

Water Everywhere and Not a Drop to Drink - Levi Lusko

Introduction

The fierce thirst of the Israelites in the wilderness was only met with bitter and salty water, a startlingly accurate picture of what is all around us today when it comes to sex and relationships. See how God can make what was bitter sweet again.

Changing Your Mind

That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh. - Genesis 2:24

Looking this way and that and seeing no one, he killed the Egyptian and hid him in the sand. - Exodus 12:2

Other verses: (Exodus 15:22-26)

Discussion Questions

- 1. What are some differences between what God says about sex and what our culture says about it?
- 2. Whether you're married, dating, or single, how can you work to protect your marriage bed?
- 3. Its loving to be told how to use something if the misuse of it could hurt you. This applies to sex and many other things in our lives. What are some other areas of our lives that we need to remember this truth?
- 4. Have you experienced a time when the power of sex or relationships took you down a dangerous path?
- 5. What are things you look to instead of God's word when you're not feeling satisfied (in life, in relationships, in work...)?
- 6. For every desire we have, there is a righteous way to fulfill it. What are some ways that you can fight to keep the righteous way in perspective and not have the world's view cloud your judgement?
- 7. We know grace is not a pass to do whatever we want, but how can you give grace to yourself and others for mistakes in the past?
- 8. Are there things in your life you're holding onto even though they're leaving a bitter taste in your mouth? What practical steps can you take to release those things at the cross and allow Jesus's sweetness in your life? How can we be praying for each other as we ask God to make those things sweet again?

Moving Forward

What does God think about sex? Look to identify the things in your life that are leaving a bitter taste in your mouth. Imagine how your life would be different if you could begin to exchange those for sweet things. As you begin to release those things to Jesus ask him to replace them with himself. Only He satisfies.