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Is anal sex ok? Is it a sin? What about "no sodomy"?

I think these are the questions on a lot of people's minds.

Biblically speaking, I would say it's like cotton candy.

Many people think that there is a sin of "sodomy" which may cause resistance to this sexual act.

Here are a few facts:

- 1. "Sodomy" is not found in the Bible.
- 2. "Sodomite" is prohibited,
- 3. And "Sodomite" in the Old Testament refers to "temple prostitutes" and in the New Testament "men having intercourse with men."

Homosexuality is completely unrelated to anal sex between husband and wife. And anal sex between a man and woman is never mentioned in the bible.

So, how is that like cotton candy?

# "SODOMY" COMES FROM THE BIBLE BUT ISN'T IN THE BIBLE

In English, sodomy means "sexual intercourse involving anal or oral copulation".

The English term "sodomy" comes from the story in Genesis of the cities called Sodom and Gomorrah.

These cities sinned in God's sight and were destroyed. The specific sin is assumed to be homosexuality since the men of the city tried to rape the male angels that were visiting Lot.

The Bible says "all the men from every part of the city of Sodom--both young and old--surrounded the house.

They called to Lot, 'Where are the men who came to you tonight?

Bring them out to us so that we can have sex with them."

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(I can only imagine what other atrocities these cities would readily commit!)

The English language developed "sodomy" from this story and decided it means anal copulation regardless of whether a person is a woman or a man.

However, women were not even involved in the sin of these men.

But, the word "sodomy" isn't in the Bible at all.

#### "SODOMITE" IS IN THE BIBLE, BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN ANAL SEX

The Bible does warn against not being a "sodomite".

But what does that mean?

The term "sodomite" קְּדֶשׁ in the Old Testament Hebrew refers to temple prostitutes (Deut 23:17, 1 King 14:24, 15:12, 22:46, 23:7).

The term "sodomite" ἀρσενοκοῖται in the New Testament Greek refers to men having intercourse with men (1 Tim 1:10 & 1 Cor 6:9).

# HOMOSEXUALITY AND ANAL SEX HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH EACH OTHER

There are more verses that prohibit homosexuality, however anal sex has nothing to do with homosexuality.

Homosexuality is determined by WHOM one is having sex with (men with men or women with women not what they are doing together).

# ANAL SEX BETWEEN A HUSBAND AND A WIFE IS A LOT LIKE COTTON CANDY

Biblically speaking, anal sex is a lot like cotton candy.

Cotton candy is also never mentioned in the Bible.

But do not be "given to gluttony" is.

So, enjoy the cotton candy but keep it within the boundaries God prescribed.

Enjoy anal sex, but keep it within the boundaries God prescribed: between husband and wife.

#### FINAL THOUGHTS

Why did God give pleasurable sensitivities in those areas--that might even lead to orgasm--if not to be enjoyed by you and/or your spouse?

The boundaries are within marriage and that's it!

Enjoy the pleasures all over (and inside) both of your bodies.

He designed it all to be incredibly unifying and pleasurable to you each!

If either party is having reservations, discomfort, or health concerns, that's a whole other topic and teaching. (And there are solutions!)

But, if it's purely scriptural hang-ups, hopefully, you feel freer from those now.

Enjoy!

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