Dangerous Desires — Scripture Sets

Twelve DBS Sets for Discipleship

Shorthand: DD1–DD12 • Pairs with: Words of the Mouth, Attitudes of the Heart, and the Foundational Scripture Sets

Dangerous Desires Set 1: God's Design — The Body, Sex & Marriage

Shorthand: "DD1.1", "DD1.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD1.1	Created Male and Female: God's Good Design from the Beginning	Genesis 1:26-28; 2:18-25
DD1.2	One Flesh: The Mystery of Marriage as God Designed It	Genesis 2:21-25; Matthew 19:4-6
DD1.3	Your Body Belongs to God — It Is Not Your Own	1 Corinthians 6:12-20
DD1.4	Sex as Sacred Covenant: The Song of Solomon's Vision of Desire	Song of Solomon 4:1-7; 7:10-12; 8:6-7
DD1.5	Marriage Honored: The Bed Undefiled	Hebrews 13:4; Proverbs 5:15-19
DD1.6	Husband and Wife: Mutual Love and Submission in Christ	Ephesians 5:22-33
DD1.7	The Body Is for the Lord: Glorify God in Your Body	1 Corinthians 6:13-15; Romans 12:1-2
DD1.8	God Made Us and Knows Us: He Designed Every Part of Who We Are	Psalm 139:13-16; Jeremiah 1:5

Dangerous Desires Set 2: Lust — The Corruption of Desire

Shorthand: "DD2.1", "DD2.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD2.1	It Begins in the Heart: Lust Before the Act	Matthew 5:27-30; Job 31:1-4
DD2.2	Samson: When a Man's Eyes Lead Him to Ruin	Judges 14:1-3; 16:1-21
DD2.3	David and Bathsheba: The Moment the King Looked and Wanted	2 Samuel 11:1-17
DD2.4	The Road Lust Takes: From Desire to Death	James 1:13-15; Proverbs 7:6-27
DD2.5	Amnon and Tamar: Lust Dressed Up as Love	2 Samuel 13:1-22
DD2.6	Flee Youthful Lusts: Run, Don't Negotiate	2 Timothy 2:22; 1 Corinthians 6:18
DD2.7	Joseph Fled: The Man Who Ran from Sexual Temptation	Genesis 39:1-12
DD2.8	Eyes That See Rightly: A Covenant with Your Eyes	Job 31:1; Matthew 6:22-23; Psalm 101:3
DD2.9	The Lust of the Flesh, the Eyes, and the Pride of Life	1 John 2:15-17; Romans 13:13-14

Dangerous Desires Set 3: Sexual Immorality — Porneia and Its Cost

Shorthand: "DD3.1", "DD3.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD3.1	The Adulteress: Her House Is the Way to Sheol	Proverbs 5:1-14; 6:27-29; 6:32-35
DD3.2	Flee Sexual Immorality: Every Other Sin Is Outside the Body	1 Corinthians 6:15-20

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DD3.3	Porneia Named: What the Body of Christ Must Not Look Like	1 Corinthians 5:1-5; Ephesians 5:3-5
DD3.4	Put to Death What Is Earthly in You: Sexual Immorality First	Colossians 3:5-7; Galatians 5:19-21
DD3.5	Samson's Final Ruin: Where Unchecked Desire Ends	Judges 16:4-21
DD3.6	The Prodigal Son: Squandering Life in Sexual Sin	Luke 15:11-24
DD3.7	The Woman Caught in Adultery: Condemned by No One, Go and Sin No More	John 8:1-11
DD3.8	Hosea and Gomer: God's Heart Toward the Sexually Broken	Hosea 1:1-3; 2:14-20; 3:1-5
DD3.9	David's Confession After His Sexual Sin	Psalm 51:1-12

Dangerous Desires Set 4: Homosexuality, Perversion & Disordered Desire

Shorthand: "DD4.1", "DD4.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD4.1	Sodom: Violent Perversion and the Wages It Brought	Genesis 19:1-11; Jude 7
DD4.2	Exchanging the Natural for the Unnatural: Romans 1's Diagnosis	Romans 1:18-27
DD4.3	Such Were Some of You: The Hope Embedded in the Hard List	1 Corinthians 6:9-11
DD4.4	Male and Female He Created Them: The Foundation of Identity	Genesis 1:27; Matthew 19:4-6
DD4.5	Gibeah: Perverted Desire That Destroys a Whole Community	Judges 19:22-30; 20:1-7
DD4.6	Do Not Be Deceived: Sexual Sin and the Kingdom of God	1 Corinthians 6:9-10; Revelation 21:8
DD4.7	Washed, Sanctified, Justified: Transformation Is Real	1 Corinthians 6:11; Titus 3:3-7
DD4.8	A New Creation: Old Identity Gone, New Identity in Christ	2 Corinthians 5:17; Galatians 3:27-28
DD4.9	Walk by the Spirit and You Will Not Gratify the Flesh	Galatians 5:16-18; Romans 8:12-14

Dangerous Desires Set 5: Purity, Healing & New Identity in Christ

Shorthand: "DD5.1", "DD5.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD5.1	Washed Clean: God Removes the Stain of Sexual Sin	Isaiah 1:18; Psalm 51:7; 1 John 1:9
DD5.2	You Are Not Your Past: Identity Before God	Ephesians 1:3-7; Romans 8:1
DD5.3	Renewing the Mind: The Key to Breaking Old Patterns	Romans 12:1-2; Ephesians 4:22-24
DD5.4	The Spirit Stronger Than the Flesh: Power to Actually Change	Romans 8:1-14; Philippians 4:13
DD5.5	God's Grace Is Sufficient: Even in Sexual Struggle	2 Corinthians 12:7-10; Hebrews 4:14-16
DD5.6	Confess to One Another: Community Accountability and Healing	James 5:16; Galatians 6:1-2

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DD5.7	No Temptation Has Overtaken You: There Is Always a Way Out	1 Corinthians 10:13; Hebrews 2:17-18
DD5.8	Beloved: God's Love as the Foundation of Sexual Wholeness	1 John 3:1-3; Romans 8:38-39
DD5.9	Glorify God in Your Body: The Body as Worship	1 Corinthians 6:20; Romans 6:12-14

Dangerous Desires Set 6: Mortifying the Flesh — How to Actually Win

Shorthand: "DD6.1", "DD6.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD6.1	Put to Death What Is Earthly in You: The Command Is Active	Colossians 3:5-10; Romans 8:13
DD6.2	Crucified with Christ: The Old Self Is Dead	Galatians 2:20; Romans 6:6-7; 6:11-14
DD6.3	Do Not Offer Your Body to Sin: Offer It to God	Romans 6:12-19
DD6.4	Clothe Yourself with Christ: Put Him On, Cut Off the Rest	Romans 13:12-14; Ephesians 6:10-13
DD6.5	The Spirit's Power Over the Flesh Is Real and Available Now	Romans 8:1-4; Galatians 5:16
DD6.6	Jesus Was Tempted in Every Way: He Knows and He Overcame	Hebrews 4:14-16; Matthew 4:1-11
DD6.7	Take Every Thought Captive: The Battle Begins in the Mind	2 Corinthians 10:3-5; Philippians 4:8
DD6.8	Sow to the Spirit: What You Feed Grows	Galatians 6:7-8; Proverbs 4:23
DD6.9	Watch and Pray: Stay Alert to Temptation	Matthew 26:41; 1 Peter 5:8-9; James 4:7-8

Dangerous Desires Set 7: Walking in the Spirit — Joy, Power & Freedom

Shorthand: "DD7.1", "DD7.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD7.1	The Fruit of the Spirit: What Spirit-Led Desire Looks Like	Galatians 5:22-25
DD7.2	Full of the Spirit: Replaced, Not Just Emptied	Ephesians 5:18-20; Acts 4:31
DD7.3	The Joy of the Lord Is Your Strength	Nehemiah 8:10; Psalm 16:11; John 15:10-11
DD7.4	Free Indeed: Jesus on Real Freedom	John 8:31-36; Romans 6:18-22
DD7.5	Delight in God: When God Becomes More Desirable Than Sin	Psalm 37:4; Psalm 63:1-8
DD7.6	Hunger and Thirst for Righteousness: A Blessed Desire	Matthew 5:6; Psalm 42:1-2
DD7.7	Set Your Minds on Things Above: Redirected Desire	Colossians 3:1-4; Romans 8:5-6
DD7.8	Satisfied in God: The Feast That Sin Cannot Provide	Isaiah 55:1-3; Psalm 107:8-9; John 6:35
DD7.9	Run the Race: The Athlete Who Disciplines the Body for Glory	1 Corinthians 9:24-27; Hebrews 12:1-2

Dangerous Desires Set 8: Greed, Selfish Ambition & Covetousness

Shorthand: "DD8.1", "DD8.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD8.1	Thou Shalt Not Covet: The Commandment No One Talks About	Exodus 20:17; Romans 7:7-8
DD8.2	Achan: Secret Covetousness That Destroys a Whole Community	Joshua 7:1; 7:10-26
DD8.3	Gehazi: Greed That Follows a Miracle and Brings a Curse	2 Kings 5:20-27
DD8.4	The Rich Fool: He Stored Up for Himself and Was Not Rich Toward God	Luke 12:13-21
DD8.5	You Cannot Serve Two Masters: Money as a Competing God	Matthew 6:19-24; Luke 16:13
DD8.6	The Love of Money: Root of All Kinds of Evil	1 Timothy 6:6-10; 6:17-19
DD8.7	Selfish Ambition: The Mind of Christ as the Counterweight	Philippians 2:1-11; James 3:14-16
DD8.8	Proverbs on Greed, Contentment, and the Snare of Wealth	Proverbs 11:24-28; 15:27; 28:20-22
DD8.9	Zacchaeus: What Happens When Greed Meets Jesus	Luke 19:1-10
DD8.10	Contentment as Godliness: The Freedom Greed Cannot Buy	Philippians 4:11-13; Hebrews 13:5-6; 1 Timothy 6:6

Dangerous Desires Set 9: Rivalry, Jealousy, Factions & Manipulation

Shorthand: "DD9.1", "DD9.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD9.1	Cain and Abel: Jealousy That Ends in Murder	Genesis 4:1-12; 1 John 3:11-12
DD9.2	Joseph's Brothers: Envy That Sells a Brother into Slavery	Genesis 37:1-11; 37:17-28; Acts 7:9
DD9.3	Saul and David: Jealousy That Becomes a Consuming Obsession	1 Samuel 18:6-16; 19:1-10
DD9.4	Works of the Flesh vs. Fruit of the Spirit: The Full List	Galatians 5:19-26
DD9.5	Rivalries and Factions in the Church: What They Reveal	1 Corinthians 1:10-13; 3:1-9
DD9.6	Earthly Wisdom vs. Wisdom from Above: Two Kinds of Desire	James 3:13-18
DD9.7	Jealousy and Selfish Ambition: Every Evil Practice Follows	James 3:14-16; 4:1-3
DD9.8	Manipulation, Flattery, and Hidden Agendas: God Sees All	Proverbs 26:24-28; Psalm 12:2-4; Matthew 15:7-9
DD9.9	Love Does Not Envy or Boast: The Character of Agape	1 Corinthians 13:4-7; Romans 12:9-16
DD9.10	Miriam and Aaron: Even Leaders Fall to Jealousy	Numbers 12:1-15

Dangerous Desires Set 10: Anger, Violence & Murder in the Heart

Shorthand: "DD10.1", "DD10.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD10.1	The Sixth Commandment: Murder Begins in the Heart	Exodus 20:13; Matthew 5:21-22
DD10.2	Cain: Rage Unchecked — Sin Is Crouching at the Door	Genesis 4:1-12

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DD10.3	Anger That Does Not Sin: The Narrow Path	Ephesians 4:26-27; Psalm 4:4
DD10.4	Slow to Anger: The Wise Man's Path	James 1:19-20; Proverbs 14:29; 15:1; 16:32
DD10.5	Don't Let the Sun Go Down on Your Anger	Ephesians 4:26-32; Colossians 3:8
DD10.6	Absalom's Revenge: Nursing Anger Until It Destroys	2 Samuel 13:22-29; 15:1-14
DD10.7	Do Not Take Revenge: God's Role and Ours	Romans 12:17-21; Proverbs 20:22
DD10.8	Love Your Enemies: The Command That Breaks the Cycle	Matthew 5:43-48; Luke 6:27-36
DD10.9	A Gentle Answer Turns Away Wrath: The Tongue as Peacemaker	Proverbs 15:1; 25:15; James 3:3-5

Dangerous Desires Set 11: Pride, Self-Deception & the Hardened Heart

Shorthand: "DD11.1", "DD11.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD11.1	Pride Goes Before Destruction: The Classic Warning	Proverbs 16:18; 11:2; 29:23
DD11.2	Nebuchadnezzar: The Man Who Thought He Was His Own God	Daniel 4:28-37
DD11.3	The Pharisee and the Tax Collector: Who God Hears	Luke 18:9-14
DD11.4	Lucifer's Fall: Pride as the Original Sin	Isaiah 14:12-15; Ezekiel 28:12-17
DD11.5	God Opposes the Proud: The Unavoidable Consequence	James 4:6-10; 1 Peter 5:5-6; Proverbs 3:34
DD11.6	Do Not Think of Yourself More Highly Than You Ought	Romans 12:3-16; Philippians 2:3-4
DD11.7	Self-Deception: The Heart Is Deceitful Above All Things	Jeremiah 17:9-10; 1 Corinthians 3:18-20
DD11.8	Ananias and Sapphira: Deceiving God and the Community	Acts 5:1-11
DD11.9	Humble Yourself Before the Lord and He Will Lift You Up	James 4:10; Matthew 23:11-12; Isaiah 57:15

Dangerous Desires Set 12: Addiction, Gluttony & Enslaving Appetites

Shorthand: "DD12.1", "DD12.2", etc.

ID	Topic / Story	Scripture Passage
DD12.1	Do Not Be Enslaved by Anything: All Things Lawful, Not All Helpful	1 Corinthians 6:12; Galatians 5:1
DD12.2	Esau: Trading Your Birthright for a Bowl of Stew	Genesis 25:29-34; Hebrews 12:16-17
DD12.3	Wine Is a Mocker: Warnings About Drunkenness	Proverbs 20:1; 23:29-35; Ephesians 5:18
DD12.4	Their God Is Their Belly: The Appetite That Becomes an Idol	Philippians 3:18-19; Romans 16:18
DD12.5	The Body Is a Temple: What We Do to It Matters	1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 6:19-20
DD12.6	Sober-Minded and Alert: The Enemy Uses Our Appetites	1 Peter 5:8; Titus 2:11-12
DD12.7	I Can Do All Things Through Christ: Strength When	Philippians 4:11-13; 2 Corinthians

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	Craving Screams	12:9-10
DD12.8	Fasting: Hunger Redirected Toward God	Matthew 6:16-18; Isaiah 58:6-7; Luke 4:1-2
DD12.9	Set Free from Slavery: Christ's Liberation Is Complete	Romans 6:14-18; John 8:34-36; Galatians 5:1