

The Bible says homosexuals won't go to Heaven! (and neither will heterosexual offenders)

1. God never approved of homosexuality! In the Old Testament **Leviticus 20:13** warns: “If a man lies with a man as one lies with a woman, both of them have done what is detestable.” God even warned against cross-dressing or transvestites in **Deuteronomy 22:5**: “A woman must not wear men’s clothing, nor a man wear women’s clothing, for the Lord your God detests anyone who does this.”

2. The New Testament continues with the same warnings from God against homosexuality in **Romans 1:24-32**: “Therefore God gave them over in the sinful desires of their bodies with one another. They exchanged the truth of God for a lie...Because of this, God gave them over to shameful lusts. Even their women exchanged natural relations for unnatural ones. In the same way the men also abandoned natural relations with women and were inflamed with lust for one another. Men committed indecent acts with other men, and received in themselves the due penalty for their perversion (aids?)...Although they know God’s righteous decree that those who do such things deserve death (spiritual), they not only continue to do these very things, but also approve of those who practice them.”

A. Do you as a Christian “approve” of homosexuality, or the “gay” lifestyle? **Romans 14:22** warns: “Blessed is the man who does not condemn himself by what he approves.”

B. There are a lot of preachers out there who need to read **I Timothy 1:3-11**! Here, Paul told Timothy to: “...command certain men not to teach false doctrine any longer...They want to be teachers of the Law, but they do not know what they are talking about, or what they so confidently affirm...Law is made not for good men, but for lawbreakers and rebels, the ungodly and sinful, the unholy and irreligious...for adulterers and **perverts**...and for whatever else is contrary to the sound doctrine that conforms to the glorious Gospel of the blessed God...”

(1) The word “**perverts**” or “**for them that defile themselves with mankind (KJV)**” is the Greek word “**arsenokoitais**” which is from the word “**arsen**” or “male,” and “**koite**” or “bed.” It is translated: “one who lies with a male as with a female, a sodomite (**Genesis 19:1-25**) or homosexual.”

3. Read **I Corinthians 6:9-11**: “Don’t you know that the wicked will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived: Neither the sexually immoral...nor adulterers nor male prostitutes nor homosexual offenders...will inherit the kingdom of God.”

A. The Bible warns that **four types of sexual sin will keep you out of Heaven:**

(1) “**sexually immoral**” or “**fornicators (KJV)**” which is the Greek word “**pornoi**” which means: “illicit sexual intercourse between an unmarried man and

woman.”

(2) “*adulterers*” which is the Greek word “*moichoi*” which means: “unlawful sexual intercourse with the spouse of another.”

(3) “*male prostitutes*” or “*effeminate (KJV)*” which is the Greek word “*malakoi*” which means: “a male who has feminine qualities (transvestite) and submits his body to unnatural sexual acts.”

(4) “*homosexual offenders*” or “*abusers of themselves with mankind (KJV)*” which is the Greek word “*arsenokoitai*” which means: “One who lies with a male as with a female. Sodomite (*Genesis 19:1-25*). Homosexual.”

B. According to *verse 11*, this warning was to the Christians in Corinth, who thought that after they became Christians they could continue to live this life-style and not repent: “*And that is what some of you were. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.*”

4. It is at this point that homosexuals, and so-called Christians who support them try and discredit Paul as a true Apostle, and therefore, try and discredit all of the books of the New Testament that are attributed to Paul — which, just so happen to be the only books in the New Testament that specifically speak against “homosexuals.”

A. But, listen to what the leader of the Apostles and the Lord’s Church (**the Apostle Peter**) had to say about Paul’s writings, and the people who try to discredit him in **2 Peter 3:15-17**: “*Bear in mind that our Lord’s patience means salvation, just as our dear brother Paul also wrote you with the wisdom that God gave him. He writes the same was in all his letters, speaking in them of these matters. His letters contain some things that are hard to understand, which ignorant and unstable people distort, as they do the other Scriptures, to their own destruction. Therefore, dear friends, since you already know this, be on your guard so that you may not be carried away by the error of lawless men and fall from your secure position!*”

5. Read Hebrews 10:26-31: “*If we deliberately keep on sinning after we have received the knowledge of the Truth, no sacrifice for sins is left, but only a fearful expectation of judgment and of raging fire that will consume the enemies of God! Anyone who rejected the law of Moses died without mercy on the testimony of two or three witnesses (Leviticus 20:13). How much more severely do you think a man deserves to be punished who has trampled the Son of God under foot, who has treated as an unholy thing the blood of the covenant (New Testament) that sanctified him (I Corinthians 6:9-11), and who has insulted the Spirit of grace? For we know Him who said, ‘It is mine to avenge; I will repay,’ and again, ‘The Lord will judge His people.’ It is a dreadful thing to fall into the hands of the living God!*”

A. Christians must warn people to repent of sexual sins — including **fornication** (sex before marriage), **adultery** (sex with someone else’s spouse), and the “**gay**” lifestyle

(transvestites, transsexuals, homosexuals or lesbians) — **and stop condoning it! Or, do you care if they go to Hell?**

B. HOMOSEXUALITY AND ANY OTHER KIND OF SEXUAL IMMORALITY CAN BE FORGIVEN! We must warn them as did the **Apostle Peter** on the Day of Pentecost when he preached the **first sermon to the first 3,000 people who became the first Christians in Acts 2:38**: “**Repent** (change your life style and stop doing what is against God’s commands) **and be baptized** (literally to be immersed in water), **every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit** (all Christians must have it according to **Rom.8:9-17**, and it will guarantee you a place in Heaven if you truly “repent” and stop living “according to your sinful nature”- according to **2 Cor.5:5**) **The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off — for all whom the Lord our God will call. With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, ‘Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.’ Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added too their number that day. They devoted themselves to the Apostles’ teaching (meaning doctrine as in **I Tim. 4:11-16 & II Tim.4:1-5**) and the fellowship (literally “koinonia” or “Communion”) in the breaking (literally “teklasei” which literally refers to Lord’s Supper) of The Bread (literally “tou artou” which is literally the “shewbread” which becomes The Loaf of the Lord’s Supper), **and to prayer.**”**

5. NOW SEE: “SEX BEFORE MARRIAGE COULD KEEP YOU FROM HEAVEN”