



KINSEY AND OUR CULTURE

Dr. Alfred Kinsey, a zoologist by training, sparked the sexual revolution with his books *Sexual Behavior in the Human Male* (1948) and *Sexual Behavior in the Human Female* (1953). His works are foundational to sex education in America today and laid the groundwork for cultural acceptance of pornography, homosexuality and abortion.

50th Anniversary

2003 marked the 50th anniversary of the publication of Kinsey's female volume, with its continued theme: "All sex is good sex." He promised us happier marriages, fewer sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and lower illegitimacy rates if we adopted his "scientific" views of "outlet" sex. However, his legacy remains as a searing indictment—soaring rates of out-of-wedlock pregnancies, abortion, divorce, welfare moms, child abuse, teen sex, fatherlessness, juvenile crime, STDs, homosexuality, AIDS, "intergenerational sex (incest)" and bestiality. Considering the cost, we cannot afford to follow Kinsey into the 21st century.

Kinsey's idea of utopia was sexual activity spanning from childhood to adulthood, indiscriminate and as varied as possible. He believed it was vital for children to engage in sex by age 6, before they picked up "cultural taboos" based on "religion." A practicing sadomasochistic homosexual himself,¹ he deliberately blurred the distinction between normal and abnormal sex.

According to Kinsey, "Males do not represent two discrete populations, heterosexual and homosexual. The world is not to be divided into sheep and goats. Not all things are black nor all things white. ... The living world is a continuum in each and every one of its aspects."² A seven-point numerical system, commonly known as the "Kinsey Scale," which he designed to chart people's sexual proclivities is used in most sex-education courses today. Heterosexuality rated a 0, homosexuality a 6, and bisexuality a 3. Kinsey concocted the scale even before doing any of his research, and he concluded following his research that only 4 percent of the population is exclusively heterosexual, 4 percent are exclusively homosexual, and the rest, 92 percent, is bisexual. This scale instantly equated homosexuality with heterosexuality and promoted bisexuality as the healthiest, most "balanced," "normal" orientation.

Kinsey took a special interest in the "homoerotic model."³ Masturbation and homosexuality were given precedence in his *Male* report, while marital sex was relegated to a few pages in the back of the book. According to co-author Paul Gebhard, "There were no

¹ James H. Jones, *Alfred C. Kinsey: A Public/Private Life* (New York, London: W.W. Norton & Company, 1997), pp. 81-85 and 603-604.

² Alfred C. Kinsey, Wardell B. Pomeroy, Clyde E. Martin, *Sexual Behavior in the Human Male* (Philadelphia: W.B. Saunders Company, 1948), p. 639.

³ Paul Robinson, *The Modernization of Sex* (New York: Harper & Row, 1976), pp. 54, 64, 70. Cited in Judith A. Reisman, Ph.D., and Edward W. Eichel, *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud* (Lafayette, LA: Lochinvar-Huntington House Publishers, 1990), p.146.

questions as to how many heterosexual love affairs a person experienced nor what attributes were found sexually appealing in a partner, yet these questions were asked of homosexuals.”⁴

Kinsey's Lies

In an attempt to validate his concept of “outlet sex,” which included any and all sex acts, including homosexuality, pedophilia, incest and bestiality, Kinsey sacrificed the facts. According to his 1940s surveys:

- 85 percent of males had pre-marital sex.
- Approximately 70 percent of males had sex with prostitutes.
- Between 30 and 45 percent of husbands had extramarital affairs.
- 37 percent of all males had homosexual experiences between adolescence and old age, with 10 percent being exclusively homosexual for periods of up to three years between the ages of 18 and 25. This was the source for the fraudulent estimate that 10 percent of the population is “gay.” More authoritative surveys, including a 2003 Canadian government survey,⁵ indicate an incidence of homosexuality at less than 1.5 percent of the population.

Although Kinsey claimed that his 1940s population studies represented the “average American,” 25 to 48 percent of his subjects were in prison and/or were deviant males, of which 1,400 were classified as sex offenders.⁶ The “married” women included prostitutes and those living with a man out-of-wedlock for over a year.⁷ Moreover, his “scientific” findings about childhood sexual behavior came from *pedophiles*, not “technically trained” experts, as he preferred to call them.

The sample did not reflect society in other ways. “Seventy-eight percent of the [male] sample 20 years of age or older was single, versus 30 percent in the population.”⁸ Likewise, a staggering 75 percent of the female sample was college-educated, versus 13 percent of women in general. Additionally, 70 percent of the “Kinsey” women were single as compared with the national average of 30 percent.⁹

These errors were compounded by the “volunteer bias,” first brought to Kinsey’s attention by noted psychologist Abraham Maslow. Dr. Maslow had discovered that human sexuality studies tended to attract exhibitionists and practitioners of unconventional sex. This increased the reporting of illicit behaviors such as promiscuity and homosexuality.

Before the publication of his reports, Kinsey had arranged for Dr. Maslow to test his volunteers for bias. After evaluating students from Indiana University, Maslow concluded that Kinsey’s sample was unrepresentative of the general population.¹⁰ Kinsey dismissed Maslow’s findings and terminated his relationship with him. No mention of this study ever appeared in the Kinsey reports.

⁴ Paul Gebhard, A. Johnson, *The Kinsey Data* (Philadelphia: W.B. Saunders Company, 1979), p.16.

⁵ *Canadian Community Health Survey*, Statistics Canada, June 15, 2004, results of a comprehensive survey of more than 135,000 Canadians conducted between January and December 2003 (<http://www.statcan.ca/Daily/English/040615/d040615b.htm>).

⁶ Eunice Ray, “RSVP America Challenges the Church for a Time Such as This . . .,” First Principles Press, 1997, p. 2.

⁷ Alfred C. Kinsey, Wardell B. Pomeroy, Clyde E. Martin, Paul H. Gebhard, *Sexual Behavior in the Human Female* (Philadelphia: W.B. Saunders Company, 1953), p. 53.

⁸ *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 27.

⁹ *Ibid.*, p. 60.

¹⁰ *Ibid.*, p. 20.

Kinsey's penchant for abnormal sex, in conjunction with his disdain for traditional values, led him to commit fraud in order to persuade the public that everyone was engaging in illicit sex behind closed doors and that exclusive *heterosexuality* was a rare pathology.

Disease & Despair

Even a casual survey of the link between sexual behavior and disease would discredit Kinsey's claims about sexual behavior in the 1940s and the efficacy of his "anything goes" philosophy about sex. The consensus among medical professionals and researchers today is that the spread of sexually transmitted diseases, including AIDS, is driven by **behavior**. Since the advent of the sexual revolution, sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and illegitimacy rates have skyrocketed.

According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), some 65 million Americans are plagued with an incurable STD.¹¹ The rates of gonorrhea, genital herpes and human papillomavirus (HPV) continue to rise rapidly.

The CDC estimates that more than 500,000 people have died in the U.S. from AIDS and that nearly one million Americans have been diagnosed with HIV, the virus that causes AIDS,¹² Eighty percent are homosexual men, who account for more than 60 percent of new cases among men.¹³ Ironically, as Dr. Judith Reisman, co-author of *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, notes, "[AIDS] is caused principally by behaviors traditionally considered unhealthy (and immoral), and it is difficult to pass on from person to person (infection from blood products and childbirth aside), except by these behaviors."¹⁴

At the same time, out-of-wedlock births for teenagers increased more than 430 percent between 1960 and 1999.¹⁵ This costs taxpayers billions of dollars each year in terms of welfare, Medicaid and food stamps. According to Dr. Alvin Poussaint, professor of psychiatry at Harvard Medical School, "when teenagers have babies, both mothers and children tend to have problems—health, social, psychological and economic. Teens who have children out-of-wedlock are more likely to end up at the bottom of the socio-economic ladder. . . . These numbers have enormous economic implications for the country—and for the rearing of children in America."¹⁶

If Kinsey's subjects represented average Americans as he claimed they did, America would have been experiencing skyrocketing rates of STDs and illegitimacy in the 1940s. Obviously, that was not the case. In fact, health authorities had to deal with only two sexually transmitted diseases – syphilis and gonorrhea. Today, they are tracking more than 30 STDs.

Nevertheless, politicians, judges and homosexual rights advocates still quote Kinsey's research and that of his disciples today.

Kinsey & Children

Kinsey claimed that all children are sexual from birth and he advocated that they engage in sex with other children and adults to achieve sound mental, emotional and physical health. In

¹¹ Robert Rector, "The Effectiveness of Abstinence Education Programs in Reducing Sexual Activity Among Youth," *Heritage Foundation Backgrounder*, Washington, D.C., No. 1533, April 8, 2002.

¹² Cited in National Institutes of Health fact sheet, July 2004 (<http://www.niaid.nih.gov/factsheets/aidsstat.htm>).

¹³ *Ibid.*

¹⁴ *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 101.

¹⁵ *National Vital Statistics Report*, Vol. 48, No. 26, 18, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, National Center for Health Statistics, October 2000 (www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nvsr/nvsr48/nvsr48_16.pdf).

¹⁶ William J. Bennett, *The Index of Leading Cultural Indicators* (New York: Simon & Schuster, 2001), p. 73.

Kinsey's view, a man was the sum total of how many orgasms he had experienced in a lifetime. Love and commitment were not only irrelevant, but anathema to the pursuit of open-ended sex beginning in the cradle.

Kinsey was a silent partner in the molestation of at least 317 children. In chapter five of his 1948 book, Tables 30-34 describe pre-adolescent children's orgasms, beginning at the age of two months. Stopwatches and the second-hands of watches were used to time the number and speed of the alleged orgasms. The children reacted by "groaning, sobbing, or more violent cries, sometimes with an abundance of tears."¹⁷ The Kinsey team not only encouraged men to molest children, but ignored the legal obligation to report them. In 1977, Paul Gebhard, Kinsey's co-author, told interviewers, "An example of criminality is our refusal to cooperate with authorities in apprehending a pedophile we had interviewed who was being sought for a sex murder."¹⁸

Age	No. of Orgasms	Time Involved	Age	No. of Orgasms	Time Involved
5 mon.	3	?	11 yr.	11	1 hr.
11 mon.	10	1 hr.	11 yr.	19	1 hr.
11 mon.	14	38 min.	12 yr.	7	3 hr.
2 yr.	7	9 min.	12 yr.	3	3 min.
	11	65 min.		9	2 hr.
2 1/2 yr.	4	2 min.	12 yr.	12	2 hr.
4 yr.	6	5 min.	12 yr.	15	1 hr.
4 yr.	17	10 hr.	13 yr.	7	24 min.
4 yr.	26	24 hr.	13 yr.	8	2 1/2 hr.
7 yr.	7	3 hr.	13 yr.	9	8 hr.
8 yr.	8	2 hr.	13 yr.	3	70 sec.
9 yr.	7	68 min.		11	8 hr.
10 yr.	9	52 min.		26	24 hr.
10 yr.	14	24 hr.	14 yr.	11	4 hr.

Table 34. Examples of multiple orgasm in pre-adolescent males.
Some instances of higher frequency.
[*Sexuality and the Human Male*, p. 180.]

After reviewing the child-sex data in chapter 5, Lester H. Caplan, M.D., of the American Board of Pediatrics, concluded that:¹⁹

¹⁷ Kinsey, *Male* volume, p. 161.

¹⁸ Paul H. Gebhard, as quoted in William H. Masters, Virginia E. Johnson, Robert C. Kolodny, *Ethical Issues in Sex Therapy and Research* (Boston: Little, Brown, 1977), p. 13. Cited in *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 53.

¹⁹ Letter from Baltimore pediatrician Lester H. Caplan, M.D., F.A.C.P., to Dr. Judith A. Reisman, founder of the Institute for Media Research, November 29, 1983, cited in Judith A. Reisman, Ph.D., *Kinsey: Crimes & Consequences* (Lexington, Kentucky: Institute for Media Education, 2000), pp. 147-148.

- The data were not the norm—rather data taken from abnormal sexual activities by sex criminals and the like.
- The researchers used unnatural stimulation to get results.
- The frequencies and the number of orgasms in 24 hours were not natural nor the mean.
- One person could not do this to so many children. These children had to be held down or restrained; otherwise, they would not respond willingly.

“In five cases of young pre-adolescents, **observations were continued over periods of months or years** until the individuals were old enough to make it certain that true orgasm was involved,” Kinsey wrote.²⁰ Where are these children today? That’s one question CWA wants answered.

The Kinsey Institute for Sex and Gender Research at Indiana University, which receives federal and state funding, has so far refused to open its files on the child sexuality data, even though the files chronicle criminal acts against children.

Sex Education

Sex education is driven by the Kinseyan philosophy that “anything goes.” As a result, America now has values-neutral sex education in the school system, the inclusion of homosexuality in the AIDS curriculum and a push to teach elementary schoolchildren about sex.

Groups like the Sexuality Information and Education Council of the United States (SIECUS) and the Planned Parenthood Federation of America, working in conjunction with the U.S. Departments of Education and Health and Human Services, continue to receive tax dollars to indoctrinate our nation’s children with Kinsey’s lies and misinformation about sex.

SIECUS was founded in 1964 as the educational arm of the Kinsey Institute. Co-founder Dr. Mary S. Calderone, former medical director for the Planned Parenthood Federation of America, boasted, “Few people realize that the great library collection of what is now known as the Kinsey Institute in Bloomington, Indiana, was formed very specifically with one major field omitted—sex education. This was because it seemed appropriate, not only to the Institute but to its major funding source, the National Institute of Mental Health, to leave this area for SIECUS to fill.”²¹ Wardell Pomeroy, a Kinsey co-author, was a SIECUS founding board member.

The primary goal of SIECUS, according to Calderone, is to teach human sexuality “very broadly and deeply with awareness of the vital importance of infant and childhood sexuality.”²² The May-July 1983 issue of the *SIECUS Report* said that a child’s sexuality should “be developed in the same way as the child’s inborn human capacity to talk or to walk, and that [the parent’s] role should relate only to teaching the child the appropriateness of privacy, place and person—in a word socialization.”²³

This model of human sexuality ignores the fact that young children lack the emotional and physical maturity for sex. Researchers have discovered that a little girl’s vagina does not contain the same pH level as an adult, leaving her more susceptible to venereal disease, which, in turn, increases her likelihood of contracting cervical cancer. Brain development, which is not complete until age 15, is also a significant factor in the maturation process of both boys and

²⁰ Kinsey, *Male* volume, p. 177.

²¹ *SIECUS Report*, May-July 1983, p. 9. Cited in Kinsey, *Sex and Fraud*, p. xx

²² *Ob. Gyn. News*, December 1, 1980, p.10. Cited in Kinsey, *Sex and Fraud*, p. xx.

²³ *SIECUS Report*, May-July 1983, p. 9. Cited in Kinsey, *Sex and Fraud*, p. xx.

girls. How can little Tommy, who can't sit still in class, forgets his homework, and shirks his chores, be ready to enter into a responsible sexual relationship? He can't. But Kinsey's disciples have promoted aggressively the gospel of free sex to children.

Girls and Sex, by SIECUS co-founder Wardell Pomeroy, teaches that, "Sex play with boys (or, for that matter with girls) can be exciting, pleasurable, and even worthwhile in the sense that it will help later sexual adjustment."²⁴ In a chapter on lesbianism, Pomeroy advises that one in 10 girls "has specific homosexual contacts. Nearly twice that number are aroused psychologically in a specific sexual way by other girls." Pomeroy advises girls to do whatever feels good, and notes that society still disapproves of lesbianism: "The reasons are various. Primarily it's because of our social inheritance from our Judeo-Christian ancestors, who regarded women as little more than property."²⁵

Kinsey's Legacy

Today, we see Kinsey's ideals implemented in our nation's schools:

- Antagonism toward abstinence-based programs
- Mint-flavored condoms handed out like candy
- Photo exhibits of homosexual children and families prominently displayed in school libraries across the country
- "Gay-Straight Alliance" clubs in hundreds of schools

Sex education today is not primarily about teaching body parts, functions and relationships in the nuclear family, but about restructuring children's values and beliefs to fit the Kinsey model.²⁶ The debate among sex educators used to be "Why are some people homosexual?" Now it has shifted to "Why are people heterosexual?"

"Since Kinsey implied that heterosexuality is abnormal—simply a symptom of cultural repression—there would be no need to change the orientation of children. A hidden ... agenda in sex education would reach boys and girls before they are affected by societal restraints and rescue them from the supposedly pathologic norms of exclusive male-female relating."²⁷ It is becoming increasingly apparent that sexologists are moving in this direction.

The training of sexologists is a fundamental component in how our nation approaches sex education. The *Manual for Accreditation*, published by the Commission on Accreditation of Human Sexuality Programs of the Society for the Scientific Study of Sex, recommends courses such as "Homosexuality (and bisexuality)," "Sexual Variations," "Alternative Lifestyles," and mandates the "History of Sexual Behavior," the history of human sexuality according to Kinsey.²⁸

The American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors and Therapists (AASECT) requires a Sexual Attitude Reassessment (SAR) Seminar for professional certification. Reassessment, originally called "Restructuring," was changed to "make the intent to influence

²⁴ Wardell B. Pomeroy, Ph.D., *Girls and Sex* (New York: Dell Publishing Company, 1981), p. 48.

²⁵ *Ibid.*, p. 141.

²⁶ *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 126.

²⁷ *Ibid.*, p. 146.

²⁸ *Ibid.*, p.147.

thinking less obvious,” according to sexologist Edward W. Eichel, Reisman’s co-author of *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*.²⁹

Wardell Pomeroy, Kinsey co-author, described the typical SAR seminar: “We project several films on to a series of screens simultaneously. They vary in content from ‘hard porn’ homosexuality to milder loving themes. ... [T]he results are very interesting and useful.”³⁰

SIECUS founder Dr. Mary Calderone embraced acceptance of homosexuality after being subjected to this type of disorientation and sensory overload. “She viewed a homosexual couple keeping house and then engaging in homosexual lovemaking (i.e., mutual masturbation and sodomy). ‘I went out walking on air, because now I knew what homosexuals did, and they did all the same things I like to do, and it was fine. I felt good about them from that moment on.’”³¹

Students have been instructed to fondle the genitalia of same-sex students in NYU’s “nude body workshops,” and extra credit has been awarded for having an affair or going to a homosexual bar.³² Given the course work of sexologists, it is no surprise that sex education they design and implement increases the incidence of pre-marital sex.

From Chastity to Pedophilia?

Behind the legitimization of peer sex lurks the darker specter of “intergenerational sex,” better known as pedophilia. A coffee-table book by Jock Sturges, *Radiant Identities*, features photographs of naked children and teenagers in suggestive poses. For \$60, any sex offender can legally purchase it at his neighborhood bookstore. From film to print, our nation’s children are being sexualized.

The American Psychiatric Association normalized homosexuality in 1973 under intense political pressure. And yet four years later, 69 percent of professionals still believed that “homosexuality was usually a pathological adaptation as opposed to a normal variation.”³³ Only 18 percent considered it to be normal.³⁴

Pederasts, encouraged by the homosexual victory and armed with Kinsey’s reports legitimizing child-sex and adult-child sex, are engaged in a protracted battle to lower the age-of-consent laws. “Sex before eight or it’s too late,” is the motto of the René Guyon Society, a pedophile organization, and the North American Man-Boy Love Association (NAMBLA). The British Pedophile Information Exchange (P.I.E.) advocates that the age of sexual consent be reduced to age 4.³⁵

Dr. Sigmund Freud considered homosexuality “an arrest of sexual development” and “intergenerational sex,” or pedophilia, as “cowardly” and a “substitute” sexual practice for “impotent” people.³⁶ However, “Dr. Sharon Satterfield, a nationally recognized expert on sex offenders ... stated that pedophilia ... may be a sexual orientation rather than a sexual deviation. She then raised the question as to whether pedophiles may have rights.”³⁷ NAMBLA spokesmen have quoted Kinsey extensively in arguing for the right to have sex with underage boys.

²⁹ Ibid., p.135, footnote 29.

³⁰ “Sexology—Therapy or Titillation?” *British Journal of Sexual Medicine*, January 1982, pp. 37-39. Cited in *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. xx.

³¹ *U. S. Catholic*, October 1982, p. 26, cited in *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. xx.

³² *The Children of Table 34*, 1995, produced and directed by Robert Knight, 28 minutes, Family Research Council, videocassette.

³³ *Medical Aspects of Human Sexuality*, November 1977, results of a survey of 2,500 psychiatrists, cited in *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 144.

³⁴ Ibid.

³⁵ John Leo, “A New Furor Over Pedophilia,” *Time*, January 17, 1993, p. 47.

³⁶ Sigmund Freud’s letter to the mother of a homosexual (April 9, 1935); reproduced in *Medical Aspects of Human Sexuality*, December 1968, p. 40. Cited in *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 143.

³⁷ *Behavior Today*, December 5, 1988, p. 5. Cited in *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 206.

In 1994, the American Psychiatric Association (APA) revised its *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual (DSM) IV* by declaring that for a sexual inclination – including pedophilia – to be considered a paraphilia, that is, a sexual perversion, it must be accompanied by “significant distress or impairment of social, occupational or other important areas of functioning.”³⁸ This means that a child molester who feels no remorse would not technically have a paraphilia. In 1973, the APA had revised the DSM to remove homosexuality as a mental disorder, and many observers saw the 1994 change on paraphilias as a precursor to normalizing pedophilia.

In 1998, the American Psychological Association published an article in its *Psychological Bulletin* journal that made the case that sex between adults and children isn’t necessarily harmful and may even be beneficial in some instances.³⁹ The authors urge psychologists to cease using terms such as “child abuse” and “molestation” and instead use morally neutral terms such as “adult-child sex.” Instead of talking about “the severity of abuse,” the authors say, therapists should refer to “the level of sexual intimacy.” The article, which appears to have been designed to reduce the stigma associated with child sexual abuse, was denounced by the American Psychiatric Association, a different group, and a near-unanimous vote by Congress. But it was just the most obvious shot in an academic war to make the world safe for child molestation.

Parental authority is now being challenged by feminists and pedophiles clamoring for “children’s rights”: the right to privacy, the right to association, the right to family planning services. What about the child’s right to grow up without being exploited? How can a 4-year-old child possibly enter into a “consensual” relationship with an adult or even another child? As a society, we have easily determined that children are not ready for “adult” decisions such as drinking, smoking, entering into contracts or anything that requires enough maturity to understand the consequences.

Restoring Social Virtue and Purity to America

The core of the Kinsey philosophy is anti-marriage, anti-woman, anti-family and anti-children. It has bred a culture of casual sex, pornography, perverse sex, sexually transmitted diseases, abortion, commitment phobia, fatherlessness, divorce and impoverished single mothers. Our country is groaning under the social and economic weight of this legacy. Now, Kinsey’s adherents want to sell us pedophilia, masochism/sadism and bestiality. What will the future hold if we remain silent?

You *can* make a difference in the battle to protect our nation’s families. Together, we can reach out to parents and other concerned citizens in our neighborhoods, on our school boards, in our churches and in our legislatures.

It’s time for us to act. Let’s work to discredit, debunk and defund the social and educational programs and laws based upon Kinsey’s fraudulent data. The government has a responsibility to investigate the Kinsey reports since they were backed by federal money—\$40,000 a year from the National Research Council. And according to co-author Wardell Pomeroy’s testimony in *Kentucky vs. Happy, Day, Inc.* (1980), \$150,000 was provided just to process the data.

³⁸ *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders IV* (Washington, D.C.: American Psychiatric Association, 1994), p. 523.

³⁹ Bruce Rind, Philip Tromovich, Robert Bauserman, “A Meta-Analytic Examination of Assumed Properties of Child Sexual Abuse Using College Samples,” *Psychological Bulletin*, Vol. 124, No. 1 (1998), pp.22-53.

Concerned Women for America urges U.S. legislators to act now to investigate Alfred Kinsey and expose the truth about what his studies have done to America.

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