

STUDENT GUIDE

Answer the following questions as you watch the video:

- 1. What does porn hurt your ability to experience?
- 2. Using pornography can cause us to develop bad ______.
- 3. Pornography affects the brain, but more importantly, it affects the _____.
- 4. Besides a future sexual partner, from whom does porn use separate you?

Other notes or questions while watching: ______

The following questions will guide the in-class discussion.

A VERY IMPORTANT NOTE: For a long time, the devil has convinced the church that there is no way to talk about God's good gift of sex, convincing Christians that sex is always a dirty thing that should be hidden. He's wrong. Sex is good, and by lying to the church he hijacked a really good, important topic. God made sex. God designed what "good sex" is meant to be. We can and should talk decently but openly about it to help each other understand this incredible gift. We are stewards of God's world, and sex is a good part of that world. Basically, we're asking you not to be shy, and at the same time, not to be judgmental.

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Teacher, explain the concept of "Nature vs. Nurture." Students, is a person's view of sex more nat or more nurture? Explain your answer.
How early do you suppose a child can start learning about physical relationships for men and women?
Why might young people not feel a strong need to quit porn right away?
With someone near you, take 2 minutes and see if you can think of three ways that a relationshiwith porn could hurt your relationship with God. (Think bigger than "It's sin, and God hates sin.")

Agree/Disagree: Things like commercials or movies that don't actually have naked people performing sexual acts do not affect the brain like explicit pornography does.

Agree/Disagree: Once the brain has experienced porn, there's no way to train it to see sex as beautiful, selfless and loving again.

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