

The Bible Supports Abstinence

- I. The Old Testament testimony is consistent
 - A. Wine could refresh the heart (Psalm 104:14-15)

 - B. Wine could distract the mind (Proverbs 31:4-7)

 - C. Wine could portray their sin (Isaiah 1:22)

- II. The New Testament testimony is consistent
 - A. Christ averted a social disgrace (John 2:1-11)

 - B. Even diluted wine required caution (1 Timothy 3:3, 8)

 - C. Undiluted wine is a stunning metaphor (Revelation 14:10)