

## ■ DO ME A FAVOR

Jill needed the promotion. Her first year of college required a lot more money than she was making. Tuition was going up next semester. When Rick, Jill's boss, first mentioned the possibility of a promotion and a pay raise, Jill was excited. But the more Rick talked, the more Jill realized there were strings attached.

"Jill, I really think I need to know you better before I can decide whether you should get the promotion. My wife is going out of town this weekend. I wondered if you would like to come over to the house for a few drinks and dinner. I would understand, of course, if you couldn't make it, but I do need to decide on the promotion this weekend." Jill had never had anything like this happen before. She didn't know what to do.

Barbara, Jill's best friend, encouraged Jill to accept the dinner offer. She advised her to lead Rick on without yielding sexually and then, when she got the promotion, drop him.

Sandy, Jill's older sister, disagreed. She recommended that Jill go to the manager and complain of sexual harassment. Jill had thought of that but was afraid Rick would deny everything, and then she would not only lose the promotion but her present job as well. She really didn't know what to do.

- ▶ If you were Jill, what would you do?
- ▶ If you were a friend, what would you do to help Jill?
- ▶ If you were Jill's boyfriend, what would you do?
- ▶ If you were Jill's parents, what would you do?
- ▶ Do you agree that Jill was being sexually harassed? If not, how would you define sexual harassment?

● Scripture Guide:	Proverbs 8:10-21	Romans 12:12-21
	Proverbs 12:5	Hebrews 13:5-6
	Proverbs 13:20	1 John 2:15-17