

# HOMOSEXUALITY

## *The Depths of Depravity*

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**T**HE HOMOSEXUAL LOBBY has adopted the rainbow as their symbol. God gave man the rainbow as a promise when He destroyed the earth a mere couple thousand years or so after creation due to the intense sin of man at the time, accelerated by the sinful actions and influence of demons (Genesis 6:1-7). When the water receded and Noah left the ark, God promised man (Genesis 9:8-17) that He'd never again destroy all flesh by means of a flood; He created the rainbow as a token of this covenant between Him and man.

As this author writes, the over-arching fear of the nonChristian community is a, "Global Warming," with an accompanying rise in global sea levels, resulting in a loss of vast swaths of landmass (there is no such fear in the Christian community at large). Ever-mindful of their abominable sin, and remembering how God destroyed great sin in the past by means of a flood, and now believing that the seas are rising globally, homosexuals attempt to hold the sign of the rainbow between themselves and God, as if to tell Him that they're safe from His wrath because of His promise! They are attempting to protect themselves from God! There is both a subconscious memory/fear of what happened in Noah's day, and a sometimes conscious attempt to subvert it by claiming the promise of the rainbow.

And God tells us in His Word that there is an inherent coupling between homosexuality and idolatry/**nature worship**.

### ***God Gave Them Up***

There are numerous instances in history when God has utterly destroyed an entire people because of their sin.

- 1 When the LORD thy God shall bring thee into the land whither thou goest to possess it, and hath cast out many nations before thee, the Hittites, and the Girgashites, and the Amorites, and the Canaanites, and the Perizzites, and the Hivites, and the Jebusites, seven nations greater and mightier than thou;
- 2 And when the LORD thy God shall deliver them before thee; thou shalt smite them, and utterly destroy them; thou shalt make no covenant with them, nor shew mercy unto them:
- 3 Neither shalt thou make marriages with them; thy daughter thou shalt not give unto his son, nor his daughter shalt thou take unto thy son.

4 For they will turn away thy son from following Me, that they may serve other gods: so will the anger of the LORD be kindled against you, and destroy thee suddenly.

5 But thus shall ye deal with them; ye shall destroy their altars, and break down their images, and cut down their groves, and burn their graven images with fire.

**Deuteronomy 7: 1-5 The BIBLE**

Many nonChristians speak mockingly and condemningly about this, "Old Testament God," Who would do this... and mock Christians because of it. And many Christians attempt to make apologies for these actions of God in the Old Testament. Some Christians say that God has changed, or that He acts differently, now, toward His creation.

6 For I Am the LORD, I change not; therefore ye sons of Jacob are not consumed.

**Malachi 3:6 The BIBLE**

8 Jesus Christ Is the same yesterday and today and forever.

**Hebrews 13:8 The BIBLE**

God has not changed; He has promised to utterly destroy humanity yet again, one last time.

3 Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after their own lusts,

4 And saying, Where is the promise of his coming? for since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of the creation.

5 For this they willingly are ignorant of, that by the word of God the heavens were of old, and the earth standing out of the water and in the water:

6 Whereby the world that then was, being overflowed with water, perished:

7 But the heavens and the earth, which are now, by the same word are kept in store, reserved unto fire against the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men.

8 But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

9 The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some men count slackness; but Is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

10 But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up.

**II Peter 3:3-10 The BIBLE**

God has already declared a death sentence upon mankind as a whole – with the exception of a few righteous. And God has already given up homosexuals to their sin. Three times in the same passage God emphasizes the decision He has already made toward homosexuals in particular.

24 Wherefore **God also gave them up** to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves:

25 Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, Who Is blessed for ever. Amen.

26 For this cause **God gave them up** unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature:

27 And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.

28 And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, **God gave them over** to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient;

**Romans 1:24-28 The BIBLE**

## *Degrees of Sin*

While homosexuality is listed as a sin characteristic of those who will inherit hell ...

9 Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived: neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind,

10 Nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall inherit the kingdom of God.

**I Corinthians 6:9-10 The BIBLE**

9 Knowing this, that the law is not made for a righteous man, but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and for sinners, for unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers,

10 For whoremongers, for them that defile themselves with mankind, for menstealers, for liars, for perjured persons, and if there be any other thing that is contrary to sound doctrine;

**I Timothy 1:9-10 The BIBLE**

...there is indeed a hierarchy of sin – all sins are not created equal!

16 If any man see his brother sin a sin which is not unto death, he shall ask, and he shall give him life for them that sin not unto death. There is a sin unto death: I do not say that he shall pray for it.

17 All unrighteousness is sin: and there is a sin not unto death.

**I John 5:16-17 The BIBLE**

11 Jesus answered, Thou couldest have no power at all against me, except it were given thee from above: therefore he that delivered me unto thee hath the greater sin.

**John 19:11 The BIBLE**

God rained fire and brimstone from heaven, destroying entire cities! (He has done that for no other sin!)

4 But before they lay down, the men of the city, the men of Sodom, compassed the house round, both old and young, all the people from every quarter:

5 And they called unto Lot, and said unto him, Where are the men which came in to thee this night? bring them out unto us, that we may know them.

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13 For we (*angels*) will destroy this place, because the cry of them is waxen great before the face of the LORD; and the LORD hath sent us to destroy it.

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24 Then the LORD rained upon Sodom and upon Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the LORD out of heaven;

**Genesis 19:4-5, 13, 24 The BIBLE**

The only other sin for which God ever, “gave up,” an entire people to their sin and for which He planned their destruction was the sin of idolatry/nature worship (Acts 7:42, Psalm 81:12, Psalm 106:19-23). Not coincidentally, the sin (and abomination) God also condemns while He condemns homosexuality, is precisely that of idolatry/nature worship!

18 For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness;

19 Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath shewed it unto them.

20 For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:

21 Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.

22 Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools,

23 And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

24 Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves:

25 Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen

26 For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature: ... .

**Romans 1:18-26 The BIBLE**

Throughout Scripture homosexuality has consistently been portrayed as the utter depths of depravity. Once a society reaches the point of commonly accepting and condoning that sin it has reached the cusp of destruction. Homosexuality and idol/nature worship are the two sins God calls, “abominations,” or, ‘matters that cause extreme disgust and loathing,’ in Him and in those who follow Him.

16 They provoked Him to jealousy with strange gods, with abominations provoked they Him to anger.

17 They sacrificed unto devils, not to God; to gods whom they knew not, to new gods that came newly up, whom your fathers feared not.

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32 For their vine is of the vine of Sodom, and of the fields of Gomorrah: their grapes are grapes of gall, their clusters are bitter:

**Deuteronomy 32:16-17, 32 The BIBLE**

22 Thou shalt not lie with mankind, as with womankind: it is abomination.

**Leviticus 18:22 The BIBLE**

13 If a man also lie with mankind, as he lieth with a woman, both of them have committed an abomination: they shall surely be put to death; their blood shall be upon them.

**Leviticus 20:13 The BIBLE**

5 The woman shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man, neither shall a man put on a woman's garment: for all that do so are abomination unto the LORD thy God.

**Deuteronomy 22: 5 The BIBLE**

26 For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature:

27 And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.

28 And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a depraved mind, to do those things which are not convenient;

**Romans 1:26-28 The BIBLE**

7 Even as Sodom and Gomorrah, and the cities about them in like manner, giving themselves over to fornication, and going after strange flesh, are set forth for an example, suffering the vengeance of eternal fire.

**Jude 7 The BIBLE**

### ***“But I was Born This Way!”***

Homosexuality is a sin; it is not an acceptable way of life. God has a perfect way of life for us all on earth. But Scripture tells us that, after the sin of Adam and Eve, we are all born into sin, and we all must repent of all our sins, and turn from them, turning from the way we were born. It is not our actions that will send us to hell; the sinfulness with which we (all) are born will automatically send us to hell. Our actions will merely determine the extent of punishment we suffer in hell. What will save us from hell is believing on Jesus Christ, repenting of our sins and sinfulness, giving our life to God, and thus becoming born again.

2 Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

3 For I acknowledge my transgressions: and my sin is ever before me.

4 Against Thee, thee only, have I sinned, and done this evil in Thy sight: that Thou mightest be justified when Thou speakest, and be clear when Thou judgest.

**5 Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me.**

6 Behold, Thou desirest truth in the inward parts: and in the hidden part thou shalt make me to know wisdom.

7 Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean: wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

**Psalms 51:2-7 The BIBLE**

### ***Enforced Participation***

The night of their destruction the inhabitants of Sodom did their utmost to a) commit sodomy with everyone, even against their will, and force everyone to become like them; b) “punish,” the preacher of righteousness who sought to stop them from committing sodomy (homosexuality) against others.

4 But before they lay down, the men of the city, even the men of Sodom, compassed the house round, both old and young, all the people from every quarter:

5 And they called unto Lot, and said unto him, Where are the men which came in to thee this night? bring them out unto us, that we may know them.

6 And Lot went out at the door unto them, and shut the door after him,

7 And said, I pray you, brethren, do not so wickedly.

8 Behold now, I have two daughters which have not known man; let me, I pray you, bring them out unto you, and do ye to them as is good in your eyes: only unto these men do nothing; for therefore came they under the shadow of my roof.

9 And they said, Stand back. And they said again, This one fellow came in to sojourn, and he will needs be a judge: now will we deal worse with thee, than with them. And they pressed sore upon the man, even Lot, and came near to break the door.

#### **Genesis 19:4-9 The BIBLE**

This is happening again, now. The men of Sodom accused Lot of judging them – and declared that consequently they’d abuse him worse than they were planning to abuse those they were lusting after. In our day, those who disagree with this abominable sin are called, “intolerant,” “haters,” etc. People who speak out against the abomination of homosexuality are publicly pilloried, forced out of their jobs, and ostracized in society. Preachers are prosecuted for preaching against the abomination of homosexuality. Businesses who refuse to participate in this sin are successfully sued. Schools require that students be taught to accept this sin as normal.

16 Forbidding us to speak to the Gentiles that they might be saved, to fill up their sins alway: for the wrath is come upon them to the uttermost.

#### **I Thessalonians 2:16 The BIBLE**

This enforced compliance is merely a first step – a precursor of what is to come. Revelation 20:4 says that Christians will be beheaded for the cause of Christ.

12 Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution.

13 But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived.

#### **II Timothy 3: 12-13 The BIBLE**

Homosexuality will be forced upon the Christian and upon the Church. Today’s integration will quickly become tomorrow’s enforced standard, as it was in Sodom. We will be required to be not merely tolerant of this abomination, but to accept it into our midst, and even to engage in it, ourselves. And, because homosexuality is the utter depths of depravity, every other sin will follow soon after, sins currently merely shunned by society, and sins currently illegal. Today’s, “tolerance,” will quickly become tomorrow’s universal standard: permitting and enabling ... everything. Because, once homosexuality has been institutionalized and enforced, there is nothing that can be refused.

The Church has already been infiltrated by this abomination. And the infection will only worsen! Already, pastors are afraid to preach against homosexuality for fear of prosecution! And Christians, for

fear of alienating the unsaved, and possibly scaring them away from Christ, are already adopting the abominable teachings of the homosexual lobby! Already, many mainline denominations boast homosexual priests/ministers! And homosexuals are routinely accepted into many of our congregations, albeit with faux restrictions. This thesis is being written in 2014; the author fears what the church will look like in 10 or 20 years!

Homosexuality is not, “just another sin;” it is an abomination before God and His followers. This sin demands the participation of everyone else. This is the sin for which God abandons people – finally gives up on them. For their abominations God has already destroyed everyone on earth (except for a few righteous) with a universal flood. For their abominations He has already destroyed Sodom, Gomorrah, and the surrounding towns, with fire and brimstone from heaven, as a warning of what is to come. God has already destroyed entire nations by sword for the same abominations. And God has promised to soon destroy all the rest of mankind (except for a few righteous) with fire for these same abominations.

9 Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake.

10 And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another.

11 And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many.

12 And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold.

13 But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved.

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37 But as the days of Noah were, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

38 For as in the days that were before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noah entered into the ark,

39 And knew not until the flood came, and took them all away; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

**Matthew 24:9-13, 37-39 The BIBLE**

## *Hope*

There IS hope, though! Despite being one of the two abominations, homosexuality is not the unforgiveable sin!

31 Wherefore I say unto you, All manner of sin and blasphemy shall be forgiven unto men: but the blasphemy against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven unto men.

**Matthew 12:31 The BIBLE**

Homosexuality IS forgivable, if one simply repents of this abominable sin, asks God for forgiveness, and turns from his wicked ways! It's not too late! It's not too late for the homosexual to repent! It's not too late for the compromising Christian to repent of his acceptance of this abomination! And it's not too late for the Church of God to stand against this encroaching evil and resist it, refusing to tolerate even its existence, much less its presence in the congregation of the righteous! Because this sin, along with its mate, idolatry/nature worship, is the door through which today's society will be utterly destroyed internally, and then by God. And it will be the bellwether, the indicator, of whether or not each individual Church body will survive as the oracle of God and haven for the Christian.