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Confronting but Necessary Read

The authors, well known for exposing the occultism of psychiatry and psychology, here propose why sodomy [oral and anal intercourse] is clearly anti-God and causes physical and psychological misery in those who practice it.

There is no discrimination between sexes who practice sodomy as the focus stays on the acts themselves.

The sex-driven psychological philosophies of Sigmund Freud, Margaret Mead, Ayn Rand, Alfred Kinsey, etc. are shown as enablers of the sexual revolution of the 60s, which falsely promised liberty to all via casting off Christianity's moral 'straitjacket'.

What has been reaped since then are population HPV infection rates of 25%, 19M cases of STDs in the US per annum, and 36M people worldwide living under the death sentence of HIV/AIDS.

It is argued the key to legalisation of sodomy was acceptance of it first by Christians, e.g., a majority of U.S. Christians (54%) believe homosexuality should be accepted by society, and 'Pastor' Mark and Grace Driscoll's popular book Real Marriage (2012) amazingly says: "legally and Biblically anal sex is permissible for a married couple, as Scripture does not forbid it."

"And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them."

Ephesians 5.11, AV

I) Introduction (pp. 5-16)

"Sodomy refers to anal or oral sex, whether between a man and a woman, two women, or two men."

The reason why Americans and many Christians have swallowed the whole homosexual agenda is because many heterosexual Americans and Christians were themselves practising homosexual sexual acts.

II) God's Sexual Design (pp. 17-36)

However, Scientific American Mind says, "It turns out that male and female brains differ quite a bit in architecture and activity."

Thus the sexual union of one man and one woman was clearly established early in Genesis, and their sexual organs matched perfectly for becoming one flesh and being fruitful and multiplying.

Obviously, according according to natural law, God did not create the mouth or anus as an organ of sexual intercourse. It is unnatural to put a reproductive organ into another person's mouth or anus. Such acts go against God's design. Likewise, God did not create the vagina or clitoris for the tongue or the tongue for the vagina or clitoris.

The word "fornication" is translated from the Greek word porneia.

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Lot's offer of his two virgin daughters is atrocious, but perhaps he knew the men would not be interested.

For heterosexuals, oral sex may diminish the pleasure of natural sex (coitus) and lead to a dependency on oral sex for satisfaction until that is no longer enough.

Unrighteous societies foster sexual unrighteousness.

Societal recognition of such homosexual relationships will bring upon that society extreme forms of Divine punishment; the destruction of the generation of the Flood, the utter defeat of the Egyptians at the Exodus, the wiping out of native Canaanite peoples in favour of the Israelites.

Change may be extremely difficult, which is why so many believe it is impossible.

Same-sex sexual activities can dramatically change the brain, particularly when such activities are fantasized and practised on a regular basis over time and even more so when started young.

III) The Biblical View of Homosexuality (pp. 37-68)

The sexual revolution of the 60s through the 80s could not have occurred during the ten-year period of the depression, which began in 1929.

Humanistic psychology paved the way for a new concept of the self that needed to be freed from the restraints of "repressive social institutions and moral codes" so that people would be "free to develop their inborn goodness" and "build a society without hypocrisy, prejudice or exploitation."

IV) The Sexual Revolution (pp. 69-88)

Sigmund Freud (1856-1939) believed sexual morality was at the root of psychological disorders.

Abraham Maslow (1908-1970) followed many of Freud's ideas.

Margaret Mead (1901-1978) came away from her time on the island of Samoa with the notion that sexual freedom was a beneficial part of their culture, but they lied to her.

Ruth Benedict (1887-1948) and Mead were both bisexual.

Ayn Rand (1905-1982) and one of her devotees, self-esteem psychologist Nathaniel Branden (1930-2014) created the philosophy of Objectivism and were highly egocentric.

Objectivist ethics is a morality of rational self-interest—or of rational selfishness.

Charles Reich (born 1928), a sodomite, championed victimhood.

Alfred Kinsey (1894-1956), a bisexual sodomite, was the father of the modern Western sexual revolution. He advocated that all sexual behaviours considered deviant were normal, while polemicising that exclusive heterosexuality was abnormal.

In 1960 the FDA approved the first oral contraceptive, the birth control pill. Approximately 1,187,000 women were using it by 1962.

The Stonewall riots of 1969 are considered to be a pivotal rallying point in leading to the gay liberation movement.

Roe Vs Wade (1973) enabled limited abortion.

In 1973 homosexuality per se was removed from the DSM-II classification of mental disorders and replaced by the category Sexual Orientation Disturbance.

In 1969 film director Andy Warhol (1928-1987) directed Blue Movie.

Sodomy was not legalised in all 50 states until 2003.

V) The Sodomy of Americans (pp. 89-118)

'Talking about' problems is no substitute for confronting them."

The "therapeutic gospel" views Americans as emotionally underdeveloped, psychically frail, and requiring the ministrations of mental health professionals to cope with life's vicissitudes.

67% agree "Everyone sins at least a little, but most people are by nature good."

Among adults aged 25-44, about 98% of women and 97% of men ever had vaginal intercourse, 89% of women and 90% of men ever had oral sex with an opposite-sex partner, and 36% of women and 44% of men ever had anal sex with an opposite-sex partner.

"72 million internet users visit pornography web sites per year" and "70% of 18-to-24-year-old men visit pornographic sites in a typical month.

The correlation (85%) between viewing child pornography and participating in actual sexual relations with children was demonstrated by Bourke and Hernandez.

The ethos of victimisation has an endless capacity.

Victimspeak is the trigger that permits the unleashing of an emotional and self-righteous response to any perceived slight.

Joseph D. Unwin (1895-1936), a British ethnologist and social anthropologist societies thrived better when the sexual relationships were monogamous and that they deteriorated as the sexual restraints were removed.

The whole of human history does not contain a single instance of a group becoming civilised unless it has been absolutely monogamous.

VI) The Sodomy of Christians (pp. 119-146)

76% of "Practising Christians" "somewhat" or "completely" agreed with the statement: "The best way to find yourself is by looking within yourself"

Christian women, reported in Today's Christian Woman in 2008, "On the Wild Side.":

"Do you and your spouse have oral sex? 5% Did once

38% Did more than once 40% Do Regularly 17% Have not done at all

"Do you and your spouse have anal sex?"
11% Did once
11% Did more than once
1% Do Regularly
77% Have not done at all.

2016 Barna study:

-Pastors (57%) and youth pastors (64%) have struggled with porn.

-12% of youth pastors and 5% of pastors are addicted to porn and 87% of pastors feel a great sense of shame. 55% of pastors who use porn say they live in constant fear of being discovered.

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VII) The Song of Solomon (pp. 147-162)

Saadia, a medieval Jewish commentator said the Song of Songs is like a book for which the key has been lost.

An Epithalamium is a nuptial song.

By transmogrification, verses have been misinterpreted to accommodate oral sex; not only to make it acceptable, but even to make it a marital requirement.

VIII) Dangers and Diseases of Sodomy (pp. 163-176)

"Oral sex can transmit oral, respiratory, and genital pathogens.

Oral health has a direct impact on the transmission of infection; a cut in your mouth, bleeding gums, lip sores or broken skin increases chances of infection [e.g. of HPV which ~25% of the population have, gonorrhoea, and syphilis]."

The CDC says there are 19M cases of STDs each year in the US.

In 2016, ~37M worldwide are living with HIV/AIDs.

The Spanish Flu [1918-19] killed 20-50M people.

IX) Love God and Your Spouse (pp. 177-198)

The BDSM porn novel *Fifty Shades of Grey* has sold over 125 million copies world-wide and has been translated into 52 languages.