Explicit Lyrics – Let's Get It On

Weekend Discussion Questions May 17-18, 2008

Community:

- 1. What's the funniest wedding moment you've ever witnessed?
- 2. What's the worst wedding moment you've ever witnessed?

Core: (Read Song of Songs 3:6 - 5:1)

- 1. What do you think a wedding should be marked by?
- 2. Why do you think joy is sometimes not present in weddings?
- 3. Why is it important for parents to let go of their children well and children to leave well?
- 4. Why do you think there are only 6 verses about the wedding and an entire chapter about the wedding night?
- 5. In general what do you sense Solomon is feeling for his bride in chapter 4?
- 6. Why do you think he begins with her head and moves down her body?
- 7. In what way is this a different picture of sex than the one our culture paints for us?
- 8. Do you think this picture is something worth waiting for?
- 9. Why do you think it's so difficult for us to wait until marriage to have sex?
- 10. How do you see a continuing amount of romance in this couples wedding night?
- 11. Is romance important in the context of marriage?
- 12. Scott said "in the context of marriage, sex can serve different purposes at different times." Do you agree or disagree? Read 1 Corinthians 7:3-5.
- 13. How do you see freedom and joy present in this part of the song?

Challenge:

If you are single: what do you have to do now to protect and preserve and pursue that freedom and joy for marriage?

If you are married: what does it take for you to protect, preserve and pursue that level of freedom and joy in your marriage?