

### STATEMENTS

10-totally AGREE; 1 -totally DISAGREE with these statements:

1. Regarding sex, guys can't be expected to control themselves. Their sex drive is too high for them to control.
2. Sex is natural, by the time someone is in Senior High it is unnatural to expect that they would not have had sex.
3. The decision to have sex is private. It only affects me and my partner. No one else should know about it.
4. Most teens don't have the maturity to set goals and pursue them.
5. To develop a skill or talent takes time, practice and effort. (athletic, musical, academic, etc.) No pain...no gain.
6. I think if two people are dating for a few months and love each other, then they should have sex.
7. When I get married, I do not want my spouse thinking about or comparing me to a past lover.
8. I will know when I am ready to have sex.
9. If you feel you are ready for sex, then you probably are.
- 10.If you are a virgin, you shouldn't tell anyone.
- 11.I'll get more respect if I become sexually active.
- 12.I may not be ready for intercourse, but if my boyfriend/girlfriend wants it, I better go along.
- 13.If we are planning to get married (we've talked about it) then having sex is OK.
- 14.If you love someone, you want what is best for them.
- 15.Abstaining from sex in a dating relationship gives me more freedom.
- 16.Having sex when dating effects communication in the relationship.
- 17.You can't really know a person unless you have slept with them.
- 18.If you are over 18, and still a virgin, there is something seriously wrong with you.
- 19.People should be free to make their own choices, without ridicule or pressure.
- 20.My marital relationship will be effected by the sexual relationships I have now in my life.
- 21.If a girl has had more than 1 partner, she's a "slut".
- 22.If a guy has had more than one partner, he's a "stud".
- 23.Anything truly worthwhile in life is worth waiting for.
- 24.Sometimes sex "just happens".
- 25.People cannot have a close, intimate relationship unless they express themselves sexually.
- 26.Although I want my future partner to be a virgin, I think I need experience before I get married.
- 27.I would advise my little sister to have sex when she feels she is ready for it.
- 28.I would advise my younger brother to learn about talking "the love line" so that he could have more "action".
- 29.Intercourse is most satisfying when it is part of a long-term, committed, married relationship.
- 30.The more sexual partners a person has, the better they perform.
- 31.The sexual relationship I have with my spouse will be more special if we have waited for each other.
- 32.Every baby deserves a secure, loving family with a Mom/Dad.