

"Transgender through the lens of the Bible"

We're currently living in the epilog of the human race. Today more than ever Satan employs his strategies of evil, through the use of lies and confusion to drive this generation to its spiritual death. Today, I want to refer to that exacerbation that was prophesized by God himself. He prophesized of that confusion of the mind and of the emotions that men won as a price for their disobedience to God's divine authority, starting from the beginnings of history. To this Paul the apostle says: "For although they knew God (through all that he created,) they neither glorified him as God nor gave thanks to him, but their thinking became futile (through the human knowledge that was gained from the tree of knowledge of good and evil) and their foolish hearts were darkened (they did not listen to spiritual reasons)" (Ro. 1:21, NIV).

In this trial, men thought of themselves as su-

perior than the Creator. The same God who created him threw him out of his presence and leaves him to his own ill-advised luck, let us read: "Therefore God gave them over in the sinful desires of their hearts to sexual impurity for the degrading of their bodies with one another" (v24). (This is the genesis of lack of knowledge of sexuality. The evidence for that, is that we start seeing homosexual doings, which are symbols of one's own praise that then adds up to aberrations with animals and more.) We can see here the arising of something important, which is the following: after our genesis of curse, we start seeing a chain of evil events that are also explained. "So God gave them over to a depraved mind, so that they do what ought not to be done..."(v28). In this degeneration process there arise all kinds of perversity such as fornication, greed, wickedness, envy, murder, etc. (Read verses 29-31).

What is the generation of the transgender?

Let us begin saying that biologically gender is: the difference between two beings that sexually correspond to male and female. God at the beginning made everything perfect: "So God created mankind in this own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. God blessed them (marriage was God's idea) and said to them 'be fruitful and multiply in numbers (human reproduction is exclusively under the interaction of the two different genders)..." (Gn. 1:27-28). This phenomenon will never be contrary to what God established.

Considering this perfect beginning, let us examine the concept of transgender. Transgender is specifically going AGAINST the gender (sex) to which someone was born; one simply wants to change it for a whim. This is an act of rebellion and foolishness against God, and if we look at the science, we see a perfect contradiction: 1) sex is not determined by any mortal (when someone is conceived, our own genetic makeup chooses the sex) 2) sex is assigned by the DNA found in the chromosomes, which then dictates

all the cells that will develop thereafter, with the instruction of making a being of that specific sex. 3) There exist more than 6,500 known differences between a man and a woman. 4) A hormone or surgery will never be able to change the sex one was born with (it is just a scam). 5) No one is born transgender; there is simply a change of identity due to the environment where one grows and poses a significant influence, such as: sexual abuse, neglect from the family, single-parent households, disintegrated households, etc.

Why does God condemn all transgender?

The word of God is clear regarding this: "...Do not be deceived: Neither the sexually immoral nor men who have sex with men ... will inherit the kingdom of God"(1 Cor 6:9-10). Certainly God still loves the sinner, but let us remember what we've discussed so far; the origin of transgender is found in the disparagement of God's authority. If this attitude of scorn persists, things get worse because the problem then truly turns into an "identity problem." This identity problem is linked to the soul and only God's power is able to show us our inner state in order to look for a way out; a way out of the slimy pit in which He permitted this perverse generation to fall into.

The problem gets complicated because we live in this perverse world where men and women's rights developed by "intelligent and developed" countries announce that kids can choose their future sex at a very early age. It is also in the schools where teachers and social media, Internet, and TV shows support the amputation of values and principles. All of these aberrations allow mutilations of genitals and applications of hormones, which lead to true barren monsters, since they will never be able to be fruitful and multiply; instead they will keep on adopting children to continue this process of curse and suicide of the genders. What is the role of Jesus Christ's church?

My beloved brother, as humans we cannot do anything, since this prophetic word has been announced already: As it was in the days of Noah and Lot, referring to the sexual perversity of that generation, so it will be in the days of the end. But there is a remnant, chosen by grace, which may be closer to us than we think; just as our "neighbor," to whom we are to take this blessed knowledge that is for the salvation of some and the condemnation of others.

Let us preach without fear, with faith, optimism, and hope, knowing that we also have the prophetic message as something completely reliable. Also knowing that we have a complete understanding that salvation comes from Jehovah, through Jesus Christ, and that there is no sin that he cannot forgive, or any shackles and chains that he cannot break. In addition: A broken and contrite heart God will not despise. Let us keep forward and may God provide us with strength! Amen and amen.

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