# Swimming In The Cultural Sea

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Culture = Accepted ideas, priorities and expectations that direct our choices and actions

"Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is – his good, pleasing and perfect will" *-Romans 12:2* 

#### CULTURAL WAVES AND CURRENTS (WHY IT MATTERS)

- Danger lies our culture tells us
- Protection truth God tells us
- Action Steps what do we do about it



- -The more important something is, the more sin distorts it
- -The more wonderful something is, the more sin abuses it

-Sex is Important-Sex is Wonderful

-Genesis 1:28 -Song of Songs 7:10

#### Danger – Lies Our Culture Tells Us

Sex, Marriage and Babies Are Separate
Pornography is Harmless

### Protection – Truths God Tells Us

Sex is Good in One Way -Hebrews 13:4
Sex Creates Life -Genesis 4:1 -Psalm 139
Sex is More Than Intercourse -Matthew 5:27
Sex is Powerful -1 Corinthians 6:12-20

## Action Steps – What Can I Do

- 1. Don't Dabble
- 2. Learn About Abortion
- 3. Talk to Your Kids About Sex
- 4. Talk to Your Spouse About Sex