

COMMANDMENTS 6



ADULTERY



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CATECHISM

Share

Highs & Lows one-on-one with a partner from another generation.



Read

and reflect on the Catechism Encounter and Bible Time.



Talk

about how the Scripture might relate to your Highs & Lows. Then enjoy the Questions to Ponder and Role Play.



Pray

for your Partner's Highs & Lows.



Bless

one another with the sign of the cross and...



(NAME), child of God, may
 your words and conduct
 be pure and honorable.
 May you keep your promises in love and respect to all. In Christ. Amen.

- My Partner's High
- My Partner's Low
- A Prayer for My Partner

Catechism Encounter

Open your *Small Catechism* or go online to Part I: The Ten Commandments. Hold hands and whisper "I will keep my sex life pure!" three times. Shout it together three times. Whisper it again three times. Now read Luther's explanation of the Sixth Commandment. What words or phrases jump out at you? Why? Write them here.

Bible Time

Read and highlight Exodus 20:15. Write "Sexual Purity" in the margin. Next, assign different people to read the following verses. What does each of these Scriptures have to teach us about God's will for healthy relationships?

Genesis 1:27-28

Genesis 2:24

Matthew 19:4-6

I Corinthians 6:19-20

Hebrews 13:4

Questions to Ponder

1. Images: Which image or photo spoke to you most powerfully today? Why? How does it connect to our theme and your life?

2. What To Do?: If someone is guilty of a sexual sin, what should he or she do? (See I John 1:9?)

3. Temptation: What are some ways to keep temptation from getting control of your life?

Role Play

Situation 1: A friend says: "OK, I believe adultery is wrong, but I'm not married. This commandment doesn't say anything about sex outside of marriage with another unmarried person." What do you say? Act it out.

Situation 2: A friend is addicted to online pornography. They ask you for help and advice. What do you say? Act it out.