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<http://www.dailytelegraph.com.au/entertainment/tv/is-joshs-show-too-gay-for-abc1/story-e6freflr-1226586521979> Is Josh Thomas's show too gay for ABC1? IS PLEASE LIKE ME TOO GAY (Edited by DCB) - The homosexual community is a protected and promoted group and the government owned Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC) is promoting this lifestyle even though a very small percentage of the population say they are such. Abc2 states that it “features ABC For Kids programming until 6pm daily. At night ABC2 is the home of the best Australian and international comedy, drama & cutting edge ...” So after 6pm anything goes for on the 7<sup>th</sup> of March, 2013 ABC2 aired Please Like Me which is about “...Josh who lives with best mate Thomas (Thomas Ward) and, at first, is in a steady relationship with girlfriend Claire (Caitlin Stasey). Claire splits with Josh, telling him that he is obviously gay. His despair is short-lived when young hunk Geoffrey (Wade Briggs) enters the scene. Geoffrey wants to get physical with Josh. Cue lots of man-on-man kissing, bed scenes, and jokes about sex. Later, Josh is forced to move back into the family home after his divorced mum Rose (Debra Lawrence) overdoses.”

Don't forget that this channel paid for by taxpayers is for kids until 6pm! How many kids do you believe may continue watching after 6pm? Well, the Telegraph article says “Please Like Me has a sweetness that sets it apart from other boundary-pushing comedies such as Chris Lilley's Angry Boys and Summer Heights High which happily found a home on ABC1.” The boundries are being pushed and the public is slowly accepting whatever is presented to their minds and hearts through their eyes and ears! Proverbs 23:7 For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he...”

<http://christiannews.net/2013/02/21/obama-bush-cheney-and-powell-appear-in-commercial-promoting-same-sex-marriage/> Obama, Bush, Cheney and Powell Appear in Commercial Promoting Same-Sex ‘Marriage’ February 21, 2013 (Edited by DCB) - The BIG GUNS are out publically promoting same sex as normal! “A new commercial promoting same-sex marriage is set to feature comments from Barack Obama, former First Lady Laura Bush, former Vice President Dick Cheney and former Secretary of State Colin Powell.” This commercial promoting unnatural sex “...is produced by the Respect for Marriage Coalition, which is co-chaired by the Human Rights Campaign, and is part of a million-dollar effort that also includes print advertising in Politico, the New York Times and the Wall Street Journal.” No government can legislate what a person or persons do in their own home **but to legalize** something God has denounced is dangerous. Romans 1:24 - 26 “*Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves: 25 Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen. 26 For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature*”. Pretty plain!

<http://christiannews.net/2013/02/25/rob-bell-to-teach-teens-that-christian-beliefs-about-hell-are-misguided-and-toxic/> Rob Bell to Teach Teens That Christian Beliefs About Hell are ‘Misguided

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and Toxic' February 25, 2013 (Edited by DCB) There is nothing new under the sun so it isn't surprising "Author and speaker Rob Bell is set to release a teen version of his book Love Wins: A Book About Heaven, Hell, and the Fate of Every Person Who Ever Lived nationwide next month. In a promotional video created for Love Wins: For Teens, Bell explains that the book is designed to teach youth that God is the life of the party, rather than the one that spoils everyone's fun." As Bell says "when Jesus talked about God, one of the dominant images He uses again and again is that of a party." Watch more and more of the once fundamental and evangelical churches following this line of teaching. Sadly but again not surprising "The book is already among the top five religion and spirituality books for teens on Amazon."

<http://christiannews.net/2013/02/25/the-new-modern-family-woman-and-two-men-raise-son-in-polyamorous-relationship/> The New Modern Family? Woman and Two Men Raise Son in 'Polyamorous' Relationship February 25, 2013 (Edited by DCB) In the United States "ABC News recently aired a segment about a woman involved in what is called a polyamorous relationship — living with multiple boyfriends or girlfriends under one roof. The woman, identified as Jaiya, began by living with her boyfriend Jon. However, because Jaiya wanted to have children and Jon didn't, he suggested that she bring someone else into the picture that would conceive with her. Therefore, Jaiya brought home Ian, and the two had a little boy together. Both Ian and Jon are raising the child, and Jon quit his job to stay home with him." Well, believe it or not Jaiya is "a professional sexologist, giving sexual advice to others. She admits to having sexual relations with both men, and states that while Jon now wants other children, she does not." Well, the story isn't over for "... Jon is now looking for a second girlfriend, and Ian already has another relationship on the side." This is nothing but man's rebellion against God for God's Word says "For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined unto his wife, and they two shall be one flesh" Eph 5:31.

<http://www.dailytelegraph.com.au/entertainment/sydney-confidential/hillsong-flying-up-the-music-charts/story-e6frewz0-1226592750827> Hillsong flying up the music charts March 08, 2013 (Edited by DCB) - The charismatic "Hillsong Church is set to be Australia's next big musical export." This pentecostal church's "...latest album Zion is on track to debut in the Top 5 of the Billboard chart in America next week. Zion has sold more than 35,000 copies in the US since its release last Friday." These are the songs the supposedly fundamentalists are singing. In 2009 Hillsong's Darlene Zschech's Shout to the Lord was once listed in the top 10 of the praise songs used in the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches.

<http://ottumwacourier.com/local/x564668862/Techel-trial-begins-third-week> 4 March, 2013 (Edited by DCB) In my home town a young husband named "Techel is charged with murder and non-consensual termination of a human pregnancy. He faces life in prison if convicted." It is hard to believe the law has been degraded so low but if Techel and his wife had mutually agreed to terminate (murder is a better word) the birth of this child the charges would have been different. To

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the law this poor unborn child is only important when and if the biological parents have not consented to its destruction, also known as murder. The latest news is that it was declared a mis-trial.

<http://www.facebook.com/photo.php?v=389780961088074&set=vb.213604395372399&type=3&theater> Chinese Orphans sharing cultural dancing (Edited by DCB) The Association of Baptists for World Evangelism (ABWE) has not been a fundamentalist organization for many years now and continues to move even further from its roots. In this video one can see these Chinese orphans performing a dance involving karate moves. This performance took place in the headquarters of ABWE at its 2012 Missionary Enrichment Conference. Am I being too picky? Probably, since ABWE has a missionary in South Africa that uses dance and movement as an evangelistic tool.

Because of Calvary.  
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