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### Current Pornography Stats

- 93% of boys and 62% of girls are exposed to pornography online before the age of 18.
- The first exposure to pornography among boys is 12 years old, on average.
- 69% of boys and 55% of girls are exposed to same-sex images online.
- Child pornography offenses have exploded by more than 200 per cent in the last decade.

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### Current Pornography Stats

- Porn Sites Get More Visitors Each Month Than Netflix, Amazon And Twitter Combined
- 30% of the Internet industry is pornography
- 21% of Christian men believe they are addicted to porn
- Researchers believe that pornography's intense stimulation of the brain brings about significant changes to the brain similar to drug addiction

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### How we establish our beliefs about the world

**Tradition:** what you were taught by others

**Reason:** what makes sense to you

**Experience:** what you have experienced

**Bible:** What the Bible says

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### God's Holiness

Sin cannot be in his presence

Sin separates us from God

God judges sin

5.

### God's Love

God is compassionate and patient

God forgives all sin through Jesus

Through Jesus, God draws us close to him

6.

*The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.*

John 1:14

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*So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.*

Genesis 1:27

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18 The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him." 19 Now the Lord God had formed out of the ground all the wild animals and all the birds in the sky. He brought them to the man to see what he would name them; and whatever the man called each living creature, that was its name.

### 9. Genesis 2:18-19

20 So the man gave names to all the livestock, the birds in the sky and all the wild animals. But for Adam no suitable helper was found. 21 So the Lord God caused the man to fall into a deep sleep; and while he was sleeping, he took one of the man's ribs and then closed up the place with flesh. 22 Then the Lord God made a woman from the rib he had taken out of the man, and he brought her to the man.

### 10. Genesis 2:20-22

23 The man said,  
"This is now bone of my bones  
and flesh of my flesh;  
she shall be called 'woman,'  
for she was taken out of man."

### 11. Genesis 2:23

24 That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh. 25 Adam and his wife were both naked, and they felt no shame.

Genesis 2:18-25

### 12. Genesis 2:24-25

God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.

Genesis 1:31

### 13. Genesis 1:31

3 It is God's will that you should be sanctified; that you should avoid sexual immorality; 4 that each of you should learn to control your own body in a way that is holy and honorable, 5 not in passionate lust like the pagans, who do not know God; 6 and that in this matter no one should wrong or take advantage of a brother or sister. The Lord will punish all those who commit such sins, as we told you and warned you before.

### 14.

7 For God did not call us to be impure, but to live a holy life. 8 Therefore, anyone who rejects this instruction does not reject a human being but God, the very God who gives you his Holy Spirit.

1 Thessalonians 4:3-8

### 15.

30 But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law who belonged to their sect complained to his disciples, "Why do you eat and drink with tax collectors and sinners?"

### 16. Luke 5:30

31 Jesus answered them, "It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. 32 I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance."

Luke 5:30-32

17. Luke 5:31-32

### How we receive victory

- 1) be vulnerable and bring darkness to light (**Eph. 5:11-13**)
- 2) Rest in Jesus' forgiveness and yield to the Holy Spirit (**Rom. 8:14-15**)
- 3) Recognize the war is in the mind/heart not in the behavior (**Matt. 7:21-23**)

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