

A list of resources from past speakers to further education and awareness on the topic of the LGBTQ community and Christianity.

PODCASTS



HOLE IN MY HEART #147 CARING FOR PEOPLE WRESTLING WITH GENDER

A podcast episode with **Mark Yarhouse and Laurie Krieg** on the value of walking beside those wrestling with gender and body dissonance.

LIFE ON SIDE B

This podcast explores the joy, beauty, and challenges of living in the traditional sexual ethic as LGBT+/SSA Christians.

NEW KINSHIP

A podcast where **David Frank and TJ Espinoza** bring in a variety of voices to discuss how the Christian faith engages sexuality, ethnicity, culture, and local communities.

THE STETZER CHURCHLEADERS PODCAST HOW TO PASTOR SOMEONE WHO HAS GENDER DYSPHORIA

A podcast episode with **Mark Yarhouse** on how to pastor those who navigate gender dysphoria.

THINK BIBLICALLY: CONVERSATIONS ON FAITH AND CULTURE

COSTLY OBEDIENCE

A podcast episode with Mark Yarhouse, Sean McDowell, and Scott Rae on Mark's study of celibacy in the lives of gay men and women.

THRIVE WITH ASBURY SEMINARY LISTENING TO SEXUAL MINORITIES

A podcast episode with Mark Yarhouse, Dr. Steve Stratton, and Dr. Janet Dean on their

decade researching the experience of sexual minorities in faith-based colleges and universities and what they have found in their research.

TRINITY SCHOOL FOR MINISTRY- TSMCAST #4 GENDER DYSPHORIA

A podcast episode with **Mark Yarhouse** on gender dysphoria and how Christian leaders can offer hospitable care to those struggling with it.

THEOLOGY IN THE RAW SELECTED EPISODES

Hosted by **Dr. Preston Sprinkle**, Theology in the Raw offers a space to think Christianly about all areas of life, including Holy Sexuality.

- #824 Understanding the LGBTQ+ Community: Bill Henson
- #920 Why the Church Needs
 LGBTQ People: Dr. Preston Sprinkle
- #946 A Celibate Gay Christian's
 Perspective on Valentine's Day and
 Belonging: Dr. Greg Coles
- #1020 Marriage, Sexuality, and the Christian Worldview: Lou Phillips
- #1094 A Raw Conversation with the Master Yoda of the Faith and LGBTQ Conversation: Dr. Mark Yarhouse
- #1108 Parenting LGBTQ Kids: Bill Henson



WEBINARS & VIDEO

THE CENTER FOR FAITH

PARENTING TRANS* KIDS & TEENS

Bill Henson and Lesli with **Dr. Preston Sprinkle** on helping Christian parents
navigate issues related to parenting trans*
kids/teens.

THE CENTER FOR FAITH

A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE ON PARENTING GAY CHILDREN

Greg Coles and his father Dave Coles with Dr. Preston Sprinkle on Greg's coming out to his parents and the relationship they have now.

THE CENTER FOR FAITH DISCIPLING YOUTH IN CHRISTIAN SEXUALITY

Jason Soucinek with Dr. Preston Sprinkle on helping parents, youth leaders, pastors, and mentors to know how to disciple youth in conversations about sex, sexuality, and gender.

THE CENTER FOR FAITH

CHRISTIAN SEXUALITY

Dr. Preston Sprinkle in a 12-part video series created for youth leaders, mentors, and parents to engage with high school students in one of the most important conversations of our age.

THE CENTER FOR FAITH

JOURNEYS OF FAITH

Hosted by Dr. Greg Coles, this 8-part video series centers on stories of love & purpose from LGBTQ/SSA Christians.

WHEATON COLLEGE SEXUAL AND GENDER IDENTITY INSTITUTE VIDEOS

- Gender Dysphoria
- Understanding Gender Dysphoria
- · Sexual Identity and the Christian
- Homosexuality: A Christian View
- Sexual Identity and the Question of Vocation

EQUIP

DIGITAL LEADERS COURSE

Learn using over 40 different videos and articles, including a 16-video series with customized handouts for parents and pastors.

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BOOKS

SINGLE, GAY, CHRISTIAN GREGORY COLES

A personal journey of faith and sexual identity for Gregory Coles, who shares his story openly and eloquently.

NO LONGER STRANGERS: FINDING BELONGING IN A WORLD OF ALIENATION GREGORY COLES

No Longer Strangers offers up Greg's insight on what it means to feel alienated through the lens of growing up cross-culturally and living as an out gay Christian.

BORN AGAIN THIS WAY: COMING OUT, COMING TO FAITH, AND WHAT COMES NEXT

RACHEL GILSON

Born Again This Way provides assurance and encouragement for Christians with same-sex attraction, and paints a compelling picture of discipleship for every believer.

PARENTING WITHOUT PANIC IN AN LGBT-AFFIRMING WORLD RACHEL GILSON

"Author **Rachel Gilson** helps you to teach your children proactively and positively about God's beautiful design for human sexuality, gender, and relationships."

GUIDING FAMILIES OF LGBT+ LOVED ONES: ESSENTIALS EDITION

POSTURE SHIFT

The Essentials Edition offers 42 pages of essential guidance for Christian pastors and parents when an LGBT+ loved one comes out.

DOES THE BIBLE SUPPORT SAME SEX MARRIAGE?: 21 CONVERSATIONS FROM A HISTORICALLY CHRISTIAN VIEW DR. PRESTON SPRINKLE

Preston carefully answers 21 of the strongest cases for same-sex marriage and offers a humanizing and thoughtful response to each one.





BOOKS CONT.

EMBODIED

DR. PRESTON SPRINKLE

Embodied is an accessible guide for Christians who want help navigating issues related to the transgender conversation.

LIVING IN A GRAY WORLD

DR. PRESTON SPRINKLE

Through honest conversation, real-life examples, and biblical research, Preston unpacks what we can know to be true, and how Scripture's overall message to us today allows us to move forward and find answers that align with God's intent.

GAY AND CATHOLIC: ACCEPTING MY SEXUALITY, FINDING COMMUNITY, LIVING MY FAITH

BY EVE TUSHNET

Eve Tushnet recounts her spiritual and intellectual journey from liberal atheism to faithful Catholicism and shows how gay Catholics can love and be loved while adhering to the Church's teaching.

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PAPERS

THE CENTER FOR FAITH, SEXUALITY, AND GENDER PASTORAL PAPERS

- 01. Should Christians Attend a Same-Sex Wedding Ceremony?
- 03. Is Same-Sex Attraction (or Being Gay) a Sin?
- 06. A Christian Perspective on Parenting a Gay Child
- 11. What Pronouns Should Christians Use For Transgender People?
- 12. A Biblical Conversation About Transgender Identities

INITIATING A CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE DISCOURSE OF SAME SEX ATTRACTION AMONG AFRICAN AMERICAN MALES

BY EMERY PETSHAUER, MARK YARHOUSE, LOUIS GALLIEN

THE EXEMPLAR PROJECT: FINDING WHAT MAKES A CHURCH EXEMPLARY IN ITS MINISTRY TO PERSONS WHO EXPERIENCE SAME-SEX ATTRACTION OR WHO STRUGGLE WITH SEXUAL IDENTITY CONCERNS

BY MARK YARHOUSE, TRISTA CARR

AT THE INTERSECTION OF RELIGIOUS AND SEXUAL IDENTITIES: A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE ON HOMOSEXUALITY

BY MARK YARHOUSE

ROUND PEG, SQUARE HOLE: BEING AN EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN IN GLB STUDIES
BY MARK YARHOUSE

<u>**UNDERSTANDING THE TRANSGENDER PHENOMENON**</u>

BY MARK YARHOUSE

WALKING A FINE LINE

BY MARK YARHOUSE

MINISTRIES

THE CENTER FOR FAITH, SEXUALITY & GENDER

The Center for Faith, Sexuality & Gender works to equip Christian leaders, churches and organizations to engage questions about faith, sexuality & gender with theological faithfulness and courageous love.

EDEN INVITATION

Eden Invitation creates space to receive the whole person, grow systems of mutual support, and empower for creative discipleship. Eden Invitation are disciples with LGBTQ+ experiences, building community with others who desire a way of life in congruence with Christ and His Church.

<u>EQUIP</u>

Equip is the premier consulting and training solution for churches aspiring to be places where gay Christians thrive for a lifetime according to a historic sexual ethic.

KALEIDOSCOPE

Kaleidoscope's mission is providing LGBTQ+ people opportunities to engage with tangible expressions of Christ. Kaleidoscope longs to see every LGBTQ+ person empowered to encounter Jesus and mature within supportive Christian communities authentically.

POSTURE SHIFT

Posture Shift Ministries, Inc. is a leading training and consulting resource for church and ministry leaders on LGBT+ inclusion and care. Posture Shift serves ministry and leadership teams around the globe with a vision of loving LGBT+ people in the Church by providing resources to foster safe homes and churches.

REVOICE

Revoice exists to support and encourage sexual minority Christians who uphold the traditional sexual ethic—and those who love them—so that the whole Church might flourish.



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