

# Be Careful Little Eyes

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Is this “somebody else’s problem?”

- 1) Even if it is, you may be able to \_\_\_\_\_ someone else
- 2) This goes beyond visiting prostitutes. It may be more  
\_\_\_\_\_ than you want to admit.

Avoid the “forbidden woman!”

Why?

- The end will be \_\_\_\_\_ if you pursue her.
- The end will be \_\_\_\_\_ as sword.
- She leads to \_\_\_\_\_.
- She leads, in fact, to \_\_\_\_\_.
- Hers is not a way that leads to \_\_\_\_\_ in life as it may seem. It is quite the opposite.
- She is \_\_\_\_\_ and wandering aimlessly, unaware of her own folly.

It sure looks good, but it is poison that leads to \_\_\_\_\_!

What it looks like to stay away from the “door” of the forbidden woman:

- 1) In dating
  - a. Set high standards
    - i. Date only \_\_\_\_\_.
    - ii. Look in the \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. Set appropriate \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. \_\_\_\_\_ with solid believers
    - ii. Stay out of the \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii. Save things for \_\_\_\_\_!
- 2) In general
  - a. Preventative action is the key.
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_ temptation... run!
  - c. Build \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Do this when you are \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ (not when you are \_\_\_\_\_ – that’s too late)

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- 3) Even if it is, you may be able to **help** someone else
- 4) This goes beyond visiting prostitutes. It may be more **your problem** than you want to admit.

Avoid the “forbidden woman!”

Why?

- The end will be **bitter** if you pursue her.
- The end will be **destructive** as sword.
- She leads to **death**.
- She leads, in fact, to **Hell**.
- Hers is not a way that leads to **fulfillment** in life as it may seem. It is quite the opposite.
- She is **self-deceived** and wandering aimlessly, unaware of her own folly.

It sure looks good, but it is poison that leads to **death!**

What it looks like to stay away from the “door” of the forbidden woman:

- 3) In dating
  - c. Set high standards
    - iii. Date only **Christians**.
    - iv. Look in the **right places**.
  - d. Set appropriate **boundaries**.
    - i. **Accountability** with solid believers
    - ii. Stay out of the **bedroom**
    - iii. Save things for **marriage!**
- 4) In general
  - a. Preventative action is the key.
  - b. **Avoid** temptation... run!
  - c. Build **fences**

- d. Do this when you are **thinking right** (not when you are **tempted** – that’s too late)

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