

Explicit Lyrics - Burned
Weekend Discussion Questions
April 26-27, 2008

Community:

1. What's the best romantic movie ever?
2. What's the most memorable love scene you've ever seen in the movies?
3. What's the most ridiculous/unrealistic romantic movie you've ever seen?

Core: (turn to Song of Songs in your Bible, you may want to listen to Jim's talk again prior to working through these questions)

1. What would you expect God to teach His people about love, sex and romance?
2. How has God's perspective on sex, love and romance been represented in our culture?
3. Have you ever read this book before? If so what did you think about it?
4. Read Song of Songs 1:1-7 out loud as a group. What are your first questions or observations about these verses?
5. What do verses 2-3 teach about looks and physical attraction as compared to character?
6. Have you ever thought you could change someone's character? How did that turn out?
7. Read the second part of verse 4. Is it important for those close to you to affirm your relationships? Why or why not?
8. What do verses 5-6 tell us about this woman's view of herself? What do they teach us about her view of authority? Why would these two things be important?
9. Read verse 7. In what ways was she unwilling to lower her expectations? Have you ever lowered your expectations when you dated someone? How did that turn out?
10. Jim said, "you are ready to pursue a relationship with someone else when you are willing to be single as opposed to lowering your expectations for the sake of marriage." Agree or disagree?
11. What song is your life singing? Is your character a reflection of God's character?
12. Jim said, "the best way to find someone to share your life with is to run after God and then look around and see who is running beside you." What does that mean?

Challenge:

1. Do you have a clear expectation of the type of person you want to spend your life with? If not work on developing that this week.
2. Do you have any character issues in your life you want God to change?



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