

Doctrine of a Whore

1. Parents are to protect their daughters from acts of immorality and not prostitute them or encourage them to lewd behavior.
 - *Leviticus 19:29 Do not prostitute thy daughter, to cause her to be a whore; lest the land fall to whoredom, and the land become full of wickedness.*

2. No priest could have a wife that was a whore.
 - *Leviticus 21:7 They shall not take a wife that is a whore, or profane; neither shall they take a woman put away from her husband: for he is holy unto his God.*

3. As a prophet of God, Hosea was instructed to take a prostitute as a wife in order to illustrate the love of God for His people and the depths He was willing to go to redeem them.
 - *Hosea 1:2 The beginning of the word of the LORD by Hose'a. And the LORD said to Hose'a, Go, take unto thee a wife of whoredoms and children of whoredoms: for the land hath committed great whoredom, departing from the LORD.*

4. Death was the penalty for a whore.
 - The daughter of a priest who became a whore was to be burnt with fire. *Leviticus 21:9 And the daughter of any priest, if she profane herself by playing the whore, she profaneth her father: she shall be burnt with fire.*
 - The daughter of a non priest was to be stoned. *Deuteronomy 22:21 Then they shall bring out the damsel to the door of her father's house, and the men of her city shall stone her with stones that she die: because she hath wrought folly in Israel, to play the whore in her father's house: so shalt thou put evil away from among you.*

5. Though God has denounced a woman being a whore and provided the death penalty for this transgression, grace can be found to cover even this sin.
 - *John 8:3 And the scribes and Pharisees brought unto him a woman taken in adultery; and when they had set her in the midst, 4 They say unto him, Master, this woman was taken in adultery, in the very act. 5 Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou? 6 This they said, tempting him, that they might have to accuse him. But Jesus stooped down, and with his finger wrote on the ground, as though he heard them not. 7 So when they continued asking him, he lifted up himself, and said unto them, He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. 8 And again he stooped down, and wrote on the ground.*

9 And they which heard it, being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last: and Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing in the midst. 10 When Jesus had lifted up himself, and saw none but the woman, he said unto her, Woman, where are those thine accusers? Hath no man condemned thee? 11 She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, Neither do I condemn thee: go, and sin no more.

6. The sin of whoredom and the sin of homosexuality are united in Scripture and equally prohibited.

- *Deuteronomy 23:17 There shall be no whore of the daughters of Israel, nor a sodomite of the sons of Israel.*

7. The whore was to be kept outside the house of God.

- *Deuteronomy 23:18 Thou shalt not bring the hire of a whore, or the price of a dog, into the house of the Lord thy God for any vow: for even both these are abomination unto the Lord thy God.*

8. The house of the Lord is to be protected when souls gather for acts of worship.

- *1 Corinthians 5: 1 It is reported commonly that there is fornication among you, and such fornication as is not so much as named among the Gentiles, that one should have his father's wife. 2 And ye are puffed up, and have not rather mourned, that he that hath done this deed might be taken away from among you. 3 For I verily, as absent in body, but present in spirit, have judged already, as though I were present, concerning him that hath so done this deed, 4 In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, when ye are gathered together, and my spirit, with the power of our Lord Jesus Christ, 5 To deliver such an one unto Satan for the destruction of the flesh, that the spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord Jesus. 6 Your glorying is not good. Know ye not that a little leaven leaveneth the whole lump? 7 Purge out therefore the old leaven, that ye may be a new lump, as ye are unleavened. For even Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us: 8 Therefore let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. 9 I wrote unto you in an epistle not to company with fornicators: 10 Yet not altogether with the fornicators of this world, or with the covetous, or extortioners, or with idolaters; for then must ye needs go out of the world. 11 But now I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such an one no not to eat. 12 For what have I to do to judge them also that are without? Do not ye judge them that are within? 13 But them that are without God judgeth. Therefore put away from among yourselves that wicked person.*

9. A whore is characterized as being like a deep ditch and a narrow pit. It is dangerous and even deadly to fall into a concealed deep ditch or narrow pit. Sometimes, there is no rescue.

- *Proverbs 23:27 For a whore is a deep ditch; and a strange woman is a narrow pit.*

Samson fell for a lovely whore named Delilah and eventually died a sin unto death (Judges 13:24-16:31).

9. Though words of judgment are spoken, grace continues to warn the whore to repent.

- *Isaiah 57:3 But draw near hither, ye sons of the sorceress, the seed of the adulterer and the whore.*

10. The concept of a spiritual whore is a constant picture of God's people turning from Him and being unfaithful but without any satisfaction.

- *Ezekiel 16:28 Thou hast played the whore also with the Assyrians, because thou wast unsatiable; yea, thou hast played the harlot with them, and yet couldst not be satisfied.*

11. False religion is the great whore of the *Revelation*. Religion attracts individuals that are spiritually sensitive by promising a heavenly way to go to hell based on the principle of pleasure and self interest while justifying every activity with feelings of good works.

- *Revelation 17:1 And there came one of the seven angels which had the seven vials, and talked with me, saying unto me, Come hither; I will shew unto thee the judgment of the great whore that sitteth upon many waters:*

12. The success of religion to seduce multitudes is indicated in Scripture.

- *Revelation 17:15 And he saith unto me, The waters which thou sawest, where the whore sitteth, are peoples, and multitudes, and nations, and tongues.*

13. Because the world has its own agenda it does hate the whore [any expression of formal religion] and seeks to destroy it. Modern day examples of this would be the ideology of communism, socialism and the propaganda of the secular progressive.

- *Revelation 17:16 And the ten horns which thou sawest upon the beast, these shall hate the whore, and shall make her desolate and naked, and shall eat her flesh, and burn her with fire.*

14. God has vowed to judge the great spiritual whore [religion] as he judges physical whoredom.

- *Revelation 19:2 For true and righteous are his judgments: for he hath judged the great whore, which did corrupt the earth with her fornication, and hath avenged the blood of his servants at her hand.*