

## **EPHESIANS 5: 3-4**

### **Live a life of love by staying sexually pure in a sex-mad society**

#### **A command about sex - and a reason (v.3)**

- 1. Keep your life free from sexual sin*
- 2. God eternal plan is to make you holy (1:4)*

#### **A warning about sex - and an alternative (v. 4)**

- 1. Don't trivialise sex through dirty talk*
- 2. Learn to give thanks instead*

#### **Practical suggestions**

- Apply the gospel to your sexual sin*
- Commit yourself to striving for sexual purity through Christ's power*
- Work out your weak areas*
- Work on your weak areas*
- Fight fire with fire as you seek joy in Christ and give thanks to him*