



HARPETH HILLS YOUTH GROUP

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To whom it may concern,

There is a battle being waged. It is insidious and devastating and it continues to claim life after life. It does so without fanfare. In fact its covert tactics are one of its greatest strengths. The battle is addictive sexual behavior and our teenagers are its primary casualties.

As one who is passionate about ministering to teenagers, I want to be sure that our teens and parents are aware that this is not a problem for somebody else's teen in some other city or some other youth group. This is a problem that faces *our* teenagers. It is a problem that faces *your* teenager. A teenager, or child for that matter, does not have to seek this out. Be sure, it is already pursuing them. The battle is raging.

It was with that thought in mind that I invited Steve Holladay to address those affected by our youth ministry. I found Steve's presentation to be a valuable resource for both our teenagers and their parents as they stand on the front lines of the battle described above. Steve's approach to addictive sexual behavior is not detached and irrelevant, rather it speaks clearly to the issues at hand in terms that are accessible to teenagers.

Refreshingly, Steve does not push the envelope in language or content simply for the sake of shock value. His presentation is clear and effective and we continue to partner with Steve in this ministry by allowing him further access to our congregation.

May our Lord grant us wisdom as we partner with Him in a ministry to rescue His children from the temptations and addictions which would seek to draw them away from His throne.

Because of Jesus,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jason Pagel', with a flourish at the end.

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