



GROUP STUDY GUIDE

WEEK OF AUGUST 20, 2023 | WHY DOES GOD CARE ABOUT WHO I SLEEP WITH?

WARM-UP QUESTION

If you were a state fair food, what would you be and why?

DISCUSS

- Start your discussion by sharing what stood out to you from Sunday's message. Were there any new insights or key takeaways for you?

Read [1 Corinthians 6:13-14](#)

- Why do you think Paul makes the connection in verse 13 between food and the body to sex and the body?
- What does it mean that our bodies were made for the Lord? How does believing this change our view of and use of our bodies?
- What does the fact that the Lord cares about our bodies tell you about how he desires us to treat our bodies?
- Compare and contrast what our culture says our bodies are for and what the Bible tells us our bodies were made for.

Read [1 Corinthians 6:15-17](#)

- Paul says our bodies are linked to Christ. How then does our sexual behavior connect to our relationship with Jesus?
- Based on Paul's reference to Genesis 2:24, why is he warning against someone becoming sexually involved with someone they are not married to?
- How have you experienced our culture portraying Christianity to be negative toward sex?
- How does God truly view and value sex?

Read [1 Corinthians 6:18-20](#)

- Why does Paul use such strong language when he says to run from sexual sin?
- How does sexual sin affect your own body?
- What does it mean that our bodies are temples for the Holy Spirit?
- What does it practically look like to honor God with your body?

RESPOND

- Based on what you just discussed, what do you think God is prompting you to do in response? When will you do it?
- Pray together as a group for the specific goals or areas of struggle that came up in your discussion. Thank God for revealing more of who He is, and ask Him to help you apply what He's prompting you to do this week.

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