**THE ELEPHANT IN THE CHURCH**

**Bringing Sexy Back**

Pray

The croc story….we know there is a problem but we the church don’t talk about it.

**Where there is no revelation the people cast off restraint; but blessed is he who keeps the law. Proverbs 29:18**

**REVELATION = VISION**

Our society has cast off restraint when it comes to sex or sexuality and that we have lost our minds when we think about Gods plan….God design it….he made it…and we need to reclaim it!

Students are not better off than most student that have never come to church….Our students are having sex outside of marriage just like students outside the church.

The Reason why our preaching is not working is bc it is based on restraint not Vision

Don’t have sex until you get married…don’t date this person…restraint

**RESTRAINT WITHOUT REVELATION LEADS TO REBELLION**

**RULES WITHOUT RELATIONSHIPS LEAD TO REBELLION**

**VISION NEEDS TO COME BEFORE RESTRAINT**.

**VISION FOR DATING AND MARRAIAGE**

I want to cast a Vision for marriage for dating

**WHERE THERE IS A REVELATION THERE IS RESTRAINT, AND WHERE THERE IS RESTRAINT THERE IS PURITY, AND WHERE THERE IS PURITY THERE IS HOLINESS**

We are going to start with Vision and that is how we are going to help you keep your paints zipped up.

Ephesians 5: 22

Growing up I heard don’t’ have sex before you married because you will be like marry that had sex now has six diseases…that worked for about 3 weeks but we need something that will last that will cause us to live different…or

**22**Wives, submit to your husbands as to the Lord. **23**For the husband is the head of the wife as Christ is the head of the church, his body, of which he is the Savior. **24**Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit to their husbands in everything. **25**Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her **26**to make her holy, cleansing[F14](http://www.studylight.org/desk/?l=en&query=ephesians+5&section=0&translation=niv&oq=ephen%25205&new=1" \l "F14) her by the washing with water through the word, **27**and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless. Ephesians 5: 22-25

**1. Girls find a man that you can submit to like that and settle for nothing else**

**2. Guys be a man who is so like Jesus that you are worth submitting too.**

**3. Girls be a woman who is worth loving as Christ loved the church**

**4. Guys accept nothing less then a woman you would be willing to die for because of her character not just the way she looks in bathing suit.**

A guy that lives his life in such away like this can‘t be addicted to Internet porn

Where there is vision people will restrain themselves …great vision that god has for your life…there should be this man that want to protect a girls purity and have character and restraint I think that girls start dreaming of this kind of man, and wedding the music the flowers…and the guy around the age of 13 starts dreaming of the honeymoon…we are different.

Somewhere along the way most young ladies settle for the first smooth talking guy or the first guy that touches her and tells her if you love me you will touch me back. We all know how to dream…

A girl settles for a guy just so she can belong to someone …and before long that girl has given her virginity to some guy that has the spiritually maturity of a grass hopper and has made herself one with him because she has compromised her Vision.

My Heroes When It comes to Marriage My Grandmother and Grandfather.

**5. YOU BECOME WHAT YOU BEHOLD**

**6. THE VISION YOU SEE DETERMINES THE VISION YOU WILL CREATE**

As I watched this my standard was being raised I started to understand Ephesians 5

This is not your typical dating series talking about how far is too far…Who cares How far is to far…if you love that woman as Christ loved the church you’ll keep you hands off of her because she is the daughter of a King.

I asked my Grandfather about marriage…He said…hang in their no matter what….

Are Picture of marriage is brad and angelina…we have lots of people with money and they are really sexy but that can‘t make a marriage last more than 6 months

And that’s the vision that this generation is beholding

I want to cast a new vision and raise a new standard for you….

I’m sick and tired of guys that will give up everything for a girl that will give him what he wants

Reset Your Standard for Love, dating and marriage

Don’t put your hands on my body until you put a ring on my finger and walk me down an church awl and you buy me a house…

Sexy is being like Jesus…a young man that has self control….a girl that has an attitude that says you better be having a quite time….