



It's not right

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[As I understand it,] former President Bill Clinton says it's right. The American Academy of Pediatrics says it's right. The CATO Institute and now the Newport News Daily Press says it's right.

My Bible says that it is wrong.

Homosexual relationships and homosexual marriages are wrong and our society will suffer in direct proportion to our approval as a society. Just as did ancient civilizations such as Rome and Sodom and Gomorrah, our civilization will fall because we not only allow, but approve of something that is roundly condemned in the Holy Scriptures.

I am appalled to see the approval of this paper on the editorial page in such a cavalier fashion. I rather expect the Daily Press to refuse to publish this letter to the editor because of that stand, so if you see this in print, it will show that there is even handed treatment.

The Bible denounces homosexuality as sin as early as the Ten Commandments. One of the Ten Commandments says, "to honor your father and mother", not, "father and father" and not, "mother and mother." Throughout the Old Testament and continuing into the New Testament, in Romans, there are warnings about practicing homosexuality. However, God does not hate homosexuals, no more than He hates liars, adulterers, thieves, drunkards, murderers or any other sinner. God recognizes that every human being is a sinner. He loves sinners and sent His Son, Jesus to die for our sins. But, He, God commands us to repent of our sin, not flaunt it and legislate it and convince ourselves that our sin is right, just because everybody else agrees.

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