

THAT IS WHY A MAN LEAVES HIS FATHER AND MOTHER AND IS UNITED TO HIS WIFE, AND THEY BECOME ONE FLESH. ADAM AND HIS WIFE WERE BOTH NAKED, AND THEY FELT NO SHAME.

GENESIS 2:24-25



Question Everything

**How Deconstructing
Your Faith Can Help
You Keep It**

GENESIS 1

V. 27-28





GOD SAW **ALL THAT HE HAD MADE**, AND IT WAS
VERY GOOD.

GENESIS 1:31





GENESIS 2

V. 24-25





THE CHURCH HAS ALWAYS STRUGGLED WITH SEX,
BUT SO HAS EVERYONE ELSE. THERE AREN'T ANY
CULTURES, RELIGIOUS OR SECULAR, PRE-MODERN
OR MODERN, POST-MODERN OR POST-RELIGIOUS,
THAT EXHIBIT A TRULY HEALTHY SEXUAL ETHOS.
EVERY CHURCH AND EVERY CULTURE STRUGGLES
WITH INTEGRATING SEXUAL ENERGY, IF NOT IN ITS

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CREED ABOUT SEX, AT LEAST IN THE LIVING OUT OF THAT CREED. SECULAR CULTURE LOOKS AT THE CHURCH AND ACCUSES IT OF BEING UPTIGHT AND ANTI-EROTIC. PARTLY THIS IS TRUE, BUT THE CHURCH MIGHT WELL PROTEST THAT MUCH OF ITS SEXUAL RETICENCE IS ROOTED IN THE FACT THAT IT IS ONE OF THE FEW VOICES STILL REMAINING WHO

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ARE CHALLENGING ANYONE TOWARDS SEXUAL RESPONSIBILITY. AS WELL, THE CHURCH MIGHT ALSO CHALLENGE ANY CULTURE THAT CLAIMS TO HAVE FOUND THE KEY TO HEALTHY SEXUALITY TO STEP FORWARD AND SHOW THE EVIDENCE. NO CULTURE WILL TAKE UP THAT CLAIM. EVERYONE IS STRUGGLING.

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IF THE PURPOSE OF SEXUALITY IS MERE PLEASURE,
SOONER OR LATER THE OTHER PERSON, **WITH ALL
OF THEIR PERSONALITY AND THEIR OWN, SEPARATE
DESIRES,** IS GOING TO BECOME **BURDENSOME.**

MELINDA SELMYS





[SEX] IS EASY. YOU CAN FIND SOMEONE TO [HAVE SEX WITH] IN FIVE SECONDS. WE WANT TO FIND SOMEONE WE CAN TALK TO. AND BE OURSELVES WITH. THAT'S FAIRLY SLIM PICKINGS.

MILEY CYRUS



