

Controlling Our Desires
Jesus Style Living—Part 7
Matthew 5:27-30
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Introduction

Who's Driving?

I. What is Adultery Vs. 27-28

- A. Five details about adultery.
 - 1. Adultery is not limited to the arena of marriage.
 - 2. Adultery is not confined to a physical act.
 - 3. Adulteries root lies in the heart.
 - 4. Adultery is not a victimless crime.
 - 5. Adulteries Old Testament example

II. What Frees an Adulterer Vs. 29-30

- A. This portion has been misunderstood.
 - 1. Literally
 - 2. Metaphorically
 - 3. Hyperbole
 - 4. Figuratively

III. What's the answer to Lust?

- A. Agree with God it's a sin problem.
- B. Hate your sin. (Romans 6,8)
- C. Repent
- D. A decision to fight against sin (Job 31:1)
- E. Get serious about accountability. (Covenant Eyes, Victory App, Canopy)
- F. Never give up fighting. (Hebrews 12:3-4)
- G. Fight with grace and not shame.

Conclusion

Who is driving your life?