

What's The *Bible* Say About Homosexuality?

Romans 1:24-28—NLT—“So God abandoned them to do whatever *shameful* things their hearts desired. As a result, they did *vile* and *degrading* things with each other's bodies. They traded the truth about God for a lie. So they worshiped and served the things God created instead of the Creator himself, who is worthy of eternal praise! Amen. That is why God abandoned them to their *shameful desires*. Even the women turned against the natural way to have sex and instead indulged in sex with each other. And the men, instead of having *normal* sexual relations with women, *burned with lust* for each other. Men did *shameful* things with other men, and as a result of this sin, *they suffered within themselves the penalty they deserved*. Since they thought it foolish to acknowledge God, he abandoned them to their *foolish thinking* and let them do things that should never be done.”

1 Corinthians 6:9-10—NLT—“Don't you realize that those who do wrong will not inherit the Kingdom of God? Don't fool yourselves. Those who indulge in sexual sin, or who worship idols, or commit adultery, or are male prostitutes, or practice *homosexuality*, or are thieves, or greedy people, or drunkards, or are abusive, or cheat people—*none of these will inherit the Kingdom of God*.”

1 Timothy 1:9-10—NLT—“For the law was not intended for people who do what is right. It is for people who are lawless and rebellious, who are ungodly and sinful, who consider nothing sacred and defile what is holy, who kill their father or mother or commit other murders. The law is for people who are sexually immoral, or who practice *homosexuality*, or are slave traders, liars, promise breakers, or who do anything else that contradicts the wholesome teaching...”

Leviticus 20:13—NKJ—“If a man lies with a male as he lies with a woman...They have committed *perversion*....”

Leviticus 18:22—NKJ—“You shall not lie with a male as with a woman. It is an *abomination*.”

Jude 1:7—NKJ—“as Sodom and Gomorrah, and the cities around them in a similar manner to these, having given themselves over to *sexual immorality* and gone after strange flesh, are set forth as an *example*, suffering the vengeance of eternal fire.”

2 Peter 2:6—NLT—“and turning the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah into ashes, condemned them to destruction, making them an *example* to those who afterward would live ungodly...”

Revelation 21:8—NKJ—“But the cowardly, unbelieving, abominable, murderers, *sexually immoral*, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death.”

Revelation 22:14-15—NKJ—“Blessed are those who do His commandments, that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city. But outside are dogs and sorcerers and *sexually immoral* and murderers and idolaters, and whoever loves and practices a lie.”