

## Ask Our Bishop



**Q.** Many of the churches of today seem to take a different or more accepting position concerning homosexuality. My question to you is, are homosexuals going to hell?

**A.** *Whereas this lifestyle is being widely accepted in our society as well as in our churches, and there are laws that have been passed to support and even promote such behavior, the bible is very clear about God's forbidden sexual practices.*

- *Thou shalt not lie with mankind, as with womankind: it is abomination (Lev. 18:22).*
- *If a man also lie with mankind, as he lieth with a woman, both of them have committed an abomination: they shall surely be put to death; their blood shall be upon them (Lev. 20:13).*
- *And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet (Romans 1:27).*

*Any and all of God's forbidden sexual practices should be avoided. This includes adultery, fornication, and the practices mentioned above. Sin is sin, regardless of how it is committed or practiced. If an individual refuses to repent of his sin and turn to God for the salvation of his soul, in hell he will lift up his eyes. Simply stated, practicing homosexuality will prevent one from entering heaven. And according to the bible, there is only one other place: hell.*

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