Living in Babylon: Marriage in the Garden vs. Sex in the City

Genesis 2:18-25; I Corinthians 6; 1 Timothy 1

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1. God's intent: marriage in the garden. (Genesis 2:18-25)
    a. God created gender at creation.

    b. God designed sex for marriage.

2. Babylon's perversion: sex in the city. (1 Corinthians 6:9; 1 Timothy 1)
    a. Perversions of sexuality existed throughout biblical times.

    b. Satan perverts and confuses gender and sexuality.

3. Some practical issues to consider:
    1. Practice purity.

    2. Be honest.
        a. Call sin out.

        b. Navigate relationships honestly.

        c. Consider what your presence means.

    3. Be loving.
        a. Be available for conversation.

        b. Be hospitable.