



BUILDING
STRONG HOMES



LESSON #12

KEEPING YOUR HOME PURE

We are all prone to dancing too close to a dangerous line.

#1 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THAT **YOUR MIND TAKES PRIORITY**

A. Guard your mind because of its severe value

1. “Keep” - Guard, watch over carefully

2. “Diligent” - Pictures a soldier at his post



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B. Guard you mind because it is the source of life



“As a man thinks in his heart,
so is he.”

Proverbs 23:7

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#2 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THAT **THE MEDIA HAS POWER**

- SEEING - Eve “saw the fruit that it was good to eat.”
- HEARING - Eve listened to and believed the lies of Satan



“Today’s entertainment industry has the potential to influence your child’s worldview and behavior much more than you do.”

“Film is a powerful medium. Film is a drug. It goes into your eye. It goes into your brain. It stimulates. And it’s a dangerous thing.”

Filmmaker Oliver Stone

“You know that everything we’re exposed to influences us. Films influence us, and TV programmers influence us.”

Ted Turner of Turner Broadcasting

#2 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THAT **THE MEDIA HAS POWER**

A. Television

- There are more TVs in American than people
- The average home has 100 Channels
- In most homes the TV is on for 8 hours and 14 minutes a day



#2 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THAT **THE MEDIA HAS POWER**

A. Television

B. Social Media

- 56% of Americans have a social media account
- The biggest growth of social media users since 2012 has been people 54 and older



#2 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THAT **THE MEDIA HAS POWER**

A. Television

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C. Video Games

- 4 out of 5 US households own a gaming console
- 4 of the 5 top played video games last year were rated “M” for Mature (17+)



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A. Television

B. Social Media

C. Video Games

D. Internet



#2 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND A **PROPER MANDATE FOR PURITY**

A. The law of diminishing returns



“What is man, that he should be clean? And he which is born of a woman, that he should be righteous?”

Job 15:14

#2 TO OBTAIN PURITY YOU MUST UNDERSTAND A **PROPER MANDATE FOR PURITY**

A. The law of diminishing returns

B. The law of delete



**DELETE DOES NOT MEAN
DELETE!**

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- A. The law of diminishing returns
- B. The law of delete
- C. The law of dependance



“Every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed.”

James 1:14

“Make it hard to sin and easy
to do right.”

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