

Flee Youthful Lusts



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Sermon Notes

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All Scriptures taken from the Restoration Scriptures True Name Edition Study Bible

2 Timothy2: -19 Nevertheless the foundation of the Master יהוה stands firm, having this seal; the Master יהוה knows those who are His. And, Let everyone that names the Name of Moshiach depart from Torah breaking. ¹
20 But in a great bayit there are not only vessels of gold and of silver, but also of wood and of earth; and some to honor, and some to dishonor. ²
21 If a man therefore cleanses himself from unclean matters, he shall be a vessel of honor, kadosh, and fit for the Master's use, and prepared for every tov mitzvah.
22 Flee also youthful lusts: but follow righteousness, emunah, ahava, shalom, with them that call on יהוה out of a pure lev.

In Yahshua's house (VS.20) there are believers or vessels of both honor or dishonor. In order to be a golden vessel of honor a believer must learn how to flee sexual temptation(vs.21). All it takes to be a vessel of honor is to run. Vessels of honor in Yahshua's house run away from youthful lusts. Vessels of dishonor run toward an embracement of youthful lusts.

¹ Have you honestly repented of **Torah** breaking and Sunday worship? Honestly?

² Yisrael contains both, as in days gone by, and as Moshiach taught in Matthew 13.

Verse 22- In order to follow right living before YHWH one must continually flee sexual temptations, overtones and innuendos. (Mattityahu/Matt.5:28-30, Qolesayah /Col.3:5, Tesloniqyah Alef/1 Thess.4:4-5, Yaakov/James.1:14-16, Kefa Alef/1Peter 2:10.) **Guard your heart by fleeing!**

Fleeing leads to abstinence:

Rather than indulge sexuality through thoughts, speech, conversation, lewdness and prideful boasting and the like, we must flee from all such thinking and expressions. **The only place we are allowed to indulge sexual fantasies and freedom is in the bedroom between married couples (Ivrim/Heb.13:4) . Abstinence is not just a mental decision, but like all mitzvot, is tied to the doing of Torah, or in this case RUNNING!**

Classic Examples of Fleeing Lusts:

(Beresheet/Gen.39:7-12)- **Are youthful lusts limited to youth? No! Youthful lust is merely a Hebraic idiomatic term coined by scripture to describe a pattern of thinking.** Even a 100-year old person can indulge and engage in youthful lusts. Youthful lusts can be broken down into several categories:

Impure thought life- Romiyah/Rom.1:24, Ephsiyah/Eph.4:19-20, Yirmeyahu/Jer.17:9, Romiyah/Rom.8:7, Corintyah Alef/1 Cor.5:6 **“As a man thinks in his heart so is he”. Thinking will determine whether you are a dirty, or clean vessel in the house of Yisrael. Your thinking will ultimately determine the type of honor you receive!**

Adultery and Fornication- Corintyah Alef /1 Cor.6:13-20- The body and mind is for YHWH's use alone. Using your body for yourself without the mind of YHWH, is idolatry as well as adultery!

Lasciviousness- Bamidbar/Numbers 25:6- Needs to be repented of! Always checking out strange flesh, that does not belong to you. Married flesh vs. strange flesh. Vessels of honor focus in on married flesh belonging to them in a brit/covenant!

Close: Yahudah/Jude 3&4, Romiyah/Rom.13: 14- Get dressed and flee is the only solution yesterday, today and forever.