that happened about a lot of subjects...Satan happened. And laziness happened. Unfortunately most pastors are either unwilling to study the tough subjects for fear or they are simply too lazy to study them or a combination of many reasons.

If we can agree, based on the Word of God, that God is sex positive, now we need to ask the second and extremely important question...what is allowed and with whom?

This question is most likely even more important than the first question and will require much more time and information.

Tune back in soon for the next article on "What and With Whom"...

Footnote: We do not believe that nakedness and sex are synonymous, in fact we believe that the quickest way to desexualize the mind and society is to make nonsexual nudity commonplace. Naked while doing the dishes and naked while mowing the lawn and naked while watching tv and naked while playing games, etc. just as Adam and Eve were naked while gardening. So, we are not equating nudity with sex in these articles...we are simply dealing with some of the lies that Satan has successfully infiltrated into the church and how effective he has been at taking something good and getting Christians to promote the lie of calling it bad.

Isaiah 5:20

Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!