Overcoming Daily Temptations
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I.   Issues: What does the Bible say about sexually-related sin?
   A.   Beginnings - Gen. 3:7
   B.   High standards - Mt. 5:28, II Cor. 10:5
   C.   The Law - Ex. 20:14
   D.   Immorality
      1.   Rom. 1:21-32 - Fools
      2.   I Cor. 6:9-10 - The unrighteous
      3.   Gal. 5:19 - Deeds of the flesh
      4.   Eph. 5:3 - Proper saints

II. Advice
   A.   I Cor. 6: 17-19 - Flee immorality.
   B.   Rom. 13:12-14 - Lay aside dark deeds; behave properly.
   C.   Prov. 4:14-23 - Avoid it, turn away from it, pass on. Watch over your heart.
   D.   The adulteress
         Prov. 2:16-18 - The strange woman
         Prov. 5:1-23 (esp. 3, 20) - Honey vs. wormwood
         Prov. 6:23-29 - The evil woman
         Prov. 7:1-27 (esp. 5) - A young man lacking sense
         Prov. 22:14 - A deep pit
   E.   I Cor. 7:2 - His own wife
         Psalm 34:10, Prov. 18:22

III. Hope
         I Cor. 10:13 - Escape
         I Cor. 6:11 - Washed and justified
         Phil. 3:12-21 - Press on; reach forward
         Mt. 19:26 - All things are possible
         Rom. 12:2 - Be transformed
         II Cor. 3:18 - Being transformed
         II Cor. 10:4,5 - Take every thought captive

IV. Addiction
   A.   Compulsion
   B.   Continuing despite consequences
   C.   Control
   D.   Neurophysiology

V. There is hope.
   A. I remember...
   B. Pornography is _____.
   C. The sin cycle:

      Thought → _____ → _____ → _____ → _____ →
      _____ → _____ → Thought →

   D. Two opposing sides

      _____ → _____

      _____ → _____

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   E. Solution: Deal with _____.
       Prov. 4:23
       Gal. 5:16
       Eph. 5:3
       Mt. 5:19
       Luke 6:45
   F. The downward _____
   G. Five steps to freedom
      1. _____
      2. _____
      3. _____
      4. _____
      5. _____ _____ _____ - Mk. 10:27
   H. Close to the edge?

VI. The daily walk
   A. Put off, put on. Substitution. Eph. 4:1-5:21
   B. Jesus. Heb. 12:1-2, Rom. 8:38-39
   C. The Word. Ps. 119:9-11, II Tim. 2:15
   D. Accountability. Eccles. 4:9-10, 12; Prov. 27:17
   E. Prayer. Rom. 12:9-13, I Thess. 5:17
   F. Focus on others. Phil. 2:4, Rom. 15:1-6

VII. Freedom! Jn. 8:32

VIII. Discussion and Questions

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