



Sexual Purity Course Lesson 1

Let's begin with the gospel. Let's start with the cross. This is a course on the topic of sexual purity, and yet as Christians we know that the power to defeat all sin, sexual or otherwise, is found in the gospel. In fact, the message of the gospel is a proclamation of Christ's victory and sin's defeat.

Scripture: Read Matthew 27:32-28:10; 2 Corinthians 5:21; and 1 John 2:2.

Study:

1. What did the cross accomplish? Be specific. What did the death of Jesus achieve? What did His death purchase?
2. Explain the transaction spoken of in 2 Corinthians 5:21.
3. Explain the concept of "propitiation" (ESV) found in 1 John 2:2.

Application:

1. How has the cross changed your relationship with God? Explain your condition before and after you believed in Jesus. Explain this from God's point of view.
2. Explain how your answer to the previous question should impact your fight for sexual purity.