

## Sermon Notes

### *Exodus – The Revealing of God’s Glory and His Design for the Chosen*

“The Seventh Commandment – Part 2:  
No Adultery Equals Sexual Purity” – Exodus 20:14

#### I. Review.

##### A. Text: Exodus 20:14

1. Only one commandment against a 24/7 barrage of filth.
2. Media input is negative.

##### B. Recent examples:

1. Republican National Convention
  - a. Ricki Schroeder
2. Democratic National Convention
  - a. Sandra Fluke

#### II. Introduction

##### A. Frances Schaeffer

1. “How Shall We \_\_\_\_\_?”
2. What are Christians to do?

##### B. Why is the mandate for sexual purity so important to God?

1. Today’s message concerns:
  - a. R\_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. D\_\_\_\_\_.

#### III. Restitution

##### A. The concept

1. Definition: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Biblical example: Exodus 22:1-4

##### B. The absence of the restitutionary process in some sins.

1. Murder: Exodus 21:12-14
2. Sexual Sin: Proverbs 6:27-35
  - a. Ammon and Tamar, II Samuel 13:1-19

#### IV. The Sin of Defrauding

##### A. Differences between men and women

1. Men are attracted by visual stimuli.
2. Women are attracted by emotional connection and touch.

##### B. Defrauding

1. English – To take away – To cheat.
2. Greek – APOSTEREO – To rob, mislead with intent to cheat
  - a. Mark 10:19
3. Also in Greek – PLONEKTEO – To over reach, covetous
  - a. I Thessalonians 4:2-8

##### C. Key point

1. Both words relate significantly to the topic of adultery.
  - a. Adultery begins in the heart – Matthew 5:27-28
2. A Point of Sin
  - a. Enticing someone to have something he or she has no right to have and has no right to give.
  - b. Female attire or behavior.
  - c. Male infringement of touch and emotion in order to satisfy his own desires and to manipulate the woman.
  - d. “Healing of the Masculine Soul” – Gordon Dalbey
3. Sexual defrauding does not pertain to married couples because each has a right to the other’s body.
  1. I Corinthians 7:2-4

#### V. Points for Reflection

- A. The breaking of this commandment involves more than just physical adultery after marriage.
- B. The inability to make restitution for sexual sin means that this infraction of the Moral Law is more serious.
  1. It is forgivable by God, but the circumstances cannot be undone.
- C. We can promote sexual sin among us based upon how we dress and act.
- D. Sexual intimacy between married couples involves a sense of knowing that is beyond a mere activity.
- E. Loving God means, in part, learning how to possess our own bodies in honor which is an expression of our love and devotion to Him.
  1. I Thessalonians 4:2-8