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# THE **BIBLICAL** Agenda

## FOR **HUMAN** Sexuality

- A SEMINAR -

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### The *Transforming* Network of Safe Churches???

The **homosexual agenda** wants to create churches which are safe for homosexual persons to “come out of the closet”.

The **Biblical agenda** wants to create churches which are safe for homosexual persons to come out of the homosexual lifestyle.

#### HOW WOULD YOU HANDLE THIS DEBATE?

>> Bring this Seminar to YOUR Church <<  
DISCOVER HOW TO UNITE...

TRUTH with LOVE  
&  
REASON with REVELATION

- the Rev. Earle Fox, D. Phil. -

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## - Topics -

### Part I. Foundations (Generally Friday Night)

**What is the Biblical View of Sex and Gender?**  
(... a stunning story you would be proud to teach your children...)

### Part II. Engagement (Generally Saturday)

- A. Who Belongs in This Discussion?
  - B. Do Christians (!) Have a Public Agenda?
  - C. How Do People Get Healed of Same-Sex Attraction Disorder?
  - D. What Happens When “Gay” Agenda Meets Biblical Agenda?
  - E. The Transforming Network of Safe Churches
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# Outline of Seminar

## The Biblical Agenda for Human Sexuality

### - FRIDAY EVENING -

#### I. BIBLICAL SEX & GENDER - "MAN & WOMAN IN THE IMAGE OF GOD"

The Christian Failure  
 "In the Beginning..."  
 Gender & Sex in the Image of God  
 Image of God: Creator & Sovereign  
 The Secular/Pagan world of sexuality  
 Eternal battle of the sexes  
 Biblical case for heterosexual marriage  
 Gender rooted in image of God  
 Masculine & feminine eternally wedded

### - SATURDAY -

#### II-A. WHO BELONGS in THIS DISCUSSION?

Tragic & Costly Strategic Errors  
 Jumping in too soon  
 "Gay bashers"  
 Homosexual Agenda - Coopting the Debate  
 Two Events Defining Modern Western Civilization  
 Rise of science  
 Due process in civil law  
 Setting the Stage for Communication

#### II-B. DO CHRISTIANS HAVE a PUBLIC AGENDA?

(Clue: God does.)

The Christian Failure  
 The Church's attitude toward 4 groups  
 1. Homosexual persons

2. Homosexual activists  
 3. Homosexual strugglers  
 4. Ex-homosexual ministries & persons

How Christians "met" the homosexual agenda  
 Four-Part Agenda  
 Forgiveness  
 Discipling  
 Healing  
 Public Policy

#### II-C. HOW PEOPLE GET HEALED of SAME-SEX-ATTRACTION DISORDER

Defensive detachment against same-sex parent  
 How unmet needs get sexualized  
 Why only God can "re-parent" us (clue: getting "born again")  
 Three steps -- Biblical judo - turning the tables on temptation  
 Testimonies of successful strugglers

#### II-D. WHAT HAPPENS WHEN "GAY" AGENDA meets BIBLICAL AGENDA?

When truth wins -- everybody wins...  
 Be Prepared!  
 Christians blind-sided  
 What is "public policy"?  
 The evidence on homosexuality  
 The two fundamental issues  
 Behavior profile  
 Medical

Biological/Genetic  
 Psychological  
 Sociological  
 Spiritual  
 Homosexualist strategy  
 Pan-sexual agenda - destroy Biblical foundations  
 Illegitimate "rules of engagement"  
 "Dialogue to consensus"  
 Relative truth  
 White corpuscles  
 dialogue with virus

Illusion of intellectual & moral high ground

Government-controlled schools  
 Inherently totalitarian

The nature of honest debate  
 identify & confront dishonest debate

Retaking the intellectual and moral high ground (clue: God holds them both...)

Behavior: the KEY issue.

Practice in dealing with the issues & the people...

#### II-E. The TRANSFORMING NETWORK of CHURCHES

Need and opportunity  
 Goals of local Exodus ministries  
 Evangelism  
 Teaching  
 Public Policy  
 Strengthening the Body of Christ  
 Ways for churches to participate



The seminar in Biblical principles will equip Christians for evangelism and apologetics, using homosexuality as a test case, one of the most difficult (*and one of the most easily winnable*) issues of our time.

The presenter, Earle Fox, received degrees from Trinity College, Hartford, CT (BA in philosophy), from the Episcopal General Theological Seminary, New York City (M. Div.), and from Oxford University in 1964 (D. Phil. in theology and science). He was ordained to the Episcopal priesthood in 1962. He did a year of clinical chaplaincy training in two mental hospitals, a prison, and a general hospital, and has been a pastoral counselor since 1960.

Earle Fox pastored St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in East Haddam, CT, from 1971-81. He founded Emmaus Ministries in 1984 for pastoral counseling and to produce teaching materials to help explain the Christian faith public arena in creative, reasonable, and Biblical terms.

In 1989, Fox began lecturing at the Exodus International conferences on the healing of homosexual addiction. He participated in the founding of Transformation Christian Ministries in the Washington, DC, metro area, an affiliate of Exodus

(ministering to homosexual strugglers), and in the founding of Parents and Friends of Ex-Gays (ministering to the friends and relatives of homosexual strugglers). He was then director of Transformation Christian Ministries in Alexandria, Virginia, for a two and a half years until May of 2001.

He has returned to Emmaus Ministries from which he offers a seminar to churches on how to teach Biblical sexuality, minister to persons coming out of homosexuality, and deal with the homosexual agenda and other issues in the public arena.

He is co-author of *Homosexuality: Good and Right in the Eyes of God?* on how America was persuaded to accept homosexuality, how the empirical, scientific evidence lines up with Godly revelation while running about 100% against the homosexualist position, and on how God has given His people the strategy for winning the battle for honest and objective truth in the public arena -- as well as many other items on sex and gender issues.

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