

Confirmation Lesson for April 26, 2020 by Theresa Grimes

Good morning Confirmation friends!

Theresa here with this weeks lesson & it's a doozy 😊 Today's commandment is "You shall not commit adultery." - Exodus 20:14.

We are commanded to be "true" and save ourselves for our spouse-no one else. We are also commanded to keep our words & conduct pure & honorable with regard to marriage & sex. So what does this mean in a world where we're bombarded with sex?

TV, video games with sexual references, magazines, movies, music...or what does it mean in a world where our role models are caught cheating on their significant others or spouses? We live in a society where "everybody's doing it." Remember the juicy drama of King David & Bathsheba? If you don't remember check it out in 2 Samuel 11 & 12!! Wow! I think I've done the Hershey kiss experiment with some of you...take a Hershey kiss, unwrap it. Just hold it, smell it. Then just take a tiny little nibble. Next put it in your mouth but don't eat it! Then take it out & give it to someone else as a special gift! Blech 🤢 Same with toothpaste...once it's out of the tube you can't put it back in it, right?!

Also consider all of the other consequences which come along with sex before marriage, or someone other than your spouse...STDS, unplanned pregnancy, drama, emotional chaos & turmoil. So many things to consider!! So, your ? For this week: What does this Commandment on adultery have to do with teens today? How does it affect you & how can you abide by it?