



THE CULTURAL NARRATIVE

WHY DOES SEX MATTER?

Because it's an important part of your identity and personal expression

MATURITY =

sexual experimentation and freedom

MORALITY IS BASED ON

respecting other people's personal choices and freedom



THE PURITY NARRATIVE

WHY DOES SEX MATTER?

Because it's an important part of following God

MATURITY =

getting married as a virgin and keeping sex within marriage

MORALITY IS BASED ON

sexual abstinence



THE BIBLICAL NARRATIVE

WHY DOES SEXUALITY MATTER?

Because it is a holy metaphor of God's covenant love

MATURITY =

continued dependence on the Holy Spirit to live according to the metaphor

MORALITY IS BASED ON

following Jesus with integrity in our thoughts, actions, & behavior in every situation or stage of life