



Sermon series: Fight for Joy!  
Text: 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8  
Big Idea: The battle against lust is won by knowing the truth of God.  
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## Joy vs Lust

### The Battle:

- Sanctification is learning \_\_\_\_\_ in God's Kingdom.
- Lust \_\_\_\_\_ God & \_\_\_\_\_ Love.

### The Stakes:

- If the \_\_\_\_\_ are high enough, no \_\_\_\_\_ is too great.

### The Weapons:

- We are sanctified by \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_.
- We are motivated by \_\_\_\_\_.

### Follow-Up Questions:

- How have you seen The World enshrine lust as a virtue?
- How would you describe the process of sanctification to someone unfamiliar with Christianity?



- What can the church do to help married and single people to walk a path of holy sexuality?
- Why is lust considered a deadly sin?
- What practical tactics can we use to battle lust?
- Why must we fight and not simply flee lust?
- What do Chalmers and Piper see as the best weapon against lust? How does it work?
- How do you grow in your knowledge & love of God?