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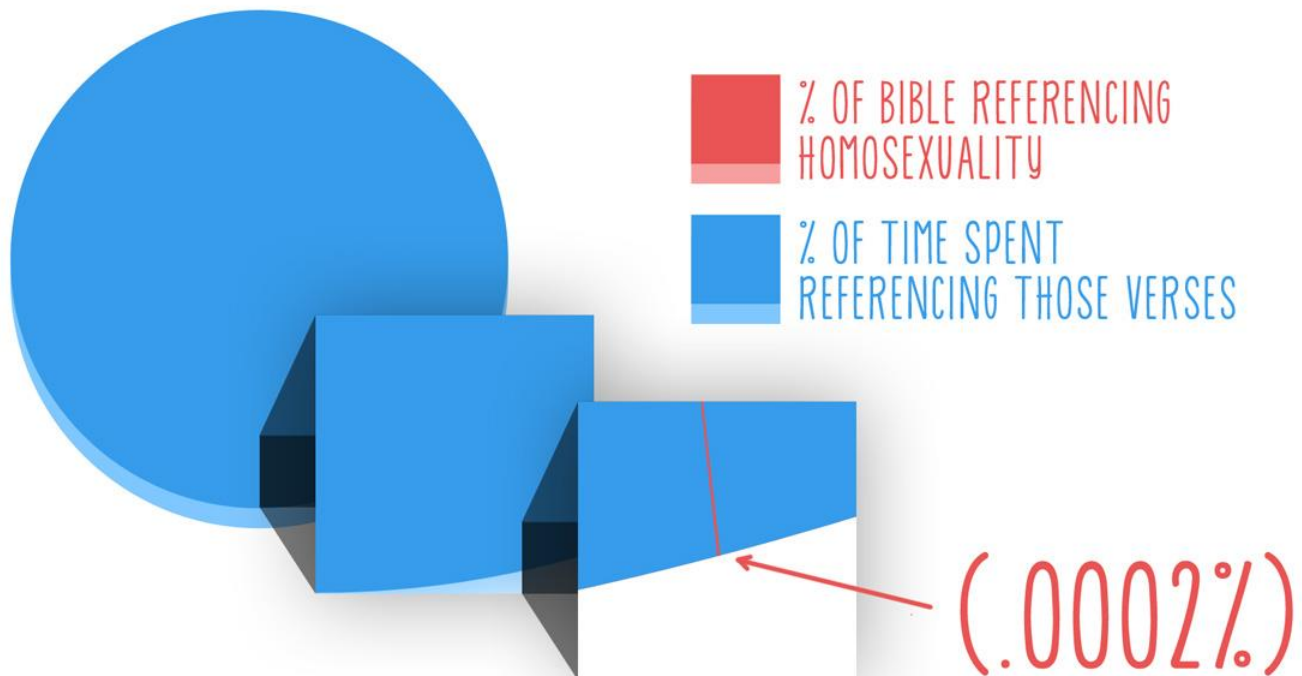
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## “Pastor’s Bible Study”

“WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT...

## Homosexuality

# THE BIBLE VS. HOMOSEXUALITY



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**Spivakian pronouns**—New terms proposed to serve as gender-neutral, thirdperson, singular, personal pronouns in English. These neologisms are used by some people who feel that there are problems with gender-specific pronouns because they imply sex and/or gender. (See last page of this handout for usage table.)

**Stealth** – This term refers to when a person chooses to be secretive in the public sphere about their gender history, either after transitioning or while successful passing. (Also referred to as ‘going stealth’ or ‘living in stealth mode’.)

**Stem** – A person whose gender expression falls somewhere between a stud and a femme. (See also ‘Femme’ and ‘Stud’.)

**Stereotype** – A preconceived or oversimplified generalization about an entire group of people without regard for their individual differences. Though often negative, can also be complimentary. Even positive stereotypes can have a negative impact, however, simply because they involve broad generalizations that ignore individual realities.

**Stone Butch / Femme**— A person who may or may not desire sexual penetration and/or contact with the genitals or breasts. (See also ‘Butch’ and ‘Femme’).

**Straight** – Another term for heterosexual.

**Straight-Acting** – A term usually applied to gay men who readily pass as heterosexual. The term implies that there is a certain way that gay men should act that is significantly different from heterosexual men. Straight-acting gay men are often looked down upon in the LGBTQ community for seemingly accessing heterosexual privilege.

**Stud** — An African-American and/or Latina masculine lesbian. Also known as ‘butch’ or ‘aggressive’.

**Switch** – A person who is both a ‘Top’ and a ‘Bottom’, there may or may not be a preference for one or the other.

**Top** — A person who is said to take a more dominant role during sexual interactions. May also be known as ‘Pitcher.’

**Top Surgery** - This term usually refers to surgery for the construction of a maletype chest, but may also refer to breast augmentation.

**Trans** - An abbreviation that is sometimes used to refer to a gender variant person. This use allows a person to state a gender variant identity without having to disclose hormonal or surgical status/intentions. This term is sometimes used to refer to the gender variant community as a whole.

**Transactivism**- The political and social movement to create equality for gender variant persons.

**Transgender** – A person who lives as a member of a gender other than that expected based on anatomical sex. Sexual orientation varies and is not dependent on gender identity.

**Transgendered (Trans) Community** – A loose category of people who transcend gender norms in a wide variety of ways. The central ethic of this community is unconditional acceptance of individual exercise of freedoms including gender and sexual identity and orientation.

**Transhate** – The irrational hatred of those who are gender variant, usually expressed through violent and often deadly means.

