

PROGRAM 116 TEASER

“Same-sex relationships.” Some folks get nervous when they hear those words. Not God. Not Jesus Christ. Same-gender friendships are found throughout the Bible—unmarred by our modern culture’s insistence that God’s “tried and true” must bow to the world’s modern view of same-sex relationships. So we have a choice between ancient truth and modern culture. The Bible is not timid. It tells us who created our amazing bodies. How He created virtues like love and loyalty—how He blessed friendships and companionships that embraced God’s blue-print for how to live blessed lives rather than opting for “I’m smarter than God!” foolishness, pain and regret. Tom Hughes and I—true friends—are about to tackle this subject of “Same-Sex Relationships”—with the help, of course, of the one Book that is always More Than Talk.

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PAGE 1 The Closest Of Friendships

David and Jonathan 1 Samuel 18:1; 2 Samuel 1:26, 27

Paul and Timothy Philippians 2:20, 21

Barnabas and Mark

Elijah and Elisha

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PAGE 2 Battle-Tested Friendships

Medal of Honor winners—

1) Dakota—2 men defying orders to not risk rescuing doomed buddies—made multiple trips thru hellish fire to rescue.

2) Viet Nam—Trapped—surrounded and outnumbered 10-1. All rescue pilots grounded. One lone pilot—on his own—made 13 trips of rescue.

Proverbs 18:24 power of a blessed friendship

John 15:13, 14 (a love unto death)

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PAGE 3 Marring The Same-Sex Masterpiece

Creator of sex—Genesis 1:27, 28

Creator of Marriage Genesis 2:22-25

Result of rebellion—Genesis 6:5, 6

Perverting the parameters—

Lot’s case Genesis 19:4-7

God’s “good fence” warning to Israel—Leviticus 18:22-25

The marring of the masterpiece of same-gender relationships—Romans 1:21-32

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PAGE 4 Making The Majority Pay The Price

Fear factor (of true friends who fear being labeled sexually involved)

--of being together

--of living together

--just hanging out together

David and Jonathan—Beautiful friendship 1 Samuel 18:1

Jesus and John—John 13:23 (Amplified)

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PAGE 5 You Choose—Win or Lose

Joshua 24:14, 15

Deuteronomy 30:19, 20

Psalm 25:12

Proverbs 1:29-33