



## Connect Group Guide: WK 4 Home Wreckers: Sexual Immorality

**READ: 1 Corinthians 6:18-20, Matthew 5:27-30**

1. The sermon highlighted that shame causes us to hide, just as Adam and Eve did in the garden. How have you seen shame keep people from bringing sexual sin into the light, and how does the gospel address that shame?
2. Paul commands believers to “flee sexual immorality” (1 Corinthians 6:18), while Jesus teaches that lust is ultimately a heart issue (Matthew 5:28). Why is it important to address both external temptation and the internal condition of the heart?
3. The sermon described sexual sin as anything outside of God’s design for sex. How does understanding God’s purpose for sex—as a gift for covenant marriage, unity, and procreation—help us better understand why God warns against sexual immorality?
4. The statement was made that “sexual sin over-promises and under-delivers.” Looking at the consequences discussed in the sermon, what are some ways sexual sin offers counterfeit satisfaction while ultimately leading to bondage, brokenness, and distance from God?
5. The sermon emphasized that freedom is not found primarily in trying harder but in surrendering more deeply to Christ. What is the difference between behavior modification and genuine gospel transformation? Why can one succeed temporarily while the other changes a person’s life?
6. In 1 Corinthians 6:11, Paul says, “That is what some of you were.” How does this verse encourage believers who are battling sexual sin, and what does it teach us about our identity in Christ versus our past failures?
7. The sermon concluded by asking whether we merely want forgiveness or whether we truly want a new story. What areas of your life are hardest to fully surrender to Christ, and what does practical daily surrender look like for someone seeking freedom and holiness?

### Deeper Theological Questions

1. Paul warns, “Do not be deceived” (1 Corinthians 6:9). What is the difference between a believer who struggles with sin and a person who is comfortable living in ongoing, unrepentant sin? How does the presence of conviction reveal the work of the Holy Spirit in a believer’s life?

### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ONE SERVICE beginning May 24<sup>th</sup> at 10AM
- Chill & Grill Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup> @ 3pm at the Kettlewell’s House
- Heart and Soul
  - Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> @ 5pm
  - Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> @ 5pm